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[54] **HEEL WEDGE DESIGN FOR A SKATE**

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[57] **CLAIM**

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The ornamental design for a heel wedge design for a skate,  
as shown and described.

[\*\*] Term: **14 Years**

**DESCRIPTION**

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FIG. 1 is a front elevational view of a skate showing a new  
ornamental design for the heel wedge design for a skate;

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FIG. 2 is a back elevational view thereof;

[51] LOC (6) Cl. .... **21-02**

FIG. 3 is a top plan view thereof;

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FIG. 4 is a bottom plan view thereof;

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11.22, 11.27, 809, 811; 36/88, 89, 115,  
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FIG. 5 is a left side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 6 is a right side elevational view thereof;

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FIG. 7 is a left side elevational view thereof;

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FIG. 8 is a front elevational view thereof;

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FIG. 9 is a front elevational view of a skate showing use in  
association with an inline skate;

FIG. 10 is a back elevational view thereof;

FIG. 11 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 12 is a bottom plan view thereof; and,

FIG. 13 is a left side elevational view thereof.

**OTHER PUBLICATIONS**

The broken line showing of the ice skate and boot in FIGS.  
1-6, the ice skate, boot and lacing in FIGS. 7 and 8 and the  
inline skate and boot in FIGS. 9-13 is for illustrative  
purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design.

Picture from Sport Maska's (obligated assignee of the  
present invention) catalog showing skate having heel wedge,  
design has been around since as early as 1993.

