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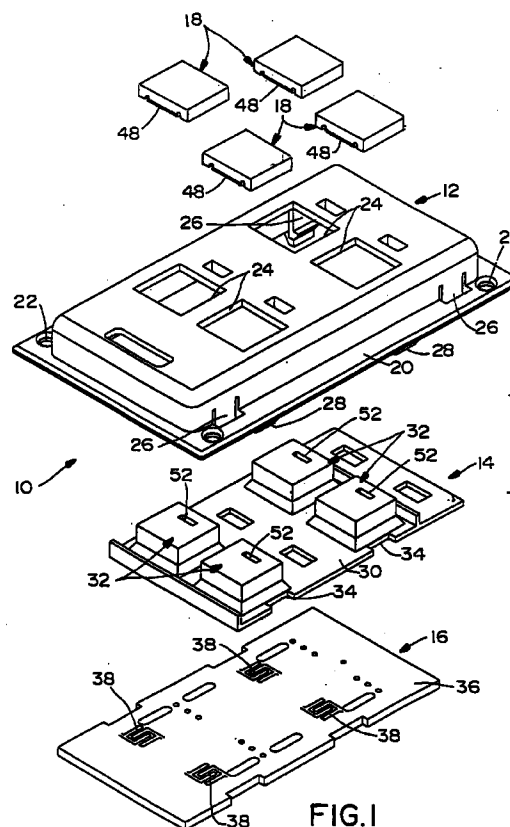
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(54) **Electrical switch module**

(57) A push button switch module (10) is provided for mounting on a switch wiring chassis (56). A front housing (12) includes at least one push button aperture (24). An actuator pad (14) is mounted to the rear of the front housing (12) and includes a push button switch actuator (32) exposed in the aperture. A printed circuit board (16) is mounted to the rear of the actuator pad (14) at the rear of the front housing (12) and includes a switch pad (38) operatively associated with the switch actuator. A switch cap (18) is interchangeably mounted to the front of the front housing (12) at the aperture (24) and is movable relative to the housing for engaging the push button switch actuator (32).



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