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(54) Abstract Title: **Electric condom ring**

(57) An electric condom ring comprises a cover ring 100 and a vibrating device 200, wherein the cover ring 100 has a sleeve 102 into which the vibrating device 200 can be inserted. The vibrating device 200 comprises a small-scale motor 201 and a battery 202. A conductive spring plate 203 is contained within the vibrating device 200, one end of the conductive plate 203 is connected to the battery 202 and the other end extends over an insulation plate 204, so that the plate 203 is not in contact with the motor 201. The insulation plate 204 is connected to a push rod 2041. When the push rod 2041 is pushed inwards towards the centre of the vibrating device 200, the insulation plate 204 moves away from the conductive spring plate 203, allowing contact with the outer casing of the motor 201, thus causing the device to vibrate. The cover ring 100 may have indentations 1011 formed on both sides thereof and a plurality of grooves 1012 may be formed on the inside of the ring to prevent slipping of the ring.

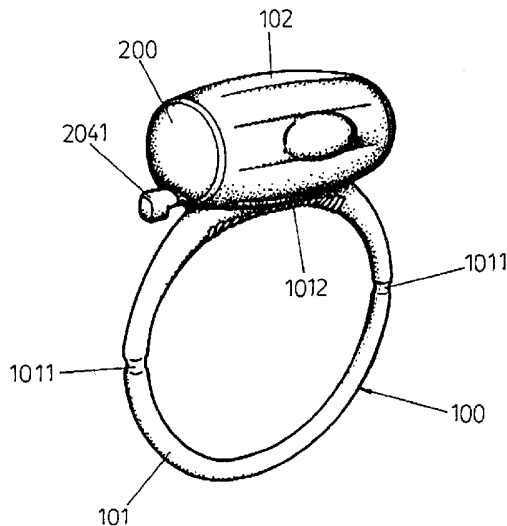


FIG.1

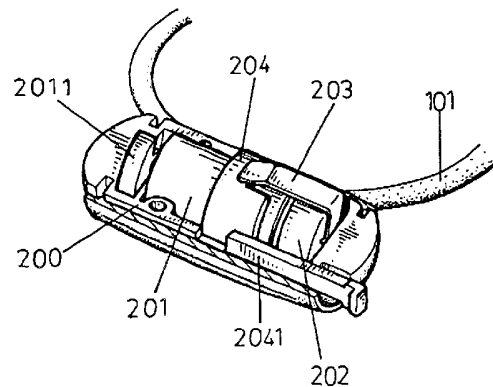


FIG.3

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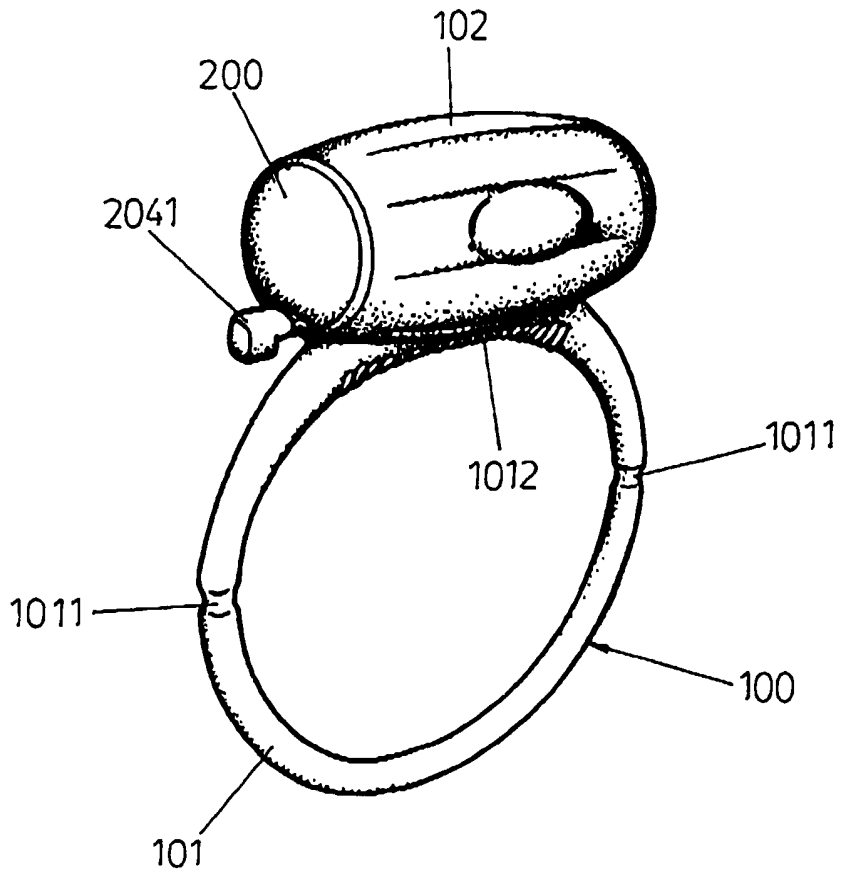


