



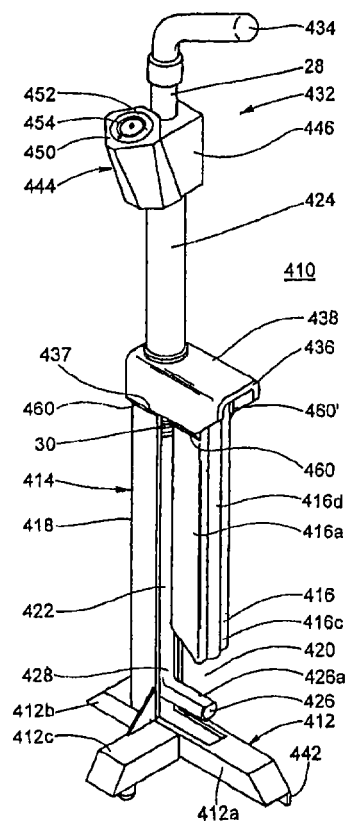
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(54) Title: ANTI-THEFT BRAKE OR CLUTCH PEDAL LOCKING DEVICE

(57) Abstract

A device to lock a brake or clutch pedal (11) of a vehicle so as to deter theft of the vehicle includes a base (412) for placement on the floor of the vehicle beneath the pedal (11) of the vehicle being locked and beneath a pedal shaft (13) supporting the pedal. The device includes a generally U-shaped housing (414) with a second leg (418) attached to the base (412), a first leg (416) shorter than the second leg, and a cross member (438) connecting the first and second legs to define an opening between the first leg and the base and a slot (422) between the first and second legs to receive the pedal shaft (13) and permit travel of the pedal shaft (13) through the slot (422). A locking mechanism includes a locking pin (426) and a lock (444).



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