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County of Williamson and State of Texas

have invented certain improvements in **PARTITION-TO-PARTITION COMMUNICATION EMPLOYING A SINGLE CHANNEL PATH WITH INTEGRATED CHANNEL-TO-CHANNEL FUNCTION**

and executed a United States Patent Application therefor on

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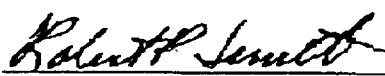
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