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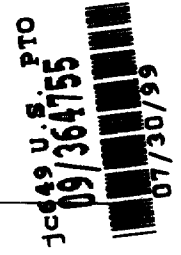
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have invented certain improvements in

TITLE

**METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR TRANSPARENTLY CACHING AND REUSING QUERY
EXECUTION PLANS EFFICIENTLY**

and executed, respectively, a United States patent application therefor on

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