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Whereas, the assignor is the sole and exclusive owner of U.S. Patent No. 5,893,979,issued on April 13, 1999.

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