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## [54] SOUND OF NATURE MONITOR

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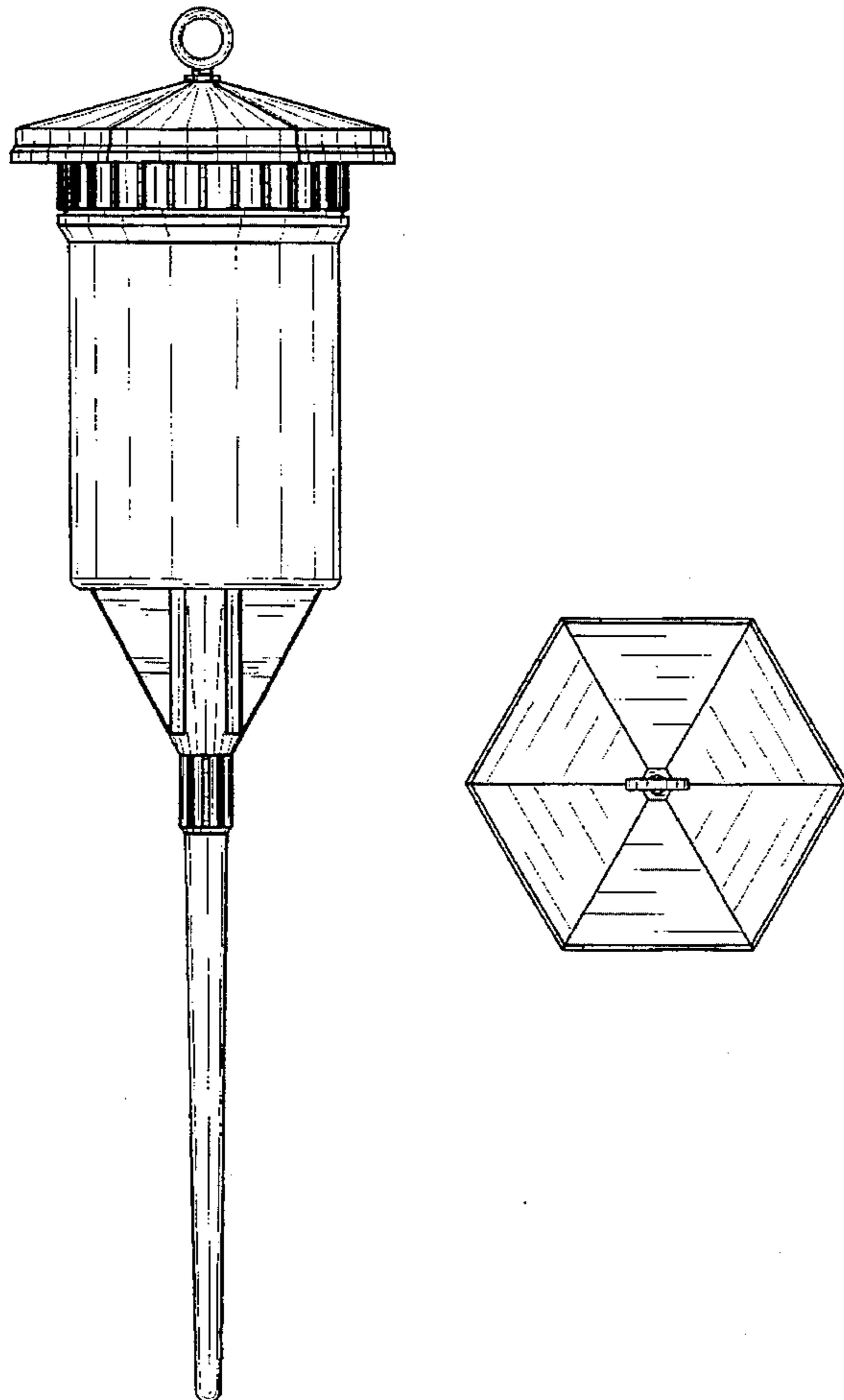
## [57] CLAIM

