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have invented certain improvements in

APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR SETTING A DATA RATE IN A WIRELESS COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

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

(1) 11.07.2000, and (2) 11.07.2000

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On this _____ day of _____, 2000, before me personally came Fritz GFELLER to me personally known, and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing assignment, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same as his free act and deed.

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