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(54) **DOCKING DISPLAY STATION WITH DOCKING PORT FOR RETAINING A HANDS-FREE HEADSET THEREIN**

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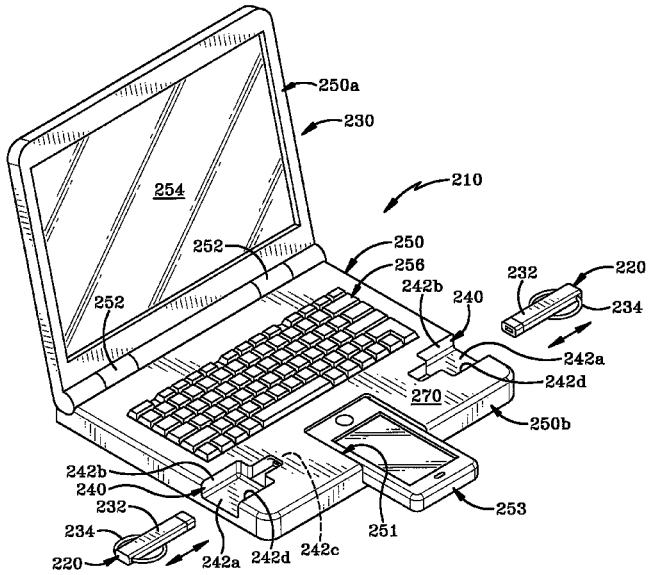
(57) **ABSTRACT**

A display unit having at least one docking port for receiving and retaining a complementary hands-free headset therein. The docking port comprises a recessed slot formed in the display unit housing. The headset preferably is frictionally retained within the docking port. The docking port is provided with a power jack connector that matingly engages a complementary power jack on the headset when docked, thereby recharging the rechargeable power supply in the headset.

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