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(54) **Forming condensation/ice on plastic**

(57) A device for controlling the formation of condensation or ice on the outer surface of an article such as a beverage dispense font. The device includes a component 4 in thermal contact with a rear surface of a component 2 having a lower thermal conductivity than the

component 4. Condensation or ice forms preferentially on a front surface of the device where the components 2, 4 are in thermal contact when the component 4 is cooled.

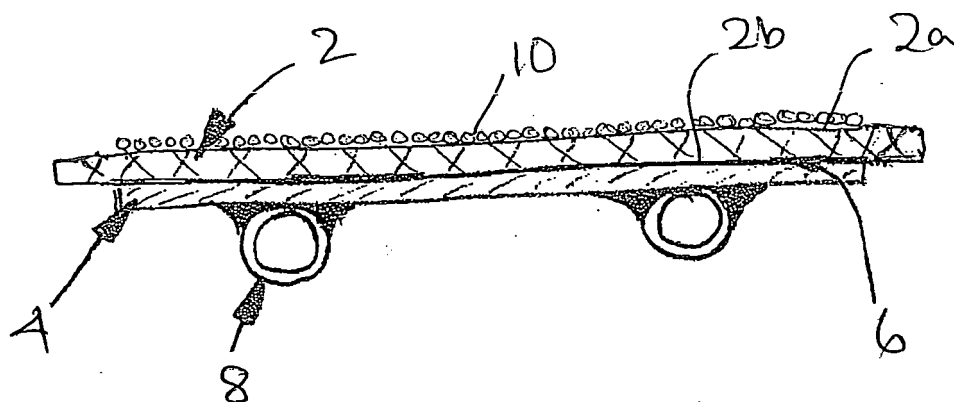


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