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WHEREAS, We Giov. Battista ANGELINI and Gualtiero REGINI

at No. 13, Via del Casale di Settebagni - 00138 ROMA, Italy

have invented certain new and useful improvements in

A METHOD FOR OPTIMIZING THE DRIVE OF A PIEZOELECTRIC ACTUATOR, IN PARTICULAR FOR PHACOEMULSIFIER DEVICES, BY DYNAMIC DETECTION OF ITS ELECTROMECHANICAL

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