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guide rails for the linear guidance of a driven carriage

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- (a) ☒ U.S. patent application executed on even date herewith  
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- (d) ☐ U.S. application Serial No. 08/\_\_\_\_\_ filed on \_\_\_\_\_  
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Date of signing SIGNATURE of ASSIGNOR

Date: X 08/10/2009 X Tom Unger Tom UNGER

Date: X \_\_\_\_\_ X \_\_\_\_\_

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