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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE

In re application of  
 William F. Friedman  
 Filed July 25, 1933,  
 Serial No. 682,096,  
 Cryptographic System

Div. 53, Room 6897

April 14, 1936.

APPEAL FROM THE PRINCIPAL EXAMINER  
 TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

Hon. Commissioner of Patents,

Washington, D.C.

Sir:

I hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision of the Principal Examiner in the matter of my application for Letters Patents for Cryptographic System, filed July 25, 1933, Serial No. 682,096, which was finally rejected October 19, 1935.

The following are the points of the decision on which the Appeal is taken :

1. The Examiner erred in finally rejecting claims 25 to 34, inclusive, on the ground that they do not recite a patentable method but are for the obvious and intended function or use of the apparatus.
2. The Examiner erred in finally rejecting said claims 25 to 34 as failing to define clearly.
3. The Examiner erred in finally rejecting said claims because of the inclusion therein of a recital of structure.
4. The Examiner erred in finally rejecting said claims on the ground that no changes of character or condition are effected by the practice of the method.

5. The Examiner erred in refusing to pass the said application to issue as to said group of method claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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