**1 Claim, 3 Drawing Sheets**

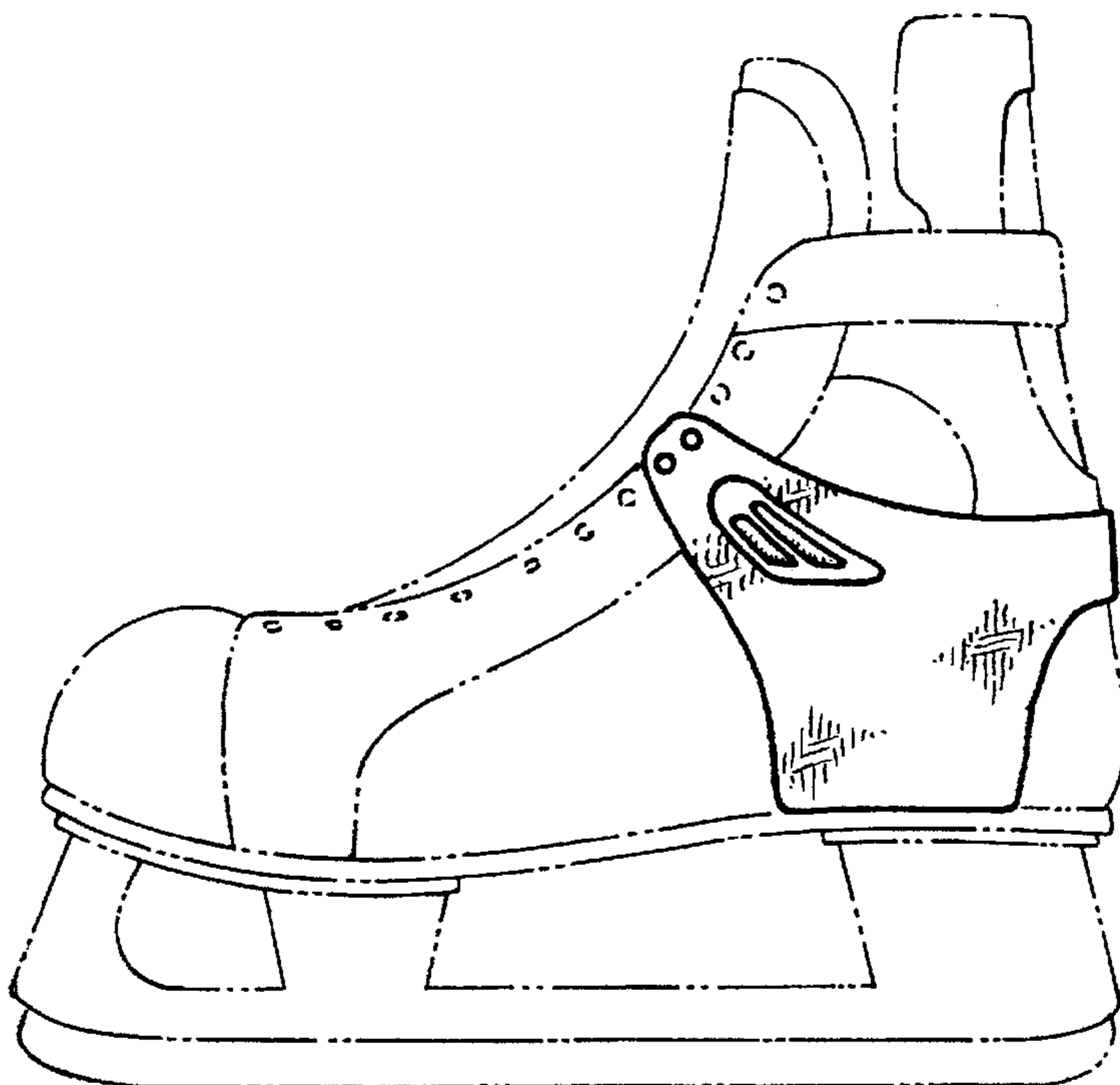


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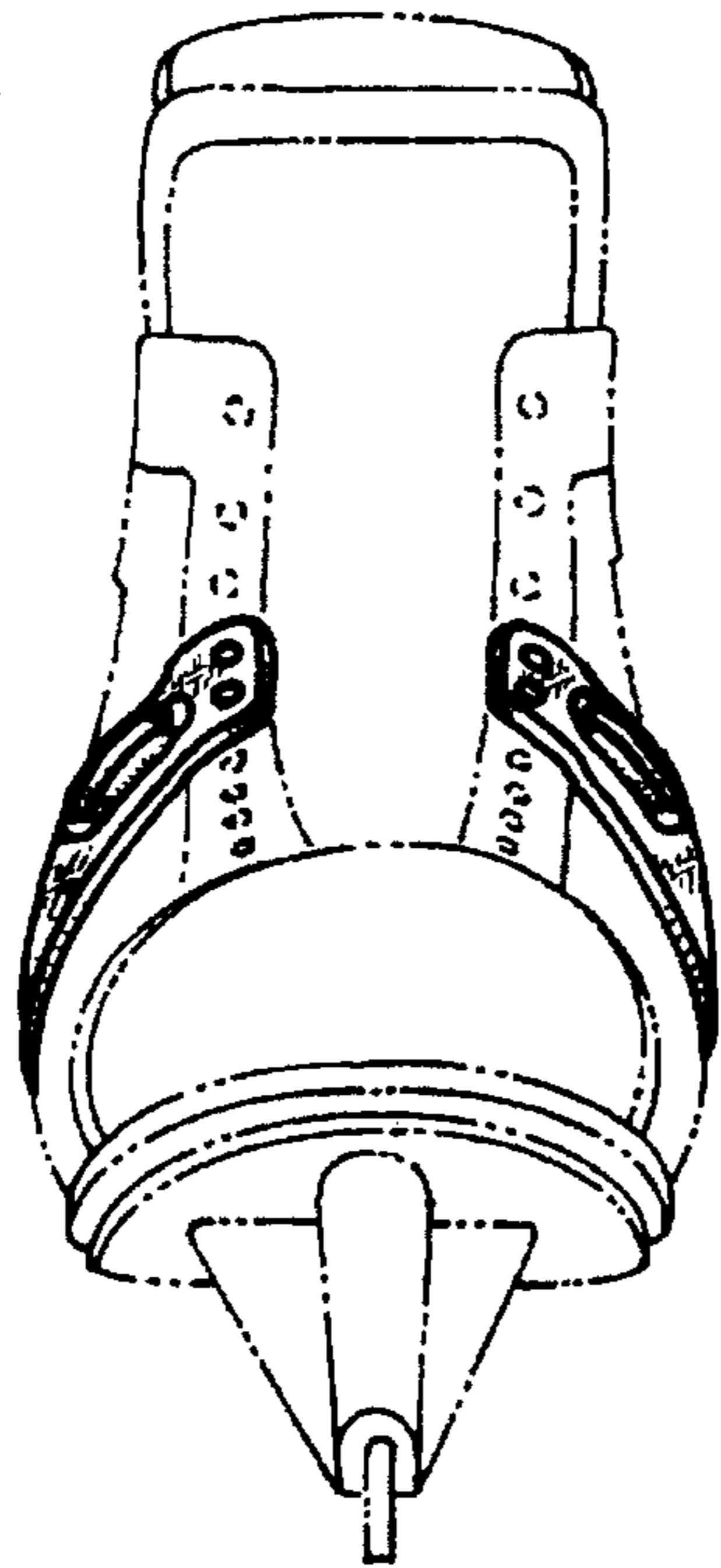


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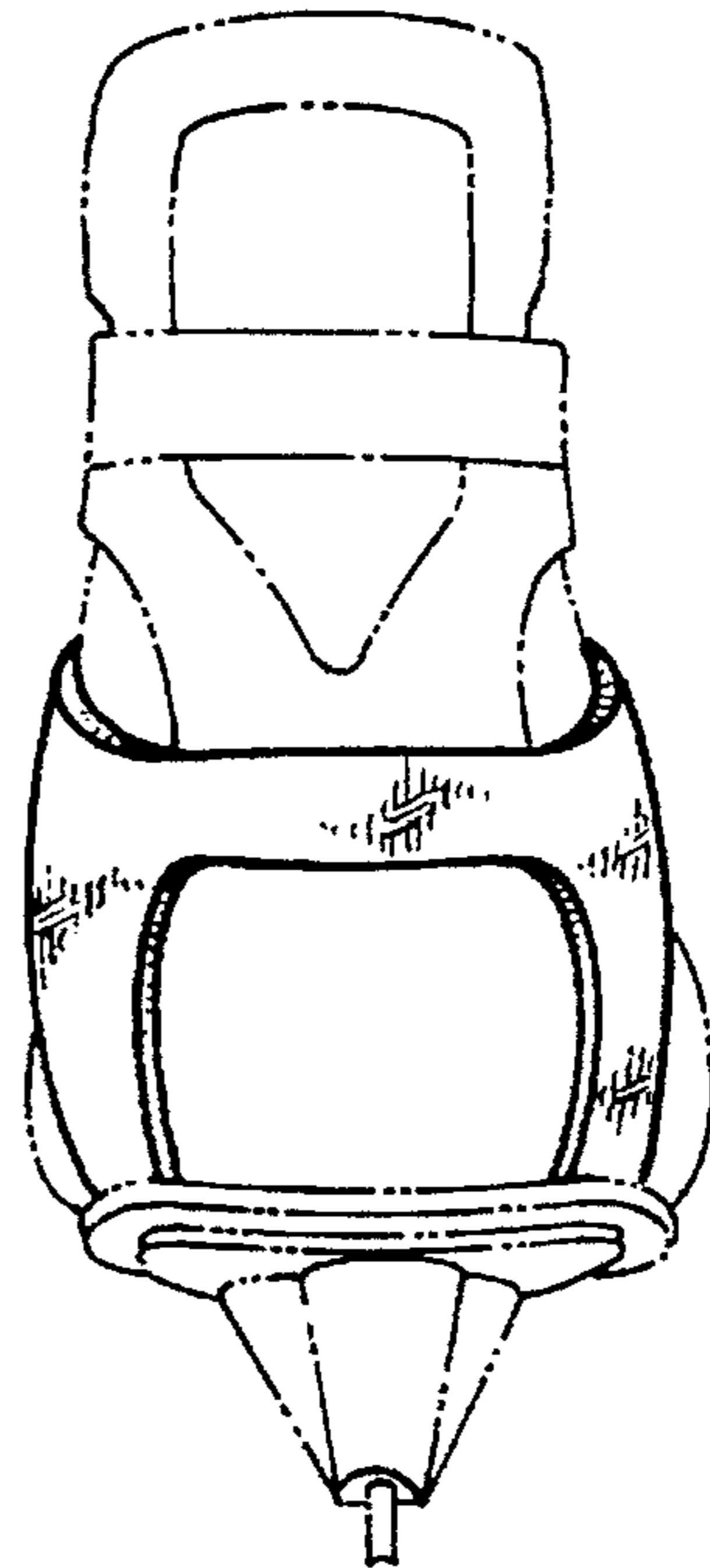


