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(54) **WIRELESS EARPHONE THAT TRANSITIONS BETWEEN WIRELESS NETWORKS**

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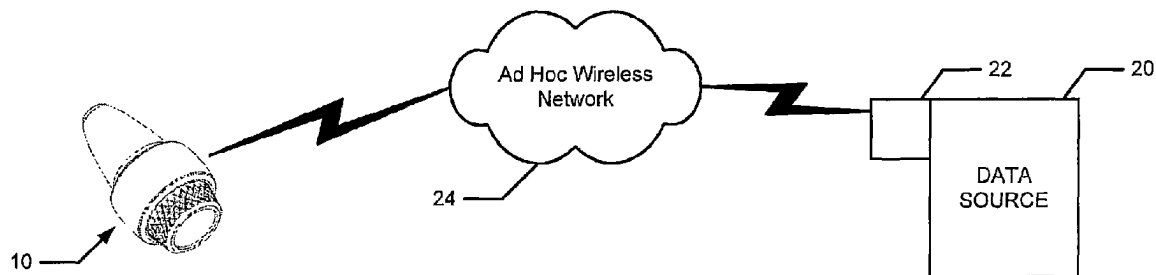
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

A wireless earphone that comprises a transceiver circuit for receiving streaming audio from a data source over a local ad hoc wireless network. When the data source and the earphone are out of range, they transition automatically to an infrastructure wireless network. If there is no common infrastructure wireless network for both the data source and the speaker-phone set, the earphone connects to a host server via an available wireless network.

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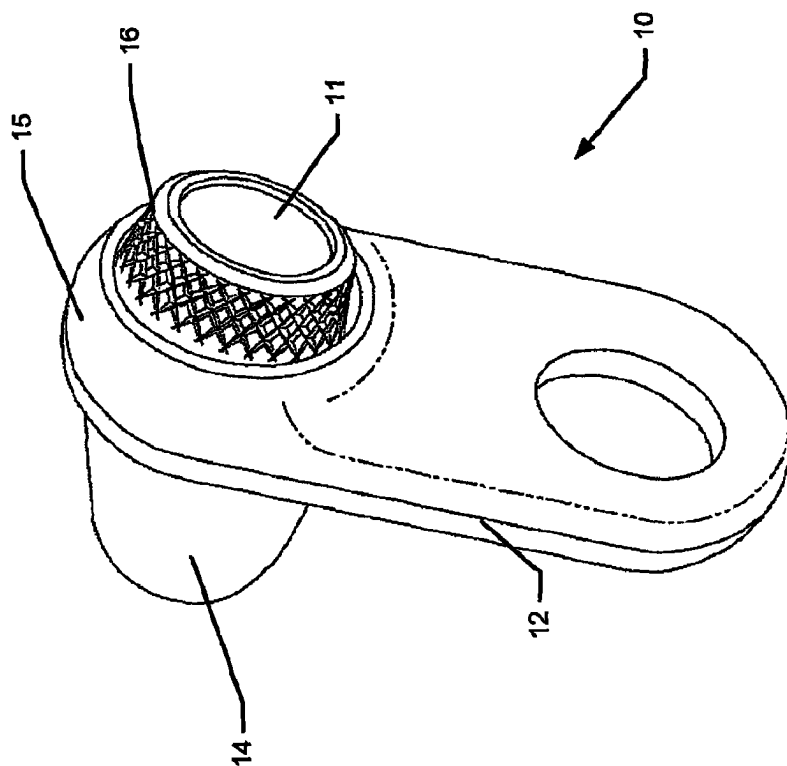


