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- (3) **SANDY K. KAO** of AUSTIN
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- (4) **LEWIS W. DEWEY III** of WAPPINGERS FALLS
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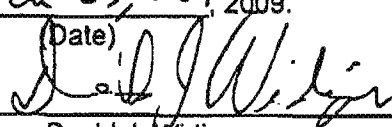
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and executed, respectively, a United States patent application therefore on

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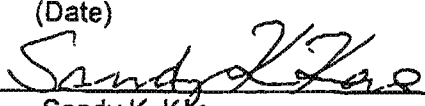
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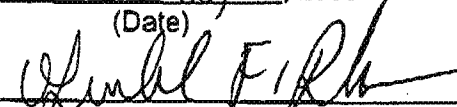
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