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WHEREAS, I/we Xueshi Yang of 1922 Teal Trace, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15237, United States and Erozan Mehmet Kurtas of 910 Bingham Street, Unit J, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, 15203 United States are the inventor(s) of an invention entitled PATTERN-DEPENDENT EQUALIZATION AND DETECTION that is the subject matter of: (check all that apply)

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NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which is hereby acknowledged, I/we transfer to Assignee, its successors and assigns, my/our entire right, title and interest in and to the invention, the above-identified applications, all provisional applications from which any of the above-identified applications claim priority, corresponding domestic and foreign applications, any continuation, division, renewal, or substitute for the applications, all Letters Patent, any reissue, re-examination, or similar legal protection issuing related to the Letters Patent, and all rights and benefits under any applicable treaty or convention; and I/we authorize the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office or foreign equivalent to issue the Letters Patent or similar legal protection to the Assignee.

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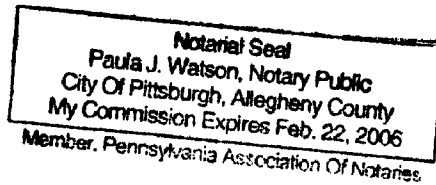
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On this 28th day of January, 2004, before me personally appeared Xueshi Yang to me known to be identified herein, and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes herein set forth.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 23 day of January, 2004.

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