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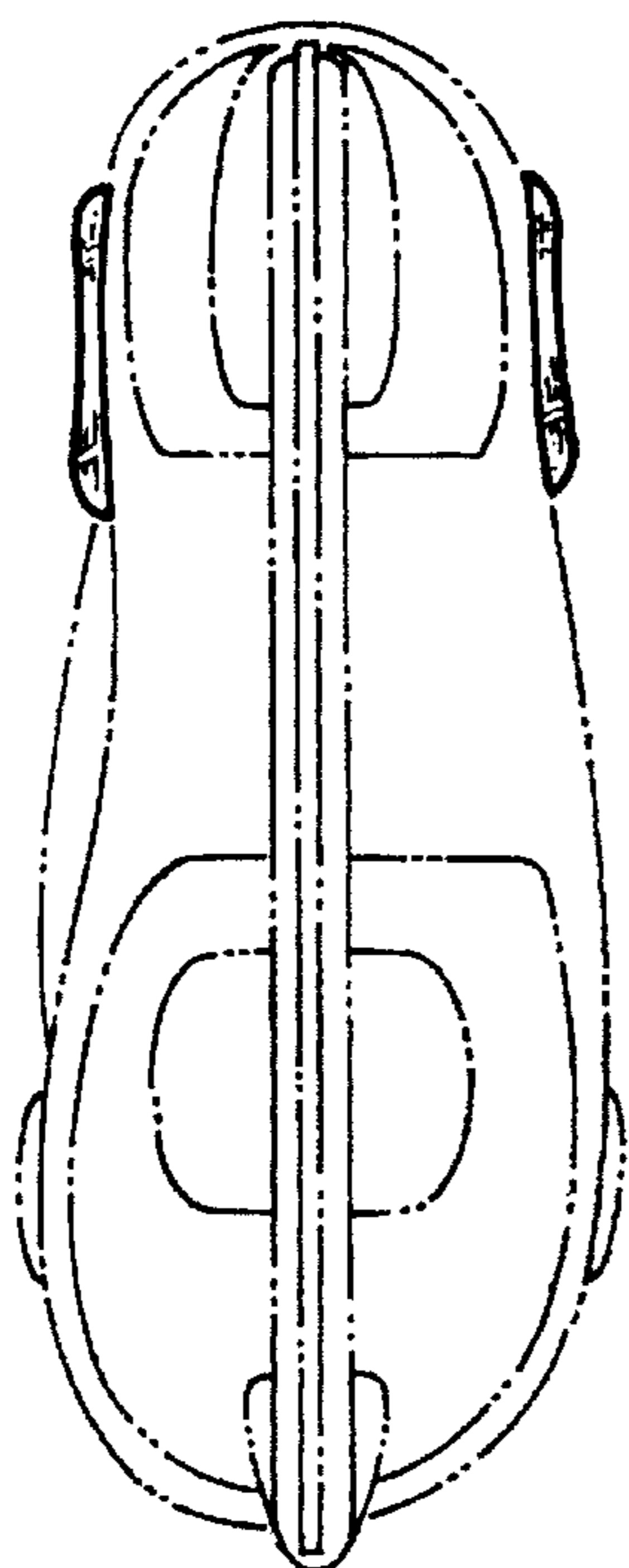


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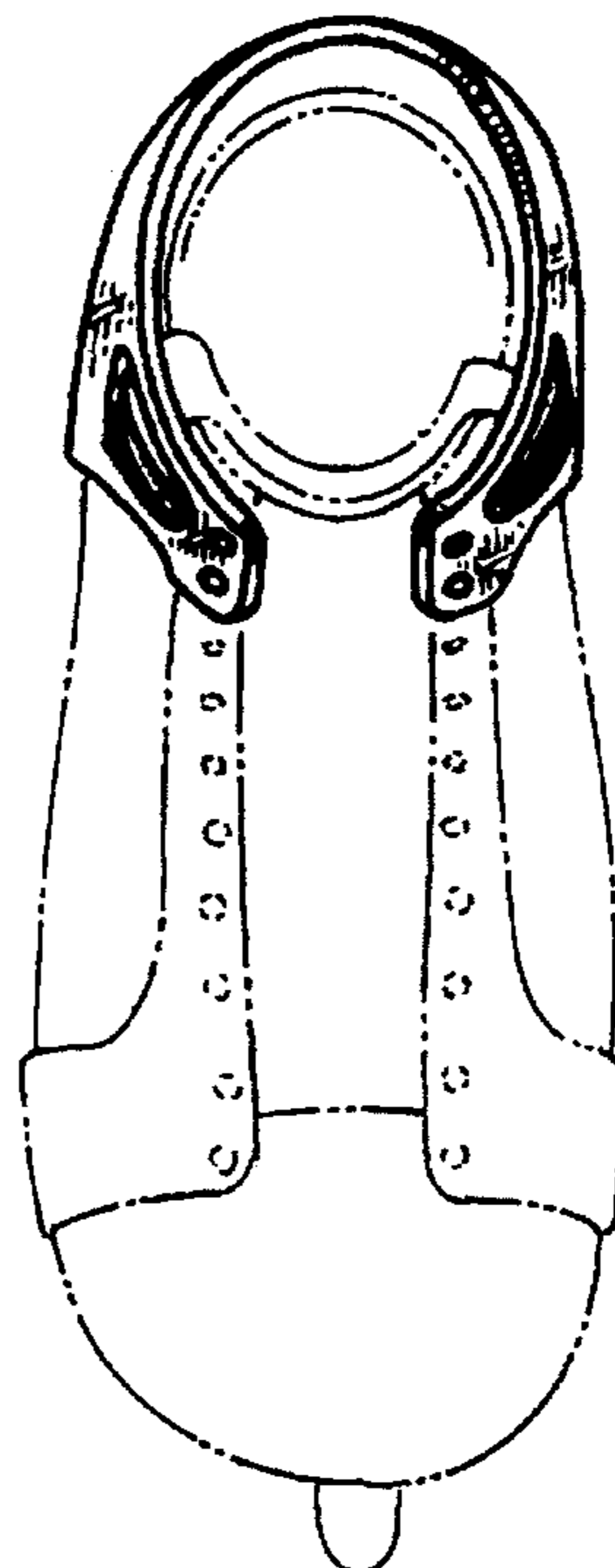


