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APPARATUS FOR EMPTYING A CISTERN

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VORRICHTUNG ZUM ENTLEREEN EINER ZISTERNE

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APPAREIL DESTINÉ À VIDER UNE CHASSE D'EAU

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[origin: WO2009156759A1] An apparatus (1) for emptying a cistern (3) which apparatus includes control unit (2, 102, 202), a pair of actuators electrically connected to the control (2) unit and first and second cables (8a, 8b) each of which is operated by one of the actuators. A first end of each cable is connected to a respective one of the actuators and a second end of each cable is connected to a valve fluidly coupled to an outlet of the cistern. In use, the apparatus actuates the first cable to open the valve for effecting a full flush in response to a first signal received by the control unit. The apparatus is also configured to actuate the second cable to open the valve for effecting a partial flush in response to a second signal received by the control unit. Input means, preferably in the form of an infrared proximity sensor, is provided to receive a command from a user to generate the first and/or second signals.

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