

**"Device for immobilizing a vertical stiffener
for a balustrade with respect to a support
for bearing on the ground"**

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ABSTRACT

Device for immobilizing a vertical stiffener for a balustrade with respect to a support for bearing on the ground, characterized in that the stiffener (2) has a tubular profile, the cross-section of which enables it to be fitted, by sliding, onto a vertical rigid support (4) which is fastened to a bearing mounting plate (3) extending substantially horizontally, this tubular stiffener including a substantially plane rear face (7) provided at its lower end with an open longitudinal recess (10) and, on each side of this recess, with bearing rims (11, 12) for a clamp (13) for immobilizing this stiffener against a bearing surface of the rigid support, the stiffener being locked against the support by the agency of the clamp by means of at least one locking screw (19, 20) acting in conjunction with a tapped bore (25, 26) provided in the support.

Figure 1