

Title (en)
METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR REDUCING STRAIN OF THE EYES

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VERFAHREN UND GERÄT ZUM VERMINDERN DER AUGENERMÜDUNG

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PROCEDE ET APPAREIL PERMETTANT DE REDUIRE LA FATIGUE OCULAIRE

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[origin: WO9723188A1] Apparatus for reducing fatigue and/or strain in the eyes of a person viewing an object at relatively close range. The apparatus includes means (10) for automatically repositioning the object relative to the eyes at least periodically whereby causing a shift in the focus of the eyes and a corresponding shift in tension of muscles associated with the eyes. In a preferred embodiment the object is repositioned such that the shift in tension of the eye muscles is substantially constant.

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