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## (54) Machine for cleaning

(57) A machine for cleaning (1) comprising a body (2) that contains a tank (5) for a liquid (6) and suction means (16, 17) contained inside body (2) in fluid communication with the said tank (5) via a suction path (15, 18, 26) is characterized in that it includes means (19,

20) for detecting presence of the said liquid (6) downstream from the said tank (5), the said detecting means (19, 20) being connected operationally to the suction means (16, 17) for stopping the suction upon detection of the presence of the said liquid (6).

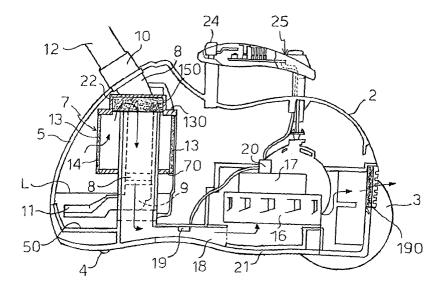


FIG.2