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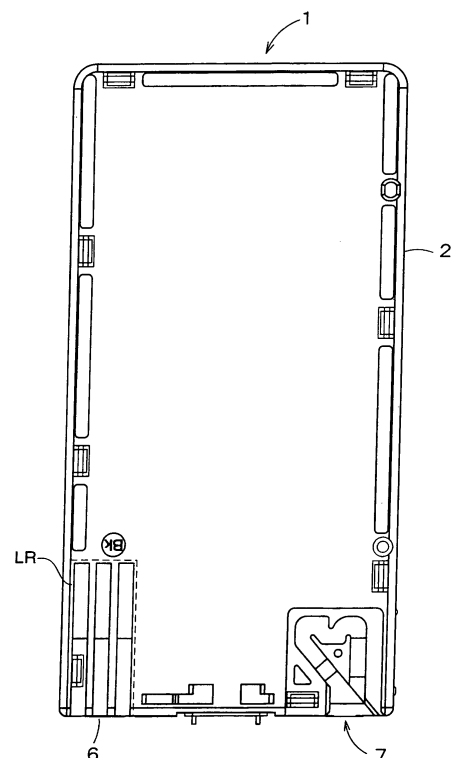
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(54) **Liquid container**

(57) An ink cartridge, comprising: a container body having a surface, the surface having a recess, the recess having a bottom, and a perimeter wall; a guide projection disposed within the recess, at least a portion of said guide projection extending from the bottom of the recess toward the surface, wherein said perimeter wall and said guide projection define a path therebetween, the path having a flat first floor section leading to a sloped second floor section leading to a flat third floor section leading to a sloped fourth floor section leading to a flat fifth floor section, and wherein the first and the second floor sections are disposed along a first line (L1), a part of the third floor section is disposed along a second line (L2), and the fourth and the fifth floor sections are disposed along a third line (L3), the third line (L3) intersecting the first line (L1).

FIG. 3A



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