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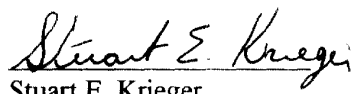
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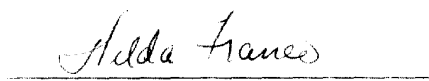
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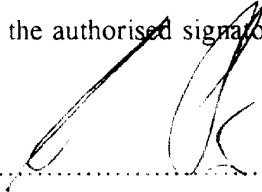
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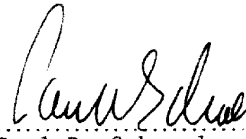
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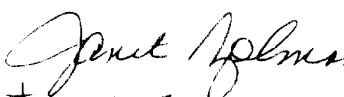

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ABSTRACT

**IMPROVEMENTS RELATING TO HYGIENE AND MEDICAL
PRODUCTS (FIG. 1)**

5 container for odorous material (in the present case an ostomy bag),
a front wall (10) and a rear wall (12) welded together around a
seam (14). The walls are made of a plastics material through which
vapour can permeate. The container carries or contains malodour counteractant
material, or mask, the odour. The malodour counteractant material may
be in microencapsulated form, and coated (at 28) on the interior faces of
10 the walls. The material may also be carried on an article (54) placed within the container.