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| (6) Anthony T. Mazzatti<br>County of Broome    | City of <del>Endicott</del> <sup>ATM 1/18</sup> Johnson City<br>and State of New York, USA |

have invented certain improvements in

**INVOICE PROCESSING SYSTEM**

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

- (1) January 24, 2001;
- (2) January 26, 2001;
- (3) January 12, 2001;
- (4) January 12, 2001;
- (5) January 12, 2001; and
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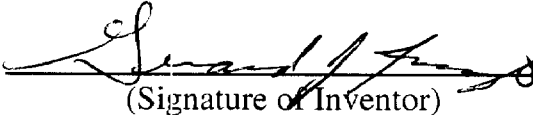
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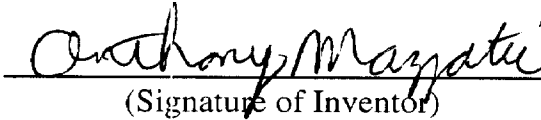
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