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[54] **SORTER FOR A COPYING MACHINE**

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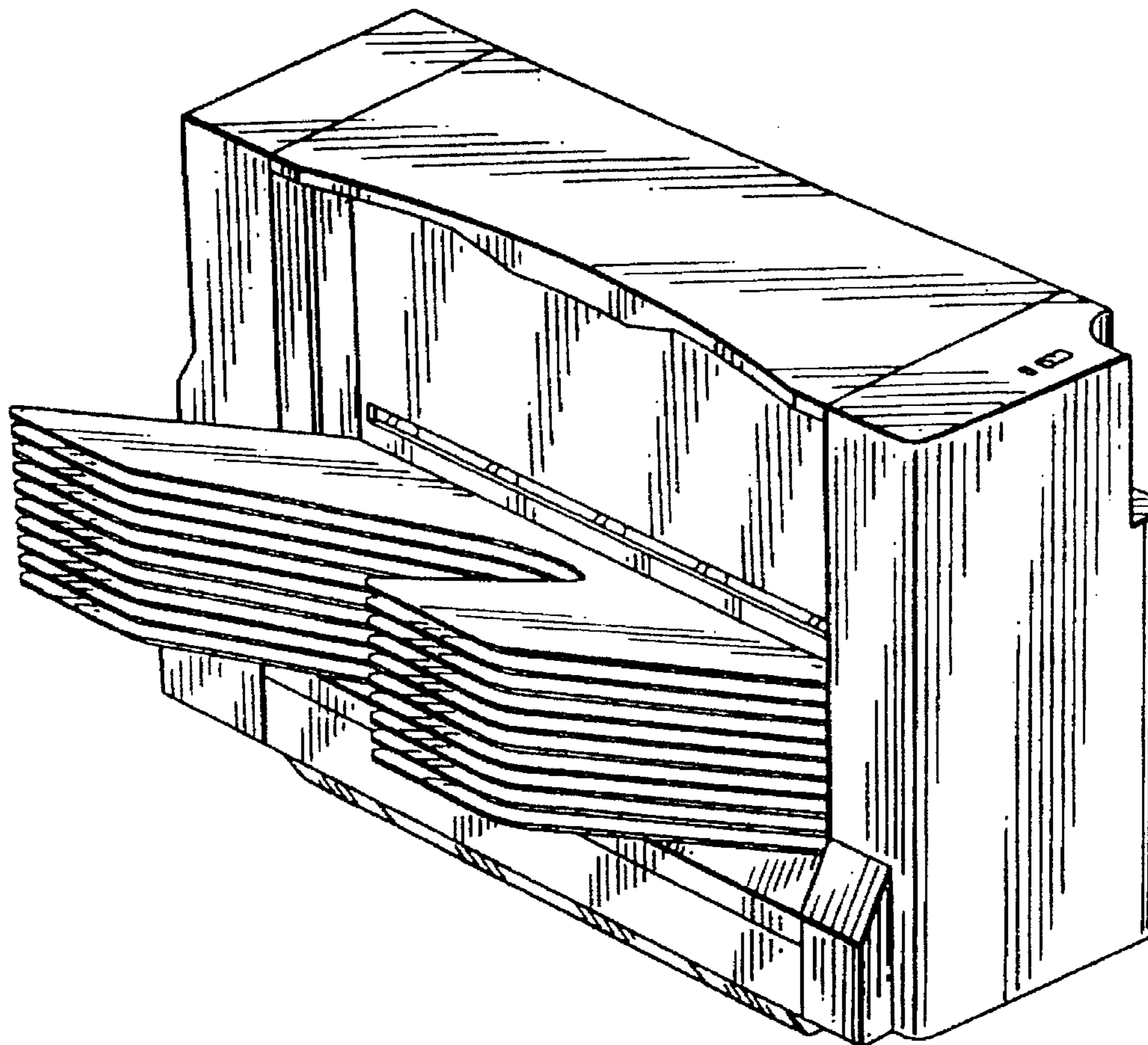
[57] CLAIM

The ornamental design for a sorter for a copying machine, as shown.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front, top and right side perspective view of a sorter for a copying machine, showing our new design; FIG. 2 is a front elevational view thereof; FIG. 3 is a top plan view thereof; FIG. 4 is a right side elevational view thereof; FIG. 5 is a left side elevational view thereof; FIG. 6 is a rear elevational view thereof; and, FIG. 7 is a bottom plan view thereof.

