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and filed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America therefor on August 20, 2001, having Application No. 09/931,865; and

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