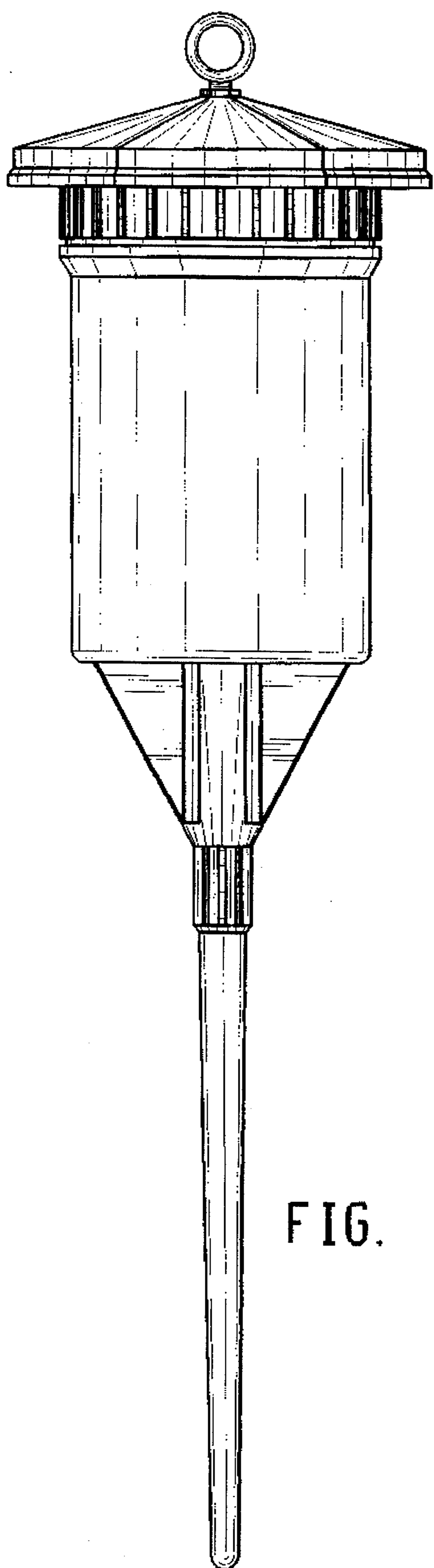
The ornamental design for a sound of nature monitor, as shown and described.

## DESCRIPTION

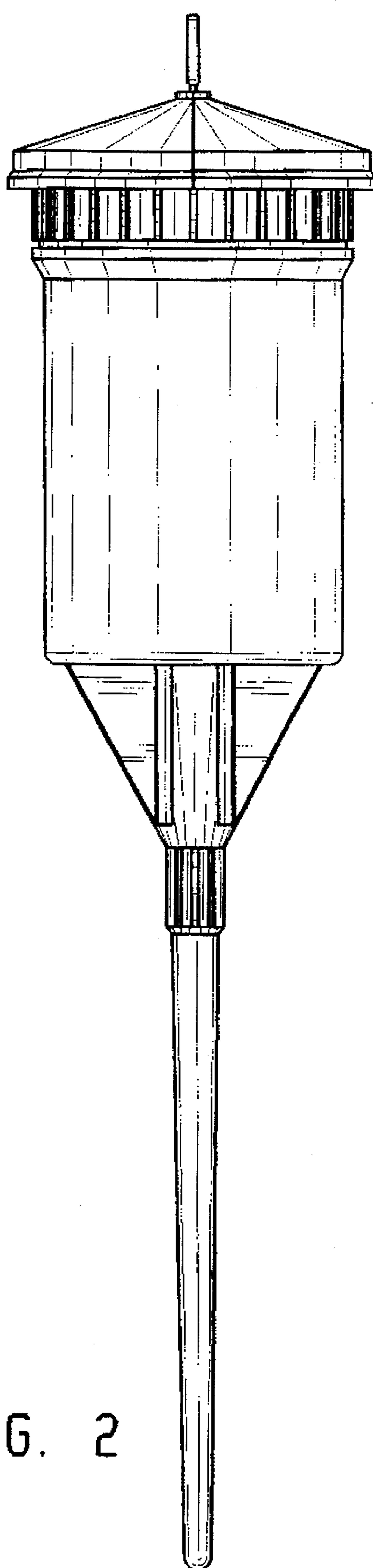
FIG. 1 is a front perspective view of a sound of nature monitor showing our new design, the rear being identical; FIG. 2 is a side perspective view of the sound of nature monitor of FIG. 1 taken at an angle of 90° with respect to the sound of nature monitor of FIG. 1; FIG. 3 is a side perspective view similar to FIGS. 1 and 2 taken at an angle of 45° with respect to the monitor of FIG. 1; FIG. 4 is a top plan view of the monitor of FIGS. 1, 2 and 3; FIG. 5 is a bottom view of the monitor of FIGS. 1, 2, 3 and 4; FIG. 6 is another front perspective view of the sound of nature monitor of FIGS. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 taken at an angle of approximately 15° with respect to the monitor of FIG. 1; FIG. 7 is a reduced side perspective view similar to FIG. 2, with the broken line showing for illustrative purposes only and forming no part of the claimed design; and, FIG. 8 is a front perspective view of a second embodiment thereof, wherein the only difference resides in the omission of the slotted areas's on the top and bottom portions.

