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_____, respectively,

have invented certain new and useful improvements in: SHAPED BODIES CONTAINING METAL-ORGANIC
FRAMEWORKS

for which an application for Letters Patent was executed on _____
(Application No. 010/157,182, filed May 30, 2002), and

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