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(54) **CONTAINER FOR A TEST STRIP DRUM**

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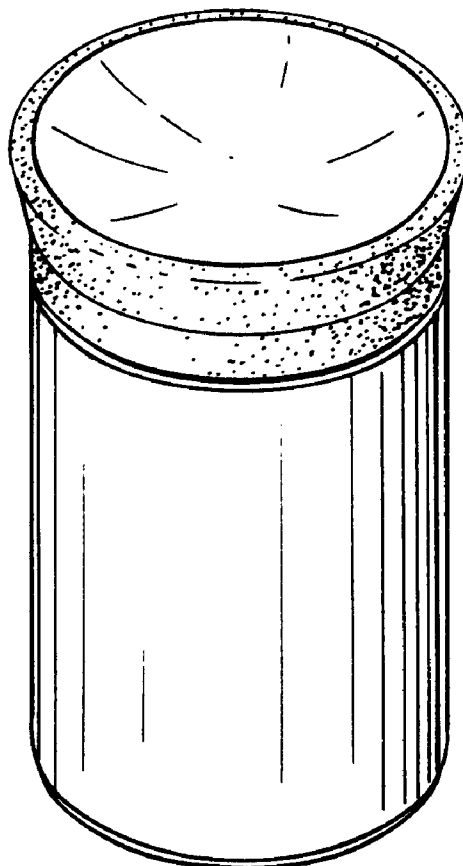
(57) **CLAIM**

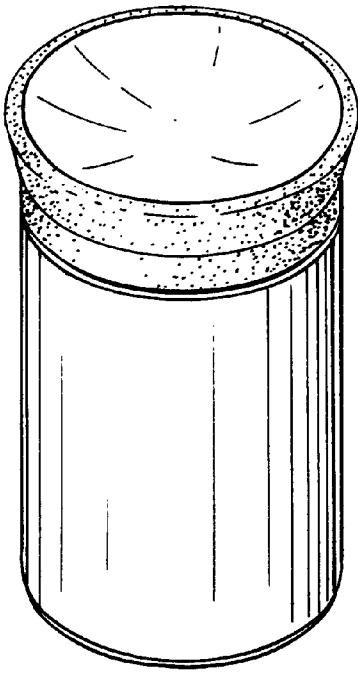
The ornamental design for a container for a test strip drum, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

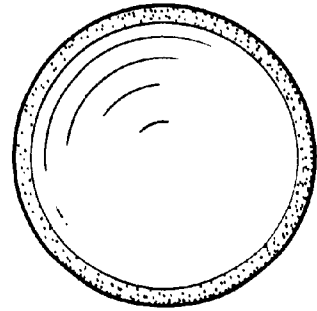
FIG. 1 is a view in perspective of a container for a test strip drum;  
FIG. 2 is a side plan view of the container for a test strip drum of FIG. 1;  
FIG. 3 is a top plan view of the container for a test strip drum of FIG. 1; and,  
FIG. 4 is a bottom plan view of the container for a test strip drum of FIG. 1.

**1 Claim, 1 Drawing Sheet**

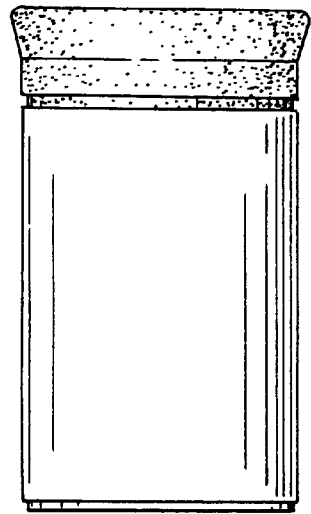




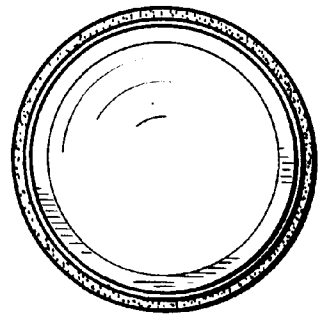
*FIG 1*



*FIG 3*



*FIG 2*



*FIG 4*