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1 ROTOR BRAKE MECHANISM FOR A SPINNING REEL AND SPINNING REEL

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3 ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

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5 A spinning reel in accordance with the present
6 invention is provided with a reel body 2, a rotor 3, a
7 spool 4 and a rotor brake mechanism 9. The reel body 2 has
8 a handle 1 and is mountable on a fishing rod. The rotor 3
9 has a first arm portion 31 and a second arm portion 32
10 disposed to face each other, a bail arm 25 provided to be
11 reversible between a line winding position and a line
12 releasing position at a tip end of the two arm portions,
13 and a bail reversing mechanism 26 for maintaining the bail
14 arm 25 at the line winding position and the line releasing
15 position and for reversing the bail arm 25 between the two
16 positions and is rotatably supported to a front portion of
17 the reel body 2. The spool 4 is disposed in a front
18 portion of the rotor 3 for winding the fishing line
19 thereabout. A rotor brake mechanism 9 brakes the rotor 3
20 when the bail arm 25 is positioned in the line releasing
21 position. The above configuration makes it possible to
22 maintain the rotational phase of the rotor and to adjust it
23 when the bail arm is brought into the line releasing
24 position in a spinning reel.

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