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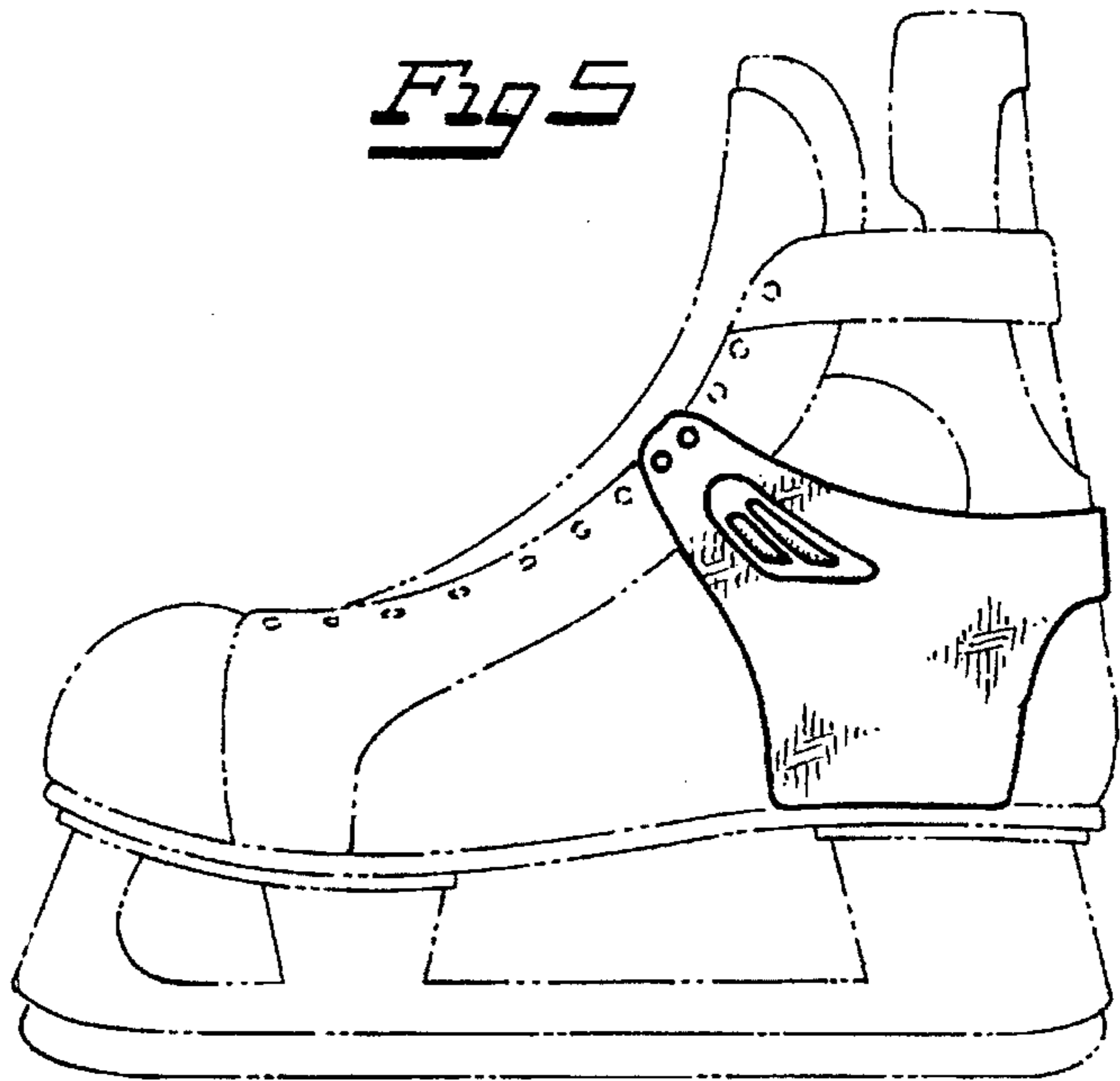


