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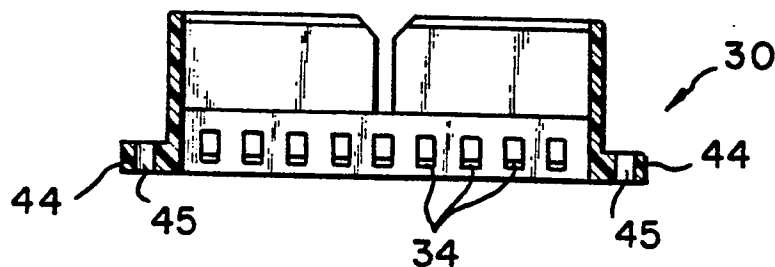
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**Electrical cable connector shroud.**

An electrical connector assembly for multiconductor cable including a connector housing and plural electrical contacts supported therein. A shroud is removably attachable to the connector housing and at least partially surrounds an interconnection surface of the connector. The shroud permits interconnection of another electrical connector therein. The shroud is particularly useful wherein blind connection of one connector to another connector is made.

**FIG. 7**



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