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CPC NOTICE OF CHANGES 121

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**The following classification changes will be effected by this Notice of Changes:**

<u>Action*</u>	<u>Subclass</u>	<u>Group(s)</u>
New/modified/deleted Definitions (no frozen (F) symbol definitions should deleted):	A61B	17/702

**No other subclasses/groups are impacted by this Notice of Changes.**

**This Notice of Changes includes the following** *[Check the ones included]:*

1. CLASSIFICATION SCHEME CHANGES
  - A. New, Modified or Deleted Group(s)
  - B. New, Modified or Deleted Warning Notice(s)
  - C. New, Modified or Deleted Note(s)
  - D. New, Modified or Deleted Guidance Heading(s)
2. DEFINITIONS (New or Modified)
  - A. DEFINITIONS (Full definition template)
  - B. DEFINITIONS (Definitions Quick Fix)
3.  REVISION CONCORDANCE LIST (RCL)
4.  CHANGES TO THE CPC-TO-IPC CONCORDANCE LIST (CICL)
5.  CROSS-REFERENCE LIST (CRL)

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## 2. A. DEFINITIONS (i.e. new or modified)

Insert the following new definition:

### **A61B17/702**

**{having a core or insert, and a sleeve, whereby a screw or hook can move along the core or in the sleeve}**

### **Glossary of terms**

*In this subgroup, the following terms or expressions are used with the meaning indicated:*

Sleeve	Anything surrounding a core or insert, e.g. a coil spring
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