

10. Articles Whose Shape, etc. is Changeable

As for articles like transformable toys, whose whole can be changed (reversibly) into a different shape, etc. by moving each part, if design registration is requested for the shape, etc. as it appears before, during and after the said change, applicants show the shape, etc. before and after the change or during the change if necessary.

- (i) There is no constraint on which state must be the shape, etc. before the change.
- (ii) In addition to six views, etc. representing the shape, etc. before the change, applicants depict drawings that are necessary to specify the entire form after the change. (Please note, when preparing drawings that can specify the entire shape, etc. after the change, that drawings that represent only the part of the shape, etc. that can be specified by the drawings representing the form before the change are not indispensable).
- (iii) As for the shape, etc. during the change, since it is sufficient to make it possible to understand how the article changes, applicants only add necessary views to the extent.

<Fig. 3.-10-1> Example of representing an article whose shape, etc. is changeable

