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Claude BIETENHADER

hereafter referred to as "applicant(s)", have invented certain new and useful improvements in **AN AUXILIARY NOSE UNDERCARRIAGE, A FORCE-TRANSMISSION STRUCTURE, AND A ROTARY WING AIRCRAFT**

- (a) for which an application for a United States patent was filed on April 21, 2006, Application No. 11/408,171,
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