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BLOCK CONNECTING STRUCTURE AND BAND-SHAPED ORNAMENT

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STRUCTURE DE LIAISON DE BLOCS ET ORNEMENT EN FORME DE BANDE

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Abstract (en)  
[origin: EP1018308A1] A link (10) having a center connecting portion (13) having a first hole (14), a pair of outside connecting portions (11) having a second hole having a larger diameter than the first hole, and a pair of pins (20) are provided. Each of the pins comprises a shaft (24) to be inserted in the first and second holes, a force fit portion (25) having a diameter larger than the diameter of the shaft and to be forcibly fitted in the second and third holes, and a neck portion formed between the shaft and the force fit portion in a taper shape. The adjacent links are connected by inserting the shaft in the first hole and force fitting the force fit portion in the third hole. <IMAGE>

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