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Whereas, we,

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County of Travis and State of Texas

and

(2) Kurt Alan Feiste of Austin
County of Travis and State of Texas

and

(3) David Scott Ray of Georgetown
County of Williamson and State of Texas

and

(4) David Shippy of ~~Georgetown~~ Austin
County of ~~Williamson~~ Travis and State of Texas

and

(5) Albert James Van Norstrand, Jr. of Round Rock
County of Williamson and State of Texas

have invented certain improvements in

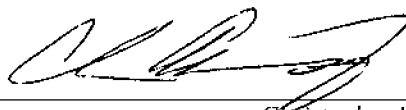
Method and Apparatus for Distributing Flush Instructions

and executed, respectively, a United States patent application therefore on
(Dates Inventors Signed Declaration) (1) 7/22/05, 2005,
(2) July 19, 2005, (3) 7/28/05, 2005,
(4) July 27, 2005, and (5) 7/28/05, 2005.

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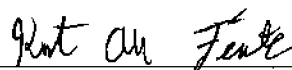
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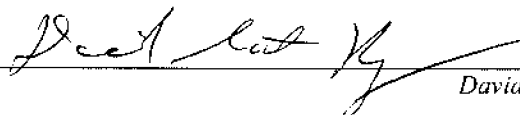
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