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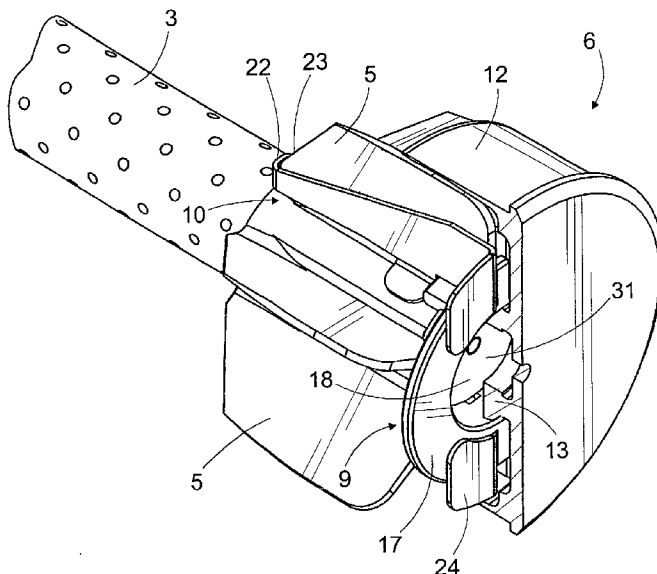
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(54) Title: ARRANGEMENT FOR SUPPORTING A MORTAR SHELL INTO BARREL OF WEAPON AND A METHOD FOR ATTACHING A SUPPORT MEMBER TO A MORTAR SHELL



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