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(hereinafter designated as the undersigned) has (have) invented certain new and useful improvements in  
FILTER FOR COLLECTING CHLORINATED ORGANIC COMPOUND

for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America has been executed by the undersigned (except in the case of a provisional application).

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