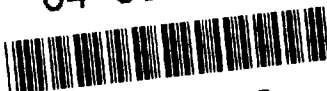


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and filed a United States patent application on December 21, 1998, Serial No. 09/217,770.

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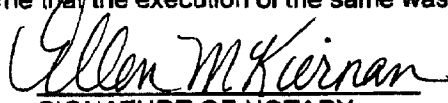
  
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On this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of March, 1999, before me personally came David H. Griesinger, to me personally known, and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing assignment, and acknowledged to me that the execution of the same was a free act and deed.

  
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