1 Claim, 5 Drawing Sheets





**FIG. 1**



**FIG. 2**

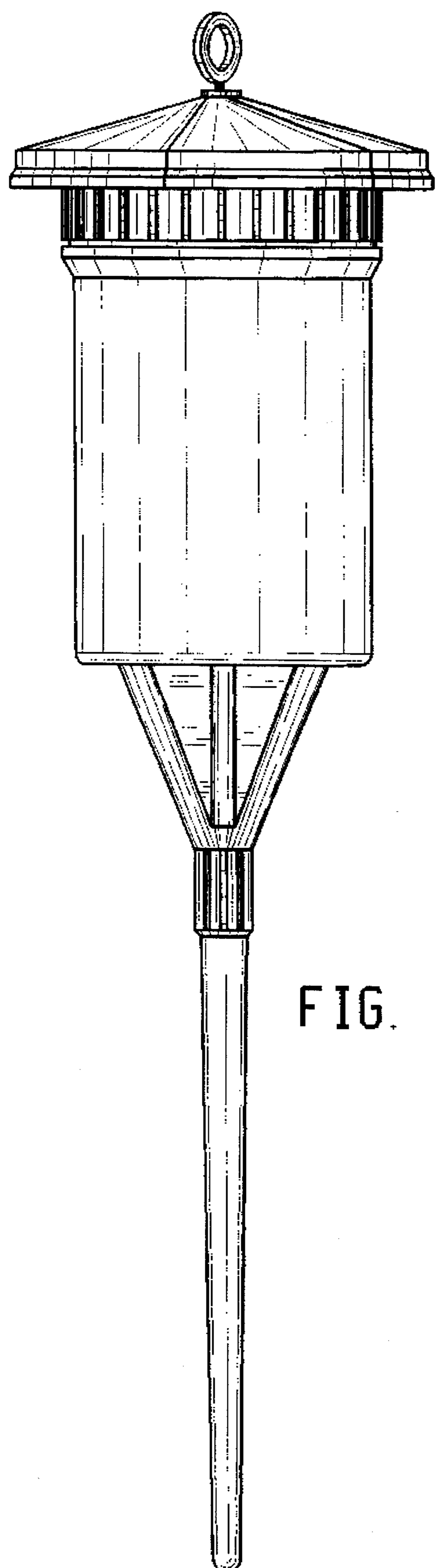


FIG. 3

