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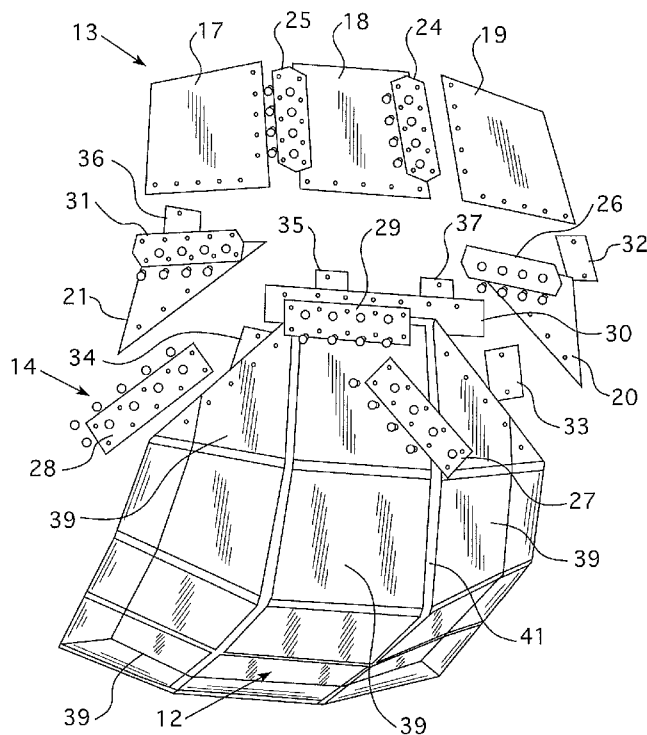


FIG. 5

(57) Abstract: An article of furniture (1) includes a base (2), a seat frame (12) supported by the base (2), and a back frame (11) attached to the seat frame (12). The back frame (11) includes an upper portion (13) and a lower portion (14). The upper portion (13) is connected to the lower portion (14) by at least one first elastomeric member such that the upper portion (13) is moveable relative to the lower portion (14). The upper portion (13) is moveable from an upright position to at least one reclined position. In some embodiments of the article of furniture (1), the at least one first elastomeric member is a strap composed of a polymeric material, such as, for example, a thermoplastic polyester elastomer or a polymeric material containing at least one elastomer. In some embodiments, the article of furniture (1) may be designed as a chair, a lounge chair, or an office chair.



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