

[54] **THREADED SPINAL IMPLANT**
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[57] **ABSTRACT**

An artificial spinal implant is disclosed which when placed between two adjacent vertebrae directly participates and is incorporated in the ensuing fusion. Instrumentation and procedure is also disclosed.

9 Claims, 6 Drawing Sheets

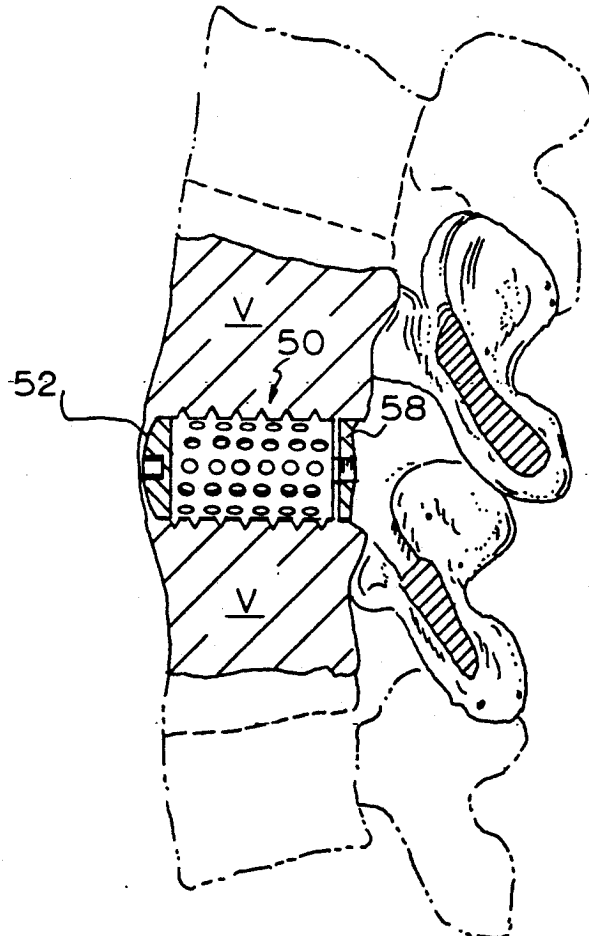
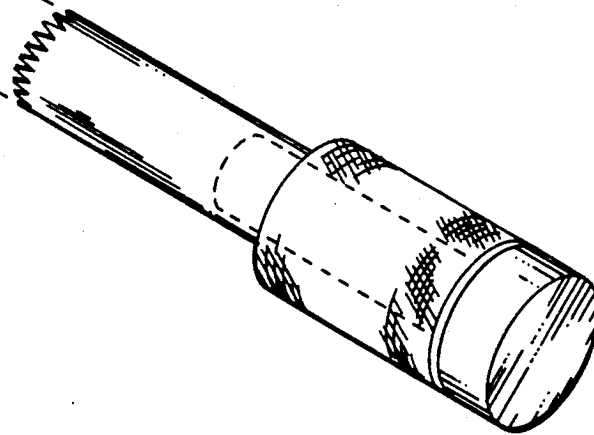
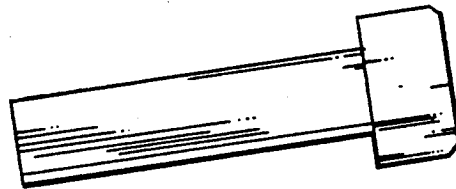
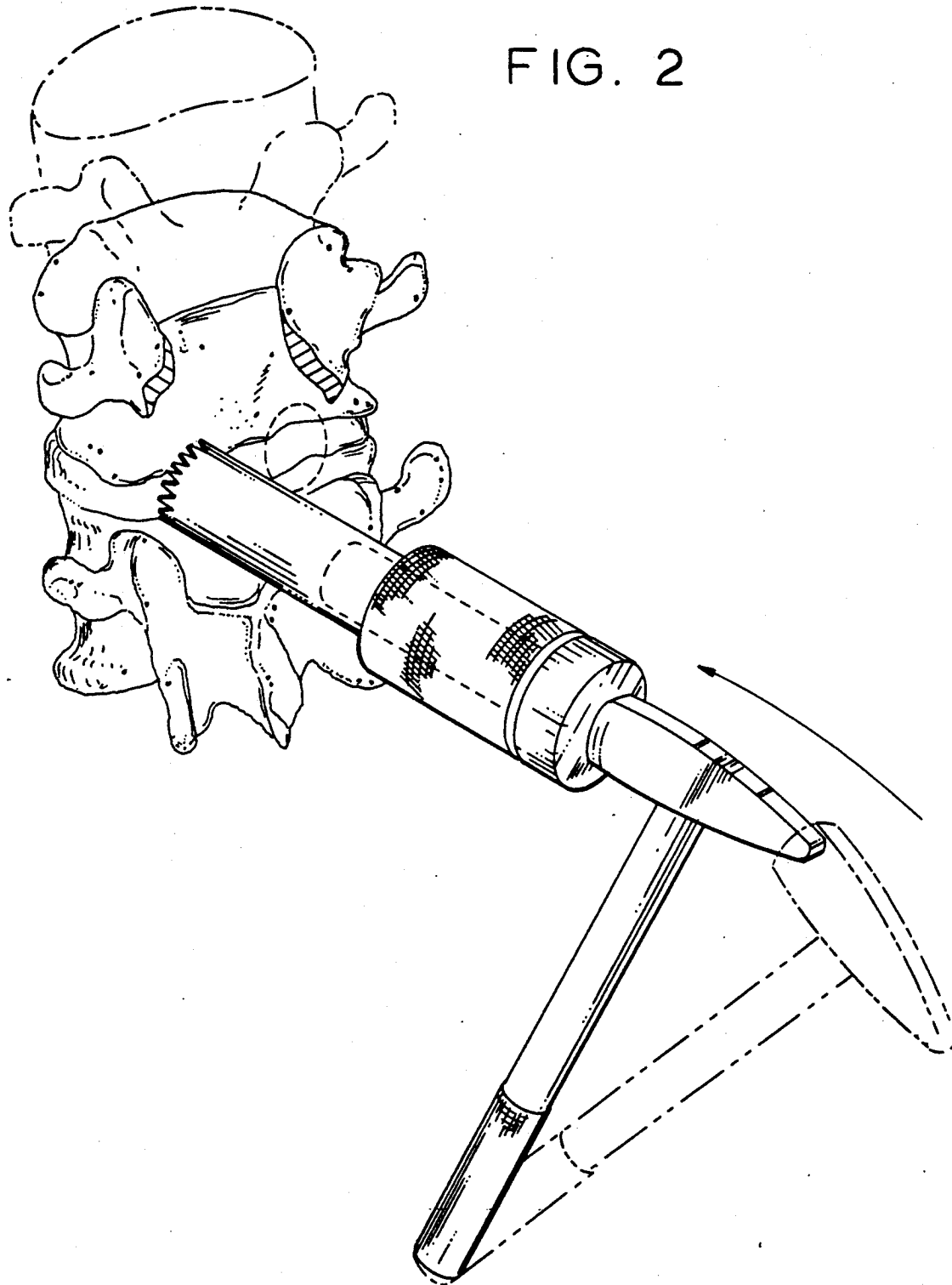


