Journal of Lightwave Technology Report to the AESS Board of Governors October 22, 2002

One meeting of the IEEE Steering Committee for the Journal of Lightwave Technology (JLT) was held on April 26, 2002.

Action

The committee approved a page budget of 2250 technical pages for calendar year 2003.

The committee approved raising the IEEE Marketing price for non-member subscriptions from \$950.00 to \$1,025.00.

Editors' Report.

Based on the submissions and acceptances, the 2002 page budget of 2088 technical pages is expected to be achieved.

Special issues on Optical Networks and Optical MEMS are in development. Special issues on Optical Interconnect and Packaging and Depth Perception-Machine Vision are being contemplated.

Treasurer's Report

There was an All Transactions penalty of \$76,300 for publishing 822 pages less than budgeted for 2001.

Infrastructure charges rose from a budgeted \$413000 to \$104,100. This is expected to rise to \$169,500 in 2003.

JLT will no long receive the investment income generated by its reserve and surplus—a loss of an estimated \$28,200.

The total rebate to IEEE sponsors of JLT for 2001 was \$120,909 (pre-audit). The AESS share was \$1,575 based on have 1.3% of the total number of subscribers.