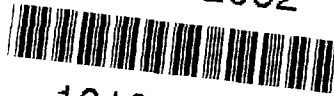


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WHEREAS, we, Tomonori Ikuma and Tetsu Wada

have invented new and useful improvements in _____
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for which we have prepared an application for Letters Patent of
the United States of America;

AND WHEREAS, _____
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NOW, THEREFORE, be it known by all whom it may
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and other good and valuable consideration to us in hand paid, the
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