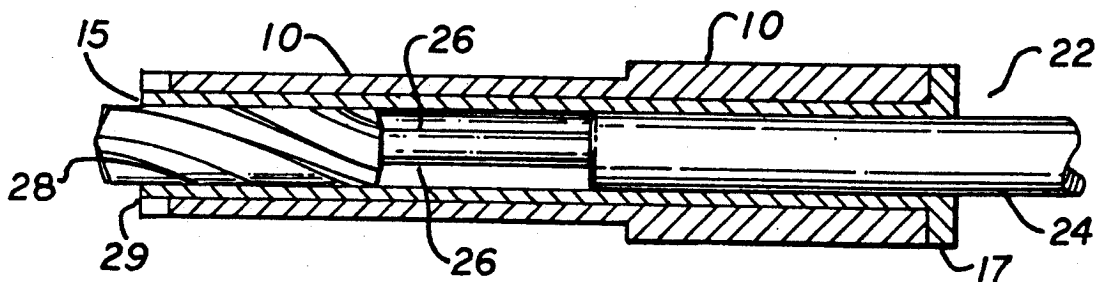
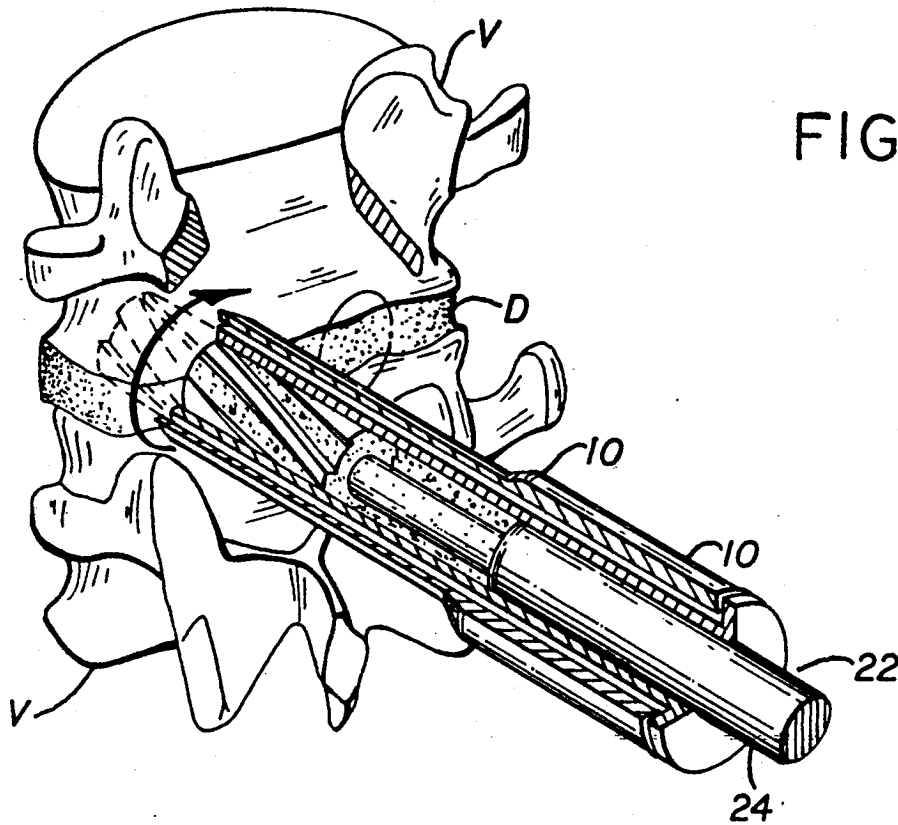