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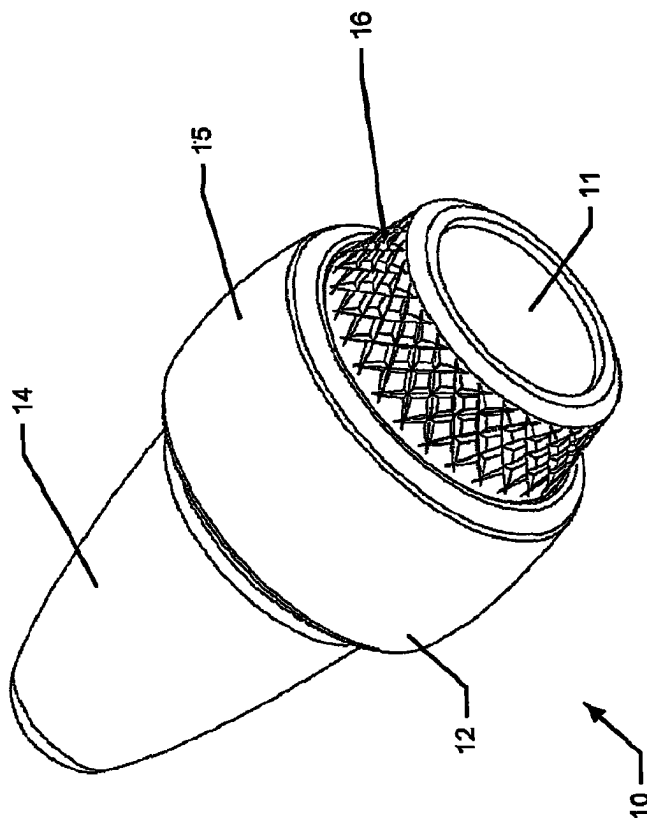


