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#### [57] CLAIM

The ornamental design for a water closet, as shown and described.

#### DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front elevational view of a water closet embodying our design;

FIG. 2 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a rear elevational view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a bottom plan view thereof;

FIG. 5 is a left elevational view thereof;

FIG. 6 is a right elevational view thereof;

FIG. 7 is a cross-sectional view thereof taken along line

7—7 in FIG. 1;

FIG. 8 is a right front perspective view thereof;

FIG. 9 is a left rear perspective view thereof;

FIG. 10 is a front elevational view of a second embodiment thereof;

FIG. 11 is a top plan view of the second embodiment;

FIG. 12 is a rear elevational view of the second embodiment;

FIG. 13 is a bottom plan view of the second embodiment;

FIG. 14 is a left elevational view of the second embodiment;

FIG. 15 is a right elevational view of the second embodiment;

FIG. 16 is a cross-sectional view of the second embodiment taken long line 16—16 of FIG. 10;

FIG. 17 is a right front perspective view of the second embodiment;

FIG. 18 is a left rear perspective view of the second embodiment;

FIG. 19 is a front elevational view of a third embodiment thereof;

FIG. 20 is a top plan view of the third embodiment;

FIG. 21 is a rear elevational view of the third embodiment:

FIG. 22 is a bottom plan view of the third embodiment;

FIG. 23 is a left elevational view of the third embodiment;

FIG. 24 is a right elevational view of the third embodiment;

FIG. 25 is a cross-sectional view of the third embodiment taken along line 25—25 in FIG. 19;

FIG. 26 is a right front perspective view of the third embodiment;

FIG. 27 is a left rear perspective view of the third embodiment;

FIG. 28 is a front elevation view of a fourth embodiment thereof;

FIG. 29 is a top plan view of the fourth embodiment;

FIG. 30 is a rear elevational view of the fourth embodiment:

FIG. 31 is a bottom plan view of the fourth embodiment;

FIG. 32 is a left elevational view of the fourth embodiment;

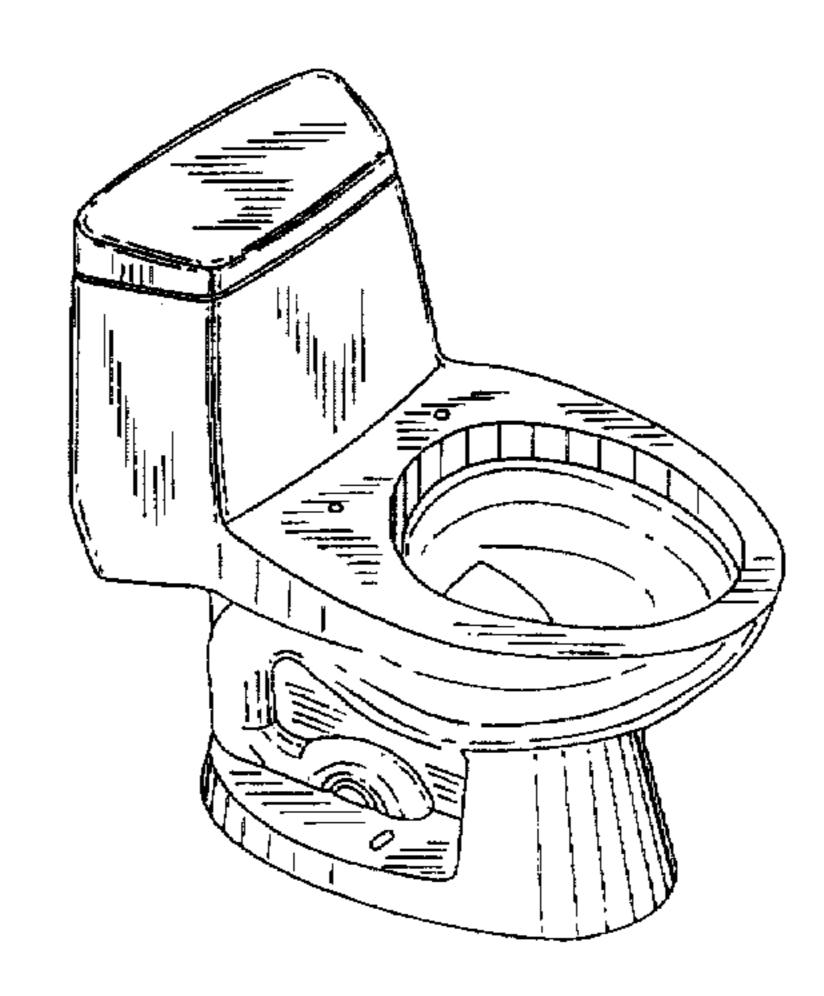
FIG. 33 is a right elevational view of the fourth embodiment;

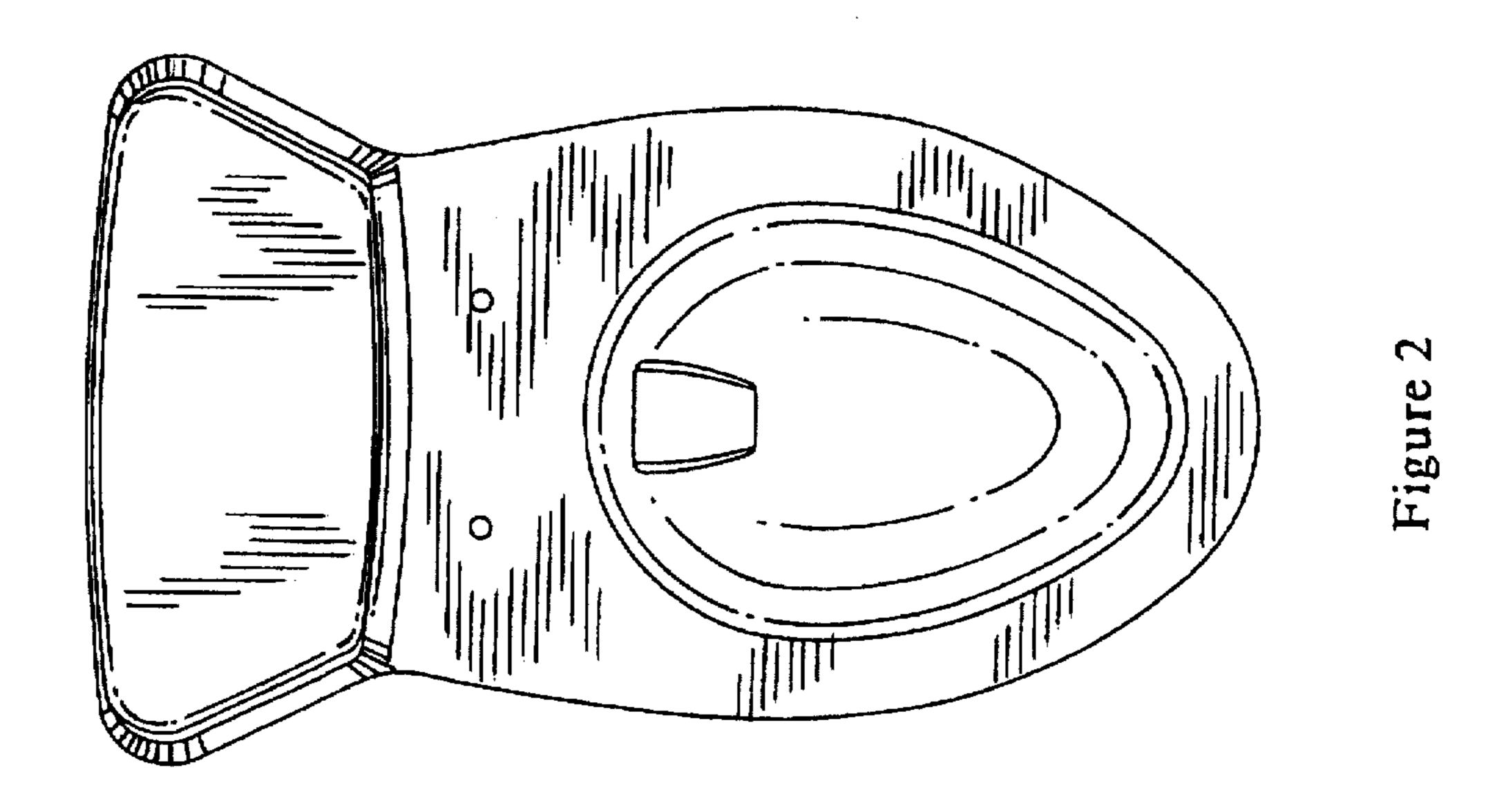
FIG. 34 is a cross-sectional view of the fourth embodiment taken long line 34—34 of FIG. 28;

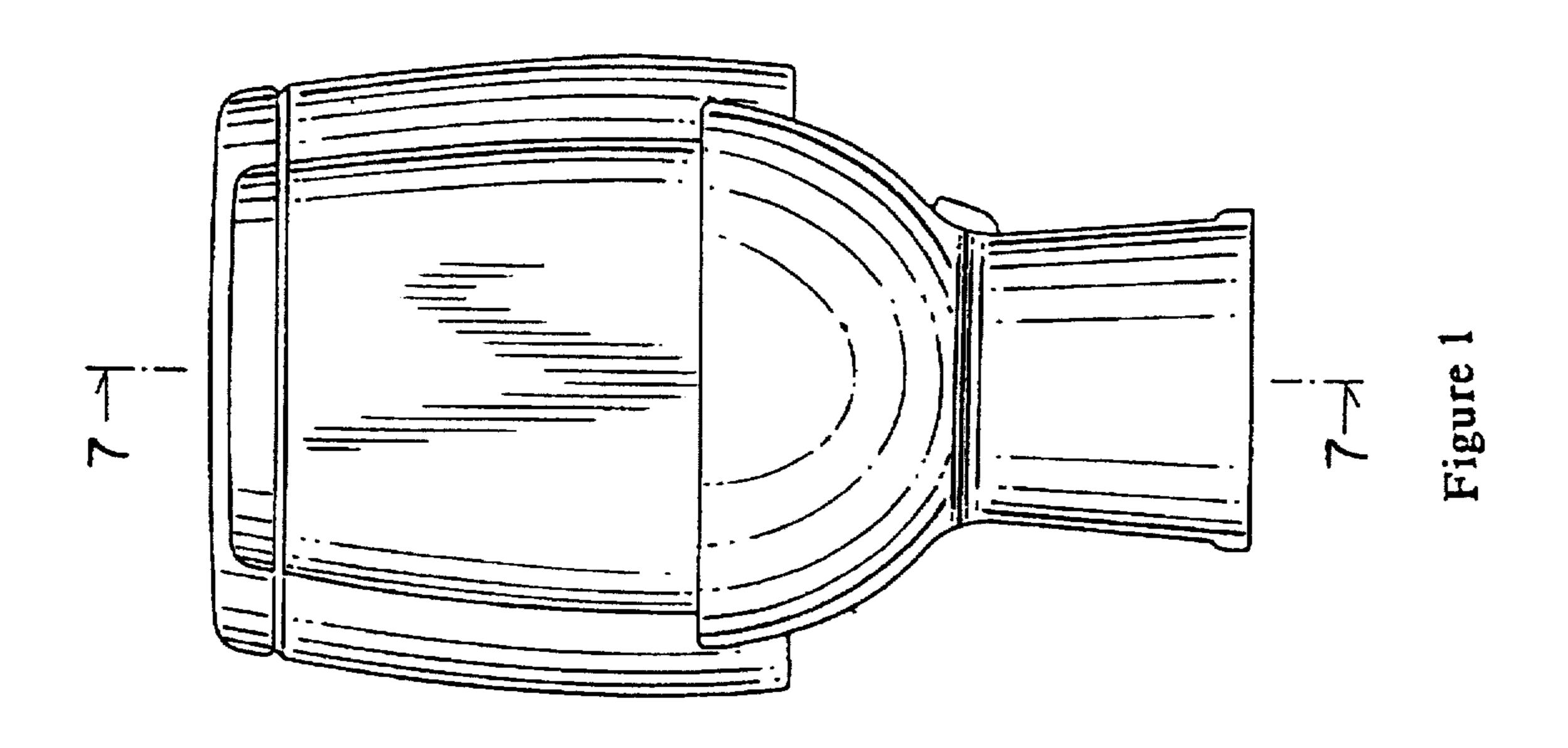
FIG. 35 is a right front perspective view of the fourth embodiment; and,

FIG. 36 is a left rear perspective view of the fourth embodiment.

