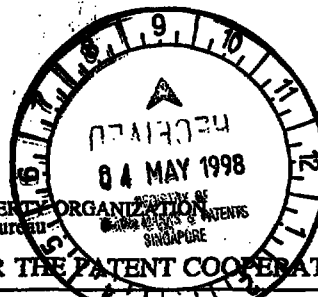


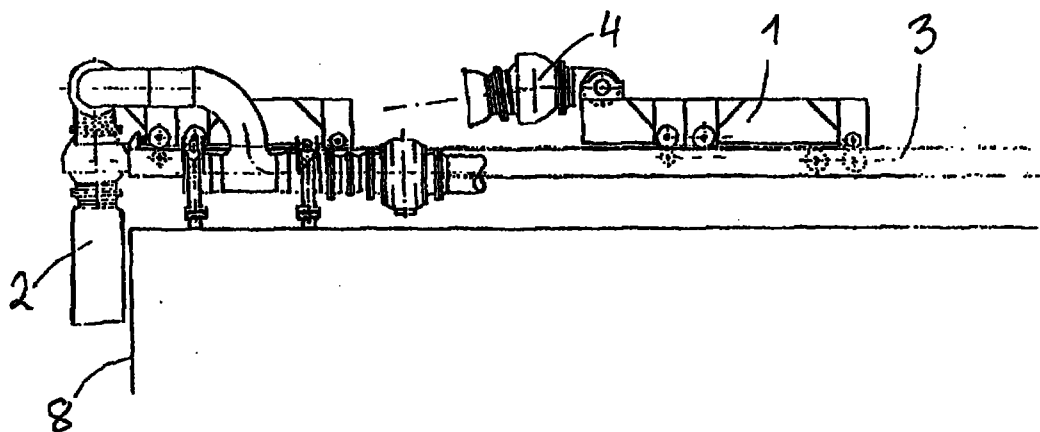
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(57) Abstract

Gutter for storing and connection of a hose (2) for transferring oil between two floating structures, especially between a storing tanker and a shuttle tanker offshore, where a set of rails (3) is extending, lifted up from the deck of the storing tanker, from the stern substantially to the bow of the tanker, a carriage (1) being adapted to run on the set of rails (3) comprising equipment which extends beyond the stern (8) of the storing tanker with the carriage in the rear position, the hose (2) being connected to a ball link (4) being journaled on the portions extending behind the carriage (1) and comprising a T-piece (5) connected with the ball link opposite the bearing of the ball link, being adapted for connection to an unloading manifold (6) secured to the deck with the carriage (1) in the rear position, transversal rollers (9) being arranged preferably lowered in the rail set (3) along its entire length and terminating near the stern (8) in an arcuate transition to substantially a vertical direction, adapted as a rolling path for the hose (2), and that a wire extends from the carriage (1) to a winch arranged near the bow of the ship.