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Whereas, we

(1) Cary L. Bates, City of Rochester, and State of Minnesota,

(2) Brian P. Wallenfelt, City of Rochester, County of Olmsted, and State of Minnesota,

have invented certain improvements in

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

Dates

Inventors (1) September 28 , 2004, and

(2) September 28 ,2004.

Signed Declaration

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Signed

Inventor at Rochester, Minnesota (Cary L. Bates)

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