



ELECTRONIC IMAGERY, INC.

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Mr. Mike Smith
International Organization for Standardization
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Subject: Electronic Imagery's Patent Policy regarding to JPEG coding.

Dear Mr. Smith:

Electronic Imagery is pleased to announce to ITU-TS and/or ISO that our patent policy with respect to our patent entitled "Narrow Bandwidth Signal Transmission" is as follows.

In the event the proposed standards/recommendations now identified as ISO/IEC DIS 10918-1 and CCITT Recommendation T.81 for "Digital Compression of Coding of Continuous-tone Image Compression" is adopted as International Standard and/or Recommendation, and specifications specified in these standards cannot be practiced without the use of our patent, our company is willing to grant a non-exclusive license under such patent on a non-discriminatory basis and on reasonable terms and conditions to any party requesting such license, provided that such party also agrees to grant licenses under its own patents relating to the relevant specification under non-discriminatory and reasonable terms and conditions.

A party that wishes to receive further information on these license options or to request a license should contact our company directly.

Sincerely,

Joseph A. Osborne, CEO
Cindy Seiffert, President

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