

- [54] VACCINATING AND BEAK-HOLDING
ACCESSORY FOR A BIRD PROCESSOR
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[57] ABSTRACT

The invention is an attachment or an accessory for a bird processing machine which is used primarily for trimming one or more of the beak members of the bird to prevent cannibalism, the accessory comprising a removable hollow bar member which is interchangeable in the processing machine with other slightly different accessories, the bar member serving as a support for the beak and as an anvil against which a cauterizing blade moves to trim the upper beak member, there being an oral applicator tube passing through the bar from the rear to introduce a fine stream of oral application liquid through an orifice in the bar to the bird's mouth while the upper beak member is trimmed, there being a flow of cooling fluid through the bar to prevent burning the bird's mouth and to cool the oral application.

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