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SUPPORT MEMBER

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Abstract (en)  
[origin: EP0191570A2] A support member (10) capable of bearing an axial compressive load may be used as a support in an underground mine. The support member (10) comprises an elongate tube (12) of a flexible plastics material divided by dividing walls of the flexible plastics material into a plurality of compartments (14) running the length of the tube (12) so that the tube (12) divided into compartments (14) has a honeycomb structure. Some or all of the compartments (14) are filled with a particulate filler material (20) such as sand.

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