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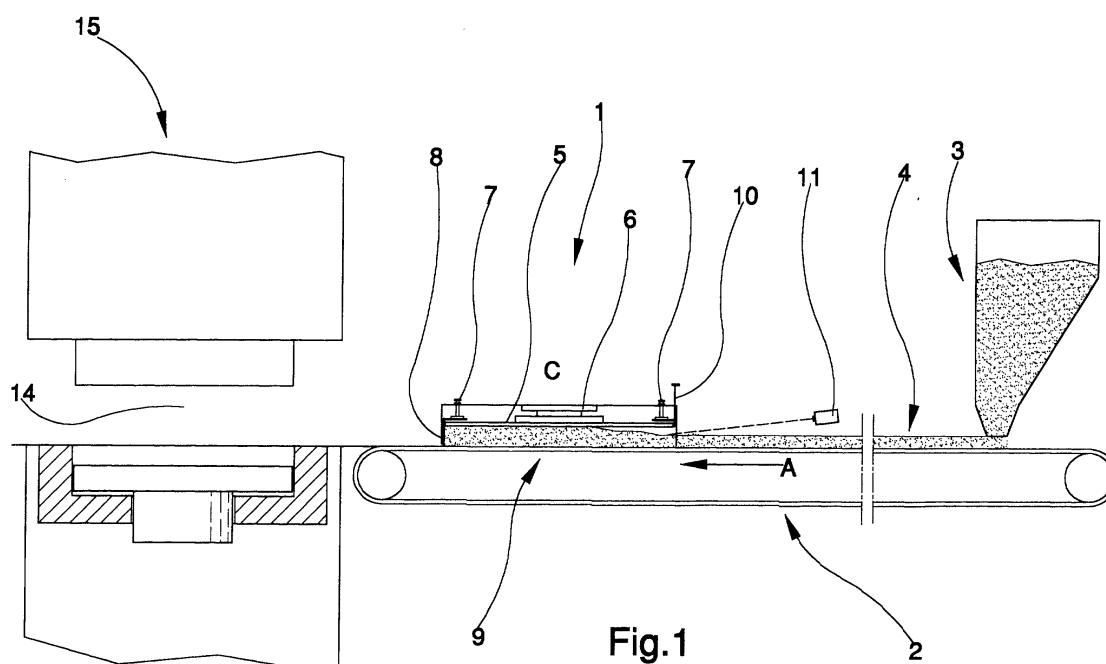
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(54) **A device for forming a soft load of ceramic powders**

(57) The device comprises: a mobile conveyor plane (2) moving in an advancement direction (A); means (3) for depositing a layer of ceramic powders (4) on the mobile conveyor plane (2); a mobile upper surface (5) commandable to move in a vertical direction, arranged superiorly to the mobile conveyor plane (2) and located downstream with respect to advancement direction (A) of the means (3) for depositing a layer of

ceramic powders (4); a barrier (8) developing peripherally of the mobile upper surface (5) for delimiting a forming die (9) for a soft load of ceramic powders, which forming die (9) is inferiorly closed by the mobile conveyor plane (2); the barrier (8) comprising a wall (10) which is vertically mobile, for opening and closing a side of the forming die (9) which is located upstream with respect to the advancement direction (A) of the barrier (8).





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