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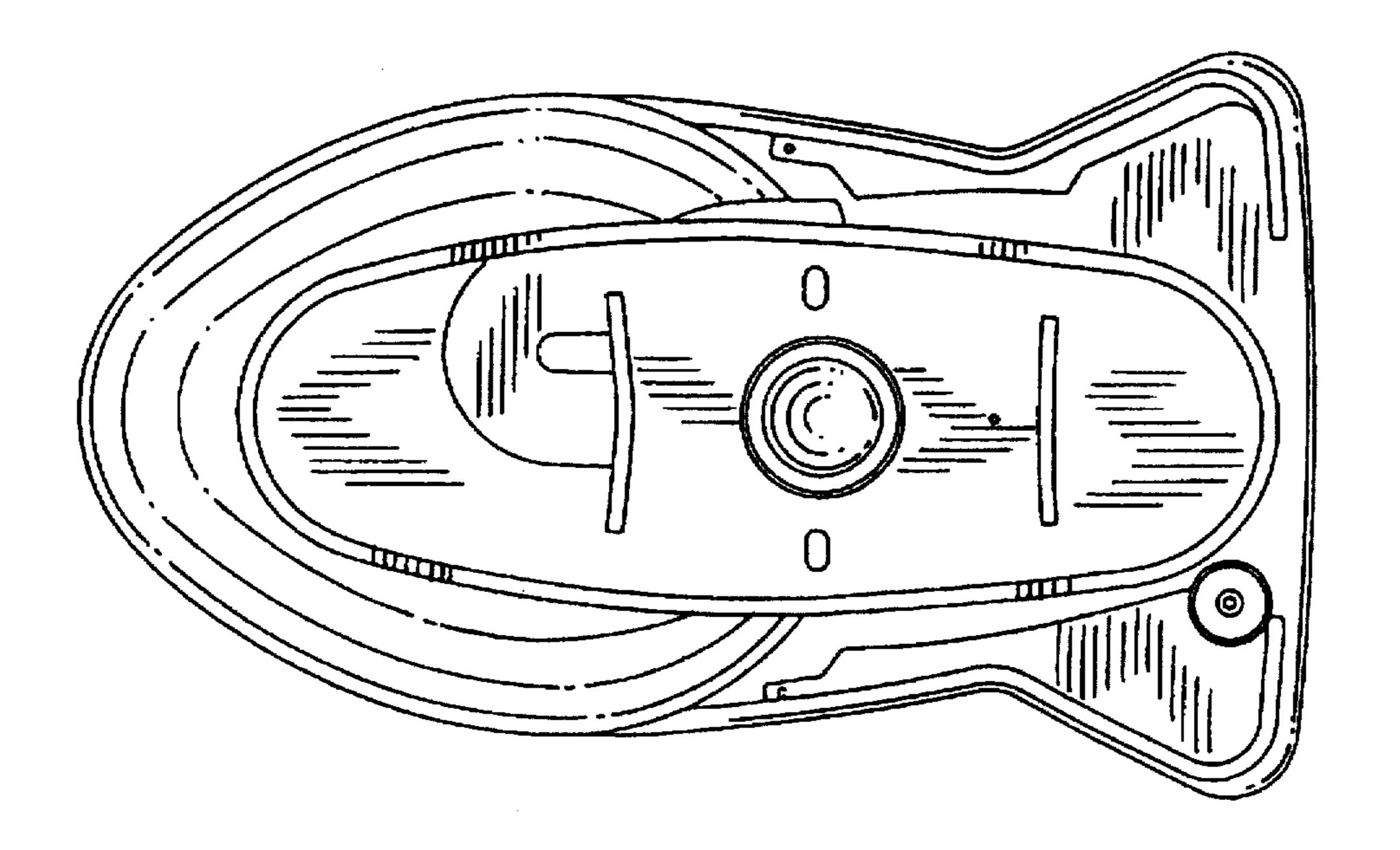
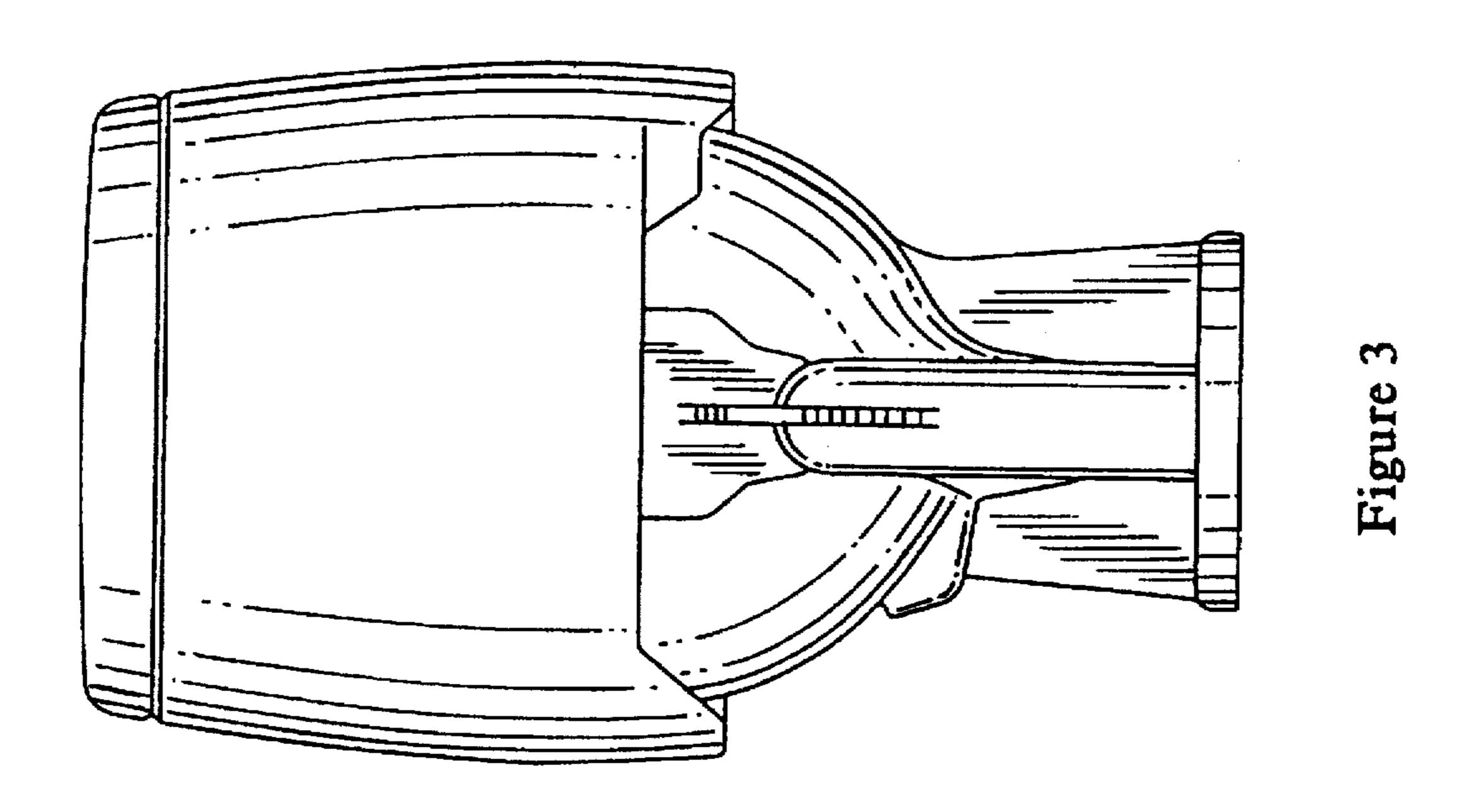
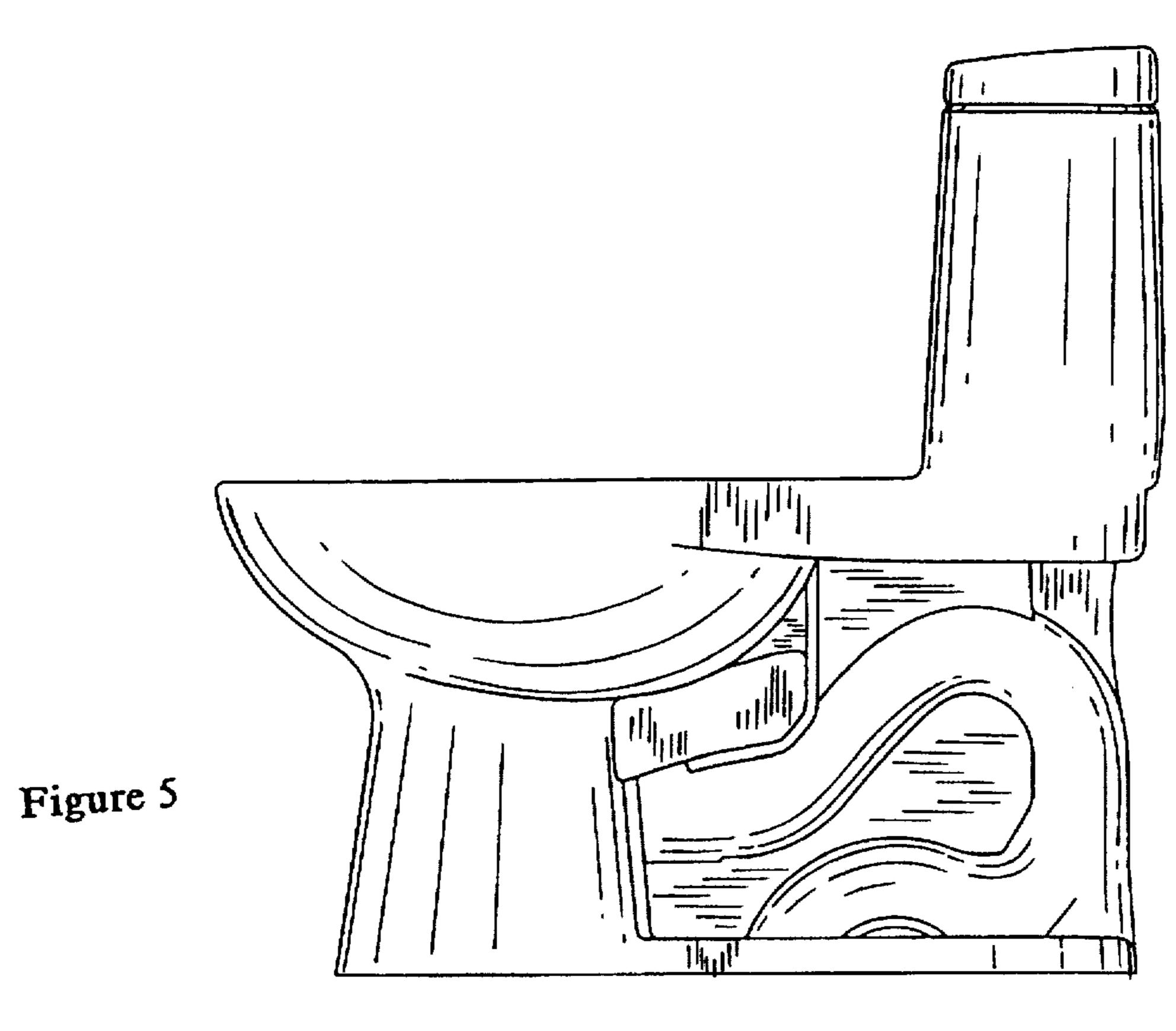
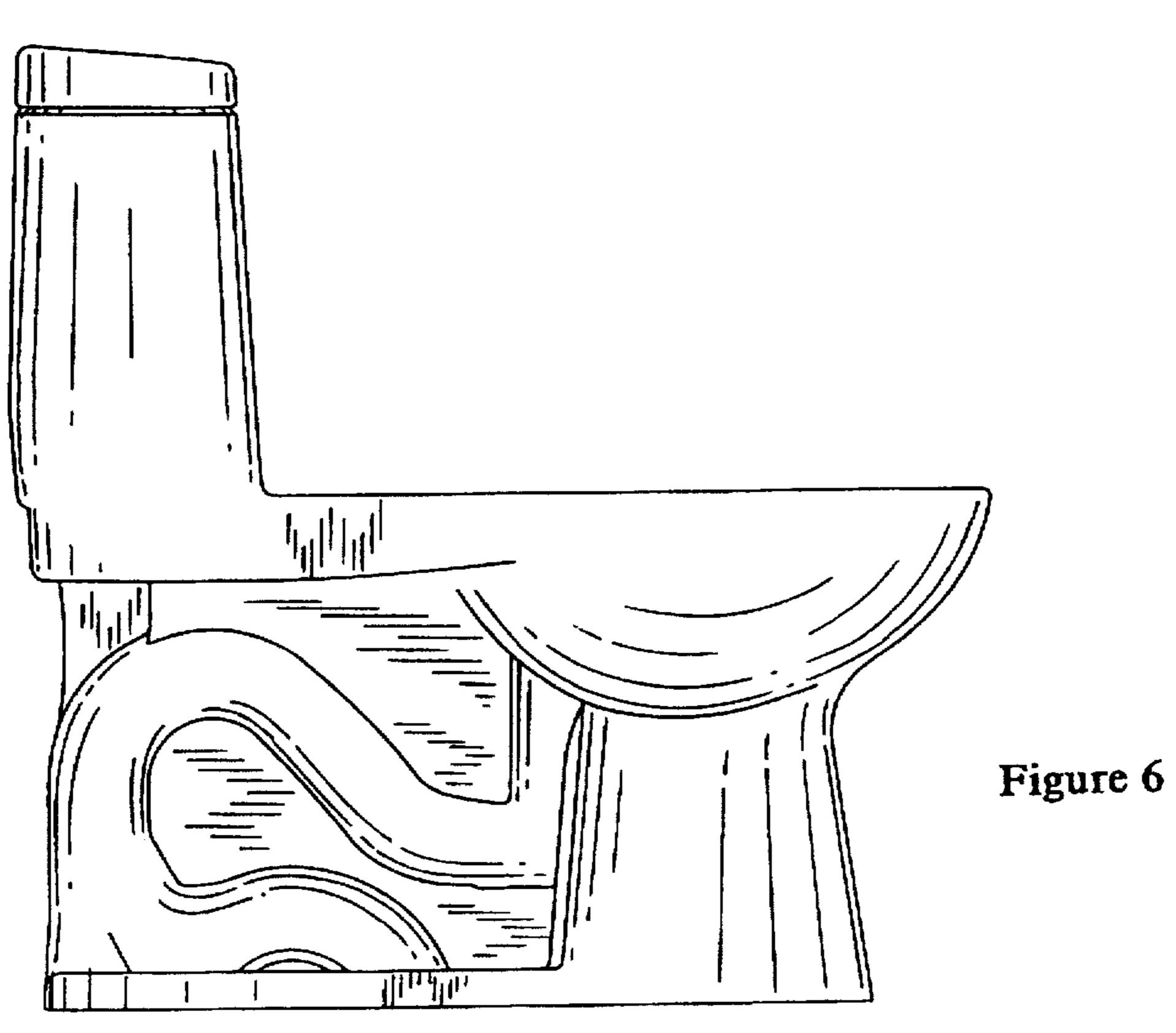