1 Claim, 2 Drawing Sheets



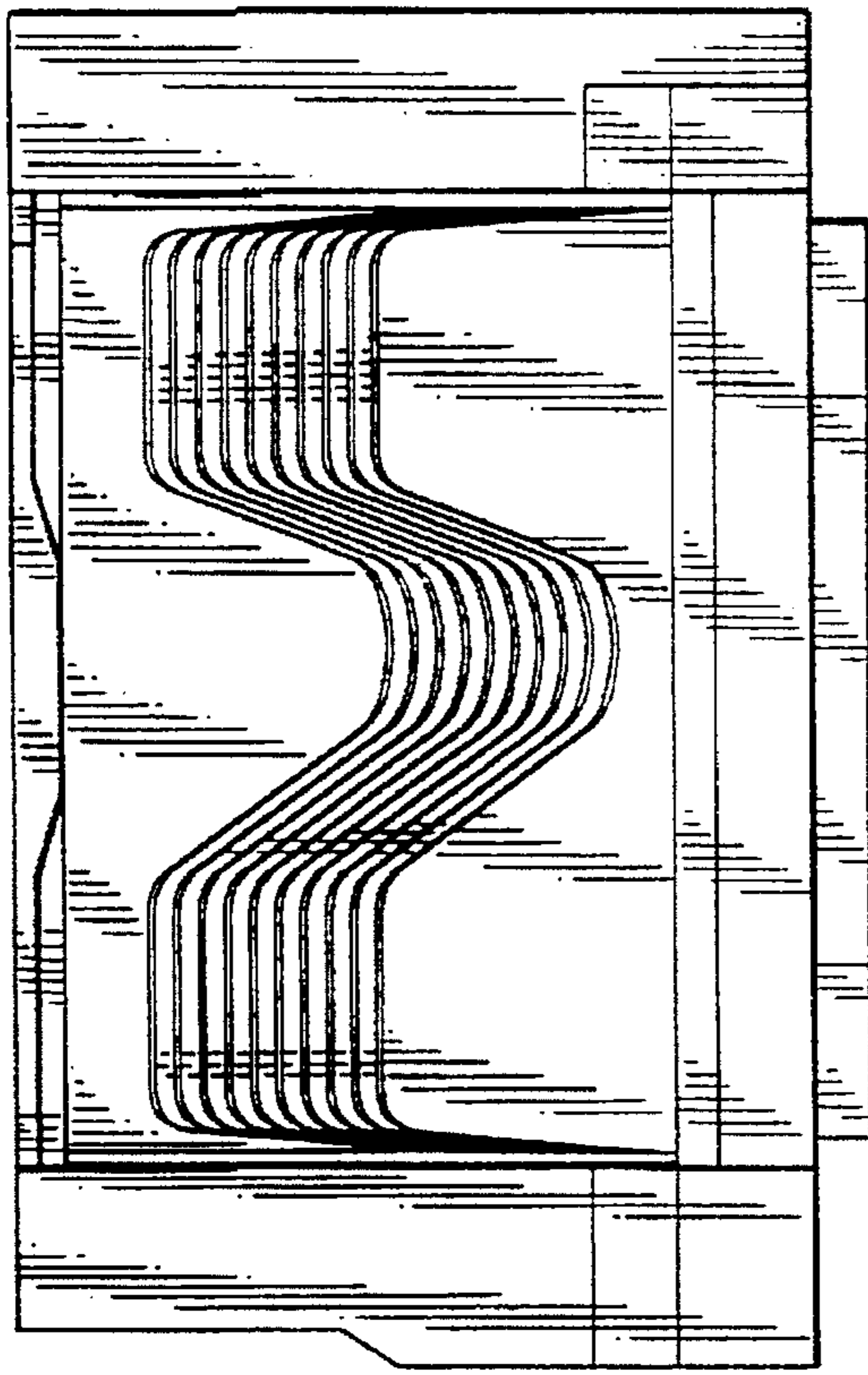


