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have invented certain new and useful improvements ("Invention") that are disclosed and/or claimed in the following patent application ("Application"):

International Patent Application entitled VACUUM-COATING SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR COATING A STRIP-TYPE MATERIAL, Application No. PCT/EP2019/063720, filed 28-May-2019.

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