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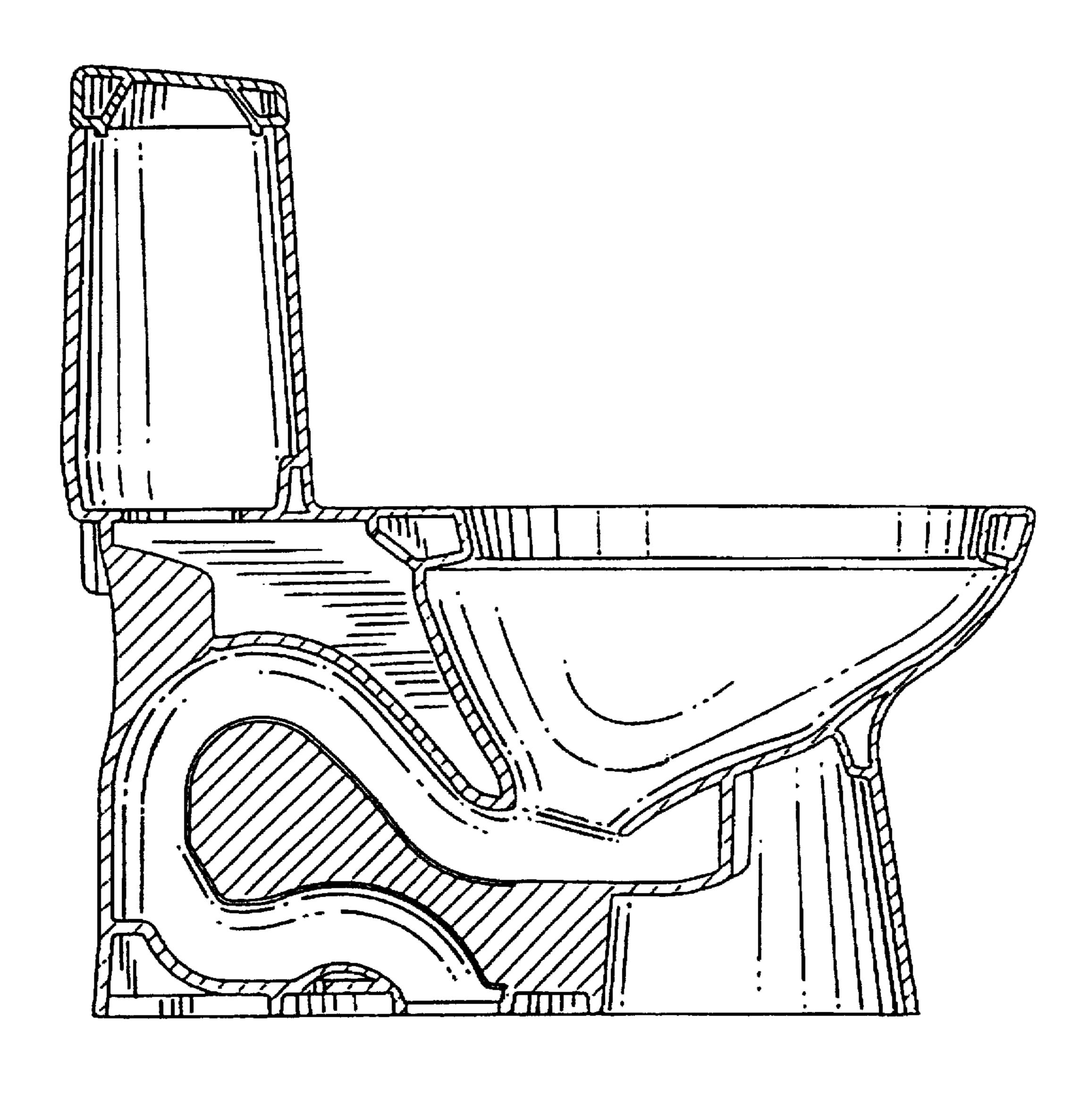
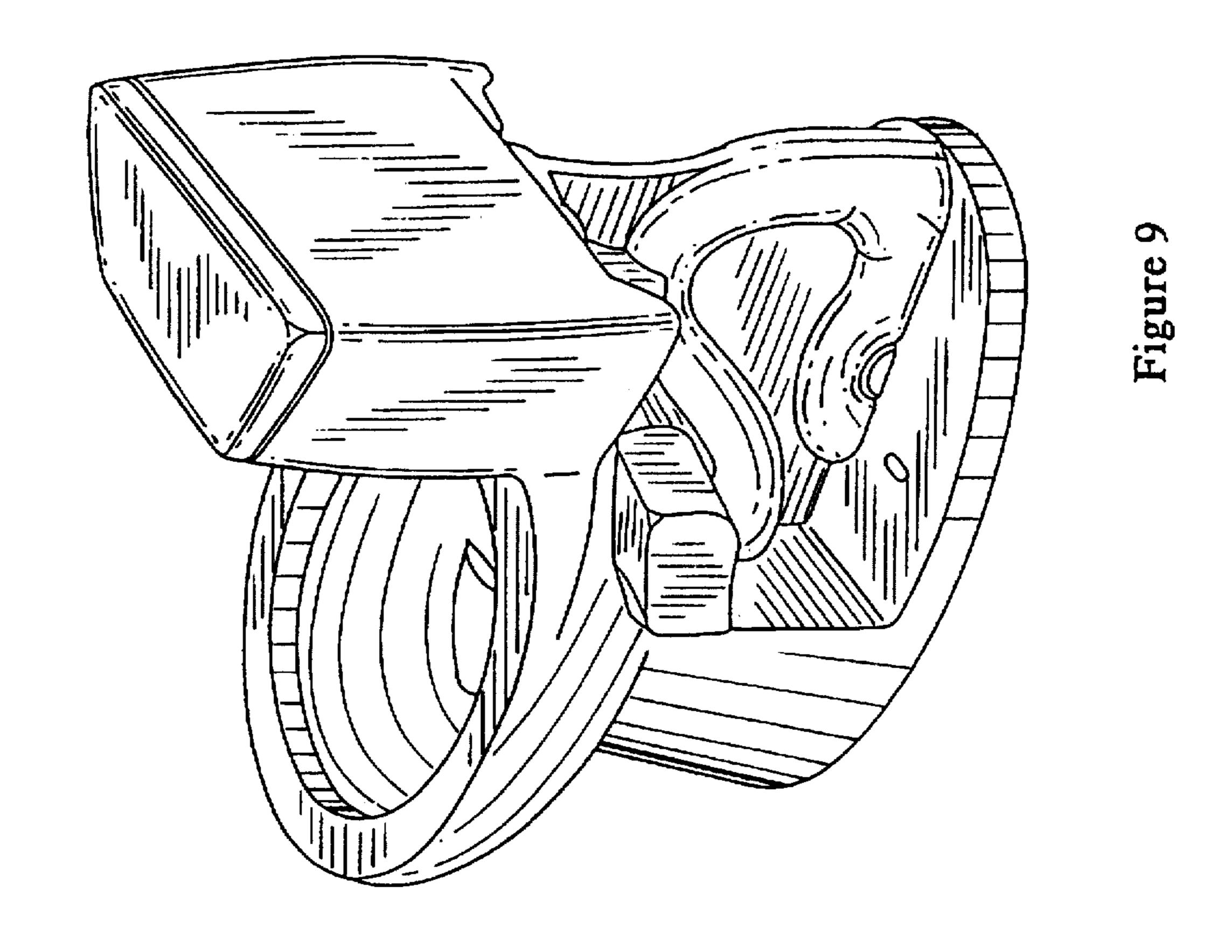
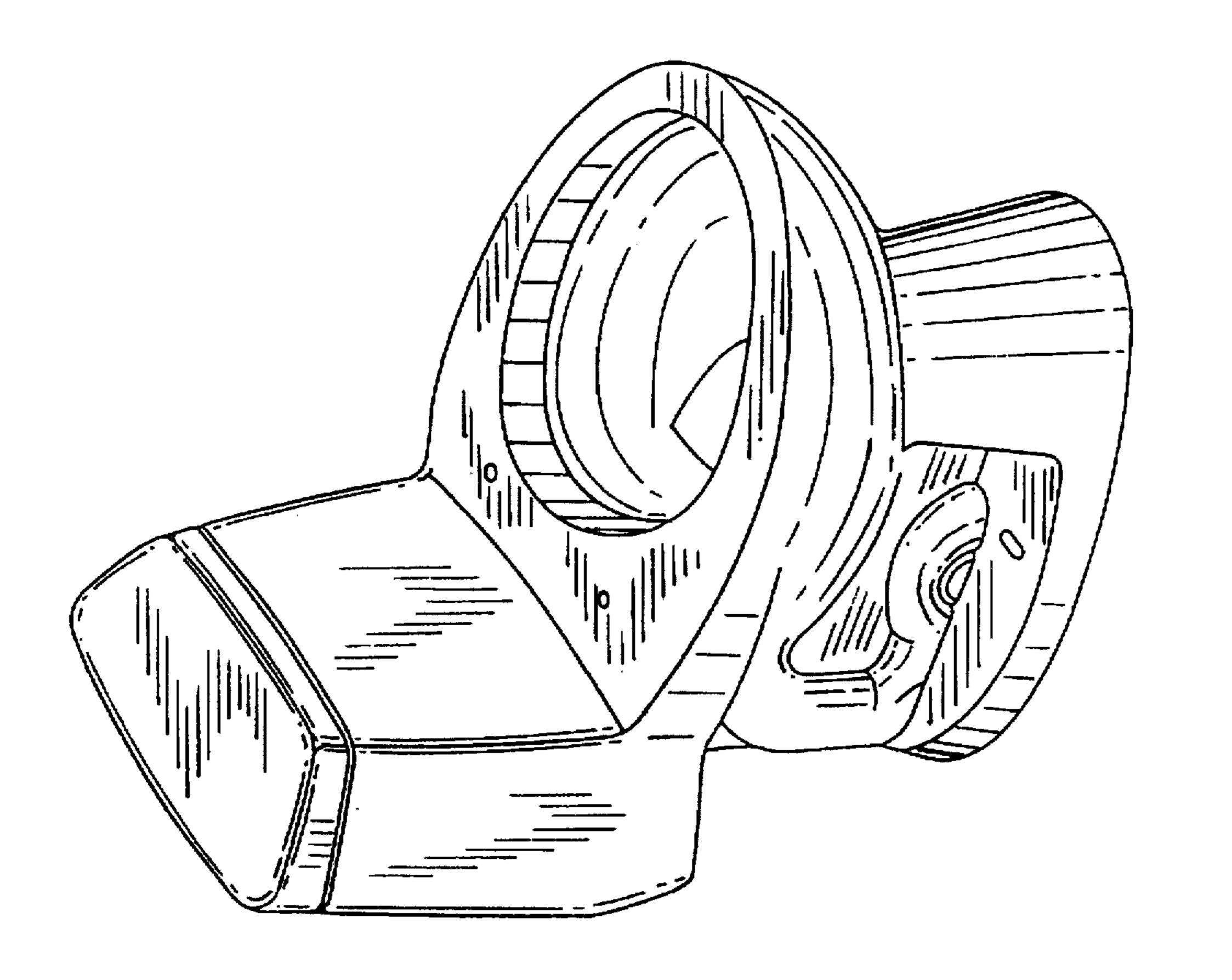
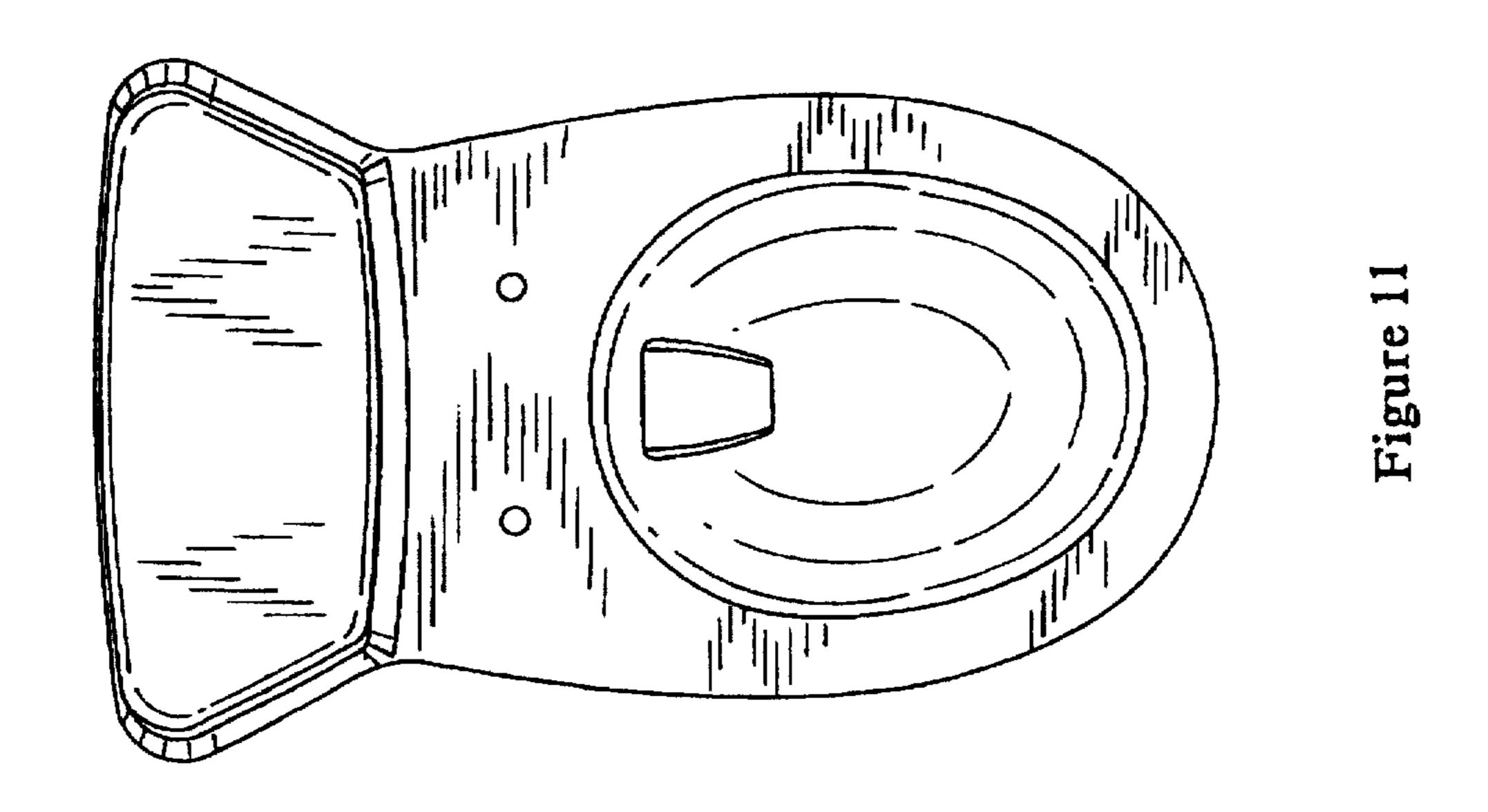


