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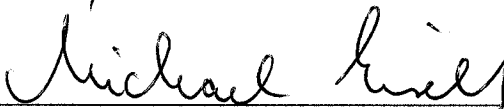
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WHEREAS, Michael Eiselt of Kirchheim, Germany ("Inventor") has invented certain new and useful improvements in a device disclosed and claimed in German Patent Application 10 2006 008 404.7 entitled OPTISCHE SCHALTUNGSSTRUKTUR ZUR REALISIERUNG EINES KNOTENS HÖHERER ORDNUNG IN EINEM OPTISCHEN ÜBERTRAGUNGSNETZWERK filed February 21, 2006 (the "German Application"), and whereas an application for the United States Letters Patent which corresponds to the German Application is being concurrently filed herewith. Any and all inventions disclosed in the German application and the U.S. patent application filed herewith will be referred to herein as the "Invention".

WHEREAS, ADVA AG Optical Networking ("ADVA") having a mailing address of Fraunhoferstrasse 9a, 82152, Martinsried, Germany, desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in the Invention,

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Inventor does hereby sell, assign, and transfer unto ADVA, the entire right, title, and interest, in and to the Invention, including the entire right, title, and interest in and to the above-identified German application and U.S. application. This assignment shall be effective for the territory of the United States of America and for all foreign countries and shall include all priority rights claimed in the German application. The Invention, U.S. application and any U.S. Letters Patent issuing from the U.S. application or continuation, continuation-in-part, or division thereof, and any reissue of any such patent, to be held and enjoyed by ADVA, for its own use, and for its legal representatives and assigns as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by the Inventor had this assignment and sale not been made. Inventor further agrees to cooperate with ADVA, in the prosecution of any and all U.S. patent applications for the Invention.

Executed this 10th day of January, 2007, ~~2006~~ ^{h.}


Michael Eiselt