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- (54) SHOWER CURTAIN CLOSURE DEVICE
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(57) **CLAIM** We claim the ornamental design for a shower curtain closure device, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front perspective view of a shower curtain closure device according to the present invention.
FIG. 2 is a front view of the shower curtain closure device of FIG. 1.

FIG. **3** is a rear view of the shower curtain closure device of FIG. **1**.

FIG. 4 is a right-side view of the shower curtain closure device of FIG. 1.

FIG. **5** is a left-side view of the shower curtain closure device of FIG. **1**.

FIG. 6 is a bottom view of the shower curtain closure device of FIG. 1; and,

FIG. **7** is a top view of the shower curtain closure device of FIG. **1**.

The broken lines in the figures represent portions of the device which are not part of the claimed design. The device is shown broken away in the middle to indicate that no particular length is claimed, other than what is shown.

1 Claim, 4 Drawing Sheets



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FIG.2



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FIG. 4 FIG. 5

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FIG. 6



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