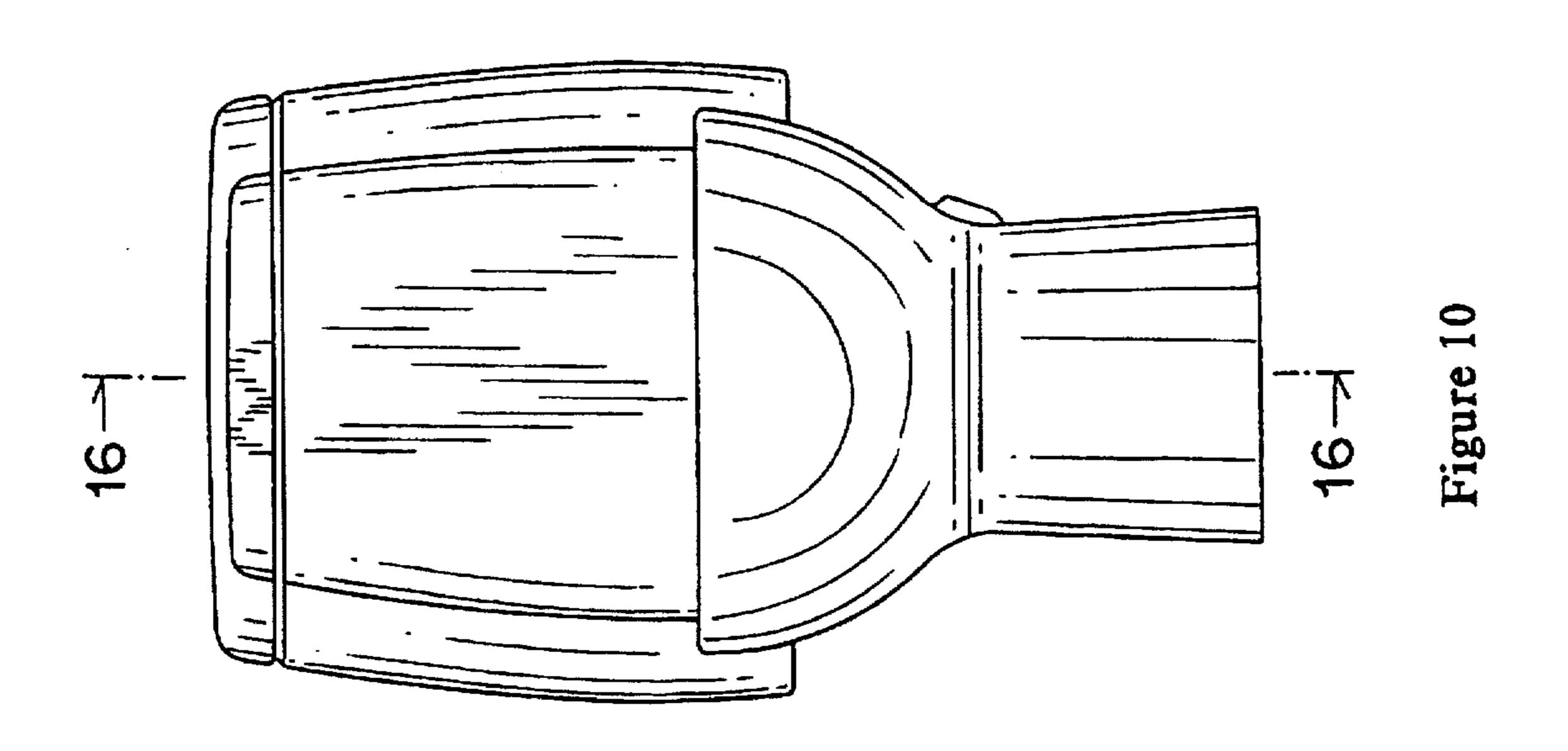
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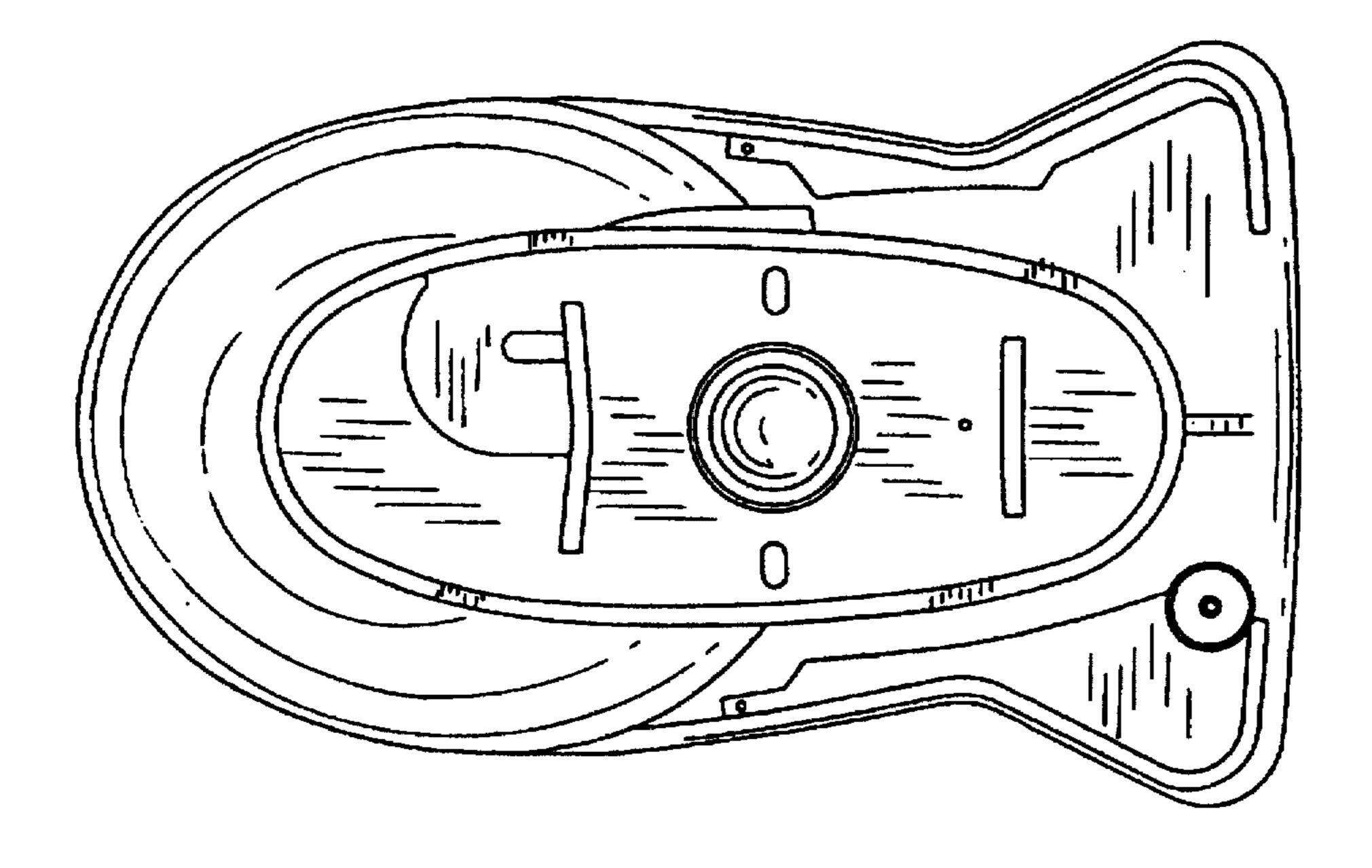


