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and

(2)	James David Strom County of Olmsted	City of Rochester , and State of Minnesota ,
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invented certain improvements in:

OPTIMIZING PERFORMANCE OF A CLOCKED SYSTEM BY ADJUSTING CLOCK CONTROL SETTINGS AND CLOCK FREQUENCY

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

Dates	Inventor (1) March 13, 2000	and	(2) March 13, 2000
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