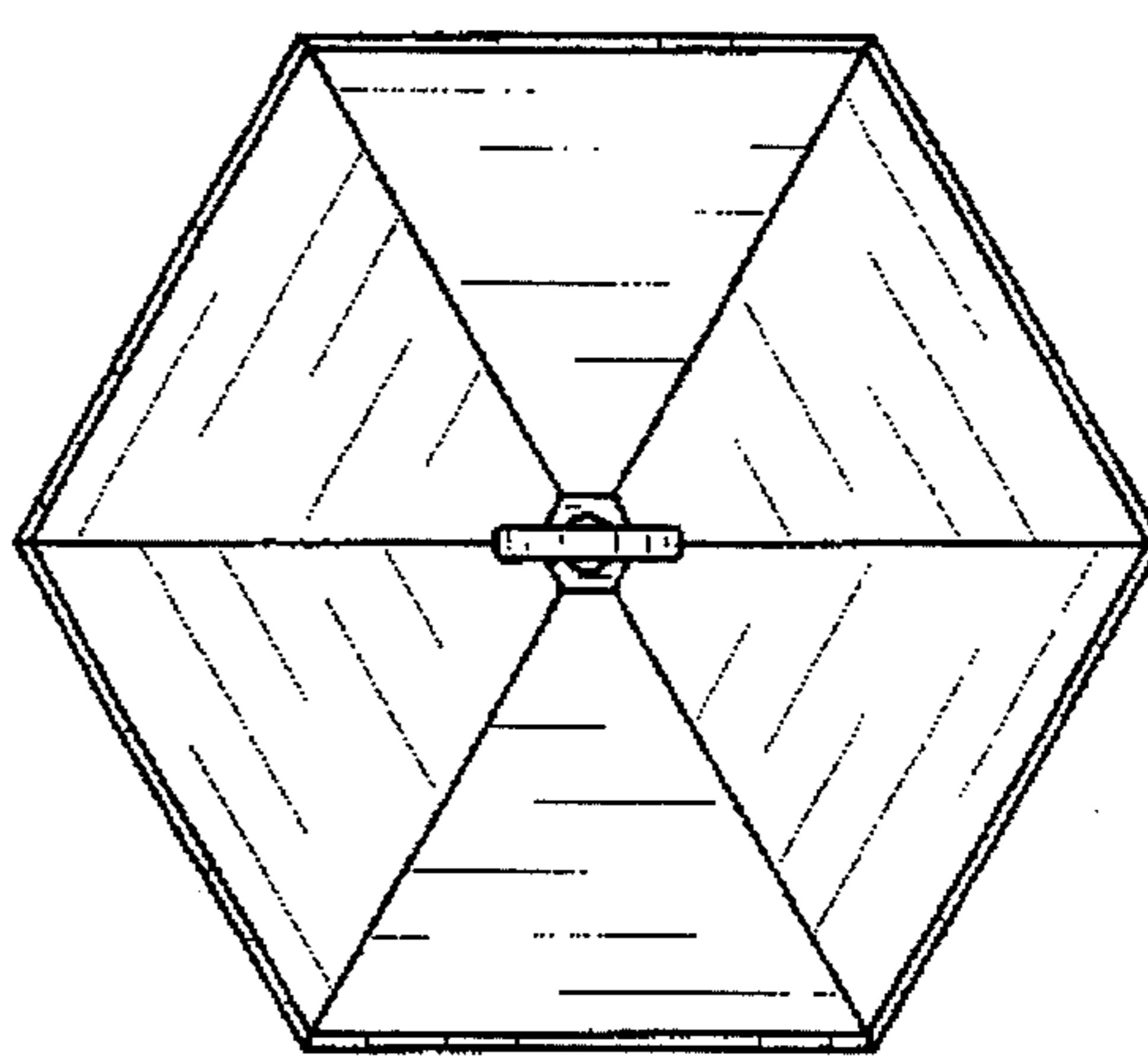


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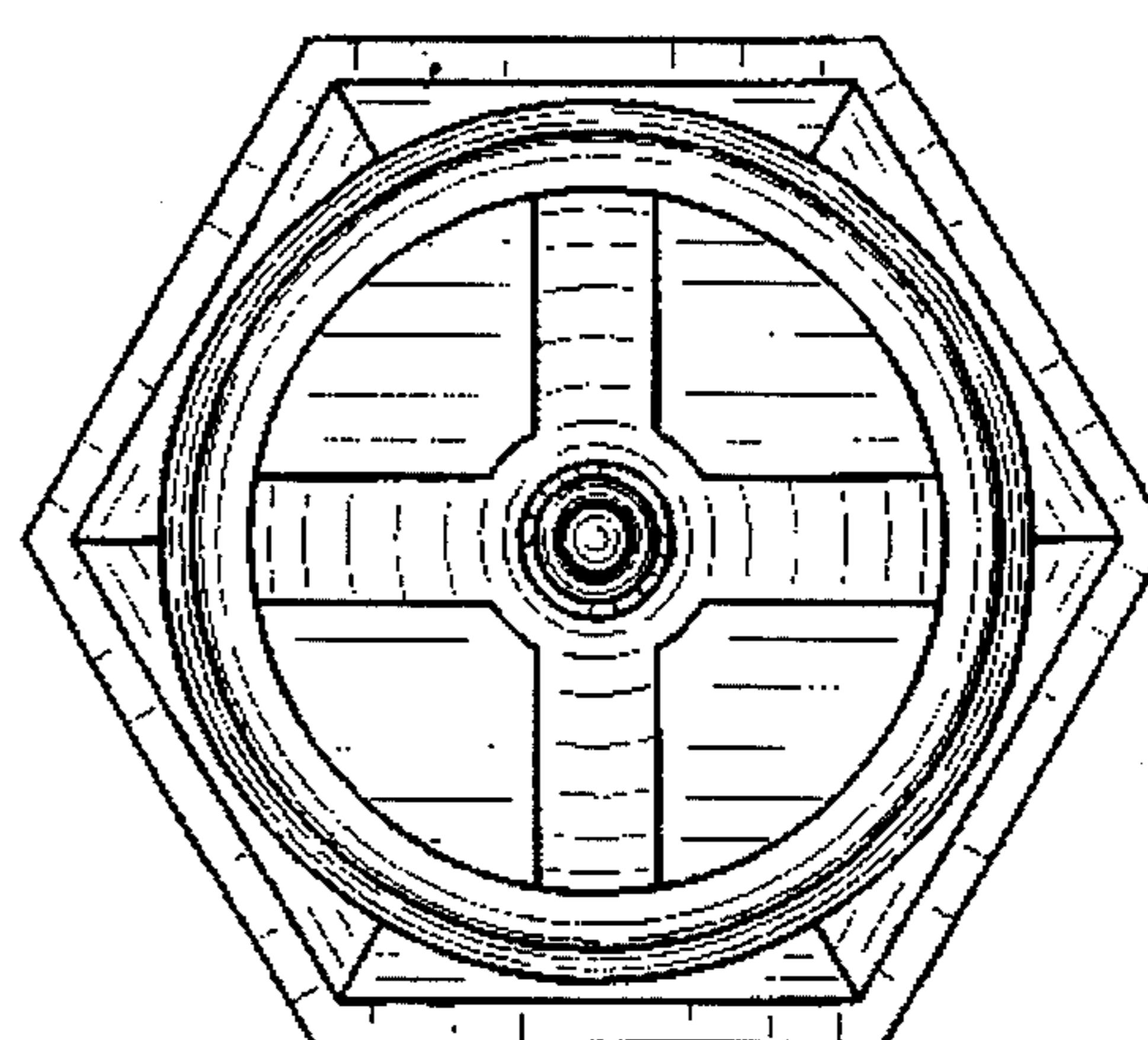


