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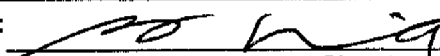
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have made new and useful inventions and discoveries in **METHOD AND DEVICE FOR CONTROLLING DATA CONNECTIONS IN A DATA NETWORK HAVING A PLURALITY OF DATA NETWORK NODES**, the specification of which was filed as International Application No. PCT/DE2004/001037 on May 17, 2004, and filed as U.S. application on November 30, 2005 having U.S. Serial No. 10/559,071 for Letters Patent in the U.S.P.T.O.; and

**WHEREAS Deutsche Telekom AG**, having a place of business at **Friedrich-Ebert-Allee 140, D-53113 Bonn, Federal Republic of Germany**, and who, together with its successors and assigns, is hereinafter called "Assignee," is desirous of acquiring the title, rights, benefits, and privileges hereinafter recited,

**NOW, THEREFORE**, for valuable consideration furnished by Assignee to us, receipt and sufficiency of which we hereby acknowledge, we hereby, without reservations:

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States of America, any and all other applications for Letters Patent on said inventions and discoveries, including all divisional, renewal, substitute, and continuation applications based in whole or in part upon said inventions or discoveries, or upon said applications, and any and all Letters Patent, reissues, and extensions of Letters Patent granted for said inventions and discoveries or upon said applications, and every priority right that is or may be predicated upon or arise from said inventions, said discoveries, said applications, and said Letters Patent.

2. Authorize Assignee to file patent applications in any or all countries for any or all of said inventions and discoveries in our names or in the name of Assignee or otherwise as Assignee may deem advisable, under an International Convention or otherwise.

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4. Warrant that we have not conveyed to others any right, title, or interest in said inventions, discoveries, applications, or patents or any license to use the same or to make, use, or sell anything embodying or utilizing any of said inventions or discoveries; that we have good right to assign the same to Assignee without encumbrance; and that we are aware of no claim to the contrary.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this  
28 day of May, 2006.

  
Sven HISCHE

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this  
25<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2006.

E. Weiss  
Erik WEISS

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this  
24 day of May, 2006.   
**Bangnan XU**