FIG. 2

FIG. 1

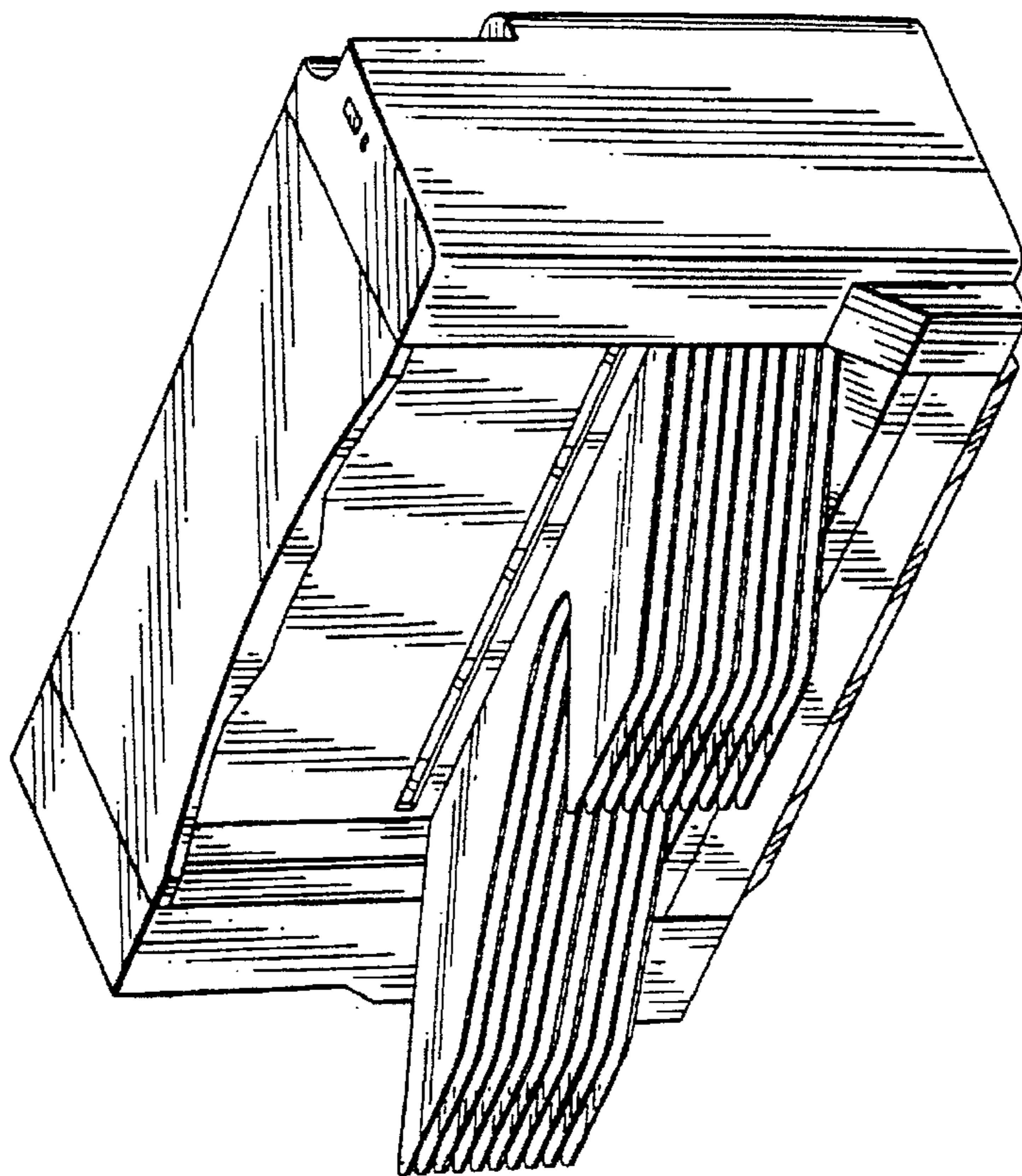
