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residing at

Philosophenstrasse 27A, D-63547 Worms, Federal Republic of Germany, and Herzbergstrasse 37-39, D-63584 Gruendau, Federal Republic of Germany

have invented certain new and useful improvements in a

PACKAGING DEVICE

for which an application for United States Letters Patent was filed on September 7, 1999, and received U.S. Serial No. 09/390 919.

WHEREAS, ROVEMA VERPACKUNGSMASCHINEN GMBH

having a place of business at

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