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[54] **FLEXIBLE FLASHLIGHT**
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[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a flexible flashlight, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

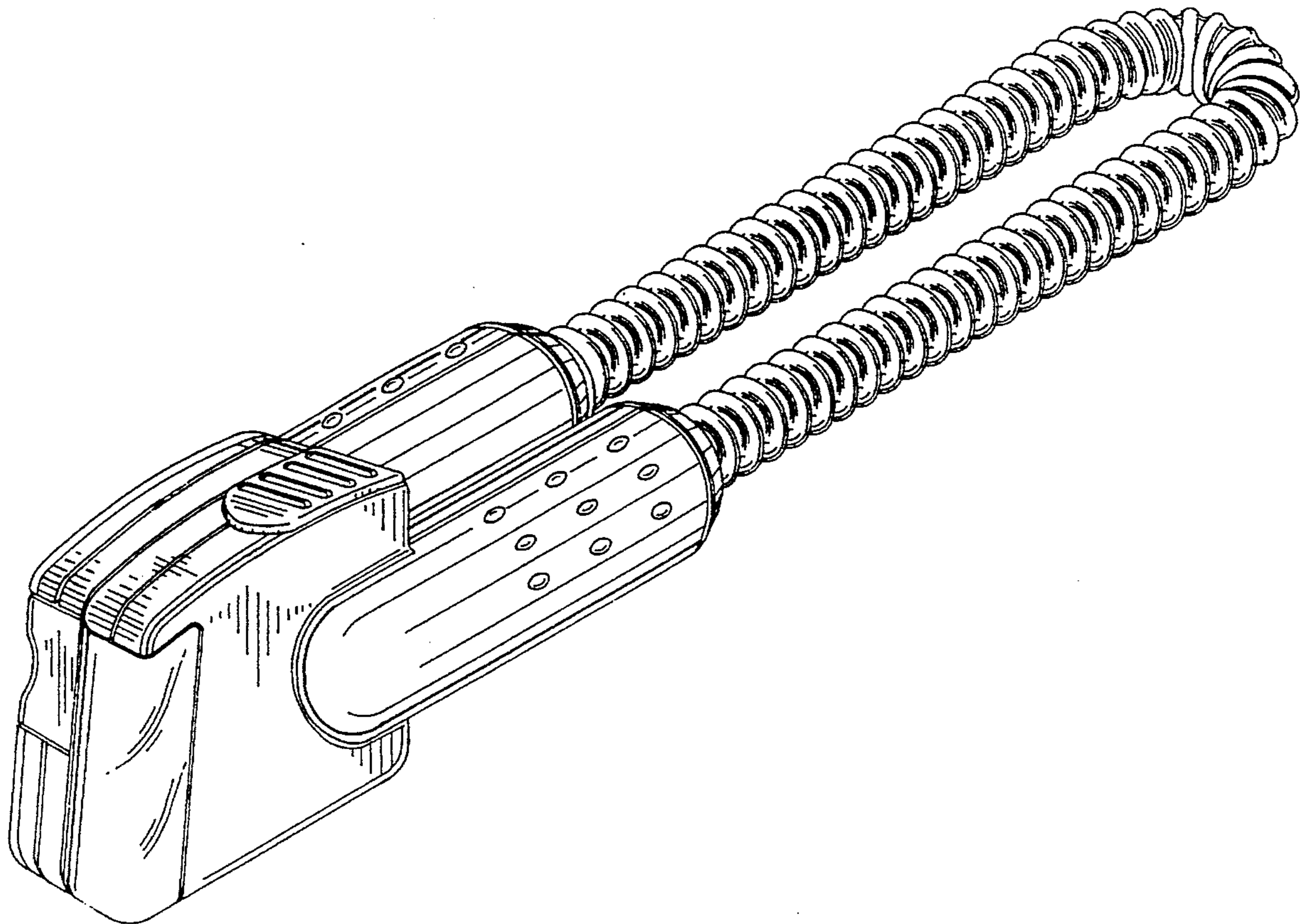
FIG. 1 is a perspective view taken from the front, top and right side of a flexible flashlight showing my new design; FIG. 2 is a left side elevational view thereof; FIG. 3 is a right side elevational view thereof; FIG. 4 is a front elevational view thereof; FIG. 5 is a rear elevational view thereof; FIG. 6 is a top plan view thereof; and, FIG. 7 is a bottom plan view thereof.

