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# [54] REINFORCEMENT RING FOR A TRAILER HITCH RECEIVER

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Four (4) photographs of Draw-Tite forged U.S.A. reinforcement ring (admitted prior art).

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#### [57] CLAIM

The ornamental design for a reinforcement ring for a trailer hitch receiver, as shown and described.

#### **DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a reinforcement ring for a trailer hitch receiver showing my new design;

FIG. 2 is a front elevational view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a top plan view thereof, the bottom being a mirror image of the top shown;

FIG. 4 is a right side view thereof, the left side being a mirror image of the right side shown;

FIG. 5 is a rear elevational view thereof; and,

FIG. 6 is a cross-sectional view thereof along line 6—6 of FIG. 2.

The broken lines are for environmental purposes only and form no part of the claimed design.

#### 1 Claim, 2 Drawing Sheets













