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Abstract (en)  
[origin: EP0058849A2] The assembly includes a flexible insulating film (12) with indicia (21) visible on the upper surface and conductive contacts (14, 16, 18) on the lower surface. The top film may be comprised of two separate films (20, 12) for ease of applying the indicia and the contacts. The other contact of each SPST switch is a ground or reference contact formed by a chassis (10) or other relatively large and rigid conductive surface. A resilient spacer (22) is retained between the upper and lower switch contact surfaces and contains an aperture in registration with each upper switch contact.

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