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WHEREAS, **Darren Donner**, whose post office address is **2130 Grant Avenue, Port Coquitlam, B.C. V3B 1R2**, is an owner of an invention entitled "**SURFACE FIBRE OPTIC CABLE NETWORK INSTALLATION**", which is described and claimed in a Canadian Patent Application, filed on February 15, 2001.

WHEREAS, **TeraSpan Networks Inc.** (hereinafter referred to as the assignee) whose address is **134 Abbott Street, Suite 502, Vancouver, B.C. V6B 2K4**, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention or inventions and in and to any and all patents to be obtained therefor;

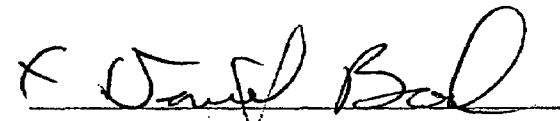
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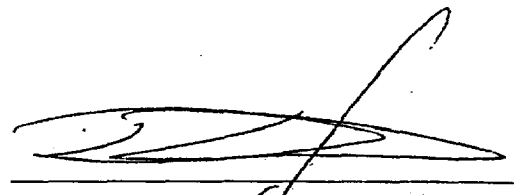
We further agree without any payment by said assignee other than expenses incurred by the undersigned, to communicate to said assignee,

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SIGNED at 201-405 RAILWAY ST. this 23 day of JULY,
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