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(54) **Fixing device for automatic draught excluders and draught excluder incorporating the device**

(57) A fixing device for draught excluders which include a first profile shaped like an inverted U to be fixed inside a seat formed in the lower edge of a door or window unit and a second U-shaped profile which can slide in a guillotine-like fashion in the first profile so as to close a gap present between the edge and the floor; expansion

means being associated with the first profile and gradually engaging the walls of the seat so as to detachably fix the first profile to the unit. The invention solves the problems observed in fixing known draught excluders, since it makes them practical, fast and extremely easy to install in units made of any material.

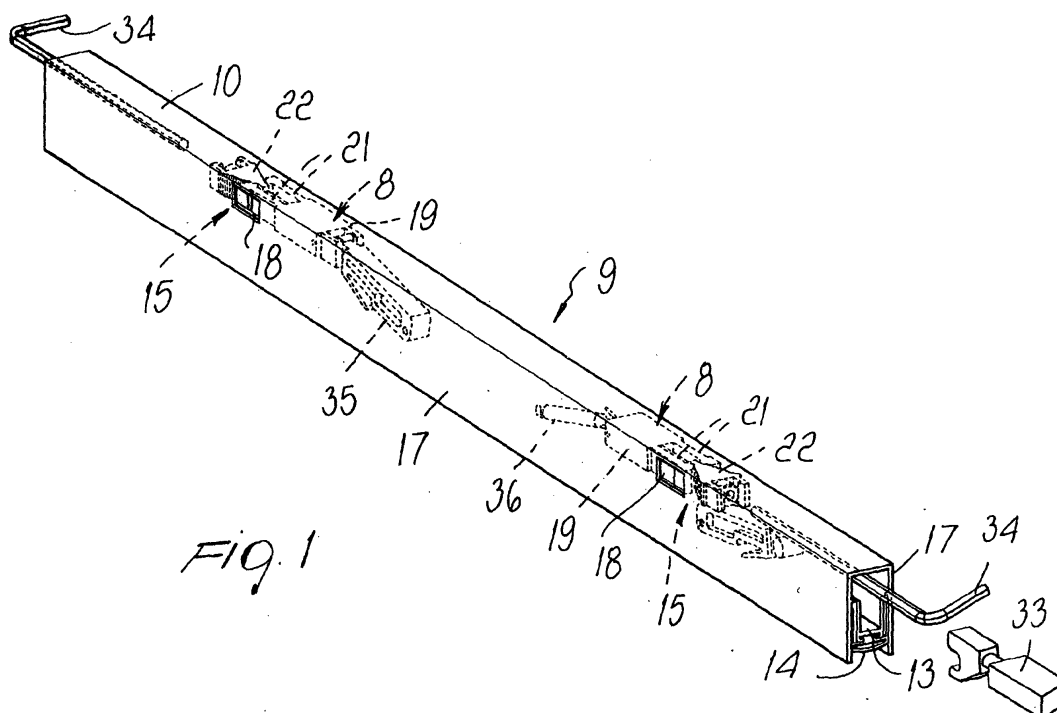


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