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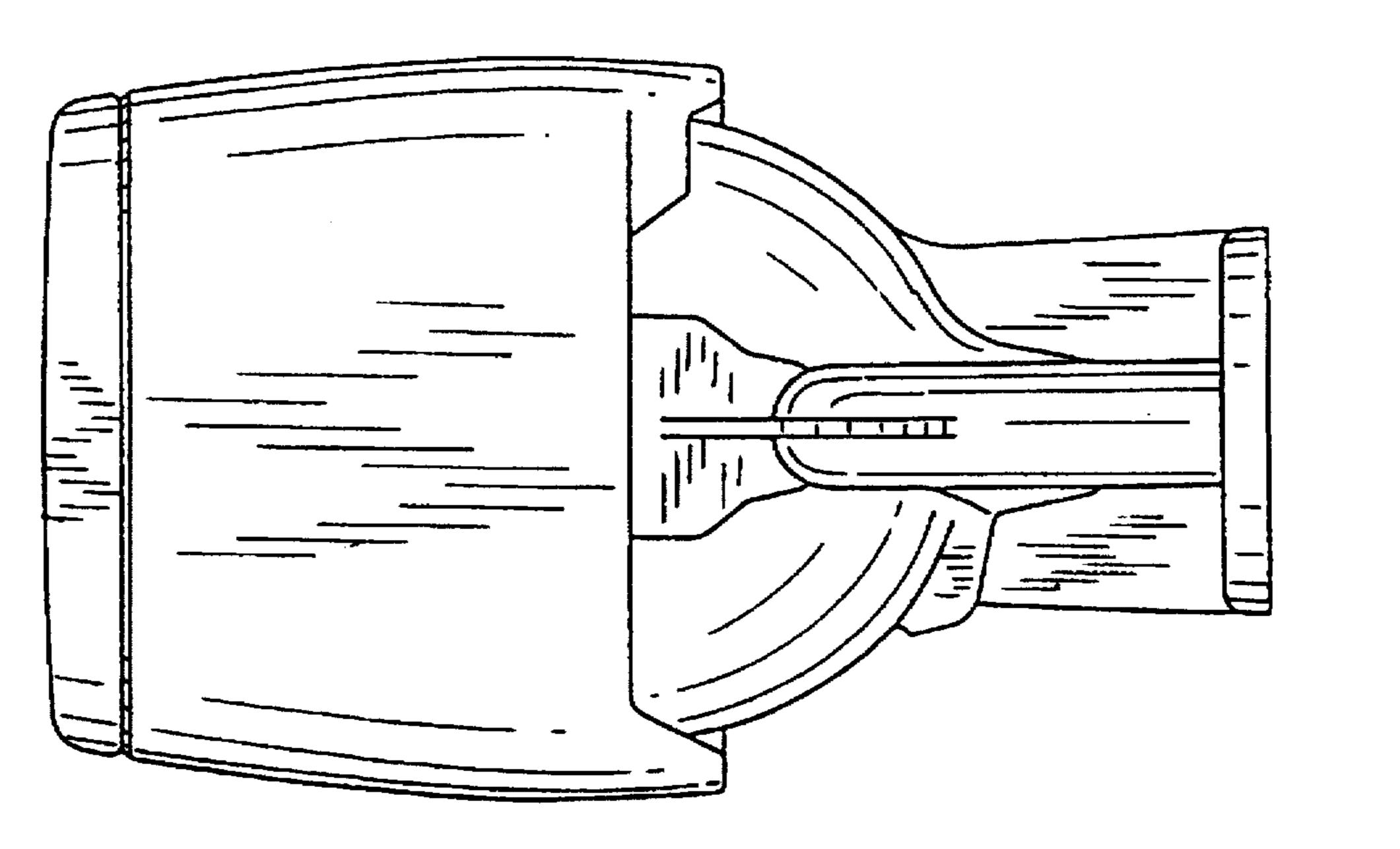
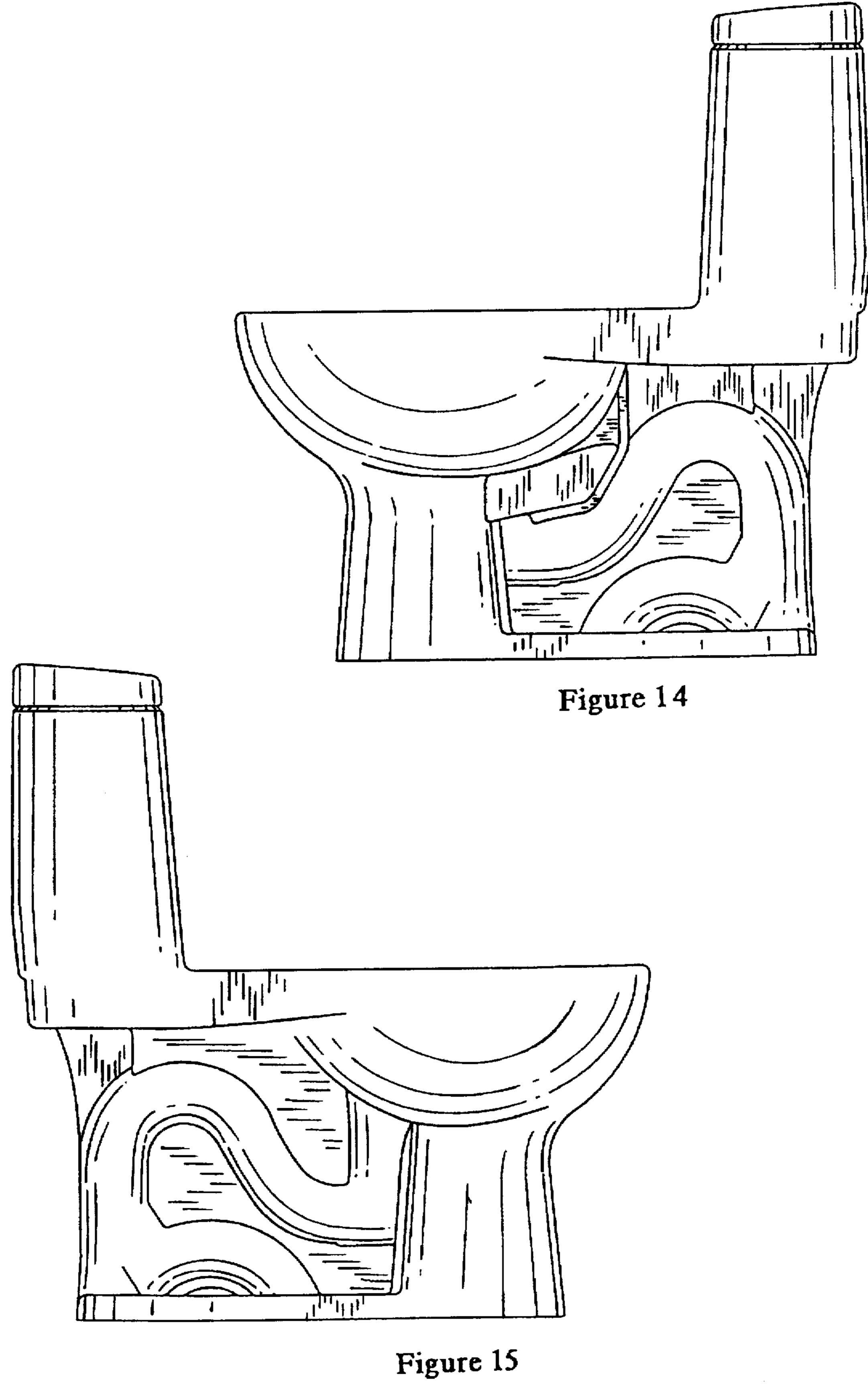


