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Inventor(s) Name, Address, Citizenship 1. Wayne DENNES residing at 30 Malison Street, Wyoming, NSW 2250, Australia and a citizen of Australia;

2. Michael Sielaff residing at 16 Cranbrook Crescent, Killarney Vale, NSW 2261, Australia and a citizen of Germany;

Date Patent Declaration Signed and Title Serial No. and filing date (if known)

(herein called "THE UNDERSIGNED") have made an invention and have executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States on for this invention, which application is entitled PLUG-IN CONNECTOR FOR A CONNECTOR-ENDED CABLE and which has been given Serial Number 10/521,878 and the filing date of 21 January 2005;

Name of Corporation

AND WHEREAS ADC GmbH (herein called "ASSIGNEE"), a corporation organized under the laws of Germany, and having an office and place of business at Beeskowdamm 3-11, 14167 Berlin, Germany

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