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Abstract

A page printer, comprising a housing (1) having a front side, a rear side, first and second lateral sides and a lateral side plate (5), said lateral side plate being formed from an electrically conductive material; a gate roller (17), a developing unit (30), a photosensitive drum unit (18), a fixing unit (44), and paper discharging rollers which are mounted in the housing and orientated to provide a paper path; said gate roller (17) is mounted in a space at the front side of the housing (1); a controlling electronic circuit (13) housed in said housing (1) at a lateral side portion (9) thereof, said lateral side plate (5) being disposed between said circuit (13) and said units. The lateral side adjacent to said lateral side plate (5) is constructed such that upon movement of a movable member (8, 71, 72) the controlling electronic circuit (13) is accessible during operation of the page printer.

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