

Abstract

A barrier (31) is disclosed which serves to protect users from falling from an escalator or moving walkway. The barrier (31) has a sensor (173) and/or an output device (157, 159, 167, 169), a clamping profile (33) with a V-shaped groove (35), a balustrade panel (45),
5 an L-shaped wedge insert (53) with a wedge leg (55) and a base leg (57), and a clamping wedge (59) with a wedge-shaped cross-section. The wedge leg (55) of the wedge insert (53) has a wedge-shaped cross-section and is arranged between the first side surface (47) of the balustrade panel (45) and the first groove surface (39). The base leg (57) of the
10 wedge insert (53) has a channel (58) and is arranged between the lower edge (51) of the balustrade panel (45) and the groove base (37). The clamping wedge (59) is arranged between the second side surface (49) of the balustrade panel (45) and the second groove surface (41).

(Fig. 2)