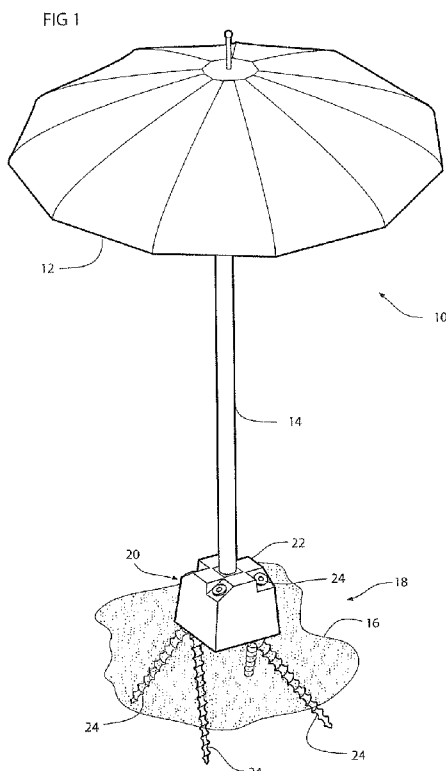




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(54) **Title:** MOVABLE GROUND SUPPORT



(57) **Abstract:** The present invention relates to a movable ground support for supporting upwardly extending objects. The ground support can be quickly secured to and released from the ground by means of a number of securing rods having a ground engaging portion and a support engaging portion. The movable ground support comprises a body having a support surface adapted to be placed in facial contact with and on top of a fiat ground surface, a first recess for supporting an upward extending object under a horizontal load and intersected by a first vertical plane dividing the body in a first and a second part, a first passage through the body having a first inlet aperture on the first part and a first outlet aperture on the lower surface and adapted for guiding the ground engaging portion of one of the number of securing rods through itself to intersect the first vertical plane, and a second passage through the body having a second inlet aperture on the second part and a second outlet aperture on the tower surface and adapted for guiding the ground engaging portion of one of the number of securing rods through itself to intersect the first vertical plane.



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