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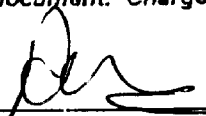
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MARK: ABRAXAS)

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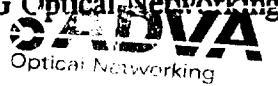
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, AMS Optotech GmbH is the owner of the marks ADVA and ABRAXAS and is also the owner of the following pending U.S. trademark applications for registrations and German trademark registrations for these marks:

German Trademark Registration

<u>Mark</u>	<u>Registration No.</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
ADVA	397 48 065.2	April 16, 1998
ABRAXAS	397 48 064.4	March 5, 1998

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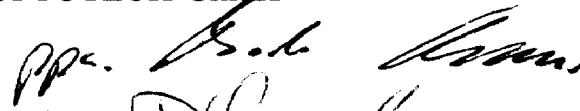
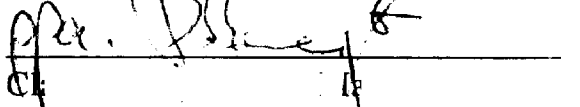
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ADVA	75/464,470	April 8, 1998
ABRAXAS	75/464,371	April 8, 1998

WHEREAS, ADVA AG Optical Networking, a business organized and existing under the laws of Germany and having its principal offices at Fraunhoferstrasse 22, D-82152, Martinsried, GERMANY, is desirous of acquiring said marks, U.S. trademark applications and German trademark registrations and has the intent to use said marks in the United States in the manner described in said U.S. trademark applications,

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, AMS Optotech GmbH hereby assigns to ADVA AG Optical Networking all right, title and interest in and to said trademarks German trademark registrations, and U.S. trademark applications together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by said trademarks.

Signed this 28. day of June, 1999.

AMS OPTOTECH GmbH

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