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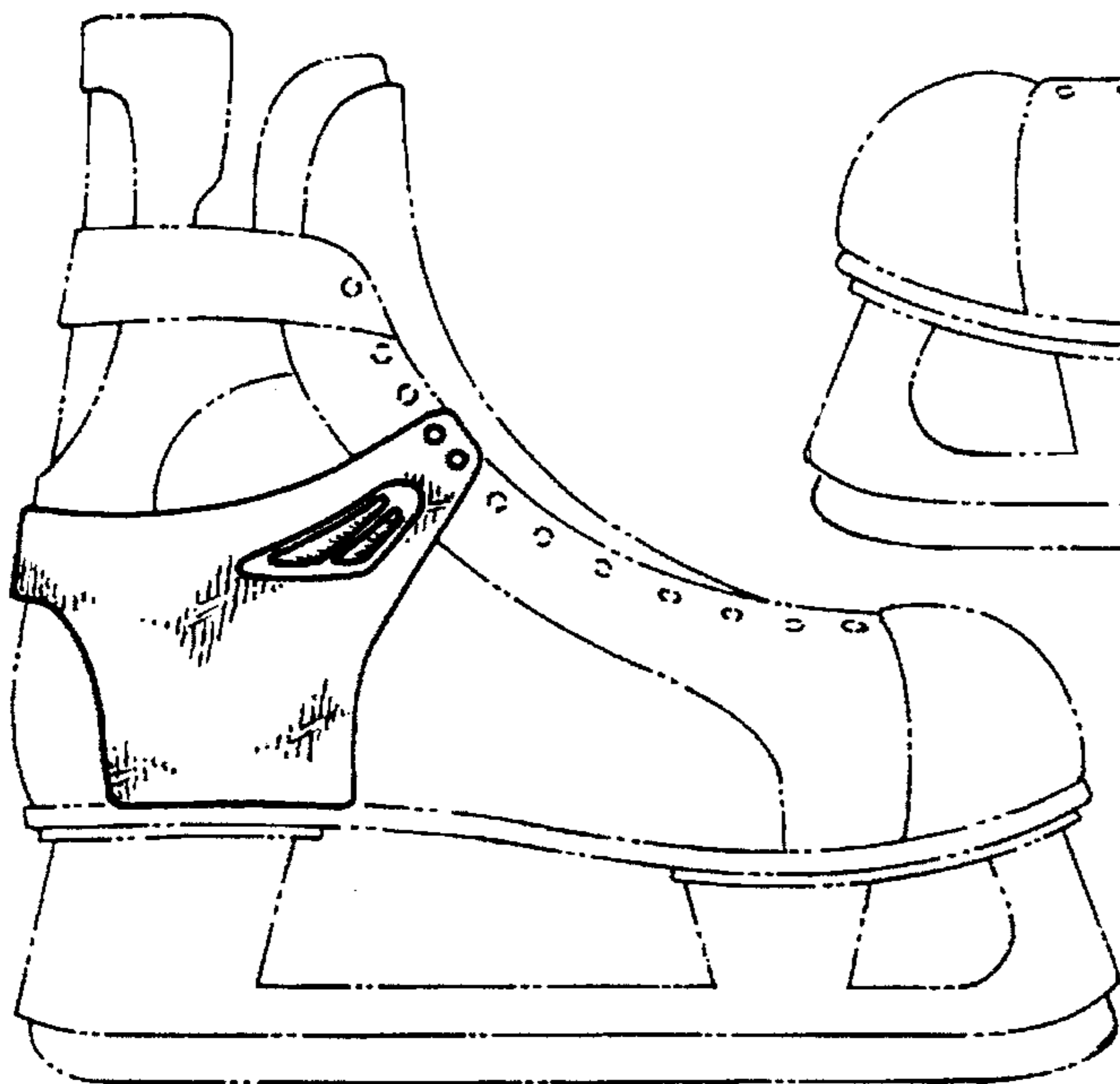


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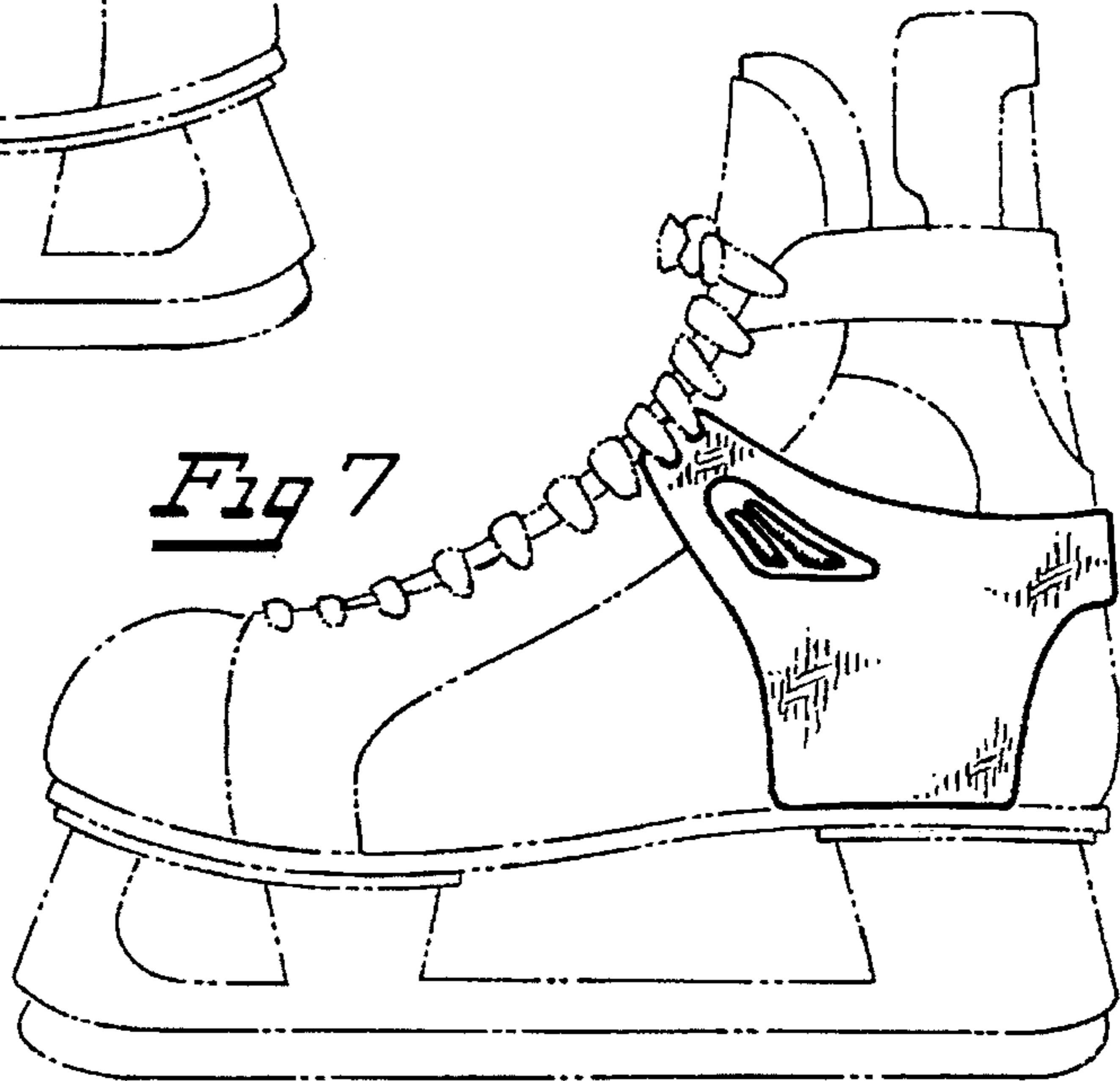