Fig. 1A

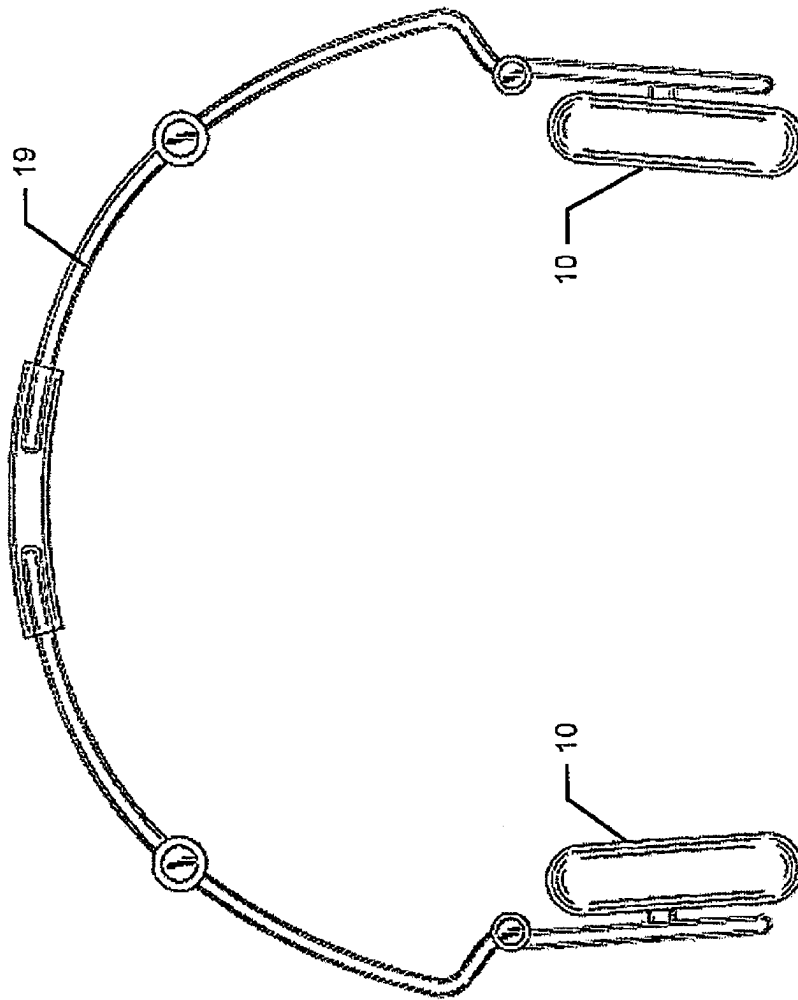


Fig. 1C

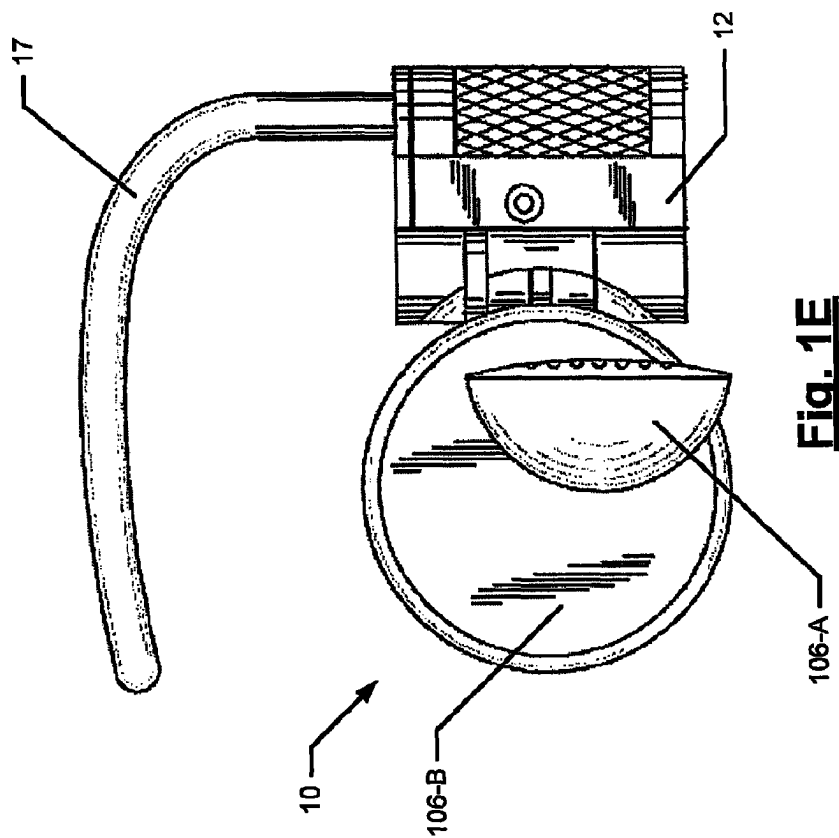


Fig. 1E

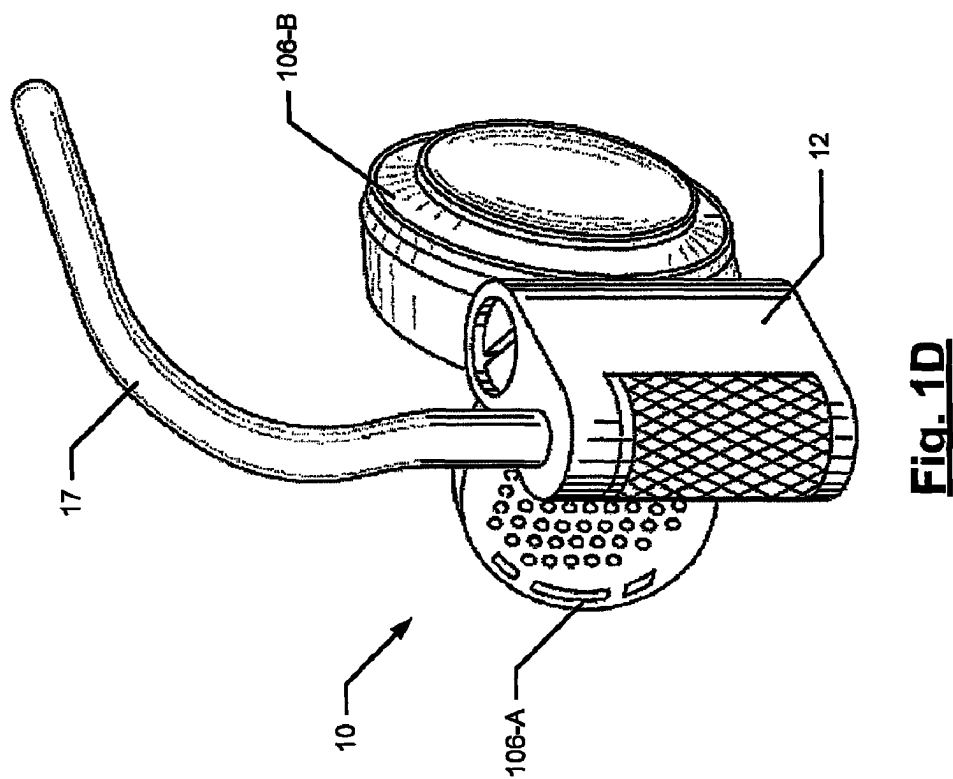


Fig. 1D

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