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	(hereinafter designated as the undersigned) has (have) invented certain new and useful improvements in					
nsert Title of Invention	Phamaceutical composition promoting defecation					
	for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America has been executed by the undersigned (except in the case of a provisional application).					
nsert Date of Signing of Application	on September 4, 2002 and September 10, 2002; and					
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