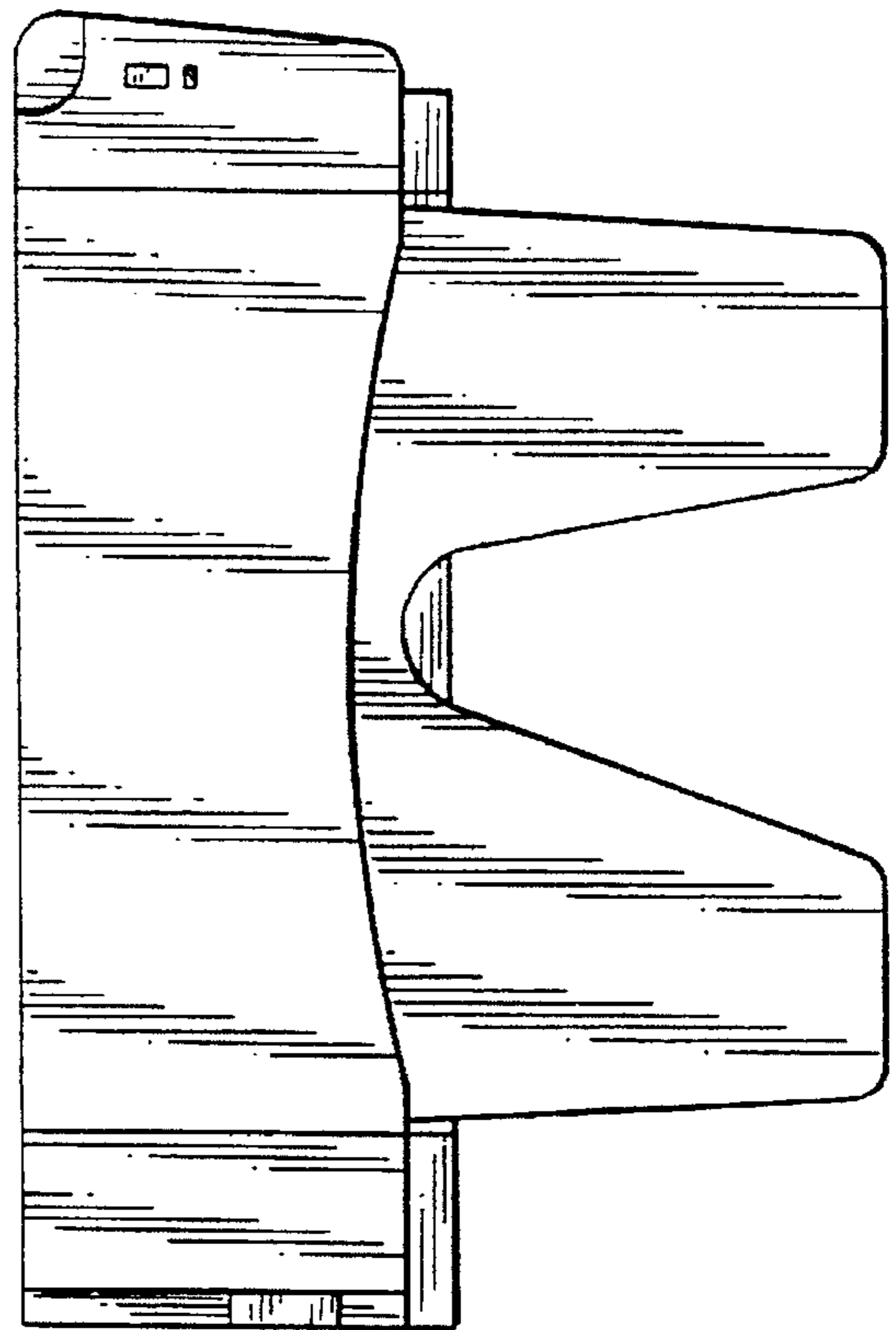