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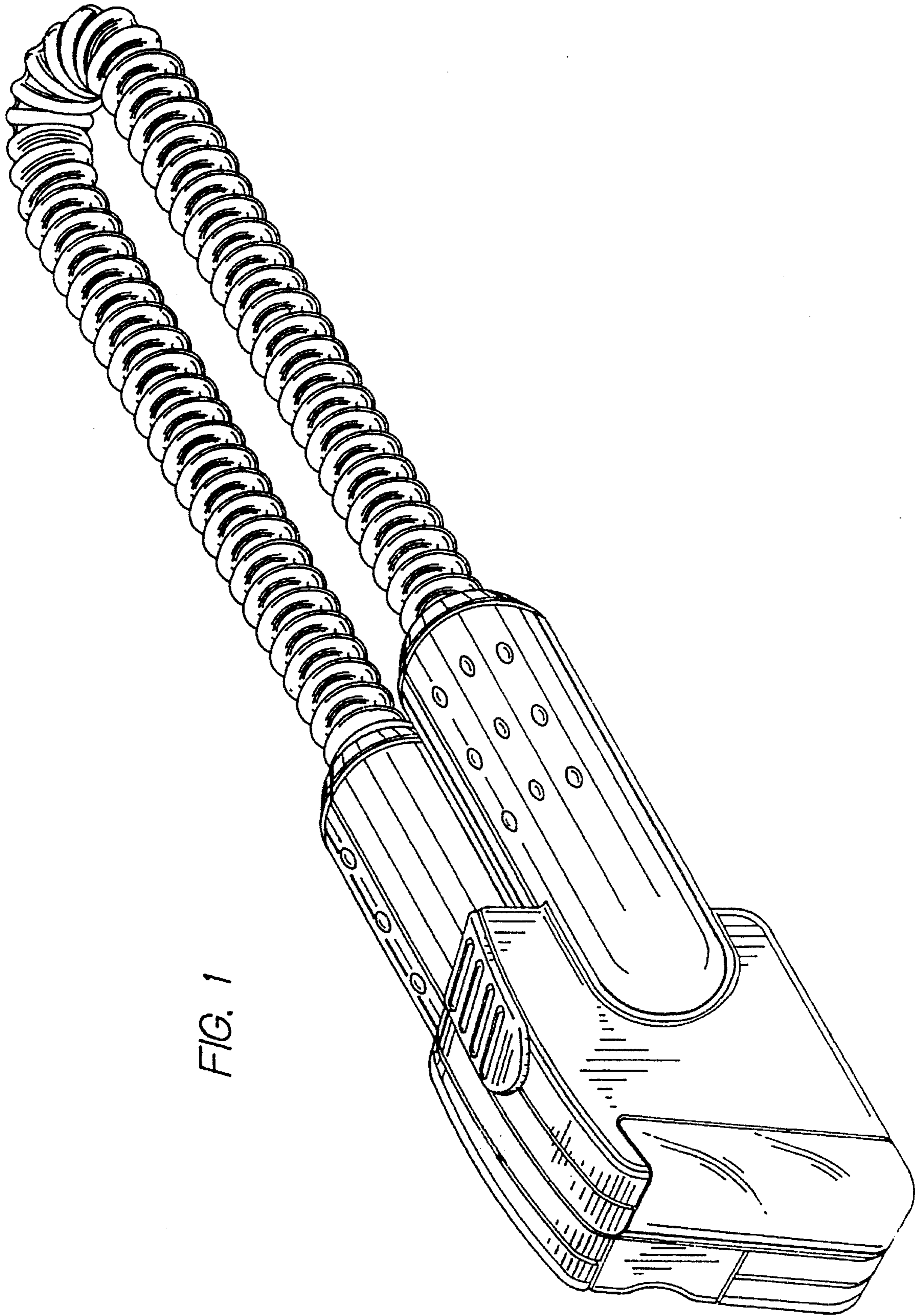


