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(54) **Masking member**

(57) An object of the present invention is to repeatedly use a masking member which is applied in a surface treatment having a heating process at a high temperature. To attain the object, the masking member of

the present invention uses an engineering plastic having a high mechanical strength and a high heat resistance as a material.

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