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Title of the Invention

BASE PLATE FOR SUSPENSION ASSEMBLY IN A HARD DISK DRIVE WITH TAPERED INNER BARREL

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Whereas, we, the above-identified Inventors, have invented certain new and useful improvements in the Invention identified above and described in the above-identified patent application(s) and/or patent(s) (hereinafter referred to as "Invention");

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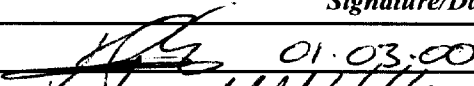
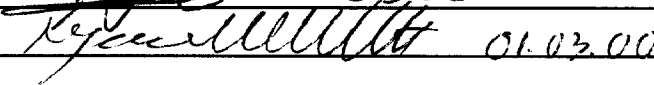
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