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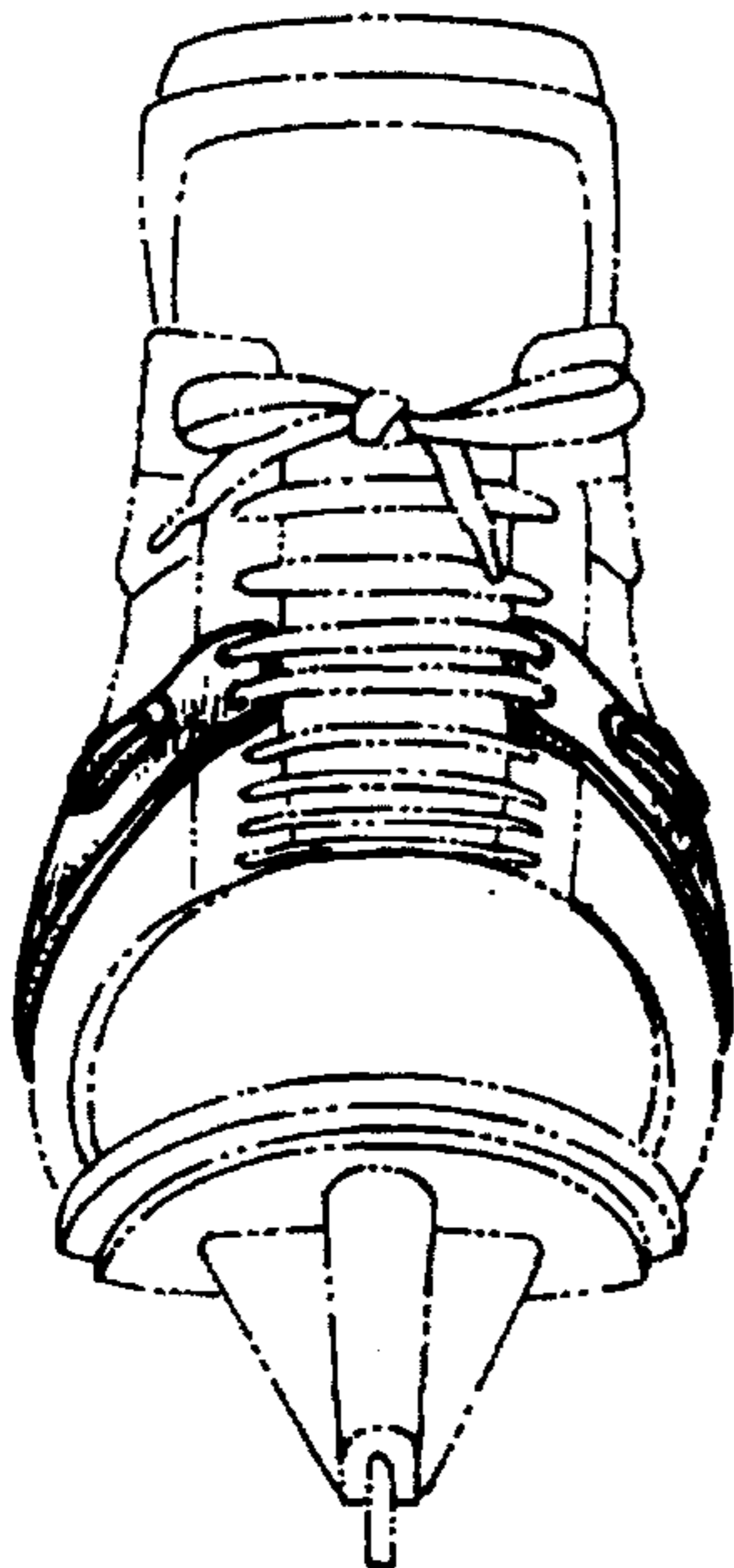


