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(54) **A lamp**

(57) A lamp comprising an electric light bulb (8) mounted on a body (2) comprising two rigid support members (18,20) which are electrically conductive and electrically insulated from each other. The light bulb (8) comprises two electrical terminals (34,36) mounted in contact with the respective support members (18,20). The lamp also comprises means (10,12) for connecting an electric power supply to the conductive support members (18,20). The main body (2), therefore, provides the entire electrically conductive path between the power supply and the light bulb (8).

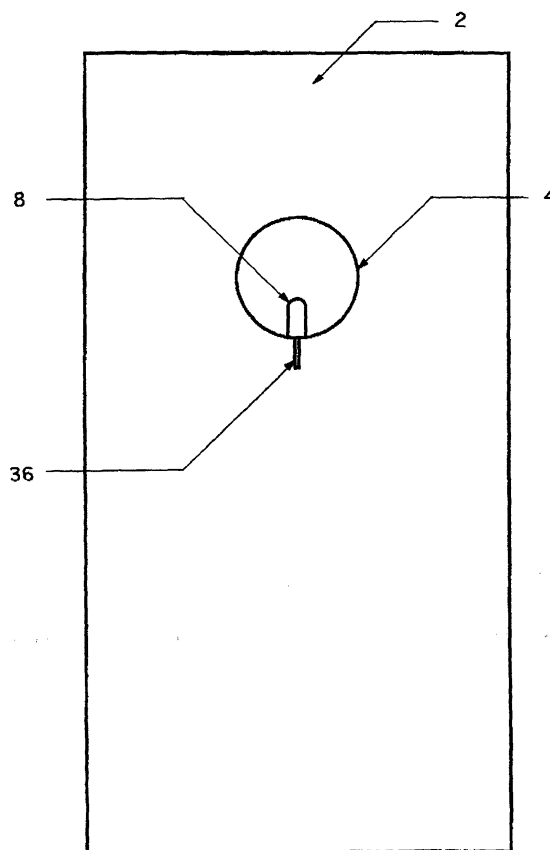


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