FIG. 1

FIG. 2

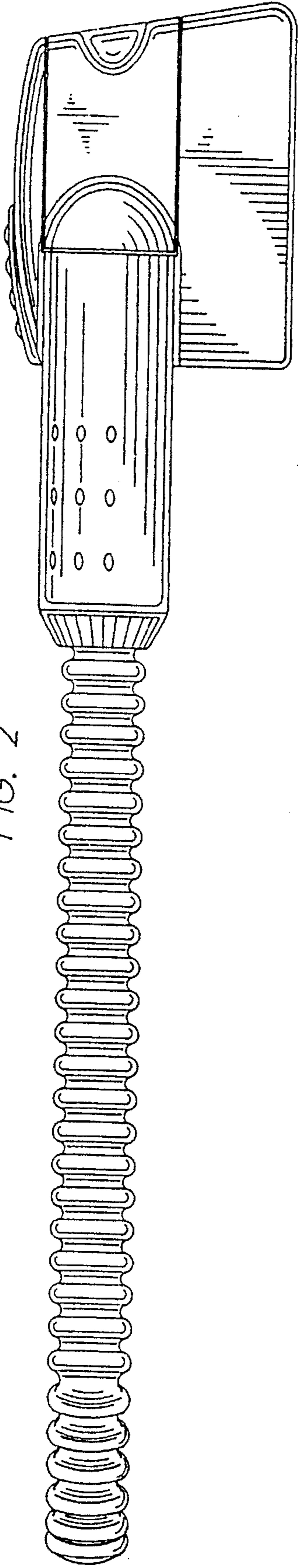


FIG. 5

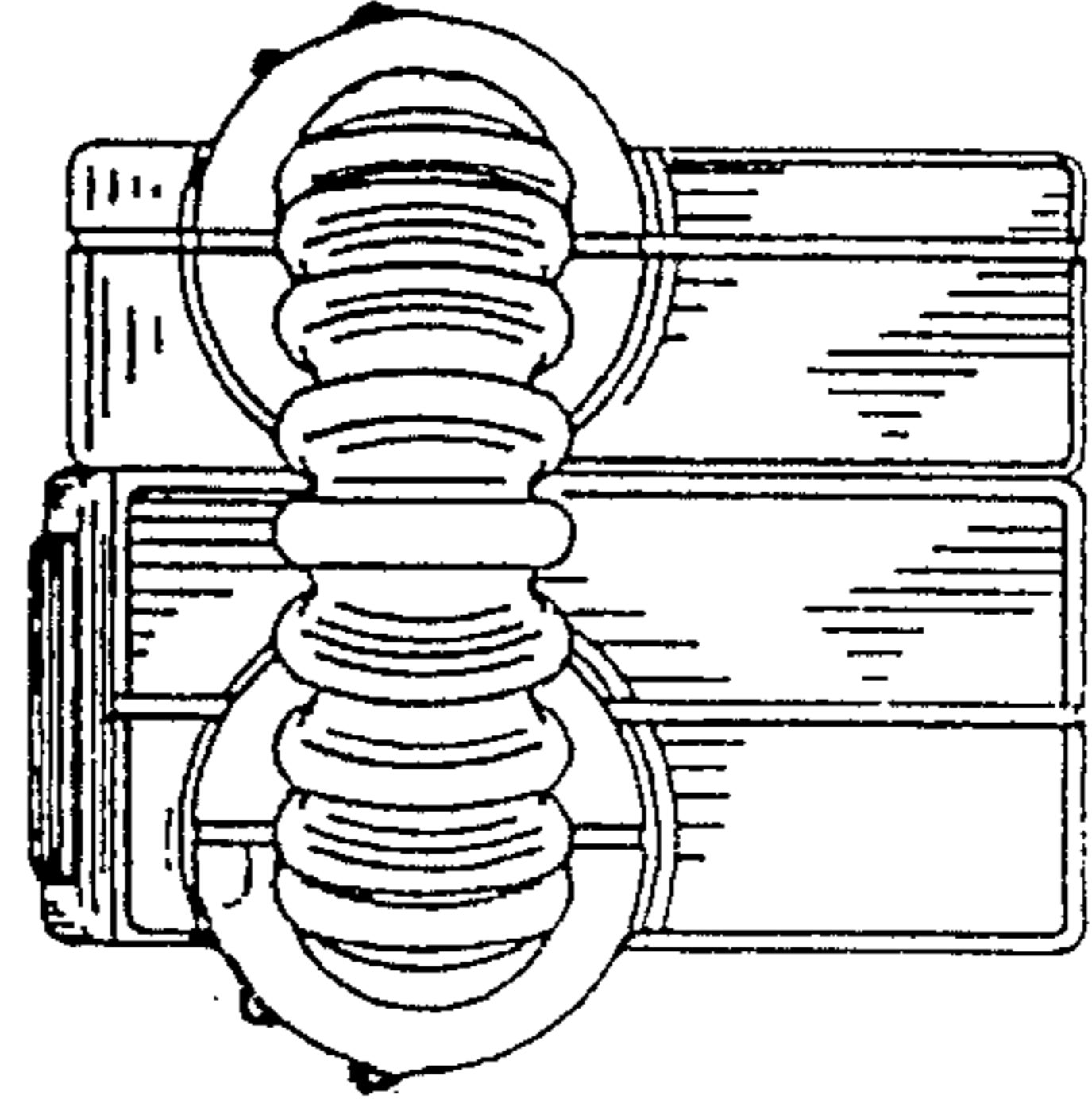