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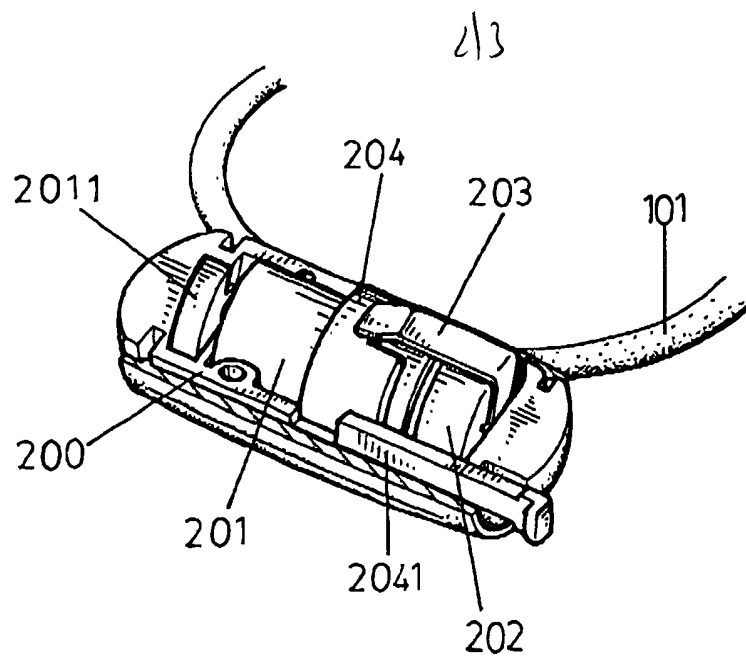


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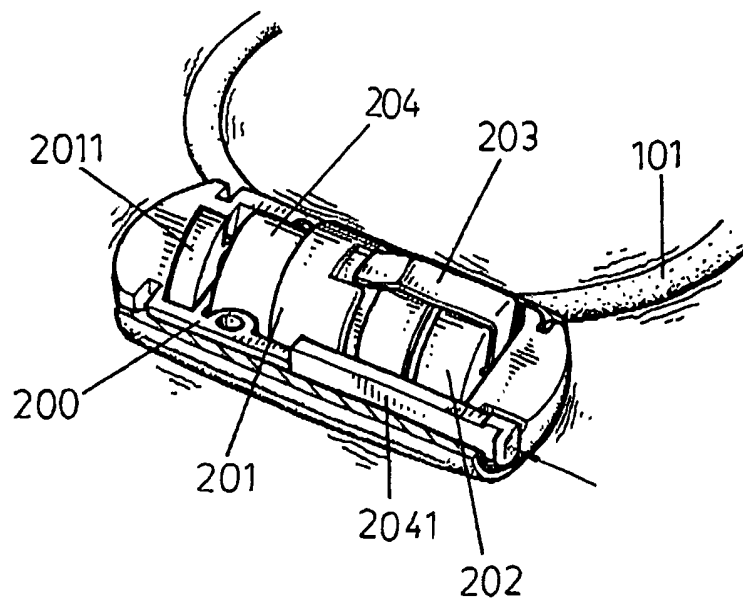


