~~16. The structure according to claim 1, wherein the structure is a band for urging a covering plate to substantially seal against the lip provided on the rim of the storage unit~~

~~17.~~ The structure according to claim 9, wherein the band includes:

a first flange portion which is elastically urged against a top surface of the covering plate resting against the lip of the storage unit such that a substantial seal is formed between the covering plate and the lip of the storage unit;

a second flange portion, extending from and substantially orthogonal to the first flange portion; and

a third flange portion, extending from the second flange portion, which extends substantially parallel relative to the first flange portion, wherein the third flange portion is elastically urged to seal against an underside of the lip of the storage unit.

~~18.~~ The structure according to claim ~~17~~, wherein the first flange portion, the second flange portion, and the flange portion have cross-sectional thickness which is substantially equal.

~~19.~~ The structure according to claim ~~17 or 18~~, wherein the third flange portion located at corners of band protrude inwardly from the second flange portion relative to the third flange portion located at non-corner portions of the band.

~~20.~~ The structure according to claim any one of claims 1 to ~~19~~, wherein the flange includes a plurality of protrusions to allow for the flange to move between an expanded and retracted position.

~~21.~~ The structure according to claim ~~20~~, wherein the plurality of protrusions provided on the flange are pyramidic protrusions.

~~22~~. The structure according to any one of claims 1 to ~~21~~, wherein the structure is made from silicone rubber.

~~23. The structure substantially hereinbefore described with reference to the accompanying drawings.~~

16. The structure according to claim 9, wherein the band includes:

a first flange portion which is elastically urged against a top surface of the covering plate resting against the lip of the storage unit such that a substantial seal is formed between the covering plate and the lip of the storage unit;

a second flange portion, extending from and substantially orthogonal to the first flange portion; and

a third flange portion, extending from the second flange portion, which extends substantially parallel relative to the first flange portion, wherein the third flange portion is elastically urged to seal against an underside of the lip of the storage unit.

17. The structure according to claim 16, wherein the first flange portion, the second flange portion, and the flange portion have cross-sectional thickness which is substantially equal.

18. The structure according to claim 16 or 17, wherein the third flange portion located at corners of band protrude inwardly from the second flange portion relative to the third flange portion located at non-corner portions of the band.

19. The structure according to claim any one of claims 1 to 18, wherein the flange includes a plurality of protrusions to allow for the flange to move between an expanded and retracted position.

20. The structure according to claim 19, wherein the plurality of protrusions provided on the flange are pyramidic protrusions.

21. The structure according to any one of claims 1 to 20, wherein the structure is made from silicone rubber.