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a. With regard to the **language**, the international search was carried out on the basis of:

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c. With regard to any **nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence** disclosed in the international application, see Box No. I.

2. **Certain claims were found unsearchable** (See Box No. II)

3. **Unity of invention is lacking** (See Box No. III)

4. With regard to the **title**,

the text is approved as submitted by the applicant.

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a. the figure of the **drawings** to be published with the abstract is Figure No. 5

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b. none of the figures is to be published with the abstract.

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PCT/US2015/030486**A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER****F15B 15/02(2006.01)i, F15B 15/08(2006.01)i**

According to International Patent Classification (IPC) or to both national classification and IPC

B. FIELDS SEARCHEDMinimum documentation searched (classification system followed by classification symbols)
F15B 15/02; F16L 21/00; F01B 19/00; B66F 3/24; B60S 9/10; F15B 15/08Documentation searched other than minimum documentation to the extent that such documents are included in the fields searched
Korean utility models and applications for utility models
Japanese utility models and applications for utility modelsElectronic data base consulted during the international search (name of data base and, where practicable, search terms used)
eKOMPASS(KIPO internal) & Keywords: actuator, pneumatic, flexible, bellows, diaphragm, reaction, reinforcement, folding, collapsing, and bending**C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT**

Category*	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
Y	US 2003-0140783 A1 (LEONARD et al.) 31 July 2003 See paragraphs [0027]-[0029] and figures 3-6.	1-18
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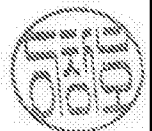

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