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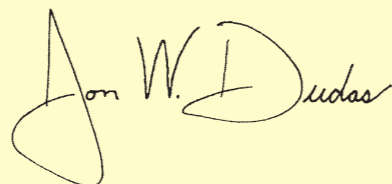
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Has received an application for a new, original, and ornamental design for an article of manufacture. The title and description of the design are enclosed. The requirements of law have been complied with, and it has been determined that a patent on the design shall be granted under the law.

Therefore, this

United States Patent

Grants to the person(s) having title to this patent the right to exclude others from making, using, offering for sale, or selling the design throughout the United States of America, or importing the design into the United States of America for the term of fourteen years from the date of grant of this patent.



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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a cage for holding laboratory animals, is shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of the cage for holding laboratory animals showing our new design;
FIG. 2 is a rear elevation view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a left side elevation view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a front elevation view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a top plan view thereof; and,
FIG. 6 is a bottom plan view thereof.

1 Claim, 6 Drawing Sheets