FIG. 4

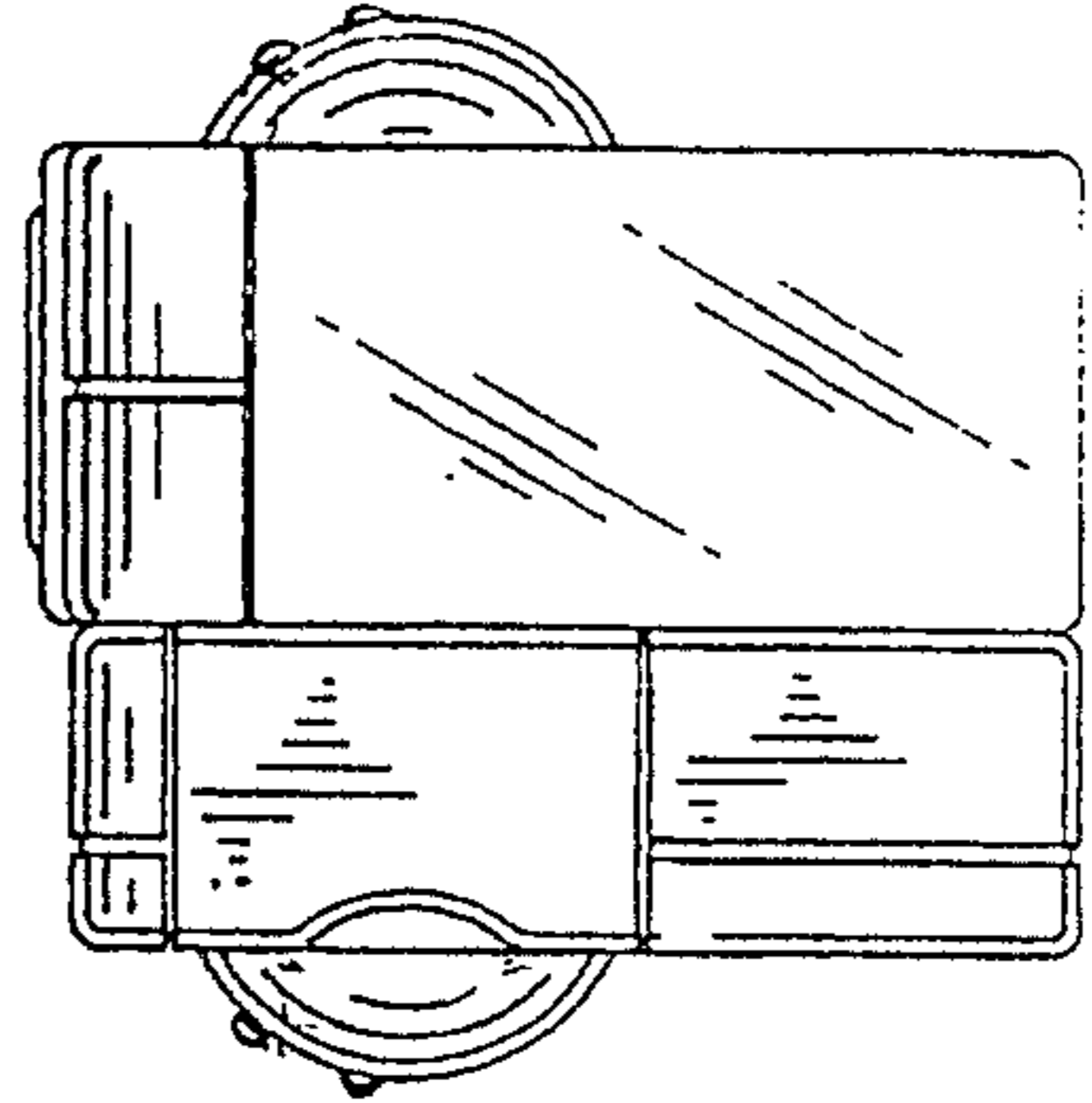
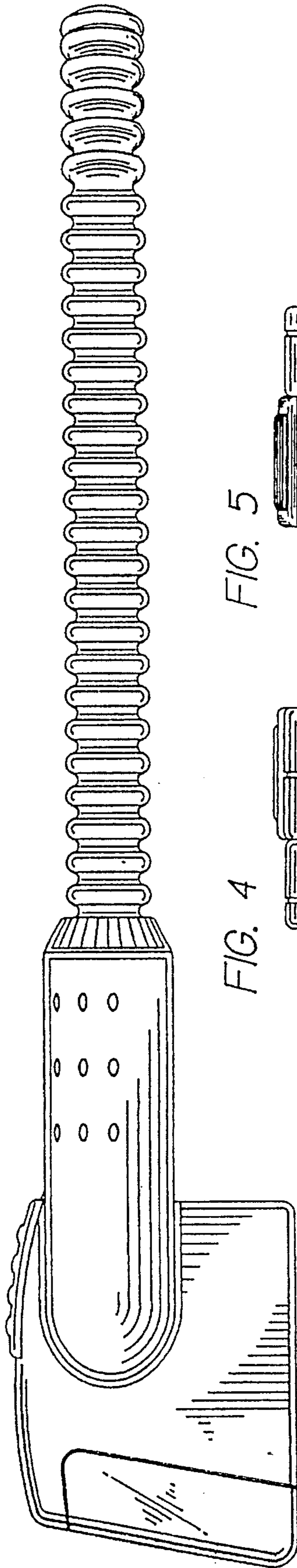


