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(Title of Application) Use of water-soluble polysaccharide derivatives as dispersing agents for mineral binder suspensions

for which an application for United States Letters Patent was executed concurrently herewith unless otherwise indicated.

WHEREAS Degussa Construction Chemicals GmbH  
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