FIG.4

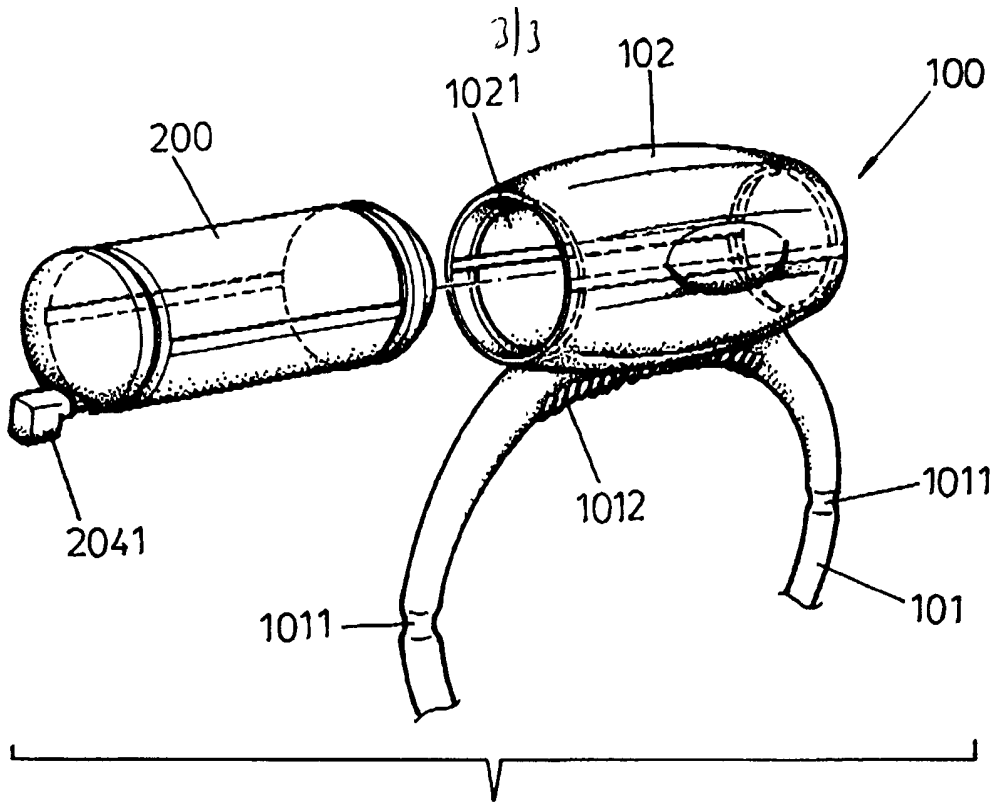


FIG.2

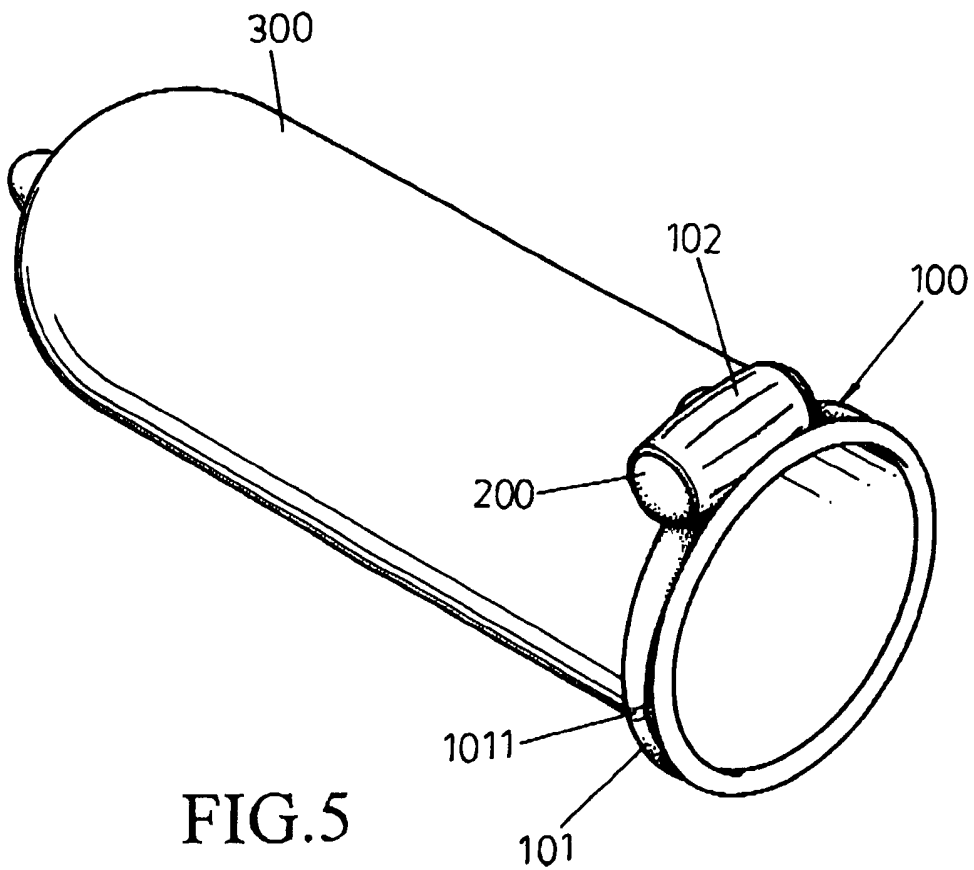


FIG.5

**ELECTRIC CONDOM RING****BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION****(a) Field of the Invention**

The present invention relates to a cover ring used on a condom,  
5 particularly to a cover ring disposed with a vibrating device, wherein a  
small-scale motor and a battery is assembled therein. By pushing an  
insulation plate inward, causing a conductive spring plate to come into  
contact with an outer casing of the small-scale motor, the electric condom  
ring not only provides sexual pleasure, but also encourages the use of  
10 condoms among opposite sex.

**SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION**

The objective of the present invention is to provide an electrical  
condom ring, consisting of a cover ring and a vibrating device, wherein the  
vibrating device has a small-scale motor, a battery and a conductive spring  
15 plate assembled therein. When the condom ring is inserted onto a condom,  
by pushing a insulation plate inward, the conductive spring plate comes  
into contact with an outer casing of the motor, thereby activating the power  
thereafter, and achieving vibration of the electric condom ring.

**BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS**

20 FIG.1 shows a perspective schematic view according to the present  
invention.

FIG.2 shows an exploded schematic view according to the present  
invention.

FIG.3 shows a cross-sectional schematic view according to the present  
25 invention.

FIG.4 shows a cross-sectional schematic view with vibrating movement according to the present invention.

FIG.5 shows a perspective schematic view according to the present invention.

5                   **DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED  
                          EMBODIMENTS**

To better understand the present invention, detailed descriptions shall be given with the accompany drawings hereunder.

