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APPARATUS FOR MAKING NONWOVEN FABRIC

5 An apparatus 1 for making a nonwoven fabric including,
between spinning nozzles 4 and a top surface of an
air-permeable endless belt 3 running in one direction, air
blow means 6 spaced apart from the nozzles 4, a duct 7 directly
connected to the air blow means 6 and a hood 8 directly
10 connected to the duct 7 so as to cover the vicinity of the
top surface of the endless belt 3 so that the interior of the
hood may be subjected to a suction effect exerted through the
endless belt 3 from below the endless belt 3.

15 Refer to Fig. 2