

ELEVATOR APPARATUS

Abstract

Provided is an elevator apparatus capable of reliably preventing a drive unit for driving a hoisting machine, which is usually positioned near a location where a maintenance operation is carried out, from being activated when a movement of a car is inhibited during maintenance and inspection. During maintenance, fixing device 17 for maintenance, which is provided to fix a counterweight 12 to guide rails 16 for the counterweight, are provided with a storage portion 22 which stores fixing rods 20 and 21 in a stationary state, and with a detecting portion 25 which detects detachment of the fixing rods 20 and 21 from the storage portion 22 by the rotation of the first cam 30 and the second cam 31, and which electrically locks a power supply of the hoisting machine 8 so as to be turned off.

Fig. 4