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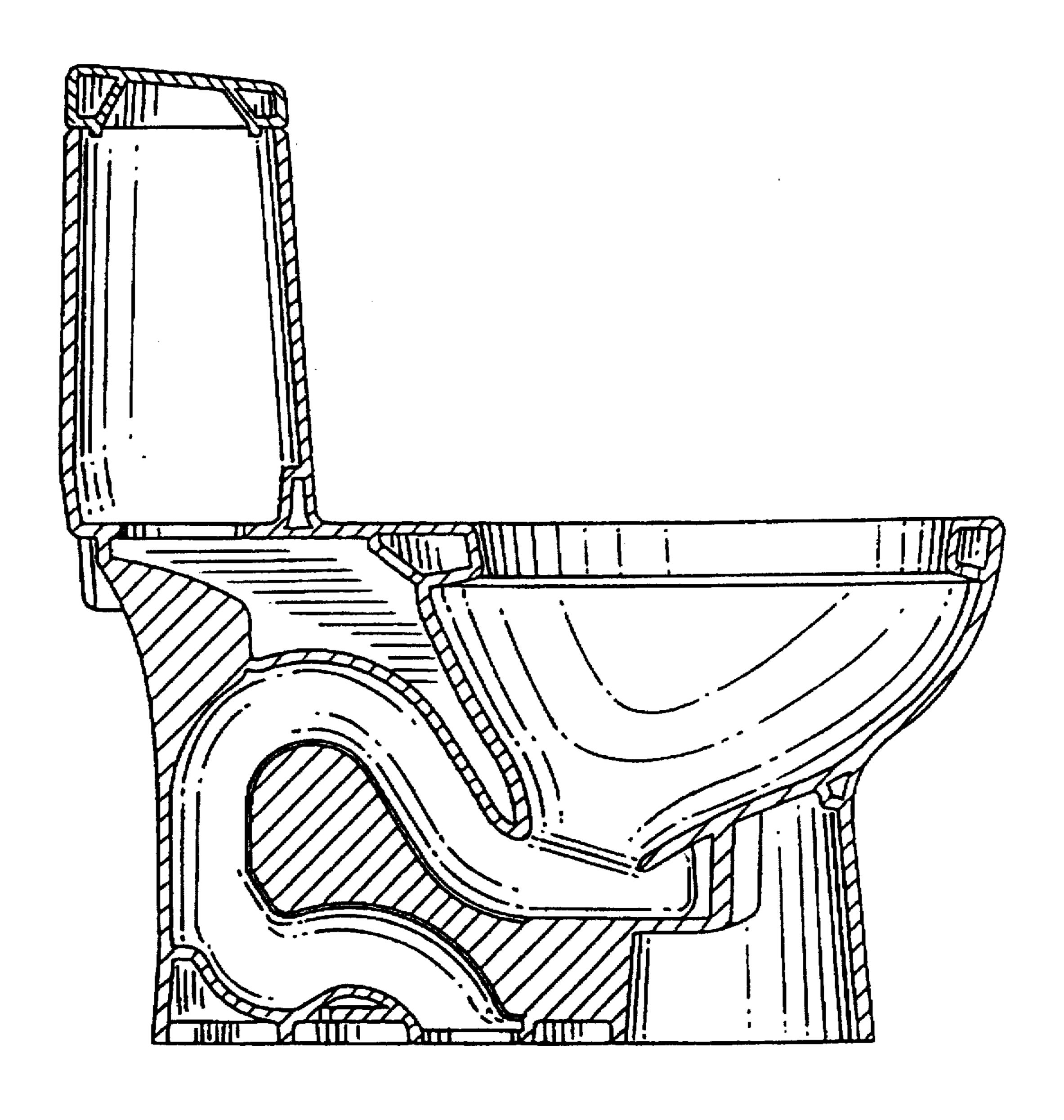
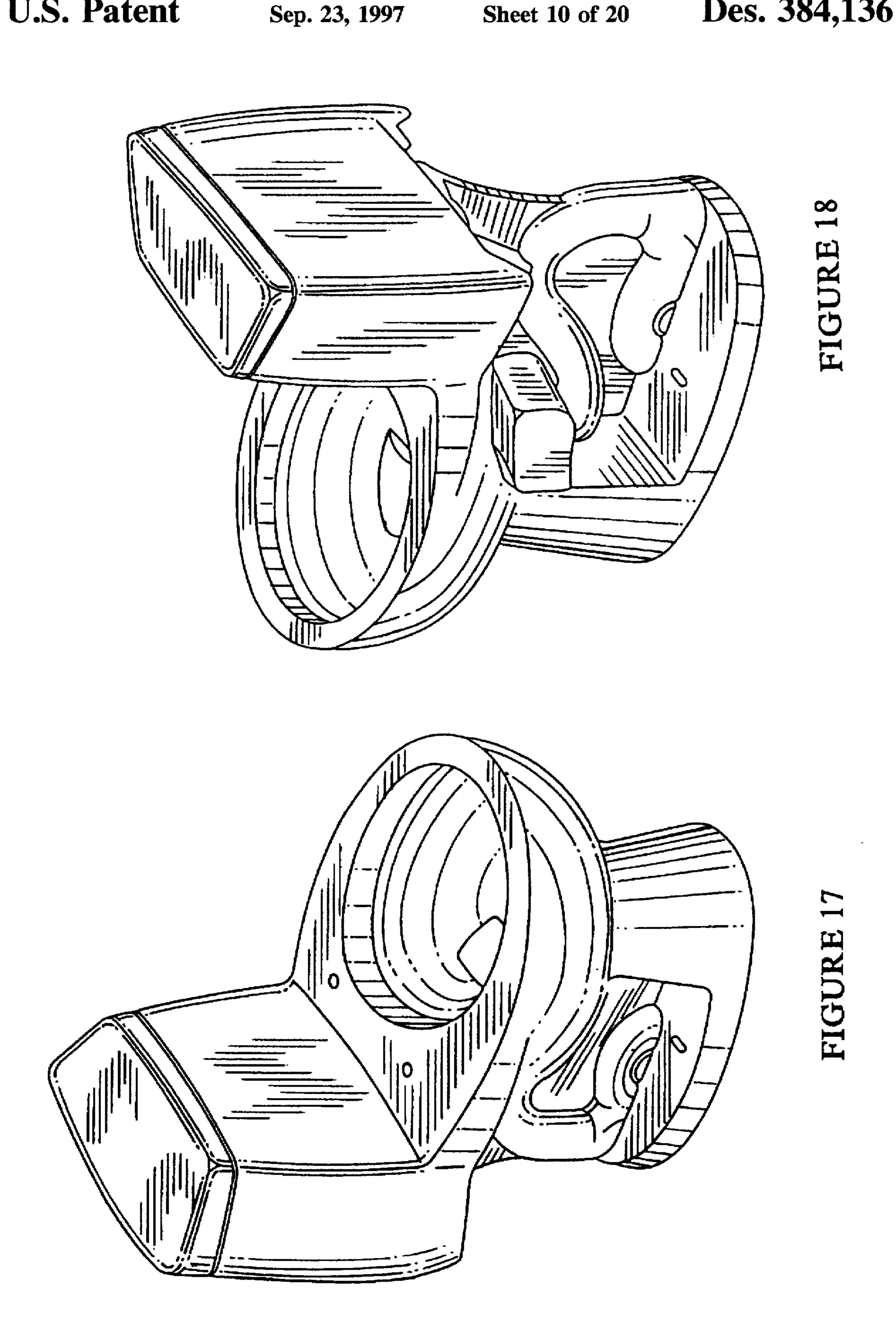
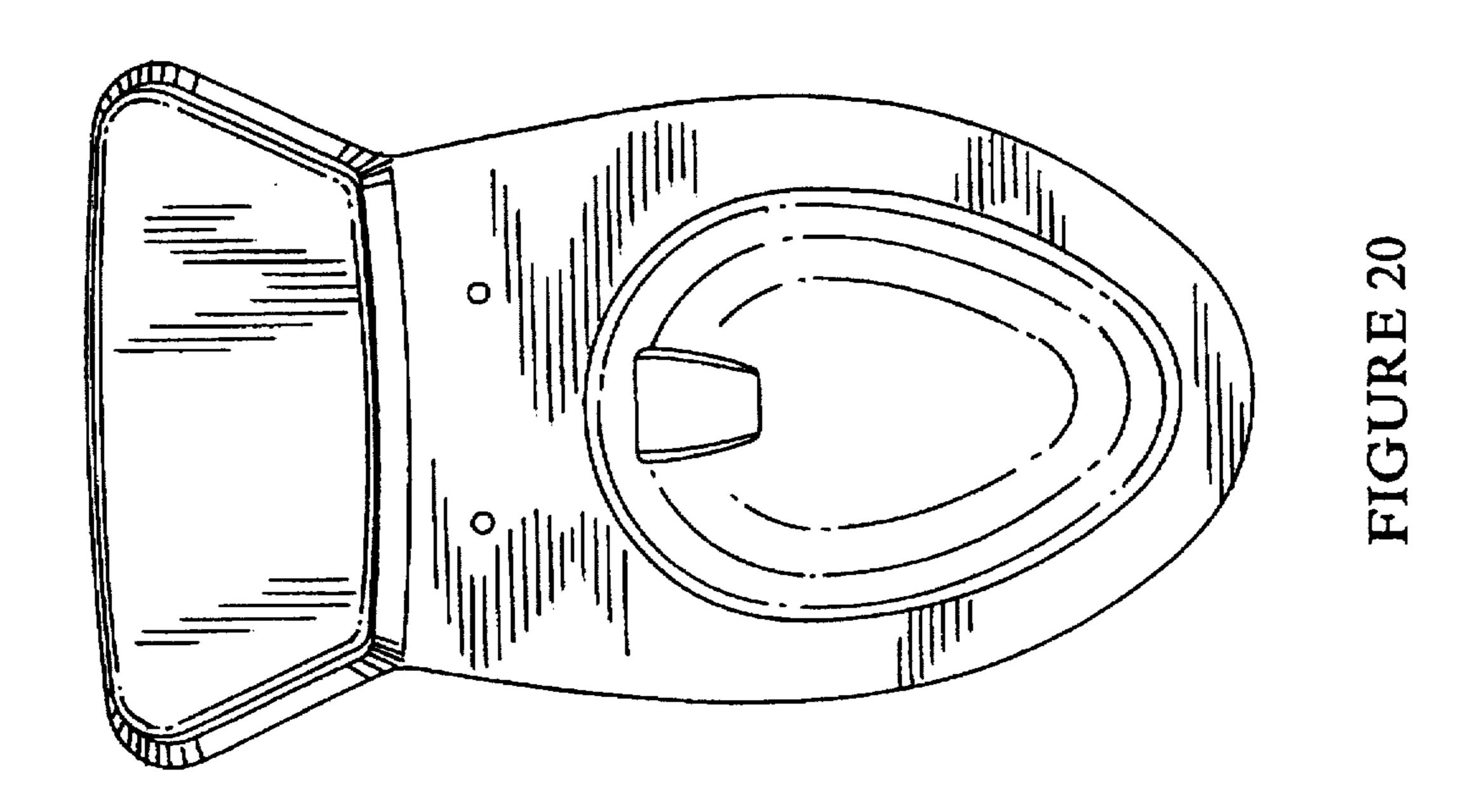
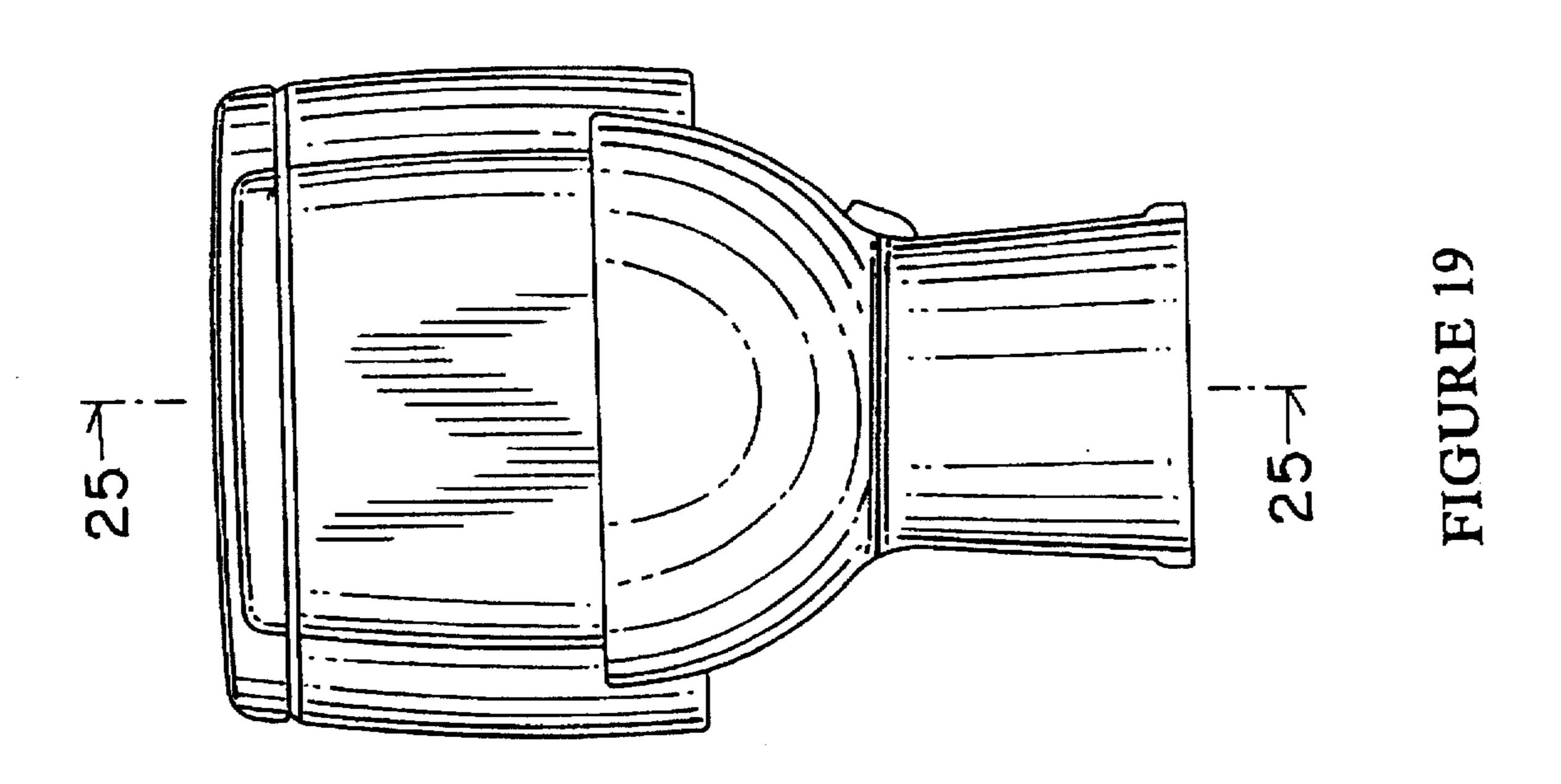
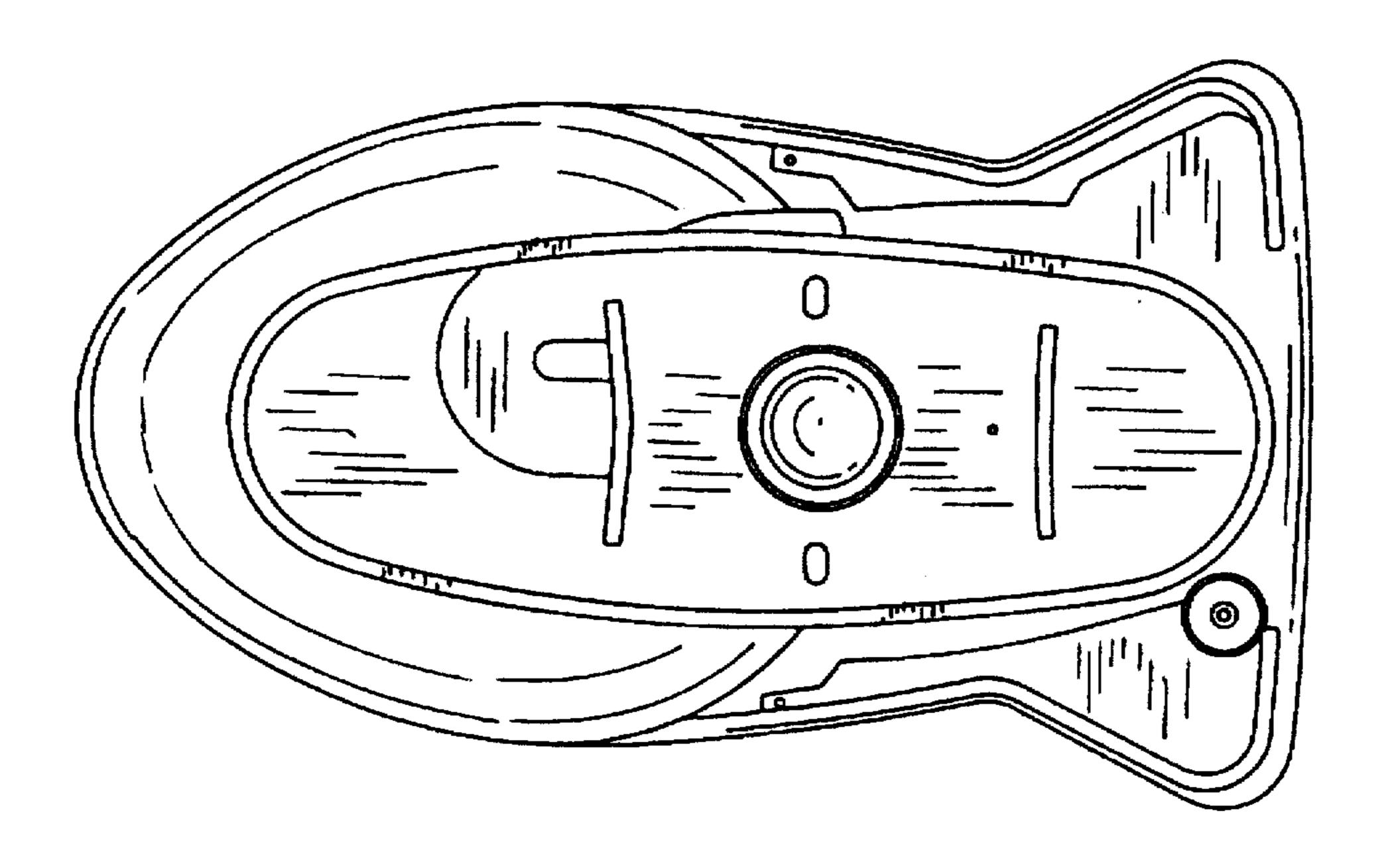


