

Title (en)  
PRESSURE-EQUALIZATION ELEMENT IN A CONTACT STRIP.

Title (de)  
DRUCKAUSGLEICHSELEMENT IN EINER STECKERLEISTE.

Title (fr)  
ELEMENT EGALISATEUR DE PRESSION DANS UNE BARRETTE DE CONTACT.

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Abstract (en)  
[origin: WO9312562A1] The invention concerns a switch device with a pressure-equalization element (20) inserted in a recess in the main body (10) of the contact strip (11) so that the pressure can be equalized between the inside of the housing (17) and the surrounding atmosphere. Fitting the pressure-equalization element (20) in the contact strip (11) in this particular way permits the correct functioning of the pressure-equalization element to be checked simply, with the element fitted in place and without the need for any additional test procedures.

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