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have invented certain improvements in

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and executed, respectively, a United States patent application therefore on

(Dates Inventors Signed Declaration) (1) December 13, 2007; (2) January 30, <sup>2008</sup>~~2007~~;  
(3) January 8, <sup>2008</sup>~~2007~~; (4) December 19, 2007.

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