

Title (en)

Keyswitch device, keyboard with the keyswitch device, and electronic apparatus with the keyboard

Title (de)

Tastschalter, Tastatur mit dem Tastschalter, und elektronisches Gerät mit der Tastatur

Title (fr)

Interrupteur à touche, clavier avec interrupteur à touche, appareil électrique avec clavier

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Abstract (en)

[origin: EP1361589A2] A key top is urged upward via a rubber elastic member stretched between a first link member and a second link member with ends of shaft members provided to both side portions of a shaft of the first link member and shaft members provided to both side portions of a shaft of the second link member supported in insertion holes in thick portions of each rubber elastic member in one embodiment. Alternative embodiments use a ring or rectangular type rubber elastic member that encloses a base position of the first and second link members. <IMAGE>

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