



kt. No.: 45996/249298

To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Please record the attached original documents

102246444

1. Name of conveying party(ies):

Siu-Ping Hong  
Jason W. Shiroishi  
Nirupama Kenkare

10/1/02

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Fitel U.S.A. Corp.  
2000 Northeast Expressway  
Norcross, Georgia 30071

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes ☐ No ☒

3. Nature of conveyance:

- ☒ Assignment  
☐ Merger  
☐ Security Agreement  
☐ Change of Name  
☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Execution Date: September 27, 2002

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? Yes ☐ No ☒

10/26/908

4. Application No. \_\_\_\_

Patent No. \_\_\_\_

If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application  
is: October 1, 2002

Additional numbers attached? Yes ☐ No ☒

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

ALSTON & BIRD LLP  
Bank of America Plaza  
101 South Tryon Street, Suite 4000  
Charlotte, NC 28280-4000

6. Total number of applications and patents involved:

1

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41) \$40.00

- ☐ Enclosed  
☒ Authorized to be charged to deposit account

8. Deposit account number: 50-2074

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

9. Statement and signature: *To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.*

Name of Person Signing: Neill R. Kahle, Jr.

Reg. No. 50,383

10/1/02  
Date

Total number of pages including cover sheet, attachments, and document: 5

10/09/2002 LNUELLER 00000164 502074 10261908

01 FC:581

40.00 CH

## ASSIGNMENT AND AGREEMENT

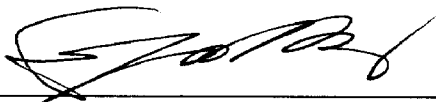
For value received, we, **Siu-Ping Hong** of **5635 Timson Lane, Alpharetta, Georgia 30022** in the County of **Fulton** and the State of **Georgia**, **Jason W. Shiroishi**, of **1017 Homewood Court, Decatur, Georgia 30033** in the County of **Dekalb** and the State of **Georgia**, and **Nirupama Kenkare** of **1086 Sandford's Walk, Tucker, Georgia 30071** in the County of **Gwinnett** and the State of **Georgia**, hereby sell, assign and transfer to **Fitel USA Corp.**, a corporation of the State of Delaware, having an office at 2000 Northeast Expressway, Norcross, Georgia, 30071, U.S.A. and its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest, for the United States of America, in and to certain inventions related to **Methods And Apparatuses For Controlling Optical Fiber Coating Diameter** described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States, executed by us of even date herewith, and all the rights and privileges in said application and under any and all Letters Patent that may be granted in the United States for said inventions; and we also concurrently hereby sell, assign and transfer to **Fitel USA Corp.** the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions for all countries foreign to the United States, including all rights of priority arising from the application aforesaid, and all the rights and privileges under any and all forms of protection, including Letters Patent, that may be granted in said countries foreign to the United States for said inventions.

We authorize **Fitel USA Corp.** to make application for such protection in its own name and maintain such protection in any and all countries foreign to the United States, and to invoke and claim for any application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions, without further authorization from us, any and all benefits, including the right of priority provided by any and all treaties, conventions, or agreements.

We hereby consent that a copy of this assignment shall be deemed a full legal and formal equivalent of any document which may be required in any country in proof of the right of **Fitel USA Corp.** to apply for patent or other form of protection for said inventions and to claim the aforesaid benefit of the right of priority.

We request that any and all patents for said inventions be issued to **Fitel USA Corp.** in the United States and in all countries foreign to the United States, or to such nominees as **Fitel USA Corp.** may designate.

We agree that, when requested, we shall, without charge to **Fitel USA Corp.** but at its expense, sign all papers, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient in connection with said applications, patents, or other forms of protection.

  
Siu-Ping Hong

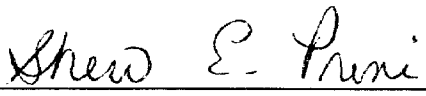
Date: 9/27/02

United States of America )

State of Georgia ) ss.:

County of Gwinnett )

On this 27<sup>th</sup> day of September, 20 02, before me personally came, **Siu-Ping Hong** to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.

  
Notary Public

**Notary Public, Gwinnett County, Georgia.**  
**My Commission Expires Feb. 19, 2005.**

Jason W. Shiroishi  
Jason W. Shiroishi

Date: 9/27/02

United States of America )

State of Georgia ) ss.:

County of Gwinnett )

On this 27<sup>th</sup> day of September, 20 02, before me personally came, **Jason W. Shiroishi** to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.

Shirley E. Parni  
Notary Public

**Notary Public, Gwinnett County, Georgia.  
My Commission Expires Feb. 19, 2005.**

Nirupama Kenkare  
Nirupama Kenkare

Date: 9/27/02

United States of America )

State of Georgia ) ss.:

County of Gwinnett )

On this 27<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2002, before me personally came, **Nirupama Kenkare** to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.

Shaw E Peri  
Notary Public

**Notary Public, Gwinnett County, Georgia.**  
**My Commission Expires Feb. 19, 2005.**

Fitel USA Corp.  
Docket Administrator (Room F020)  
2000 Northeast Expressway  
Norcross, GA 30071