

[54] AIR CONDITIONED PET BED

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[57] ABSTRACT

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An air-conditioned pet bed wherein a portable unit is provided with an insulated bottom portion containing re-usable, pre-frozen, chemical ice-packs and a top portion which fits over the bottom portion and has a planar, perforated surface to provide an area for a pet to recline and prevent direct contact with the ice-packs, thereby providing cooling of the pet through the perforations in the top portion.

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1 Claim, 5 Drawing Figures

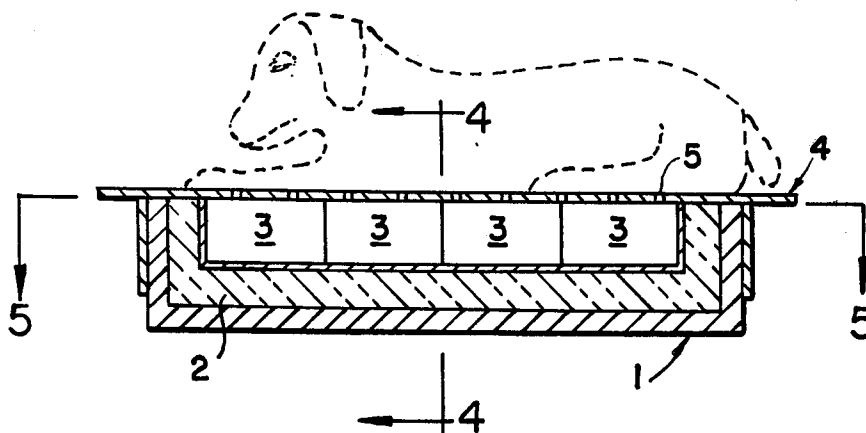


FIG. 1

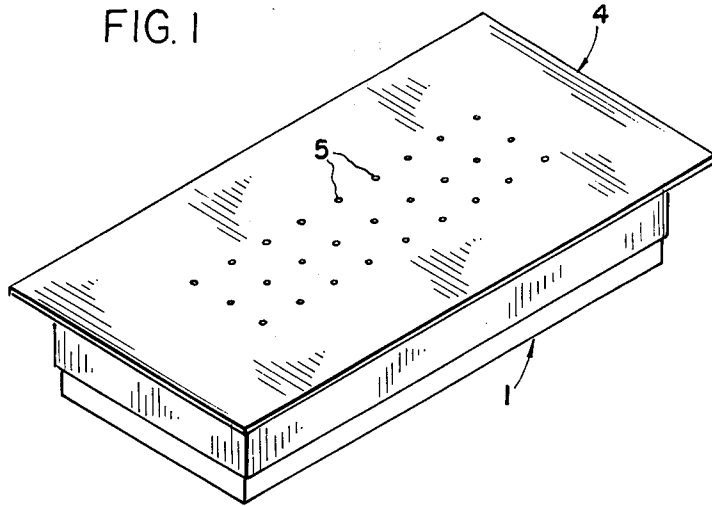


FIG. 2

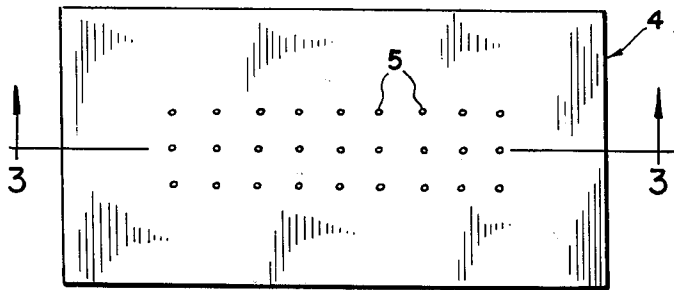


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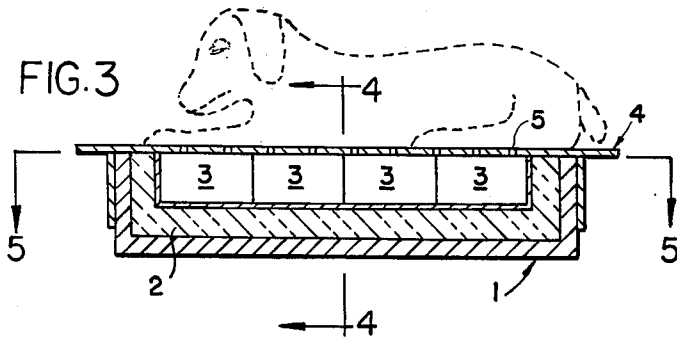


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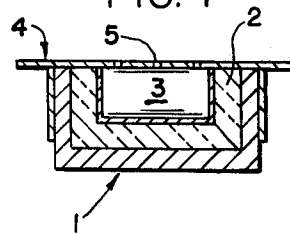
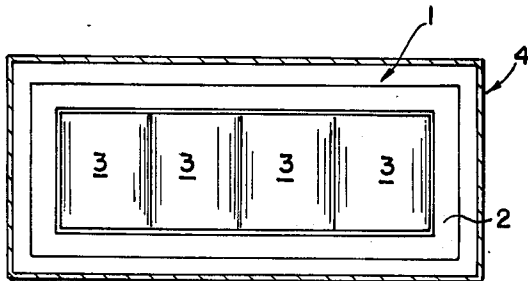


FIG. 5



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SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

Pet beds at present provide only a warm atmosphere, 5
whereas, it is the object of this invention to provide a
device useful in the hot summer months for cooling a
pet as it reclines on the surface of the device. It is a
further object to provide a portable device having a
re-usable, pre-frozen source of cooling removably con- 10
tained within the device.

These and other advantages of the invention may be
seen in the details of operation and construction set
down in the ensuing specification.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS 15

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of the apparatus of the
invention.

FIG. 2 is a top view of the device as seen from above.

FIG. 3 is a sectional view of the device as seen along 20
line 3—3 of FIG. 2.

FIG. 4, is a sectional view of the device as seen from
one end.

FIG. 5 is a sectional view of the device as seen along 25
line 5—5 of FIG. 3.

**DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE
DRAWINGS**

The invention includes a lower portion 1 and an
upper portion 4 as shown in FIG. 1. The lower portion 30
1 is made of material such as wood or plastic, and is of
sufficient strength to support the weight of a pet, as
shown in dotted lines in FIG. 3. The interior side walls,
end walls and bottom wall of lower portion 1 form a
container and are lined with insulation material 2 to 35

prevent external heat from entering through these sur-
faces. Re-usable, pre-frozen, artificial, ice-packs 3 are
placed in this container and are the source of cooling of
this device. The top portion 4 has a planar surface with
perforations 5 therein and downwardly extending
flanges which fit around end walls and side walls of
bottom portion 1. The perforated planar surface pro-
vides an area on which the pet reclines and simulta-
neously prevents direct contact with the aforemen-
tioned ice-packs. The body heat from the pet passes to
the ice packs through the perforations 5 in the upper
portion 4.

While in the foregoing specification a detailed de-
scription has been set down for the purpose of explana-
tion, many variations in the details herein given may be
made by those skilled in the art without departing from
the spirit and scope of the invention.

I claim:

1. An air conditioned pet bed comprising,
 - a lower portion having sidewalls, end walls and a
bottom wall,
 - an upper portion having a planar perforated top sur-
face and downwardly extending flanges sized to fit
closely around said sidewalls and end walls of said
lower portion, insulation material lining the inter-
ior surfaces of said sidewalls, said endwalls and said
bottom wall of said lower portion,
 - cooling means in the form of re-usable, pre-frozen,
chemical ice-packs adapted to fit within said insu-
lated lower portion when covered by said upper
portion to provide cooling through said perfora-
tions to a pet reclining on said upper surface of said
upper portion.

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