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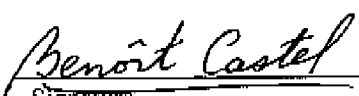
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hereafter referred to as "applicant(s)", have invented certain new and useful improvements in
**PROCESS FOR CROSSLINKING PROTEINS WITH A KETOSE CONTAINING 3 TO 5 CARBON
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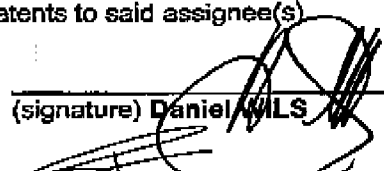
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