FIG. 3



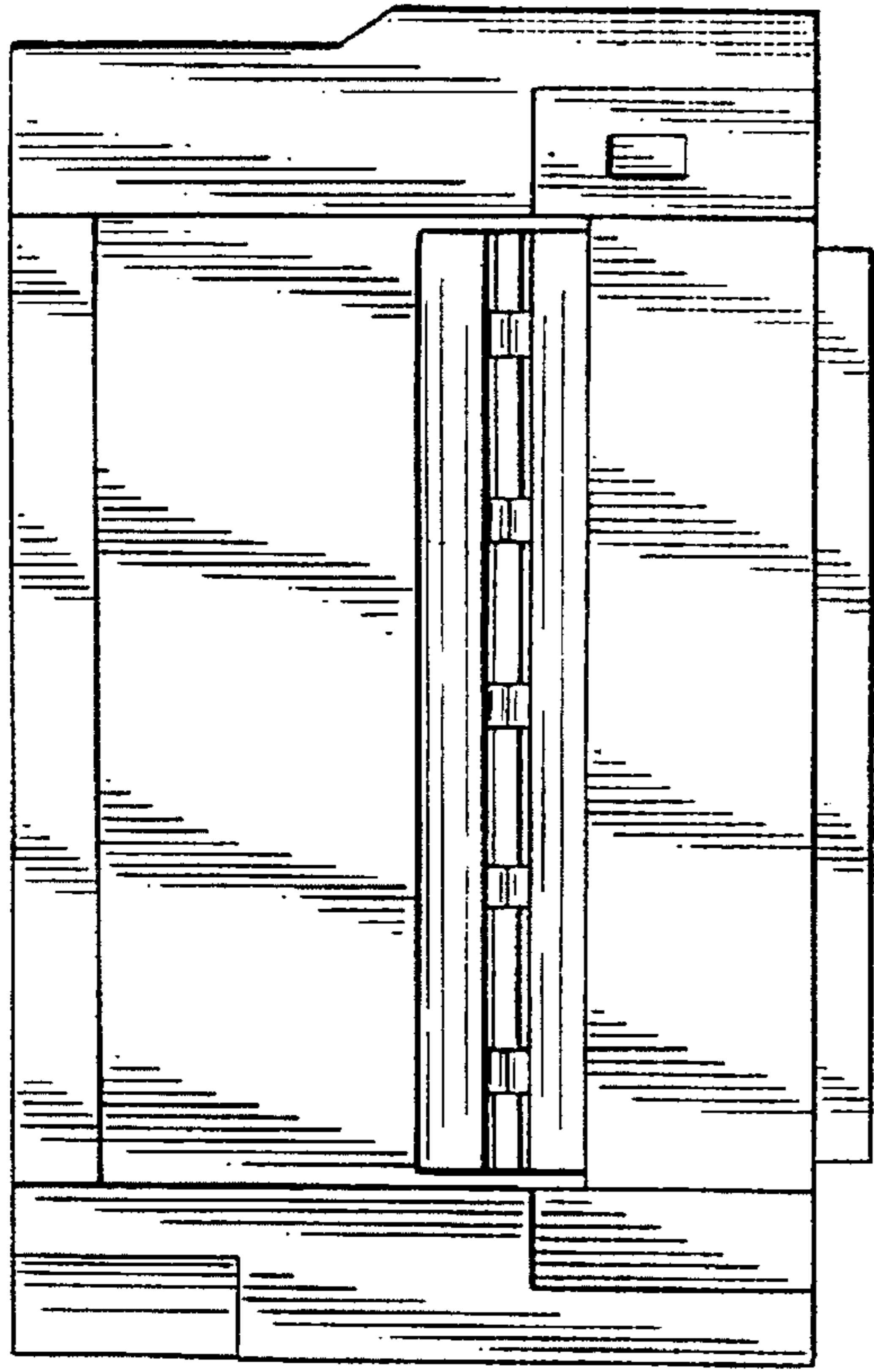