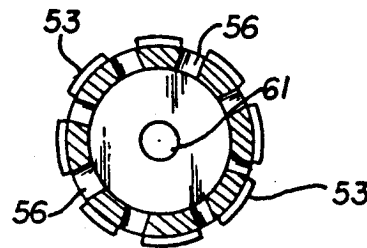
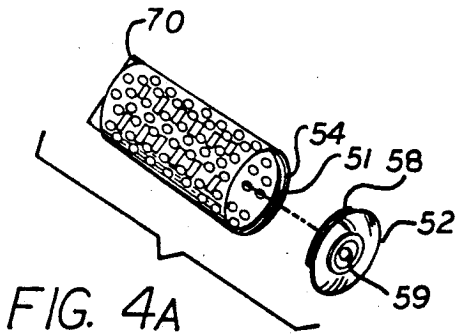
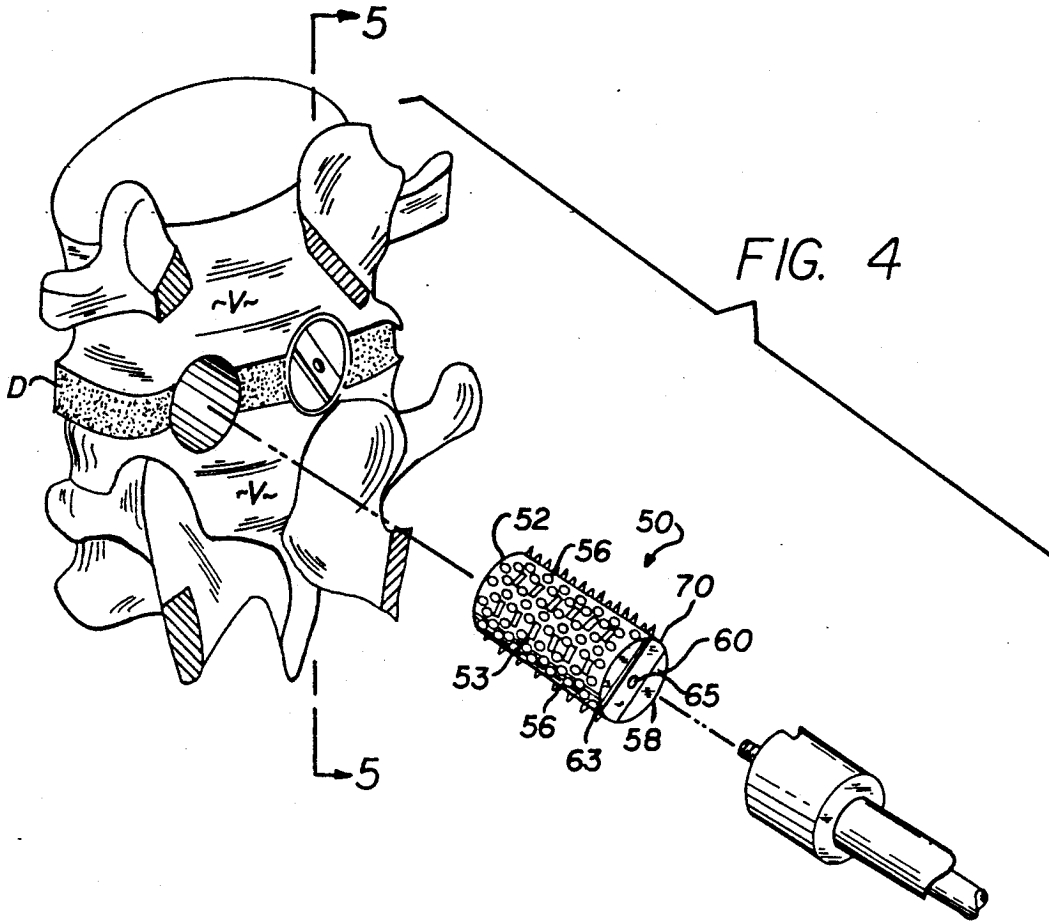
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