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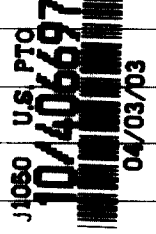
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Date: 3/18/2003

By:  3/18/2003
Albert J. Wallash

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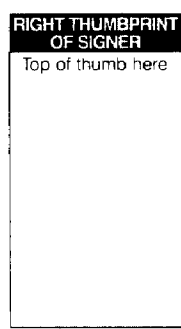
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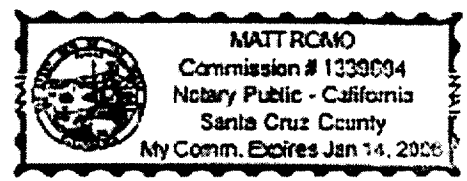
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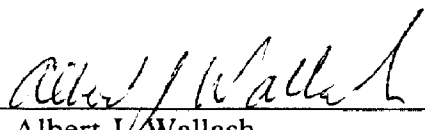
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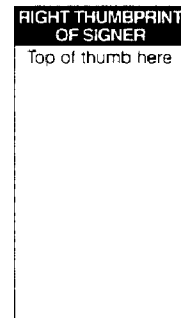
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