

Abstract

PACKING BOX FOR SHUFFLED PLAYING CARDS

5 The shuffled playing cards used in various playing games include, ordinary,
416 cards if eight decks of cards are used. Eight decks of playing cards have 416 cards,
and the height thereof is bulky. Therefore, when the dealer tries to set such 416
playing cards in a card shooter or the like at one time, it may be impossible to house
the cards neatly since they get misaligned. The present invention aims to provide a
10 packing box of playing cards with which the game host can readily set playing cards
in a card shooter or the like prior to a game.

 A packing box 2 of shuffled playing cards 1 has, in an assembled state, a
shape of a rectangular parallelepiped with six faces, namely, a front face 3, a rear face
15 4, a left side face 5, a right side face 6, a top face 7 and a bottom face 8 so as to encase
the shuffled playing cards 1. The packing box 2 includes zippers 11 provided in two
locations at a predetermined interval, each of which includes zipper-shaped cut lines
10 arranged in parallel with a longitudinal direction (an arrow L) of the rectangular
parallelepiped shape, and has a central band 12 in the central portion defined by the
20 zippers 11 provided in the two locations. A configuration is achieved in which by
removing the two zippers 11 along the cut lines 10 formed by zipper lines or a straight
slit 13, the left and right side faces 5 and 6 of the packing box 2 are removed such that
the side faces of the shuffled playing cards 1 would be exposed.

25 Fig. 1