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(hereinafter ASSIGNOR), has made a discovery or invention entitled:

Methods For Using Dehydrogenases In Baking

for which application of Letters Patent of the United States has been filed on <u>May 13, 1999</u>, under Serial No. To Be Assigned, and

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