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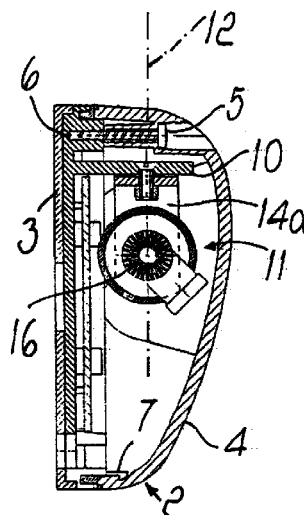
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(54) **Photocell**

(57) A photocell comprising a box-like body (2) constituted by a first half-shell (3) and by a second half-shell (4) which can be mutually coupled. Inside the first half-shell (3) there is a support (10), for example for a light source (11), which rotates about a first vertical axis. The light source (11) in turn selectively rotates on a second axis which is perpendicular to the first axis.



*FIG. 4*



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