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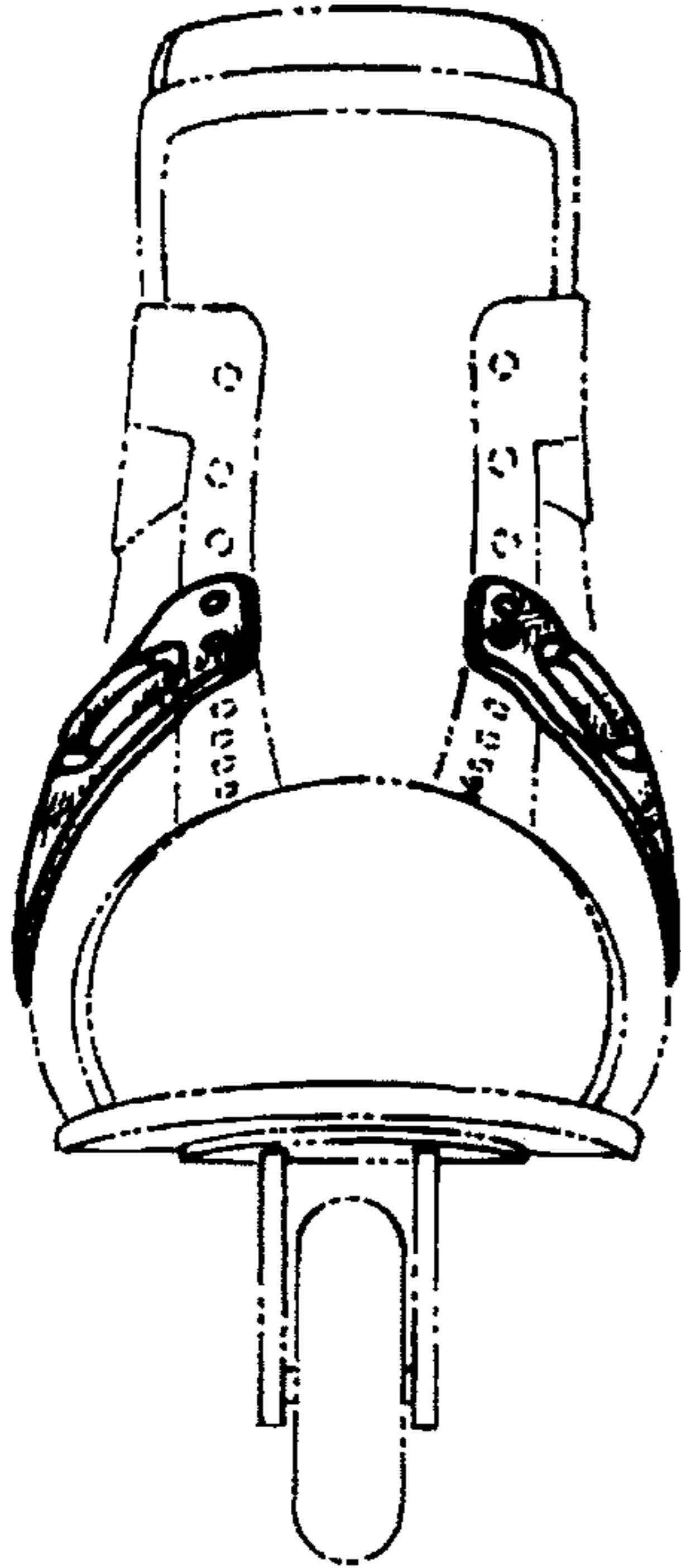


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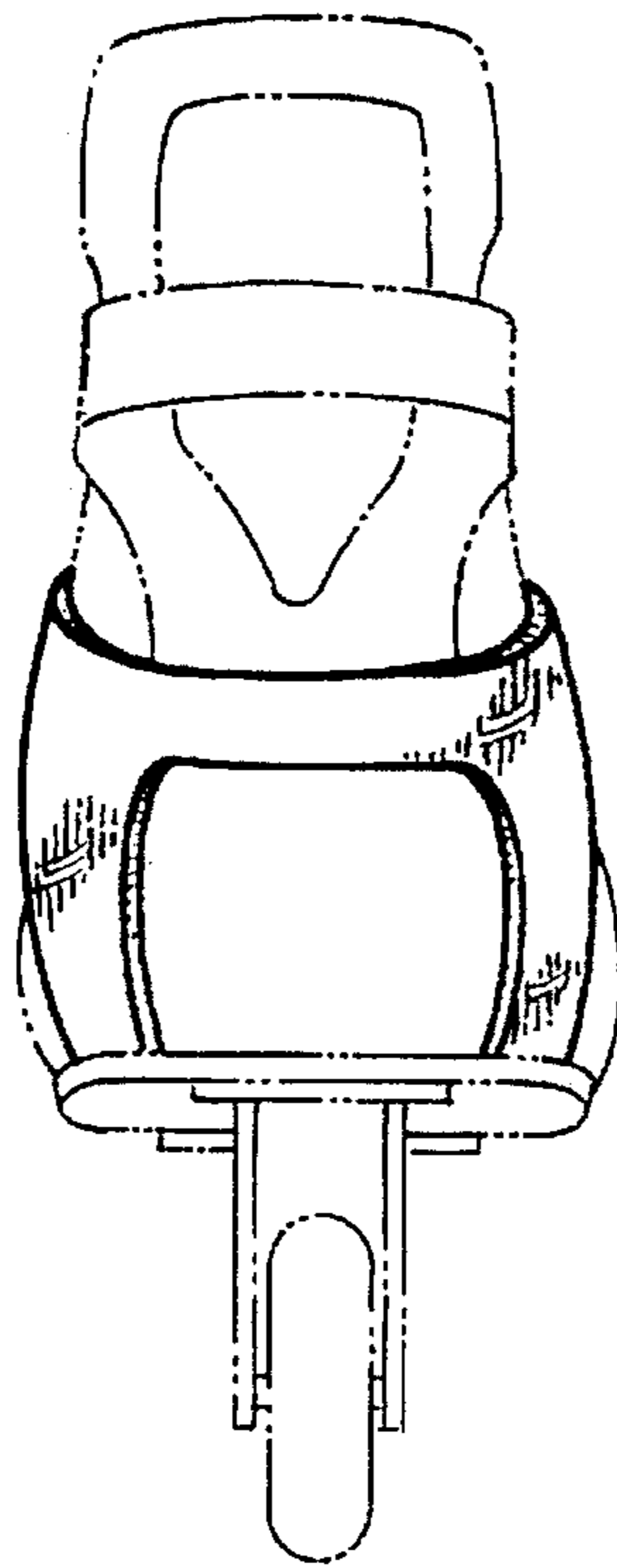


