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WHEREAS, WE, <u>Ron Vered</u>, <u>Jennifery Lynn Grace</u>, <u>Abhay Rajaram</u>, and <u>Arevig Antablian</u> hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNORS", have invented certain new and useful improvements as described and set forth in the below-identified application for United States Letters Patent:

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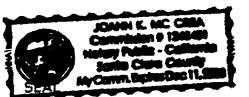
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