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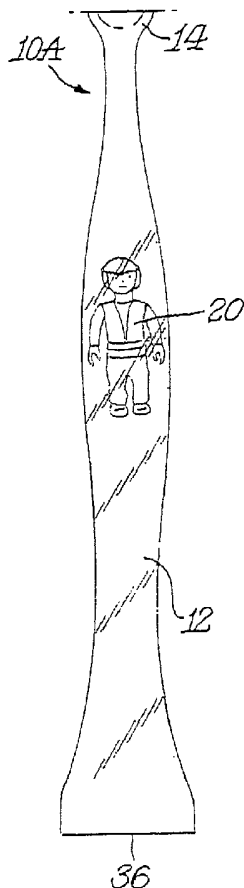
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(57) Abstract: A toothbrush (10) comprises an elongated handle (12) and a head (14) having cleaning elements (16) extending outwardly from the head. At least a portion of the handle is made from a water clear material having low durometer hardness. At least one object (18) may be embedded within the handle. The object would be visible through the outer surface of the handle.

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