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LACK OF UNITY OF INVENTION

The Search Division considers that the present European patent application does not comply with the requirements of unity of invention and relates to several inventions or groups of inventions, namely:

1. claims: 1-13

A tamper-proof bottle case comprising: a top insert configured such that the top insert can be folded from a first configuration into a second configuration, the first configuration being a substantially horizontal configuration, and the second configuration configured to be disposed proximate the top face; and a corresponding method for securing bottles

2. claims: 14, 15

A tamper-proof bottle case comprising: a unibody frame comprising a front portion, a bottom portion, a back portion, and a top portion, the front portion being connected to the bottom portion via a first living hinge, the bottom portion being connected to the back portion via a second living hinge, and the back portion being connected to the top portion via a third living hinge such that the front portion, the bottom portion, the back portion, and the top portion are hingeable from a planar configuration to a substantially rectangular configuration; a plurality of panels configured to engage with one of the front portion, the bottom portion, the back portion, or the top portion

None of the further search fees have been paid within the fixed time limit. The present (supplementary) European search report has been drawn up for those parts of the European patent application which relate to the first mentioned in the claims, namely claims: 1-13

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