CLAIMS

~~What is claimed is:~~

1. A method of introducing a cable into a longitudinally extending conduit comprising the steps of forming at least one longitudinally extending compartment, connecting one end of a longitudinally extending sheet of material outside of~~to~~ the compartment, positioning a cable adjacent to the sheet of material, attaching the ends of the sheet of material to form an additional compartment with the cable in the additional compartment, and inserting the compartments into the conduit.

2. The method of claim 1 further comprising the step of inserting a pulling device in the at least one longitudinally extending compartment.

3. The method of claim 1 wherein the step of forming includes the step of first attaching the ends of a second sheet of material.

4. The method of claim 3 wherein the step of connecting positions one side of the sheet of material adjacent to the compartment, and the step of attaching is accomplished by connecting the ends of the other side of the sheet of material~~a longitudinally extending sheet of material to the compartment is accomplished by attaching one end of the sheet of material to the compartment~~.

5. The method of claim ~~4~~ 3 wherein the step of attaching ~~one end~~ includes the step of attaching one end of the sheet at the position where the ends of the second sheet of material of the at least one compartment ~~are~~ have been previously attached.

6. A method of introducing a cable into a longitudinally extending conduit comprising the steps of first forming at least one longitudinally extending compartment, then connecting a longitudinally extending sheet of material ~~to~~ outside of the compartment, forming an additional compartment with a cable in ~~it~~

the additional compartment by attaching the ends of the sheet of material around the cable, and inserting the compartments into the conduit.

7. The method of claim 6 further comprising the step of inserting a pulling device in the at least one longitudinally extending compartment.

8. The method of claim 1 wherein the step of forming the at least one longitudinally extending compartment includes the step of attaching the ends of a second sheet of material.

9. The method of claim 8 wherein the step of connecting a longitudinally extending sheet of material to the compartment is accomplished by attaching one end of the sheet of material to the compartment.

10. The method of claim 9 wherein the step of attaching one end includes the step of attaching one end of the sheet of material at the position where the ends of the second sheet of material of the at least one compartment are attached.

11. An apparatus to be inserted into a longitudinally extending conduit comprising at least one longitudinally extending compartment, a longitudinally extending sheet of material having one end attached to an outside of said compartment, said sheet of material having compatible fastening elements carried on opposed ends of said sheet of material such that a longitudinally extending cable can be positioned between said ends and said ends can be attached to each other to form an additional compartment carrying the cable.

12. The apparatus of claim 11 further comprising a pulling device in said at least one longitudinally extending compartment.

13. The apparatus of claim 11 wherein said at least one compartment and said additional compartment are made of a material having a lower coefficient of friction than said cable.

14. The apparatus of claim 13 wherein said material is a fabric.

15. The apparatus of claim ~~1~~ 11 wherein the ends of a sheet of material are connected at a point to form said at least one longitudinally extending compartment, and one end of said sheet of material is attached to said at least one longitudinally extending compartment at said point.

16. The apparatus of claim ~~1~~ 11 wherein said compatible fastening elements are a hook material and a loop material.

17. An apparatus to be inserted into a longitudinally extending conduit comprising at least one longitudinally extending compartment, a sheet of material having one end attached to an outside of said compartment and having a side facing said compartment, the other side of said sheet of material having compatible fastening elements carried on opposed ends, ~~one of said ends being attached to said compartment,~~ a longitudinally extending cable positioned adjacent to the other side of said sheet of material so that when said ends of said sheet of material are attached to form an additional compartment, said cable is in said additional compartment.

18. The apparatus of claim 17 further comprising a pulling device in said at least one longitudinally extending compartment.

19. The apparatus of claim 17 wherein said at least one compartment and said additional compartment are made of a material having a lower coefficient of friction than said cable.

20. The apparatus of claim 19 wherein said material is a fabric.