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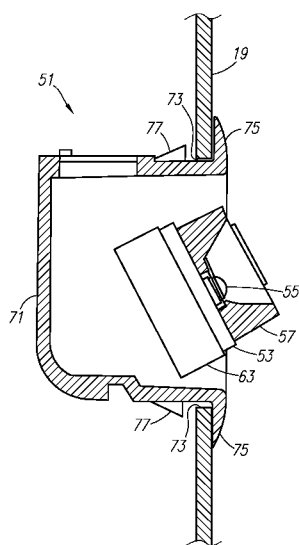


Fig. 7

(57) **Abstract:** A refrigeration appliance (11) includes an appliance housing and a liner within (19,21) the housing, defining an interior storage chamber (13,15) at least partially enclosed by the liner, and providing a storage chamber rear wall (23), a first storage chamber sidewall (25), and a second storage chamber sidewall (27). The first storage chamber (25) sidewall has a plurality of openings through the first storage chamber sidewall (25). The second storage chamber sidewall (27) has another plurality of openings through the second storage chamber sidewall (27). A plurality of lighting devices (41) illuminates the interior storage chamber (13,15). Each of the lighting devices (41) is mounted within a respective one of the openings and emits light toward the storage chamber rear wall (23) providing a showcase lighting effect. Each of the lighting devices (41) includes a cover (59) located in the interior storage chamber (13,15) and a device housing (71) located within the respective one -of the openings. An illumination level within the storage chamber (13,15), due to light emitted by the plurality of lighting devices (41), is substantially vertically uniform.

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