FIG. 3



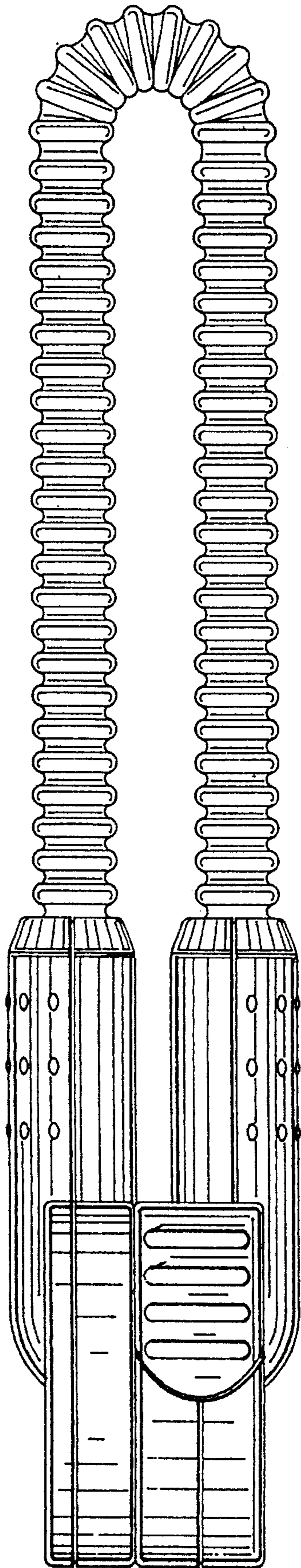


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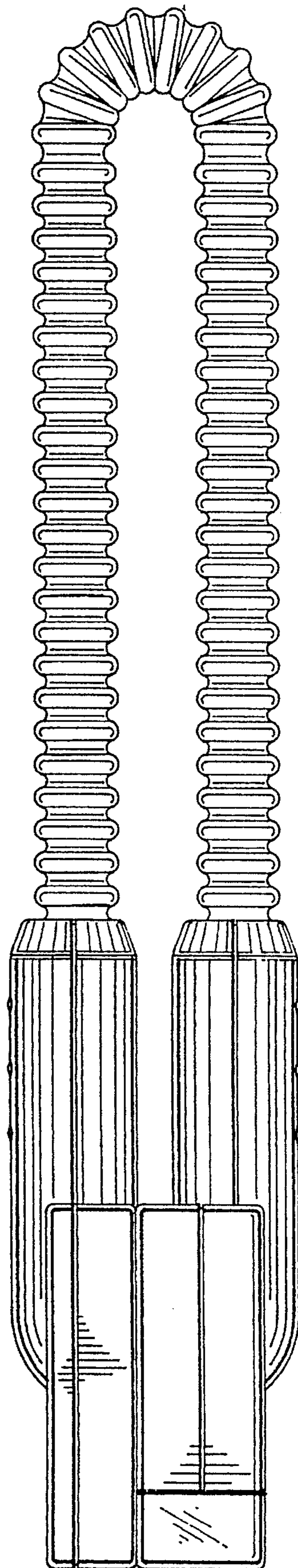


FIG. 7