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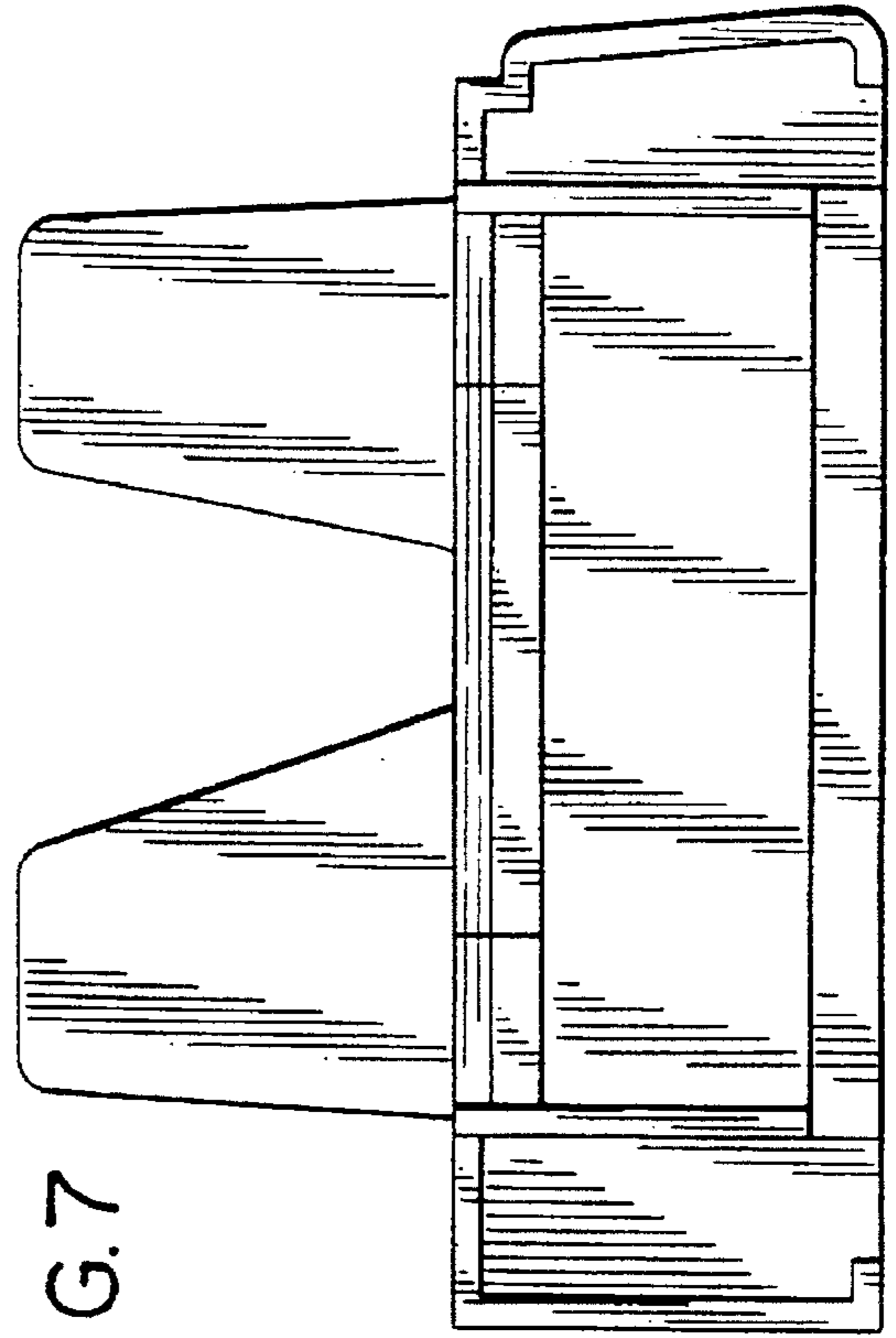


