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(54) **Closure assembly and apparatus including the same**

(57) The invention relates to the provision of an item such as a sink, bath or shower tray which has a drain hole for liquid and which drain hole may be selectively sealed to allow a body of liquid to be collected in a cavity of the item. The drain hole leads to a drainpipe and the current invention provides a closure assembly which has

a sealing member which can be moved between an open drainage position and closed sealing position. The member is provided downstream of the drain hole and typically within the drainpipe, within which the same is moveable between the two positions.

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