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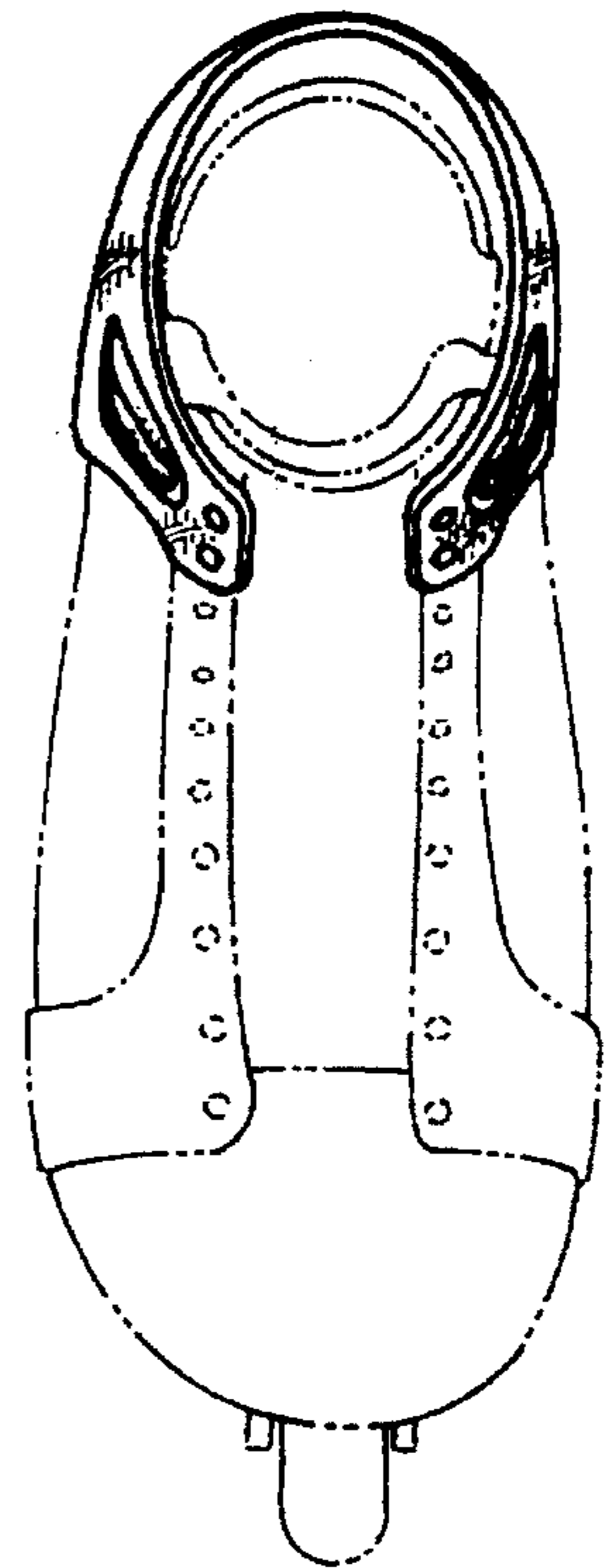


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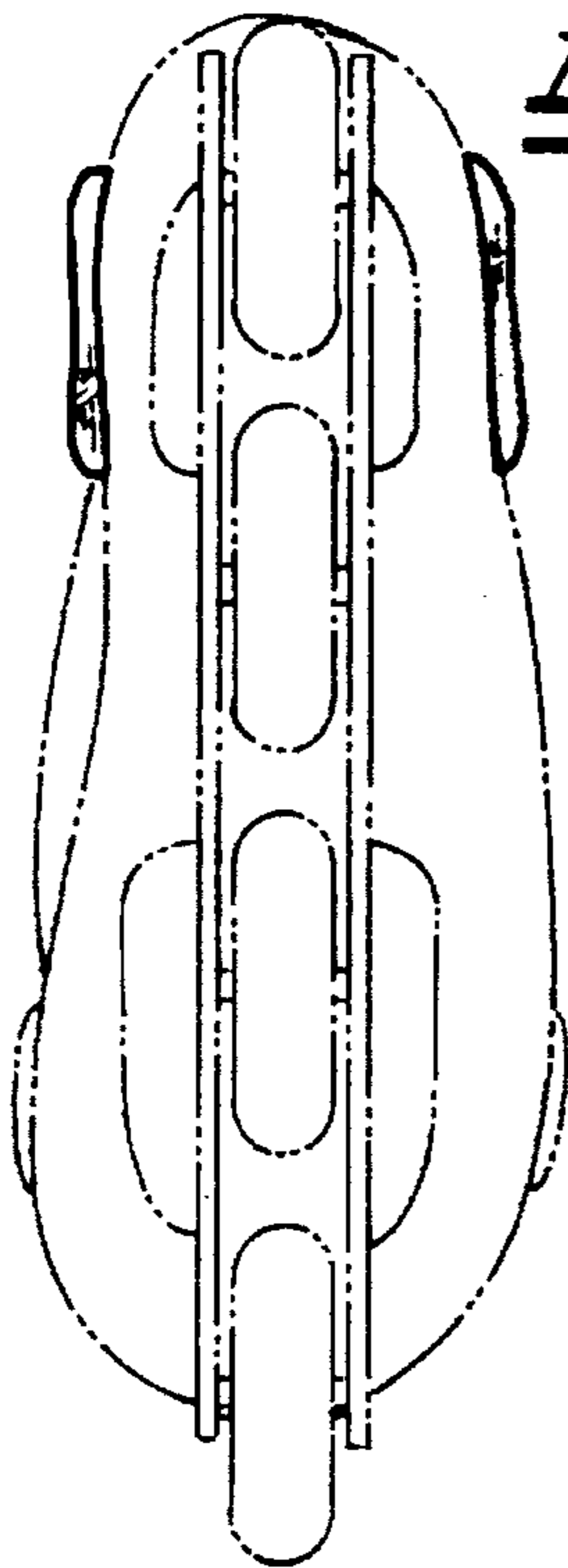


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