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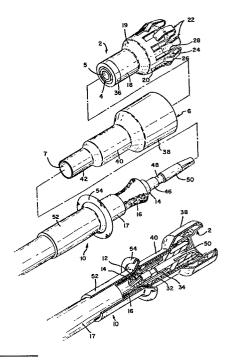
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- Mit of parts for a coaxial connector assembly.
- (a) An electrical connector assembly for coaxial cable includes a conductive outer shell (6) connected to a conductive sheath (16) of the cable, a conductive center contact (8) connected to a center conductor (12) of the cable, a hollow retention spring (2) carrying spring fingers (22) doubled back on themselves and distributed against the interior periphery of the shell (6), and a plug (4) surrounding the center contact with a composite dielectric of concentric, resilient dielectric sleeves (34, 36) separated by a dielectric air space (33).



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