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INSERT NAMES AND RESIDENCE ADDRESSES OF THE INVENTORS:

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INSERT TITLE OF INVENTION:

have invented certain new and useful improvements in: LIQUID BLEACH CLEANER

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Jan. 28, 2002, Jan. 29, 2002 for which an application for Letters Patent was executed on and Feb. 4, 2002

(Application No. 10/059,253 , filed January 31, 2002 ), and

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