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Name of conveying party(ies):	1710	Name and address of receiving party(ies)	
Imperial Bank	,. <i>FOT</i>	Name: _The Estate of Adolph R. Gale	
695 Town Center Drive, Ste. 100		Internal Address: Merrill Lynch Trust Company, FSE	
Costa Mesa, CA 92626		Co-Executor of the Estate of	
Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached	d? 🔲 Yes 🔲 No	Co-Executor of the Estate of	
3. Nature of conveyance:		Adolph R. Gale	
Assignment Me	rger	City Place II 12th Floor	
Security Agreement Ch	ange of Name	Street Address: City Place II, 12th Floor	
Other Assignment of Security Interests		185 Asylum Street, 12th Floor	
		City: Hartford State: CT Zip: 06103	
Execution Date: December 29, 2003		Additional name(s) & address(es) attached?   Yes No	
4. Application number(s) or patent number	er(s):		
If this document is being filed together	with a new appli	ication, the execution date of the application is:	
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Name and address of party to whom co concerning document should be mailed		6. Total number of applications and patents involved:	
Name: Christina Gallagher-Nelson		7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41)\$ 360.00	
Internal Address: Nixon Peabody LLP		✓ Enclosed	
		Authorized to be charged to deposit account	
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Street Address: Two Embarcadero Cer	iter,	7	
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City: San Francisco State: CAZi	p:_ <b>94111</b>	(Attach duplicate copy of this page if paying by deposit accord)	
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# Section 2. Additional Receiving Party

The Estate of Adolph R. Gale Jonathan Kerr Gale Co-Executor of the Estate of Adolph R. Gale 21 Hendrie Drive Old Greenwich, CT 06870

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#### ASSIGNMENT AND COLLECTION AGREEMENT

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the undersigned COMERICA BANK, a Michigan banking corporation, successor-by-merger to Comerica Bank-California, successor-by-merger to Imperial Bank ("Seller"), hereby sells, grants, assigns and transfers to the Estate of Adolph R. Gale, deceased, a duly probated Connecticut estate ("Buyer"), without recourse to Seller, all of Seller's right, title and interest in, to and under those certain loan documents more fully detailed on Attachment "A" (the "Loan Documents"), together with any obligations due and to become due thereunder, any rights accrued or to accrue thereunder, and any right, title and interest in and to all personal property therein described or referred to and any attendant documents and instruments (collectively, the "Collateral").

The consummation date hereof shall be December 29, 2003. At that time, Buyer shall assume any and all obligations and liabilities of Seller under or in connection with the Loan Documents and/or the Collateral, of every kind or nature whatsoever.

Seller is neither a manufacturer nor distributor of, nor dealer or merchant in, property of a similar or like nature or of the Collateral. Seller has not inspected the Collateral or conducted an inventory of the Collateral, and therefore makes no representations or warranties as to the condition, status, title, location, availability or existence of any specific items. Buyer has relied solely on its own information and/or inspection with regard to the Collateral.

Except as to the limited representations expressly set forth herein, Seller makes no representation or warranty in respect of the Loan Documents and/or the Collateral. Seller makes the following limited representations: (1) the Loan Documents detailed on Attachment "A" represent all agreements pertaining to the Collateral and to the loan indebtedness described in the Loan Documents; (2) the Loan Documents have been duly authorized and executed by Seller; and (3) the current balance owed under the terms of the Judgment entered in favor of Seller in San Diego Superior Court Case No. GIC805260, dated September 3, 2003, is \$1,772,000.00 and there are no current defaults existing under the terms of the Settlement Agreement dated September 3, 2003 between Seller, as plaintiff, and Optical Disc Corporation and Richard L. Wilkinson, as co-defendants, as of the consummation date hereof. Except as to the foregoing, this assignment is made "AS IS, WHERE IS" with all faults and without any representations or warranties, express, implied, or statutory.

Seller and Buyer previously entered into a certain confidentiality letter agreement on or about March 17, 2003, which expires on March 17, 2004. Seller and Buyer hereby agree that the confidentiality requirements thereunder shall terminate as of the execution of the Settlement Agreement Including Releases of even date herewith, and that the only remaining confidentiality requirements shall be as set forth in that Settlement Agreement Including Releases.

This Agreement is contingent upon Buyer providing the necessary consent/authority documentation in connection with the ongoing Connecticut probate proceedings, to ensure that this Agreement, and all associated documentation, is enforceable and binding upon Buyer. This requirement is an express condition precedent to this Agreement, and this Agreement shall not become effective until this contingency is satisfied.

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#### Attachment "A"

# (Description of Loan Documents)1

- 1. Credit Agreement between Optical Disc Corporation and Imperial Bank dated March 22, 1999
- 2. Commercial Guaranty executed by Richard L. Wilkinson, dated March 22, 1999
- 3. First Amendment To Credit Agreement, dated May 20, 2000
- 4, Second Amendment To Credit Agreement, dated May 21, 2001
- 5. Amendment letter to Optical Disc Corporation from Jonathan Mata dated July 23, 2001, acknowledged by Richard L. Wilkinson on July 24, 2001
- 6. Fourth Amendment To Credit Agreement dated August 20, 2001
- 7. Acknowledgement and consent letter signed by Richard Wilkinson dated August 31, 2001
- 8. Commercial Security Agreement between Optical Disc Corporation and Imperial Bank dated February 4, 1999, as the same has been extended and renewed from time to time; and the associated Financing Statement (UCC1) filed on March 2, 1999, as amended by that certain State of California Uniform Commercial Code Financing Statement Change Form UCC-2 filed on March 29, 1999
- 9. Patent Security Agreement dated March 22, 1999, as the same has been extended and renewed from time to time
- 10. Transcript of Settlement Agreement dated September 3, 2003
- 11. Stipulation for Entry of Judgment dated September 3, 2003
- 12. Judgment in San Diego Superior Court Case No. GIC805260 dated September 3, 2003

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The Guaranty from the Export Import Bank of the United States, and all associated documentation, are expressly excluded from the Loan Documents affected by this Agreement, except to the extent that the Export-Import Bank has perfected or otherwise claimed security interests in and to any or all of the Collateral listed in the Loan Documents, in which case Seller shall immediately take all steps necessary to obtain from said Bank a cancellation of said Bank's Guaranty and, if necessary, release of any and all security interests said Bank may have in and to any or all of the Collateral.