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and (2) Paul Reuben Day, City of Rochester,
County of Olmsted, and State of Minnesota,

have invented certain improvements in

ANIMATED GRAPHICAL OBJECT NOTIFICATION SYSTEM

and have executed, respectively, a United States patent application therefor on

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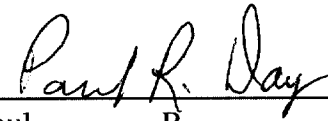
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