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Title of the Invention: **DERIVATION OF STUDIO CAMERA POSITION AND MOTION FROM THE CAMERA IMAGE**

Date(s) of execution of Declaration: June 25, 1998

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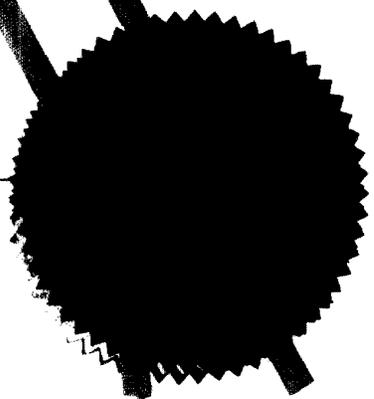
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