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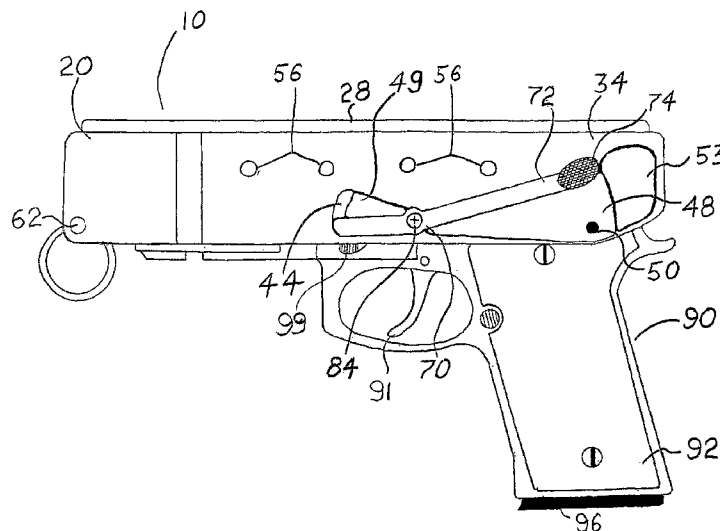
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(57) Abstract: Holster 10 is provided having shroud 20 with top 28, sides 34, 34', slide bearing stop 22 with hole 24 facing slide guard 54. Cam slot 44 is provided through shroud 20. Protuberance slots 36, 36' are provided in shroud 20 for receiving pistol protuberance 99. Screw 84 pivotally secures lever 70 to shroud 20. Lever 70 includes lever arm 72 having actuator 74 with bearing 76 and cam arm 78 having guide cam 80 positioned in cam slot 44 into side of shroud 20. Lever 70 moves from first position for receiving pistol and second position where guide cam 80 blocks protuberance slot 36 of shroud 20 to secure pistol 90 within holster 10. A method for using holster 10 is provided. Holstering occurs by positioning obstruction in first position, placing front of pistol 90 in holster 10, pushing handle of pistol 90 to slide bearing stop 22, pivoting pistol 90 toward shroud 20, placing protuberance 99 in protuberance slot 36, releasing force on handle so recoil spring of pistol 90 secures unfireable pistol 90 in shroud 20 with obstruction in second position. Pistol 90 is drawn from holster 10 by reversing holstering steps.

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