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have invented certain improvements in

System and Method for Optimizing Interrupt Processing in Virtualized Environments

and executed a United States patent application therefor on the following date(s):

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