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(54) **Roll of sheet material with strips of pressure sensitive adhesive**

(57) A sheet material (14) (e.g. of paper) of at least 18 inches (45,72 cm) width being helically wound into a roll (18) being adapted to be dispensed from and journaled in an enclosure (22), the enclosure being part of a dispensing assembly (10). The sheet material (14) has strips (20) of repositionable pressure sensitive adhesive coated on its rear surface (16) by which the dispensed sheet material (14) can, for example, first be removably adhered to a backboard (12) adjacent the dispensing assembly (10) while still attached to the sheet material (14) on the roll (18) to afford writing on the dispensed sheet material (14), and may subsequently be separated from the sheet material (14) on the roll (18), removed from the backboard (12), and removably adhered to another support surface to display the written material.

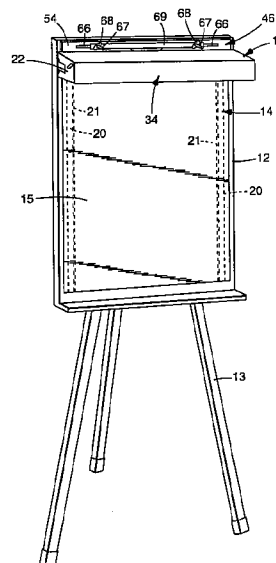


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