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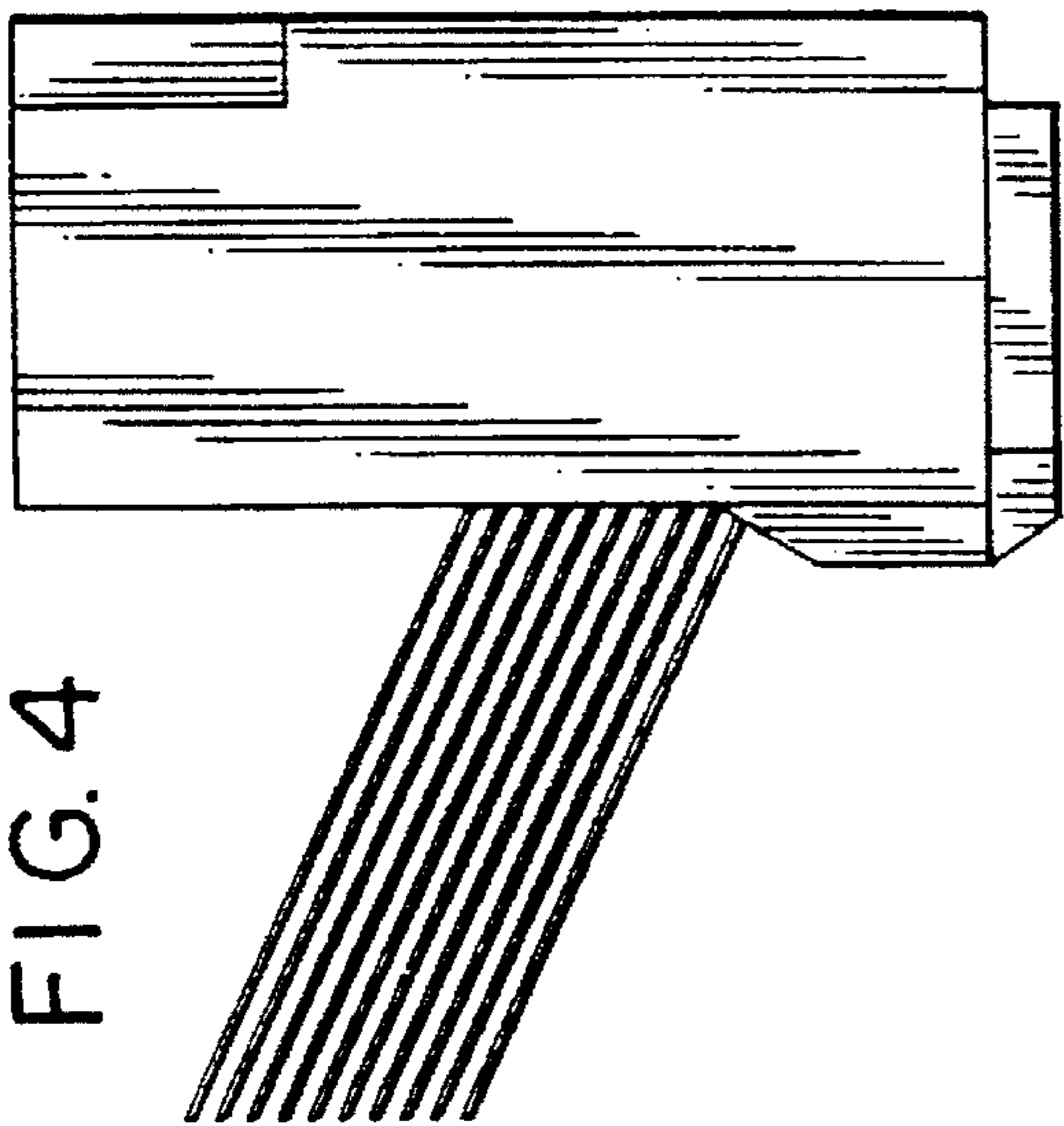


