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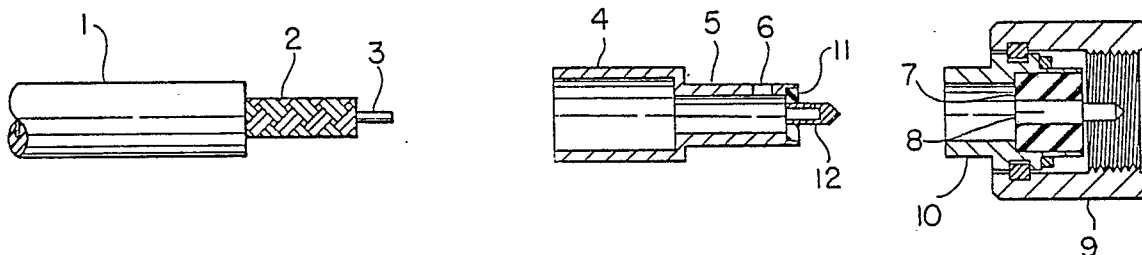
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54 **Ferrule and method for terminating a flexible coaxial cable.**

57 A ferrule for use in terminating a flexible micro-wave coaxial cable with a standard connector, comprises a rigid metal tube having tubular sections (4,5) of stepped diameter, fitting respectively over the jacket (1) and the exposed metallic shield (2) of the cable and secured to said jacket and/or said shield. A final tubular section (12) can be provided to fit over a central conductor (3) of the cable, this final section being insulated from the remainder of the ferrule.

FIG. 2



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