

12

EUROPEAN PATENT APPLICATION

21 Application number: **87830151.4**

51 Int. Cl.: **B 42 F 9/00**

22 Date of filing: **17.04.87**

30 Priority: **24.04.86 IT 2166486 U**

71 Applicant: **COM3 S.n.c. di Orlando Nicola & C., Via dei Benedettini, 12, I-20146 Milano (IT)**

43 Date of publication of application: **24.02.88**
Bulletin 88/8

72 Inventor: **Orlando, Nicola, Via dei Benedettini, 12, I-20146 Milano (IT)**

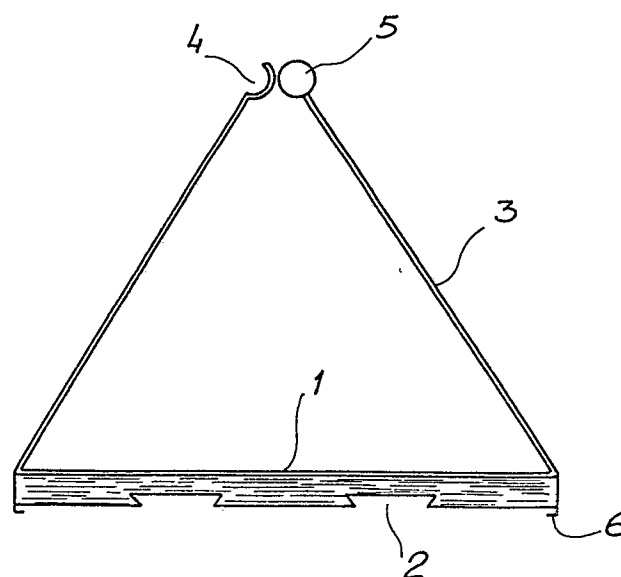
84 Designated Contracting States: **AT BE CH DE ES FR GB LI SE**

74 Representative: **Cicogna, Franco, Ufficio Internazionale Brevetti Dott. Prof. Franco Cicogna Via Visconti di Modrone, 14/A, I-20122 Milano (IT)**

88 Date of deferred publication of search report: **06.07.88 Bulletin 88/27**

54 Multifunctional element for binding, in an adjoining and vertical position, sheet bundles and documents in general.

57 There is disclosed a multifunctional element for binding one or more sheet bundles (10) or documents, comprising a structure of triangular cross-section which is open at a vertex thereof, the base (1) being suitably stiffened and the two sides (3) extending thereof being flexible.





European Patent
Office

EUROPEAN SEARCH REPORT

0256992

Application Number

EP 87 83 0151

DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT			
Category	Citation of document with indication, where appropriate, of relevant passages	Relevant to claim	CLASSIFICATION OF THE APPLICATION (Int. Cl.4)
X	FR-A-1 585 255 (J.-C. S. POULET) * Figures 1,2; claim 1 *	1,2	B 42 F 9/00
Y	---	4,5	
P,X	GB-A-2 173 737 (GRAHAM SIMMONS) * Figures 1,4; page 1, lines 26-38 *	1	
A	---	3	
Y	US-A-1 911 277 (R. HELMER) * Figure 2; page 2, lines 78-81 *	4	
Y	DE-C- 806 432 (A. RICHTER) * Whole document *	5	
A	US-A-1 546 228 (W.J. GRAY) * Figures 2,3; page 1, lines 48-54 *	3	
			TECHNICAL FIELDS SEARCHED (Int. Cl.4)
			B 42 F B 42 D
The present search report has been drawn up for all claims			
Place of search THE HAGUE		Date of completion of the search 08-03-1988	Examiner WEBER P.L.P.
CATEGORY OF CITED DOCUMENTS			
X : particularly relevant if taken alone Y : particularly relevant if combined with another document of the same category A : technological background O : non-written disclosure P : intermediate document		T : theory or principle underlying the invention E : earlier patent document, but published on, or after the filing date D : document cited in the application L : document cited for other reasons & : member of the same patent family, corresponding document	