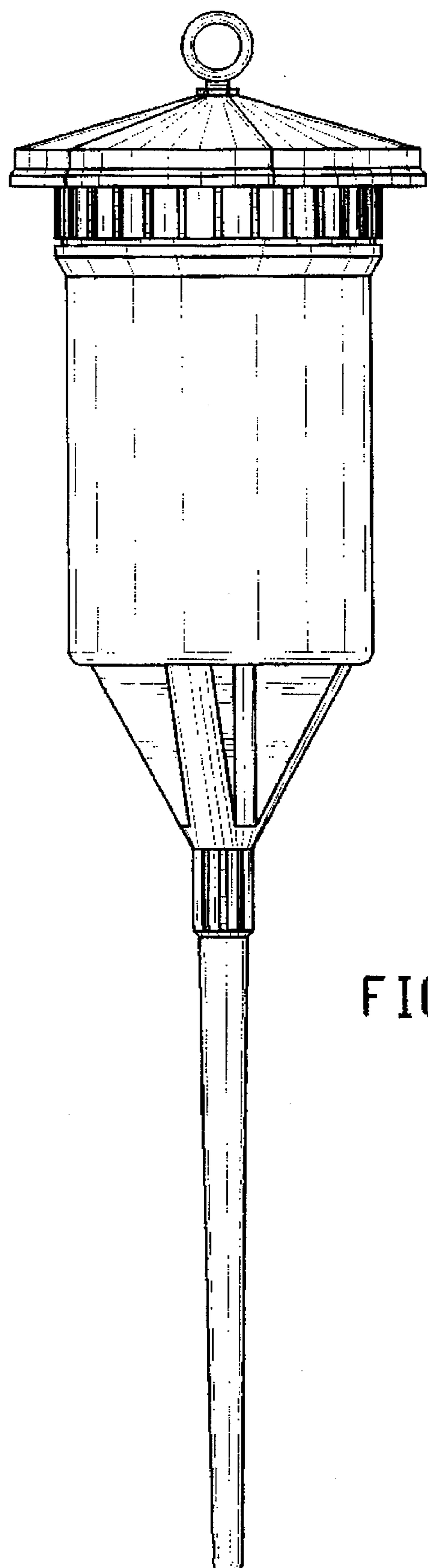
FIG. 5

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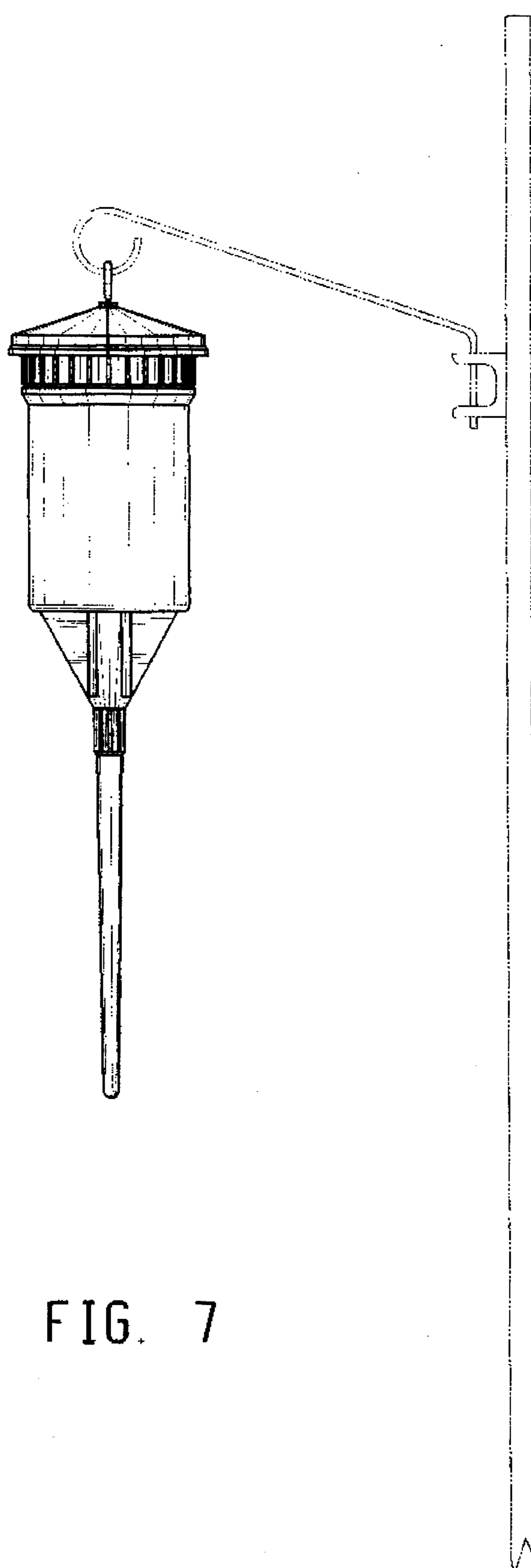
