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have invented certain improvements in APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR TESTING
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT FOR SUSCEPTIBILITY TO NEUTRAL TO GROUND NOISE

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

- (1) December 3, 1999, (2) December 3, 1999,
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Signed

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