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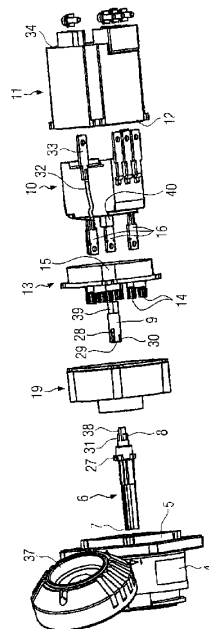
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(54) Title: ELECTRICAL PLUG-AND-SOCKET DEVICE

[FIG. 2]



(57) Abstract: An electrical plug-and-socket device (1) is used in hazardous areas and comprises a plug part (2) and a socket part (3). The socket part comprises at least one outer housing (4) and an inner part (5) rotatable relative thereto. A locking pin (6) is longitudinally movably mounted in the inner part. In order to improve such an electrical plug-and-socket device such that it will in a simple manner allow an assigned load to be switched off directly and such that various loads with other possibilities for switching on and off can also where applicable be switched by the same plug-and-socket device, a locking pin engages at an engagement end (8) opposite its adapter end (7) with a switching pin (9) for switching the load (10) on or off.

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