

## ABSTRACT

### INJECTION DEVICE

An injection device comprising a barrel having a first end for a needle to  
5 protrude therefrom; a needle assembly having a double-pointed hollow needle  
and a resilient element operable to bias the double-pointed hollow needle away  
from the first end of the barrel; and a mechanism operable to urge a cartridge  
against a cause the cartridge to be punctured by the first end of the double-  
pointed hollow needle such that the cartridge is punctured by the first end of the  
10 double-pointed hollow needle, and a to simultaneously cause the second end of  
the double-pointed hollow needle is to protruded from the barrel and be held in  
the protruded position by the mechanism, is disclosed.

### FIG. 1a

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