

Title (en)  
Input device employing sheet type switch and method for fabricating thereof

Title (de)  
Eingabevorrichtung mit verwendung von Folienschalter und Herstellungsverfahren dafür

Title (fr)  
Dispositif d'entrée utilisant une interrupteur à feuilles et son procédé de fabrication

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Abstract (en)  
[origin: EP1081729A2] An input device allowing reduction in the number of parts, thinning, down sizing and easy assembly, and a method for fabricating thereof are provided. The input device for entering a desired command by user's operation has an enclosure 12 having a slit portion 40; a sheet-type switch portion 140 located within the enclosure 12 so as to be aligned with the slit portion 140; a board 170 located within the enclosure 12; and electrical connection portion 190 which establishes electrical connection between the board 170 and the switch portion 140 by elastic deformation caused by assembly process of the enclosure 12. <IMAGE>

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