Referring to FIG.1 and FIG.2, the invention provides a cover ring 100  
10 and vibrating device 200, wherein the cover ring 100 consists of a ring body 101 and a sleeve 102. The ring body 101 can be fitted over a condom 300, whereas the vibrating device 200 is disposed into a hollow inserting aperture 1021 of the sleeve 102 therein. Referring to FIG. 3, the vibrating device 200 consists of a small-scale motor 201, a battery 202 and  
15 a conductive spring plate 203 etc., wherein a rotator 2011 mounted at a front end of the small-scale motor 201 is eccentric and provides vibration when rotating. A rear end of the small-scale motor 201 (negative pole) is in contact with a positive pole of the battery 202 and one end of the conductive spring plate 203 is connected to a negative pole, whereas the  
20 other end of the conductive spring plate 203 extends above an insulation plate 204 not yet in contact with the small-scale motor 201 (shown in FIG. 3). When a rod 2041 on one end of the insulation plate 204 is pushed inward, the insulation plate 204 is pushed away from the conductive spring plate 203 (shown in FIG. 4), causing the inward bent conductive spring  
25 plate 203 to come in contact with an outer casing of the small-scale motor

201 (positive pole), thereby activating the vibrating mechanism of the cover ring 100.

The ring body 101 of the cover ring 100 includes indentures 1011 formed on both sides, whereby increasing flexibility of the ring body 100, 5 additionally, a plurality of skid proof granule 1012 are formed on an inner side of the ring body 101.

Referring to FIG. 5, the cover ring 100 can normally be used directly on a penis, but can also be used with a condom 300.

In conclusion, the insulation plate 204 on one side of the vibrating 10 device 200 is to prevent contact between the conductive spring plate 203 and the small-scale motor 201 when the cover ring 100 is off, but as a user pushes the rod 2041 on one side of the insulation plate 204, causing the conductive spring plate 203 to come into contact with the small-scale motor 201, thereby enabling the cover ring 100 on the condom 300 to vibrate.

15 It is of course to be understood that the embodiments described herein is merely illustrative of the principles of the invention and that a wide variety of modifications thereto may be effected by persons skilled in the art without departing from the spirit and scope of the invention as set forth in the following claims.

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**WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:**

1. An electrical condom ring comprising a cover ring and a vibrating device, wherein the cover ring further comprising a ring body and a sleeve; the ring body is fitted over a condom, whereas the vibrating device is disposed into a hollow inserting aperture of the sleeve therein,  
5 the vibrating device further comprising a small-scale motor, a battery, a conductive spring plate and an insulation plate and an insulation plate, wherein the small-scale motor having a rotator mounted at a front end thereof; the rotator is eccentric and provides vibration when rotating; a rear end of the small-scale motor is in contact with a pole of the battery  
10 and one end of the conductive spring plate is connected to the other pole of the battery, whereas the other end of the conductive spring plate extends above the insulation plate not yet in contact with the small-scale motor; when pushing inward a rod on one end of the insulation plate, the insulation plate is pushed away from the  
15 conductive spring plate, causing the conductive spring plate to come in contact with the small-scale motor, thereby activating the vibrating device disposed with the cover ring.
2. The electrical condom ring as recited in claim 1, wherein the cover ring  
20 having indentures formed on both sides and thereof a plurality of skid proof granule are formed on an inner side thereof.



**Amendments to the claims have been filed as follows**

**CLAIMS:**

1. An electrical condom ring comprising a cover ring and a vibrating device, wherein the cover ring further comprising a ring body and a sleeve; the ring body is fitted over a condom, whereas the vibrating device is disposed into a hollow inserting aperture of the sleeve therein; the vibrating device further comprising a small-scale motor, a battery, a conductive spring plate and an insulation plate, wherein the small-scale motor having a rotator mounted at a front end thereof; the rotator is eccentric and provides vibration when rotating; a rear end of the small-scale motor is in contact with a pole of the battery and one end of the conductive spring plate is connected to the other pole of the battery, whereas the other end of the conductive spring plate extends above the insulation plate not yet in contact with the small-scale motor; when pushing inward a rod on one end of the insulation plate, the insulation plate is pushed away from the conductive spring plate, causing the conductive spring plate to contact the small-scale motor, thereby activating the vibrating device disposed with the cover ring, wherein the cover ring having indentations formed on both sides thereof and a plurality of anti-slip pieces are formed on an inner side thereof.

2. An electrical condom ring substantially as herein described, with reference to, or as shown in, the accompanying drawings.



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