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WHEREAS, I (We) **Lars Smedlund**

as assignor(s), have invented certain improvements in

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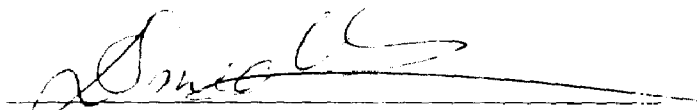
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