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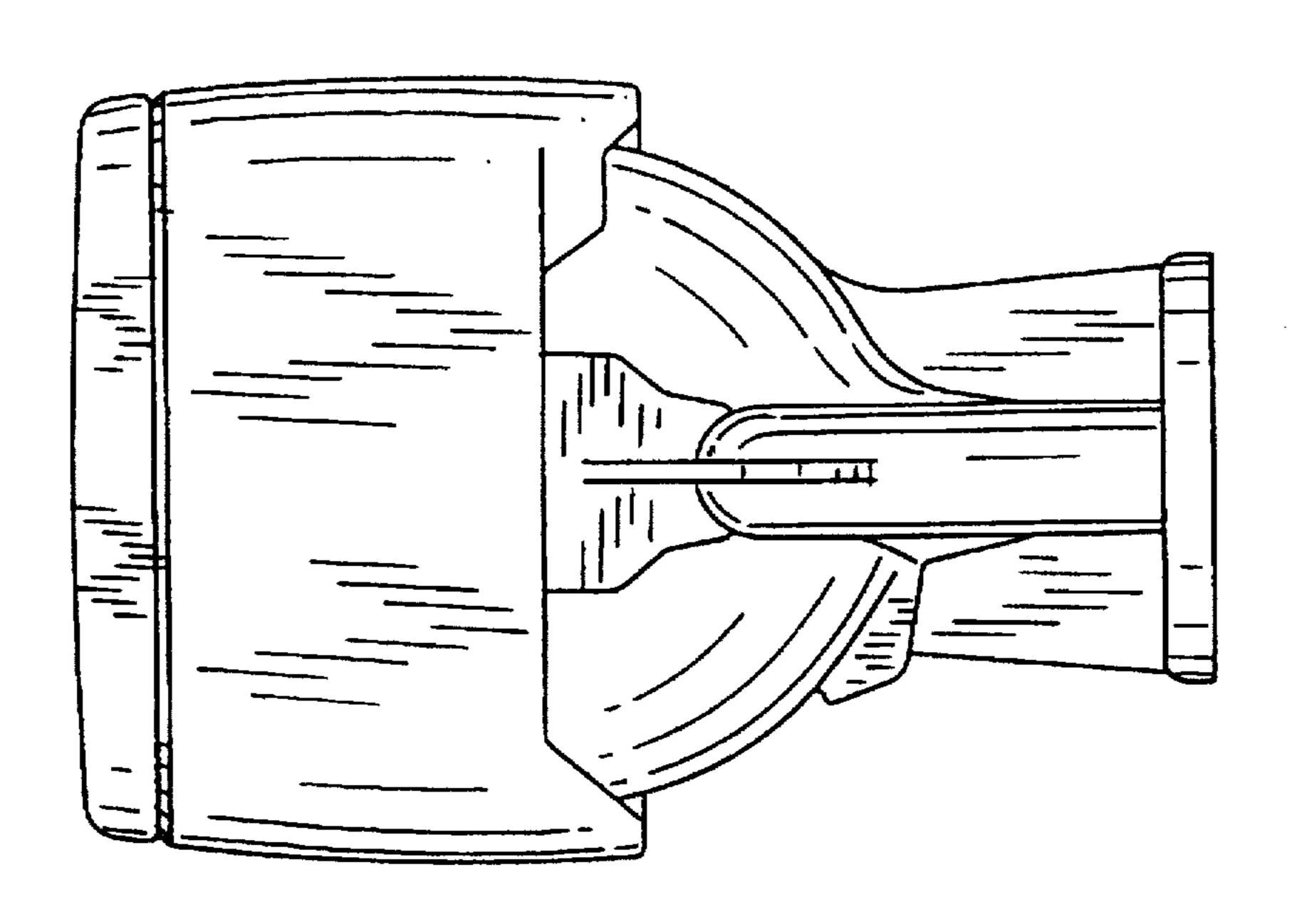












