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(54) **Adjustable or retractile bottom tray designed for the cylinder compartment of space heaters burning gaseous fuels, especially LPG**

(57) Adjustable /retractile bottom tray (base section) having at least two different parts, is designed for the cylinder compartment incorporated in the portable / mobile domestic flueless space heaters burning gaseous fuels especially LPG (liquefied petroleum gases), in order to make the sizes of the appliances smaller to reduce costs of storage, transportation and materials for packaging.

The device works by folding one of the parts on or under the other part or reducing its size with other methods for the same purpose during the packaging of the appliance and later increasing the size to its usage position by the user before the usage of the appliance.

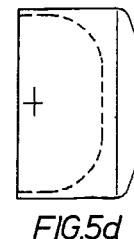
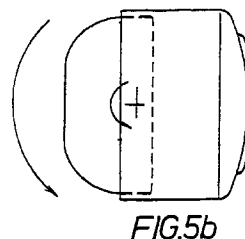
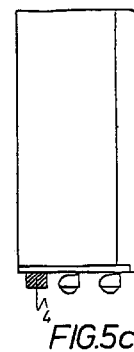
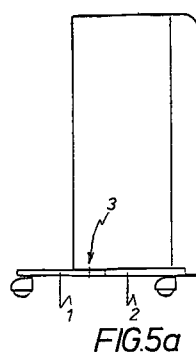


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