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have invented certain improvements in

VOLTAGE TRANSLATOR WITH DATA BUFFER

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

Dates Inventors
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Declaration	(1)	August 20	, 2004	(2)	August 19	, 2004
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