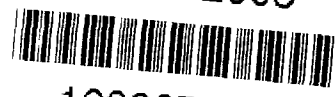


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was filed on April 3, 2001 under Serial No.10/221,814, and

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