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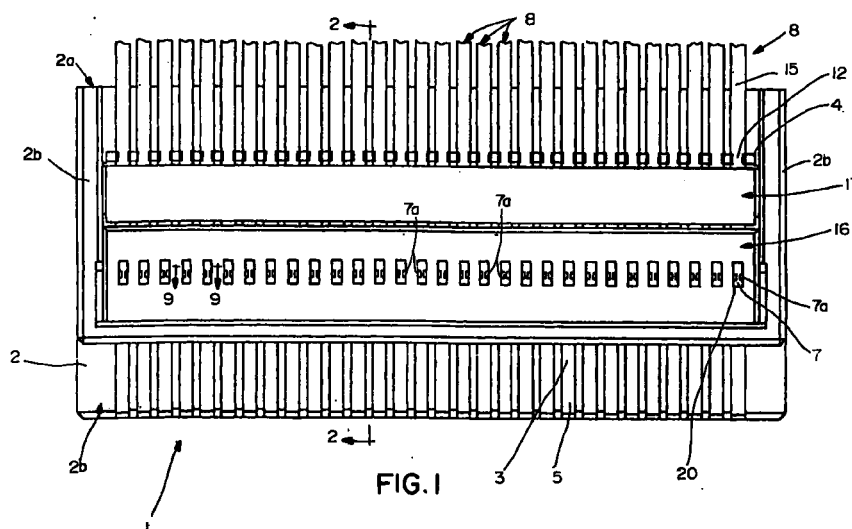
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(54) **Electrical connector for coaxial cables**

(57) An electrical connector is provided for terminating a plurality of coaxial cables in a generally parallel planar array. A dielectric housing defines a cable insertion side and a termination side. A ground bar is provided on the housing at the cable insertion side thereof for engaging the conductive shields of the cables. A press bar is provided on the housing at the cable insertion side thereof for biasing the conductive shields of the cables into engagement with the ground bar. A plurality

of insulation displacement terminals are mounted on the housing at the termination side thereof for engaging the inner conductors of the coaxial cables. A termination bar is provided on the housing at the termination side thereof operatively associated with the terminals to facilitate terminating the terminals with the conductors of the coaxial cables.



**FIG. 1**

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