

[54] **EXTERIOR SHELL OF A VEHICLE HOOD**

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[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for an exterior shell of a vehicle hood, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a left, front perspective view of an exterior shell of a vehicle hood showing our new design, it being understood that the broken lines are for illustrative purposes only and form no part of the claimed design; FIG. 2 is a front elevation view thereof; FIG. 3 is a left side elevation view thereof, the right side being a mirror image of that shown; and FIG. 4 is a top plan view thereof.

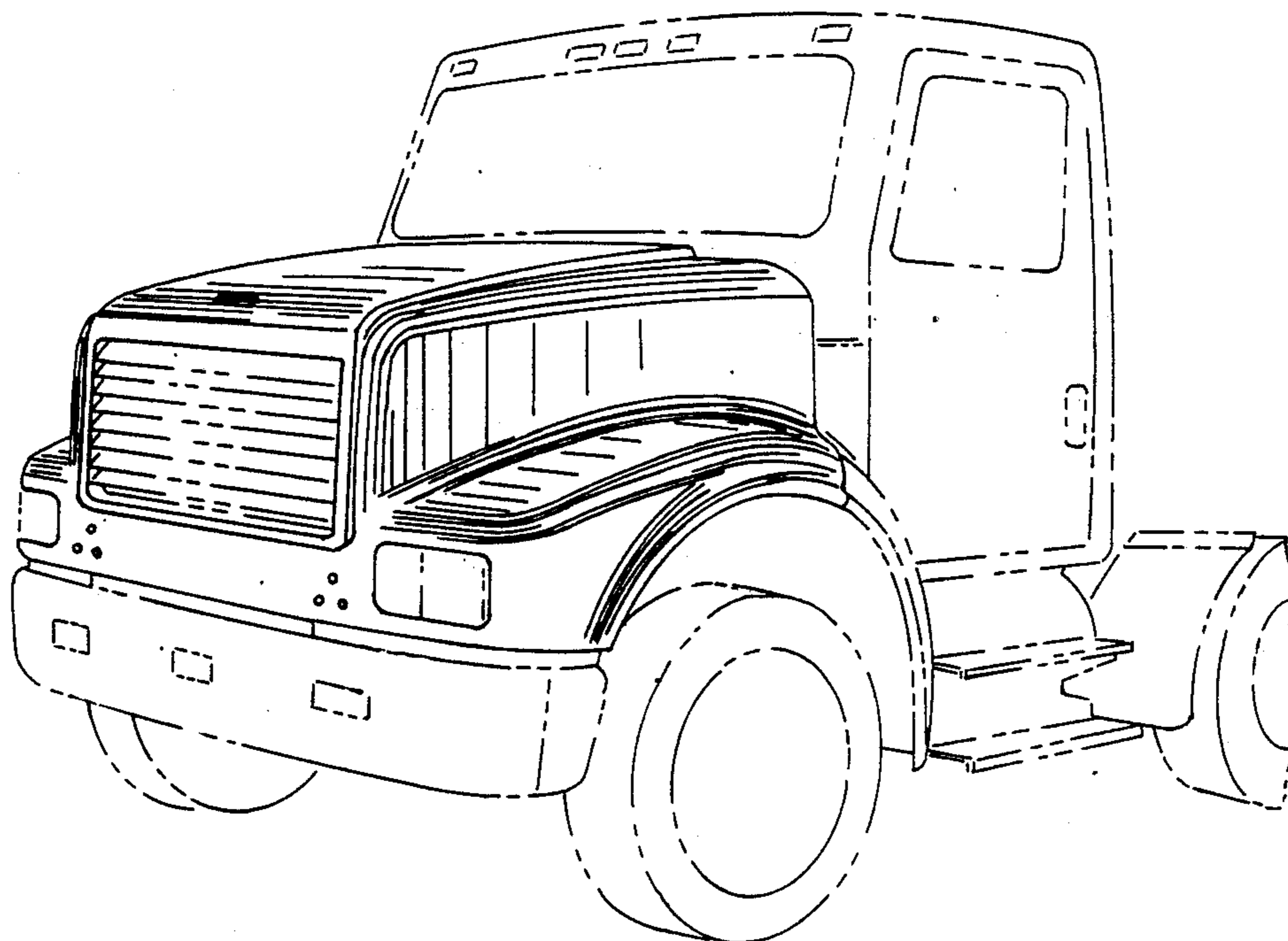


FIG. 1

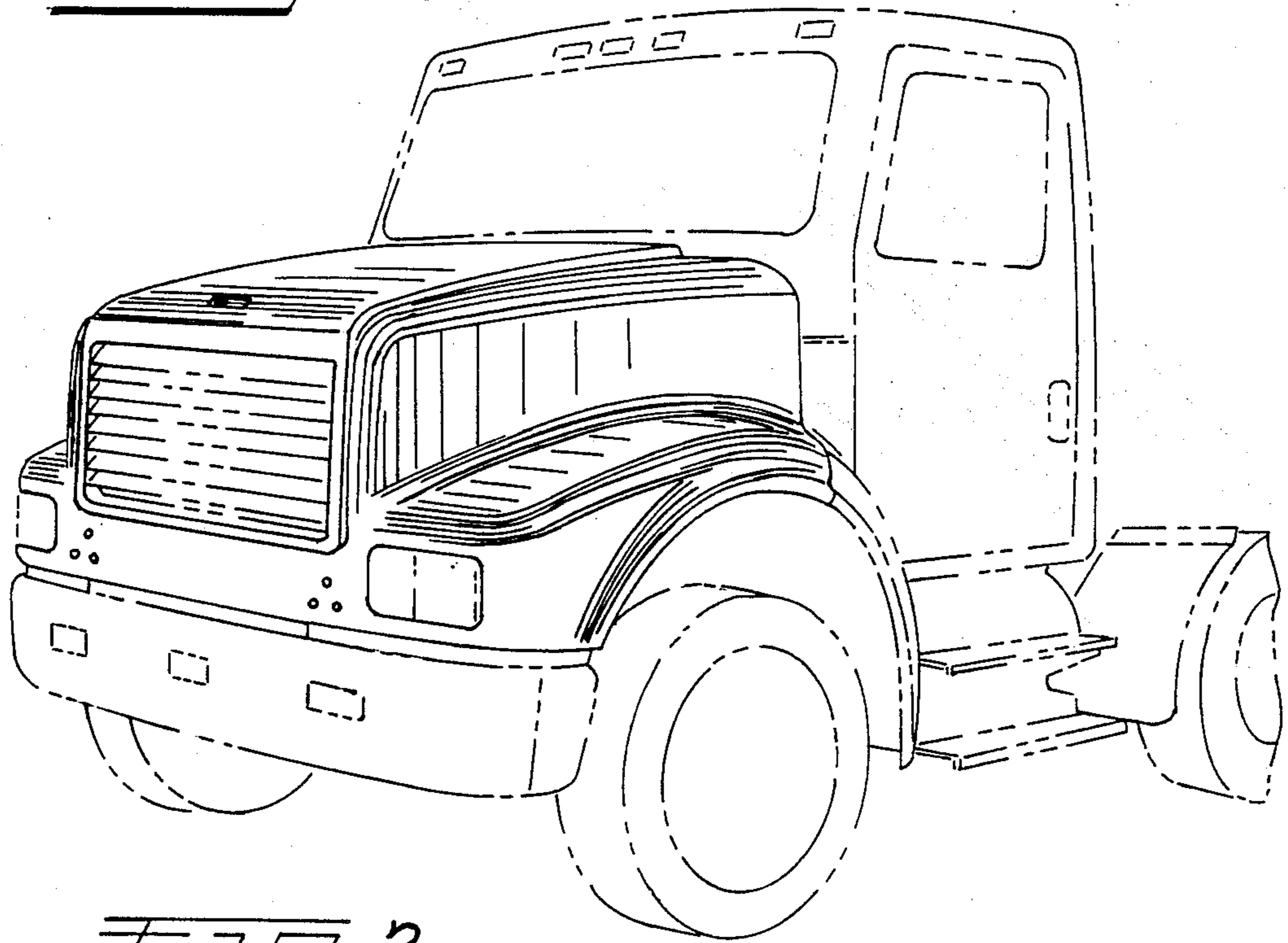


FIG. 2

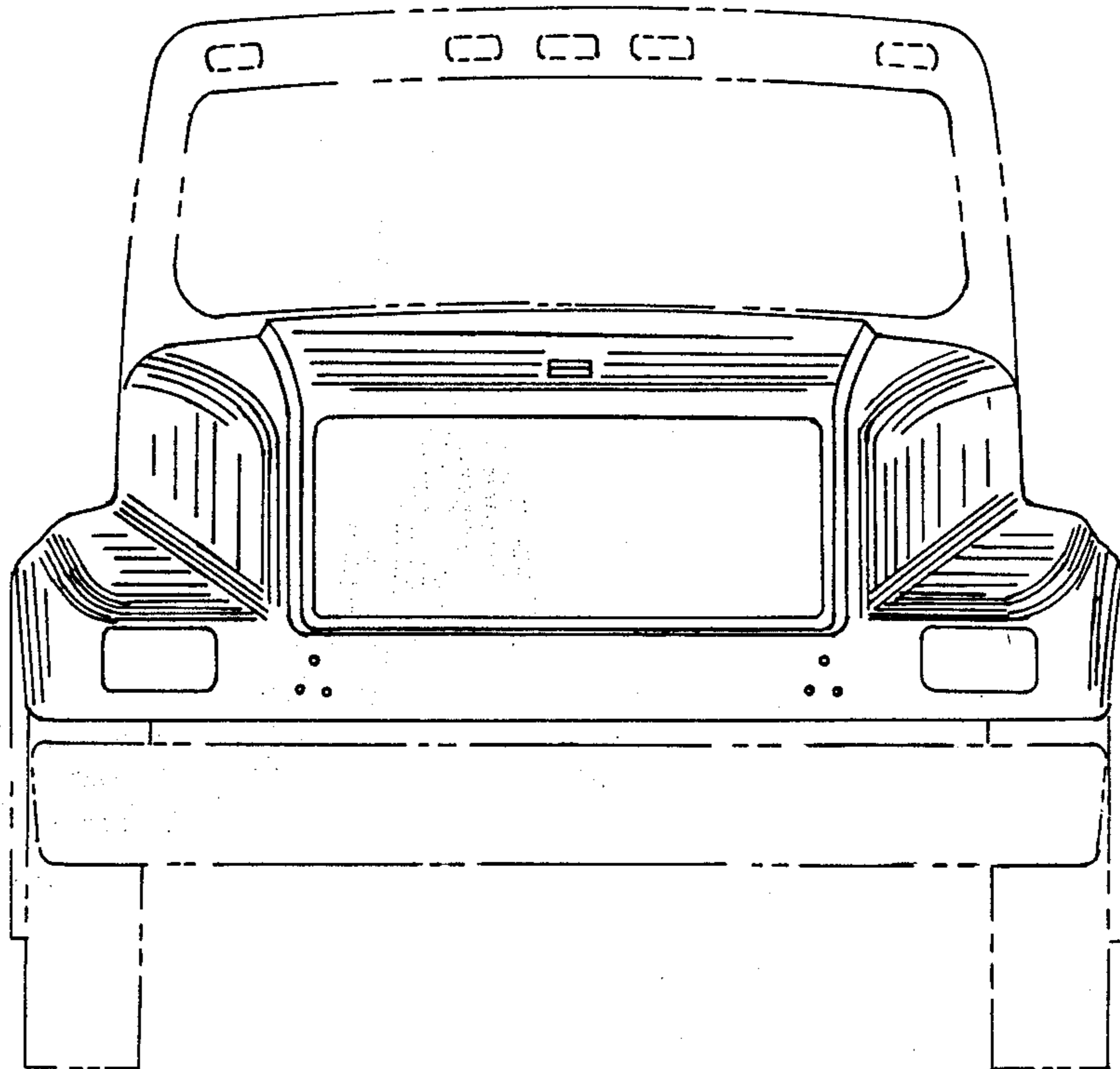


FIG. 3

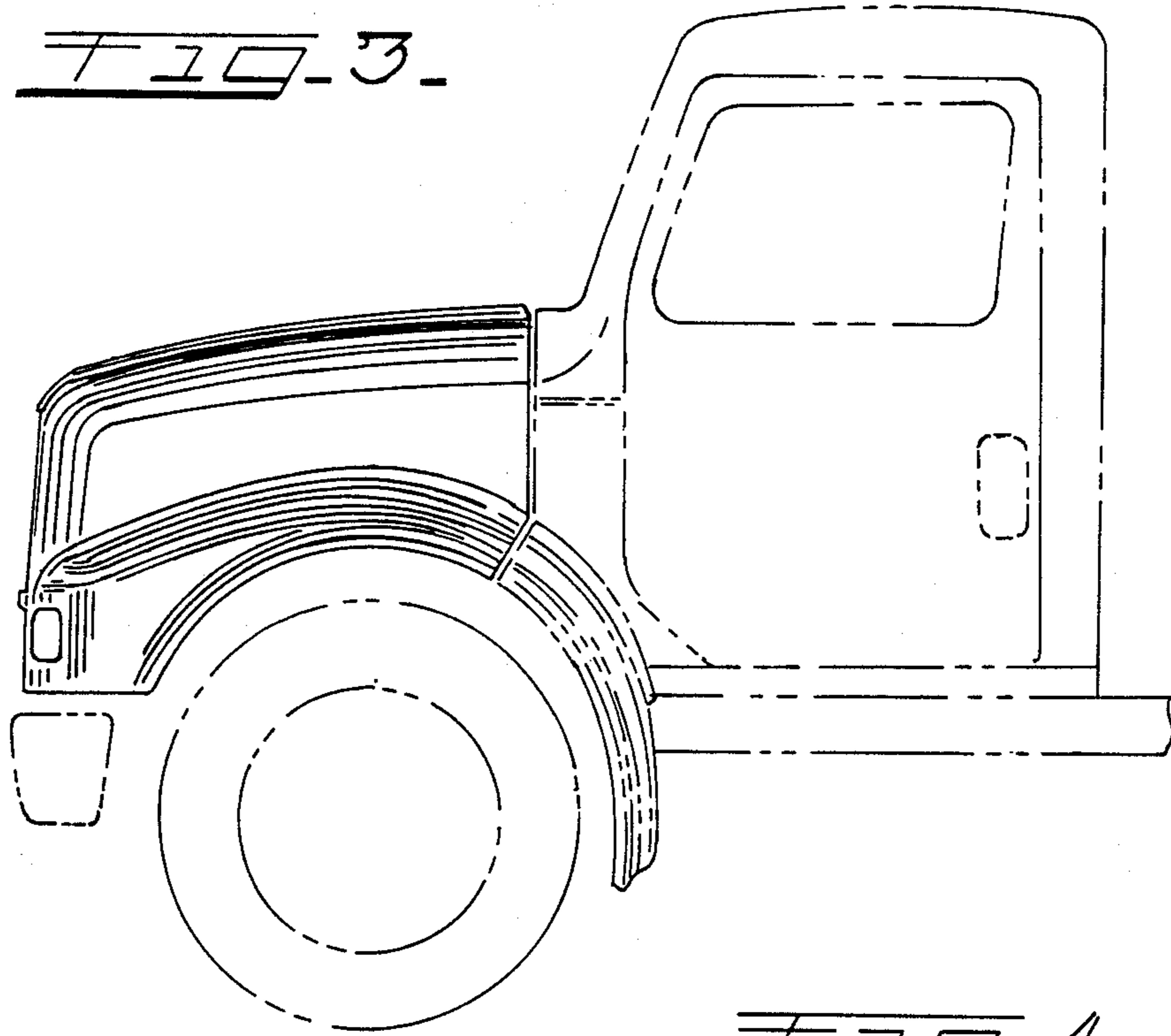


FIG. 4