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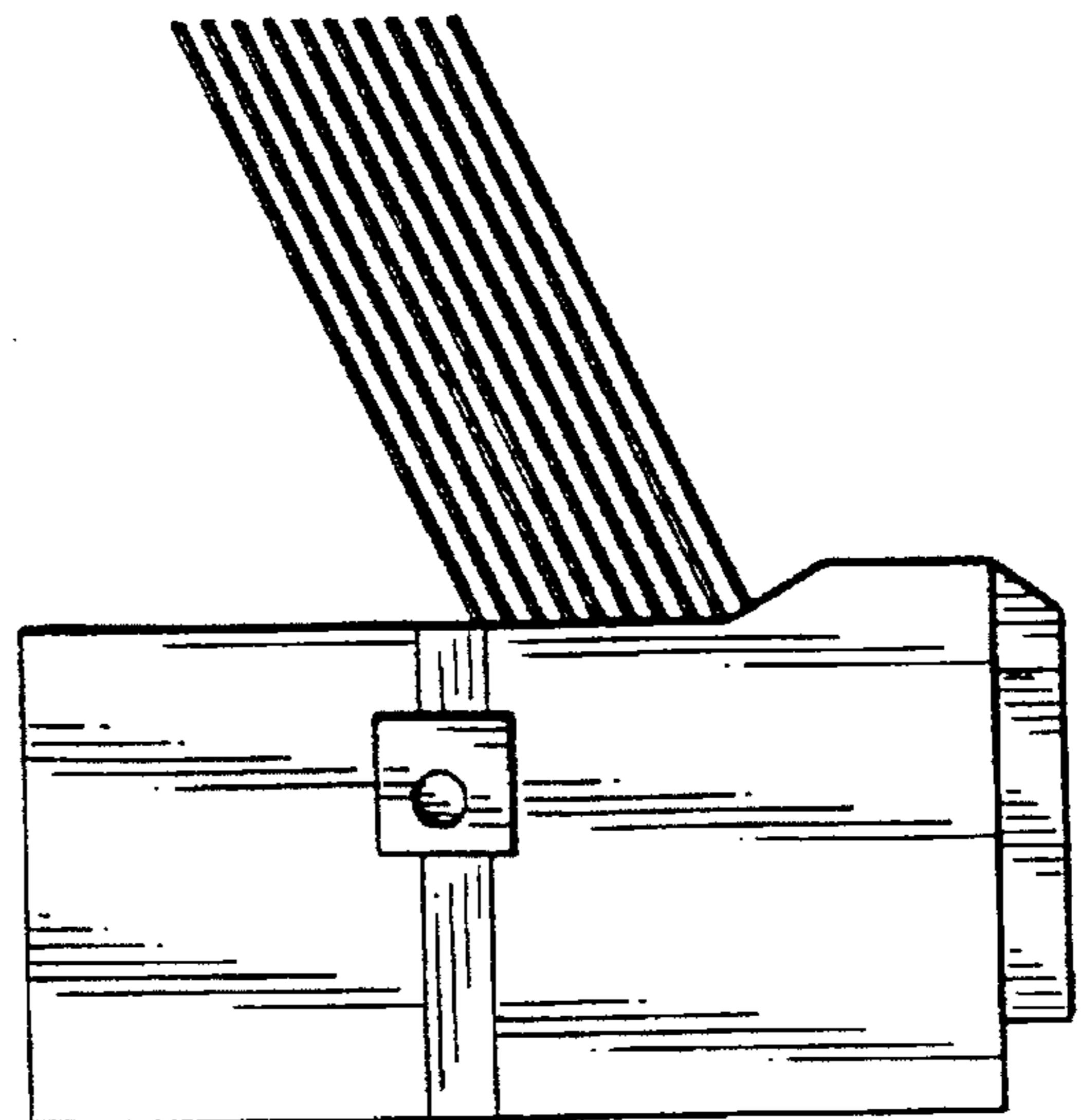


FIG. 5

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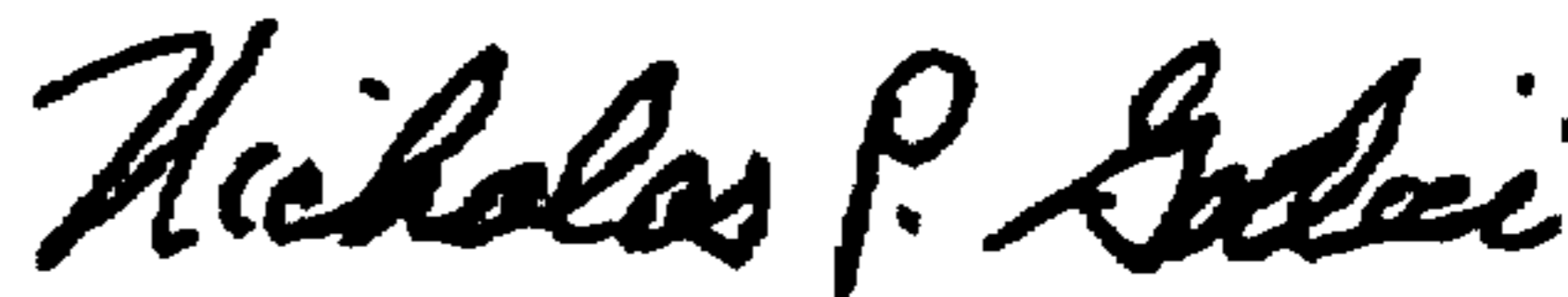
It is certified that an error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the title page, Item [73], the Assignee information is incorrectly listed.
Item [73] should read as follows:

--- [73] Assignees: **Kabushiki Kaisha Toshiba**, Kawasaki-shi;
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