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Dear Mr. Hayes:

Wi-LAN Inc. hereby withdraws its previous IP statement dated July 9, 1998 to the extent that it implied that Wi-LAN’s existing US patent on multicode technology, US patent # 5,555,268, or any other of its pending patents are necessary for the implementation of devices incorporating the IEEE802.11b draft standard.

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Yours Truly,

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