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(54) **DEVICE AND METHOD FOR TREATMENT OF MALOCCLUSION UTILIZING CYCLICAL FORCES**

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(57) **ABSTRACT**

Methods of treating malocclusion and inducing osteogenesis as well as an apparatus for treating malocclusion are described. The methods and apparatus utilize cyclic forces as compared to static forces to achieve their results.

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