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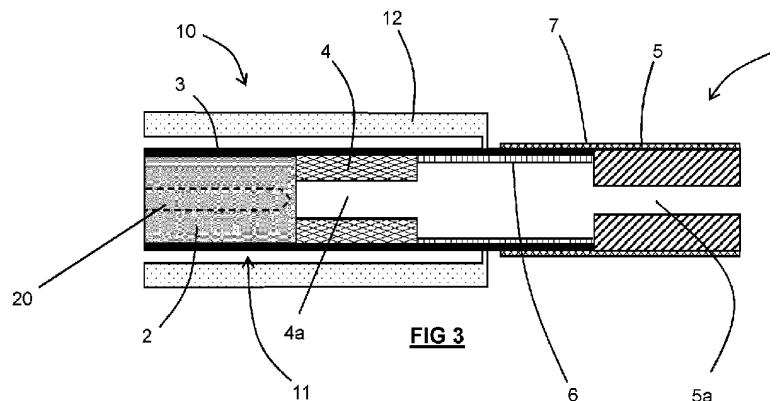
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(57) The present disclosure relates to an aerosol-forming article (1) (e.g. a heat-not-burn (HNB) consumable) comprising an aerosol-forming substrate (2) and a plurality of hollow bore filter elements (4, 5) having different internal bore diameters. There may be a terminal

filter element at the downstream/mouth end of the article and an upstream filter element upstream of the terminal filter element where the internal bore diameter of the terminal hollow bore filter element is less than the internal bore diameter of the upstream hollow bore filter element.





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