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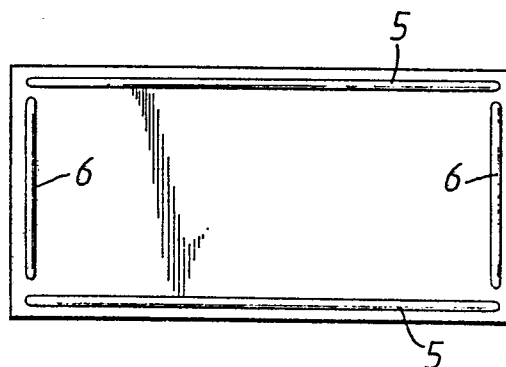
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⑤④ **Roofing panel.**

⑤⑦ A roofing panel suitable for use on a flat or shallow angled roof is of substantially lamellar form, is made of plastics material and has an edge portion which extends substantially in a plane parallel to the plane of the panel body. Means (5, 6) for accommodating expansion or contraction of the panel relative to a substrate on which it is placed are provided. The means (5, 6) extends across a major part of the panel in two mutually transverse directions, is formed as an integral part of the panel and comprises at least one portion which projects out of the plane of the panel body.





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