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ELECTRICAL CONNECTOR APPARATUS AND METHOD

Title (de)

ELEKTRISCHER STECKVERBINDER UND METHODE

Title (fr)

DISPOSITIF ET PROCEDE DESTINES A UN CONNECTEUR ELECTRIQUE

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[origin: WO0062374A1] The subject invention relates to a method and apparatus for coupling an electrical conductor to a connector. A specific embodiment has a conductor housing having at least one bore therein and an electrical conductive prong mounted in the housing bore. An electrical conductor gripping collar is positioned in each conductor housing bore with gripping fingers extending from the housing bore. A collar driving member is used to push the gripping collar further into the housing bore to force the gripping fingers of the gripping collar onto the electrical conductor's insulation. The collar driving member is then fastened to the connector housing to couple the electrical conductor to the electrical connector.

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