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(57) Abstract: A composition for removing and/or controlling build up of paraffin waxes and/or asphaltines from surfaces comprising from 0.1 to 99% by weight of a terpene and from 0.1 to 99% by weight of a hydrocarbon solvent containing from 60 to 70% by weight of a paraffin component, from 30 to 40% by weight of a naphthenic component and less than 2% by weight aromatics.

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C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

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