

Annex 1 to the Statement of Grounds for Amendment of EP (UK) 2 390

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Amended Claim 7

A bundled fiber optic cable according to Claim 6, wherein said first binder yarn's leading helical subyarn exhibits a translational phase shift from said first binder yarn's trailing helical subyarn ~~of more than about 5 degrees, preferably of less than about 60 degrees, more preferably of less than about 45 degrees, even more preferably of~~ **between about 10 degrees and 30 degrees.**

Amended Claim 9

A bundled fiber optic cable according to Claim 6, wherein said second binder yarn's leading helical subyarn exhibits a translational phase shift from said second binder yarn's trailing helical subyarn ~~of more than about 5 degrees, preferably of less than about 60 degrees, more preferably of less than about 45 degrees, even more preferably of~~ **between about 10 degrees and 30 degrees.**