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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patent:

ed original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies):

Northern Wire & Cable, Inc.

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- Individual(s)
- General Partnership
- Corporation-State-Delaware
- Other
- Association
- Limited Partnership

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes No

3. Nature of conveyance:

- Assignment
- Security Agreement
- Other Assignment-Nunc Pro Tunc
- Merger
- Change of Name

Execution Date: September 9, 1998

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: Anicom, Inc.

Internal Address: Suite 100

Street Address: 6133 N. River Road

City: Rosemont State: IL ZIP: 60018

- Individual(s) citizenship
- Association
- General Partnership
- Limited Partnership
- Corporation-State Delaware
- Other

If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached: Yes No
(Designations must be a separate document from Assignment)
Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? Yes No

4. Application number(s) or registration number(s):

A. Trademark Application No.(s)

B. Trademark registration No.(s)

- 2,149,590
- 2,042,246
- 1,703,031
- 1,498,336

Additional numbers attached? Yes No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: Kevin S. MacKinnon

Internal Address: c/o Katten Muchin Zavis
Suite 1300

Street Address: 525 West Monroe Street

City: Chicago State: IL ZIP: 60661

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved:

4

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41):..... \$ 115.00

- Enclosed
- Authorized to be charged to deposit account

8. Deposit account number:

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9. Statement and signature.

To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

Deborah A. Wing

Name of Person Signing

Signature

9/26/00

Date

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TRADEMARK

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ASSIGNMENT NUNC PRO TUNC

WHEREAS, Northern Wire & Cable, Inc., ("Assignor") a Delaware corporation, has adopted and used in its business, in connection with cables, wires and the connectors therefore the trademarks which are registered in the United States Patent and Trademark Office under the following registration numbers (the "Trademarks"):


<u>Trademarks</u>	<u>Registration Number</u>	<u>Registration Date</u>
RAPI-CHANGE	2,149,590	April 7, 1998
CFC	2,042,246	March 4, 1997
NORTHFLEX	1,703,031	July 28, 1992
NORTHERN WIRE & CABLE	1,498,336	August 2, 1988

WHEREAS, Anicom, Inc., ("Assignee") a Delaware corporation, located and doing business at 6133 North River Road, Suite 1000, Rosemont, Illinois 60018 is desirous of acquiring said registered trademarks;

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor sells, assigns and transfers to Assignee, Nunc Pro Tunc, effective as of September 9, 1998, the entire right, title, and interest in, to and under the

Trademarks and the registrations therefor, listed above, together with the goodwill of the business connected with the use of and symbolized by the Trademarks and the right to sue and recover for any past infringements of the Trademarks.

NORTHERN WIRE & CABLE, INC.

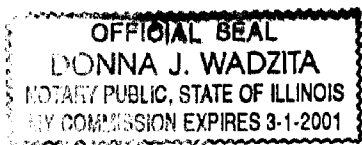
By: 

Name: Gregory E. Fix

Title: Vice President

STATE OF IL)
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COUNTY OF Cook)

On this 26th day of September, 2000, before me appeared Aluga, E. Fiv, the person who signed this instrument, who acknowledged that (s)he signed it as a free act on behalf of the identified corporation with authority to do so.



Donna J. Wadzita
Notary Public