**FIG. 6**

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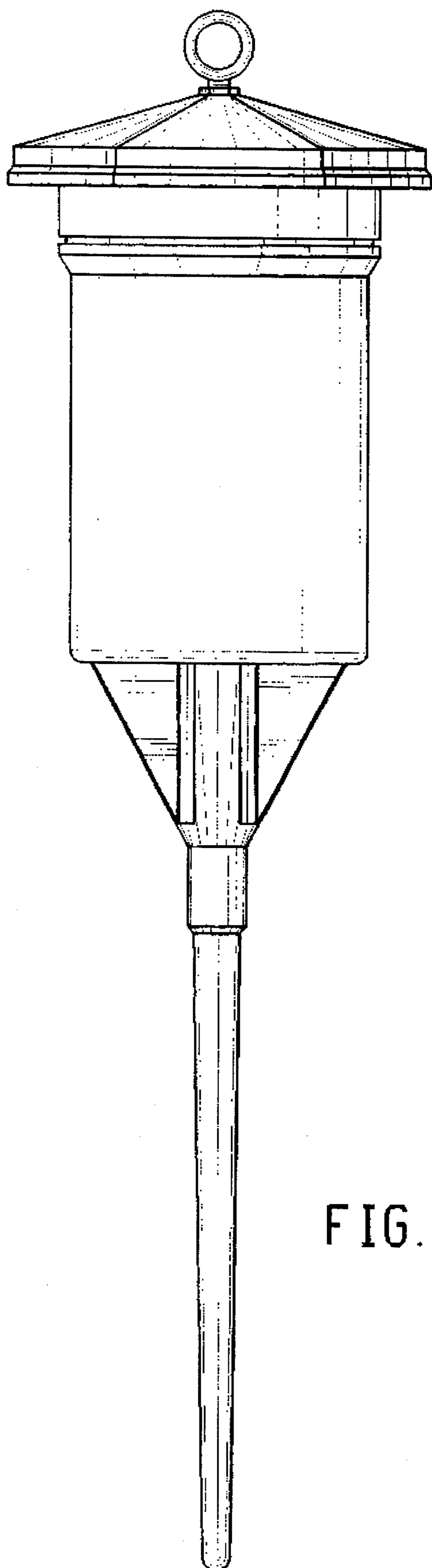
**FIG. 7**

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**FIG. 8**