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METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR PERFORMING AUTHENTICATION AND DECRYPTION

(Atty. Docket No. BRCMP019/BP 2278), (check one)

- for which I have executed a U.S. patent application on even date herewith. (Accompanying)
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Signed on the date indicated beside my signature.

1. Inventor Signature:

Joseph V. Tardo
Joseph Tardo

Date: 5-17-2002

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On this _____ day of _____, in the year 2002, before me, _____, Notary Public, personally appeared Joseph Tardo, personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same in his/her authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her signature on the instrument the person, or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

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