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Abstract**Method and Apparatus for Electroplating of Articles**

Apparatus for the electroplating of at least a part of an article, the electroplating to take place in a tank, the apparatus including: a support
10 structure having an upper frame, and a support frame depending from the upper frame; a support plate mounted for rotation relative to the support structure and for releasably retaining the article for rotation with the support plate; and a drive means mounted on the support structure; the drive means being operatively connected to the support plate for the
15 rotation of the support plate and the article during the electroplating of the at least a part of the article. A method of using the apparatus is also disclosed, as is a novel anode and a novel electrical connector.

20 Figure 1