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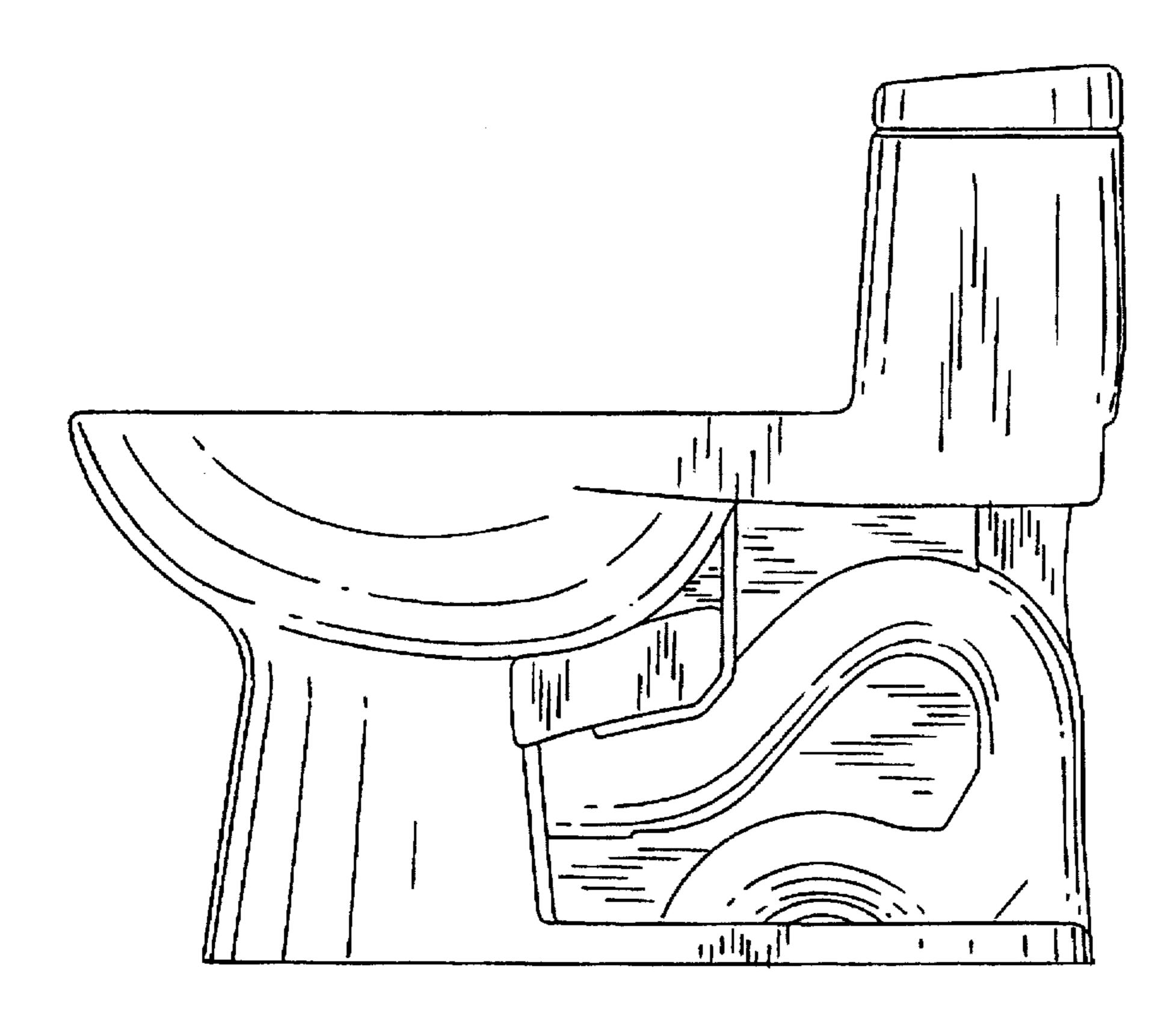
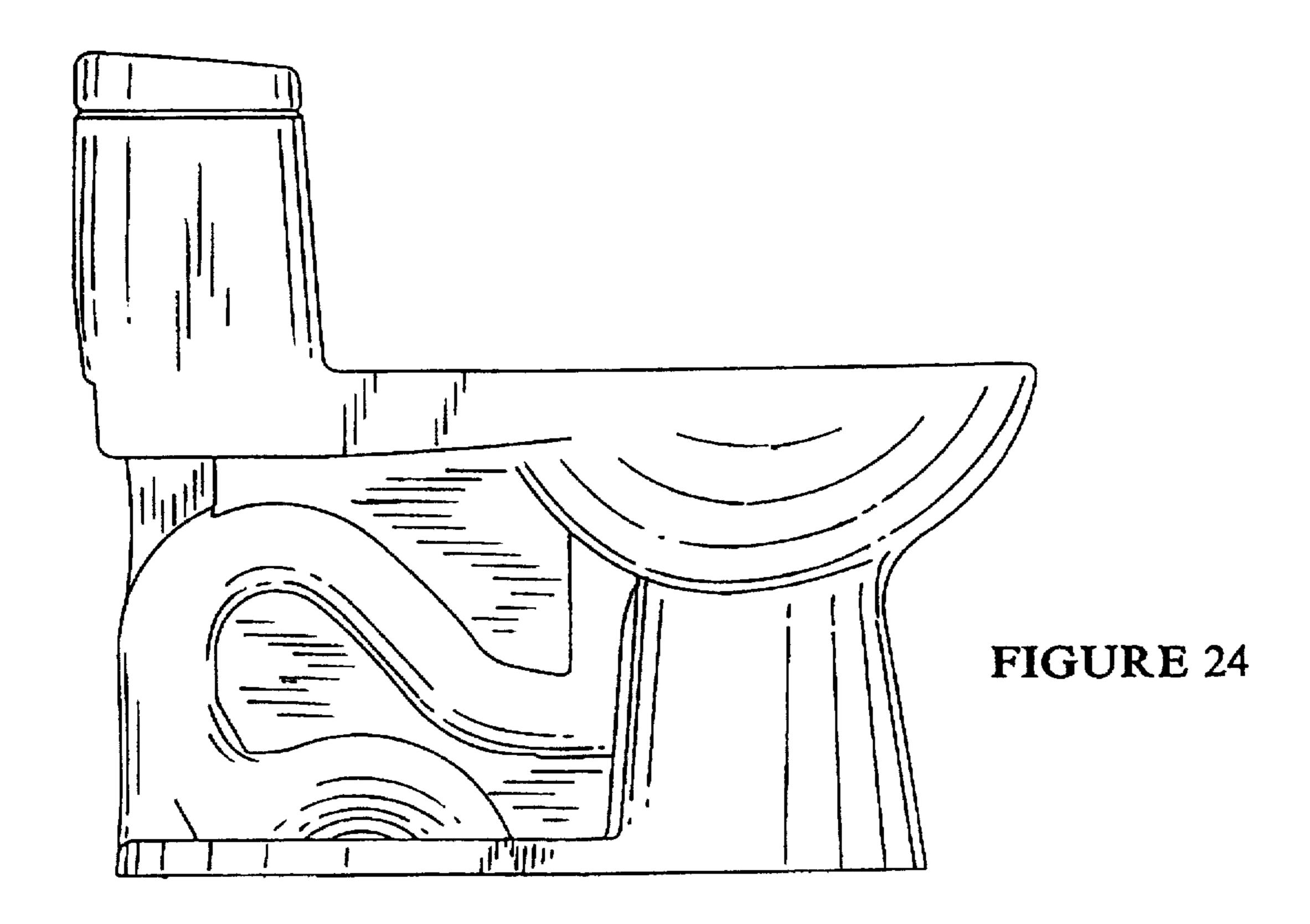


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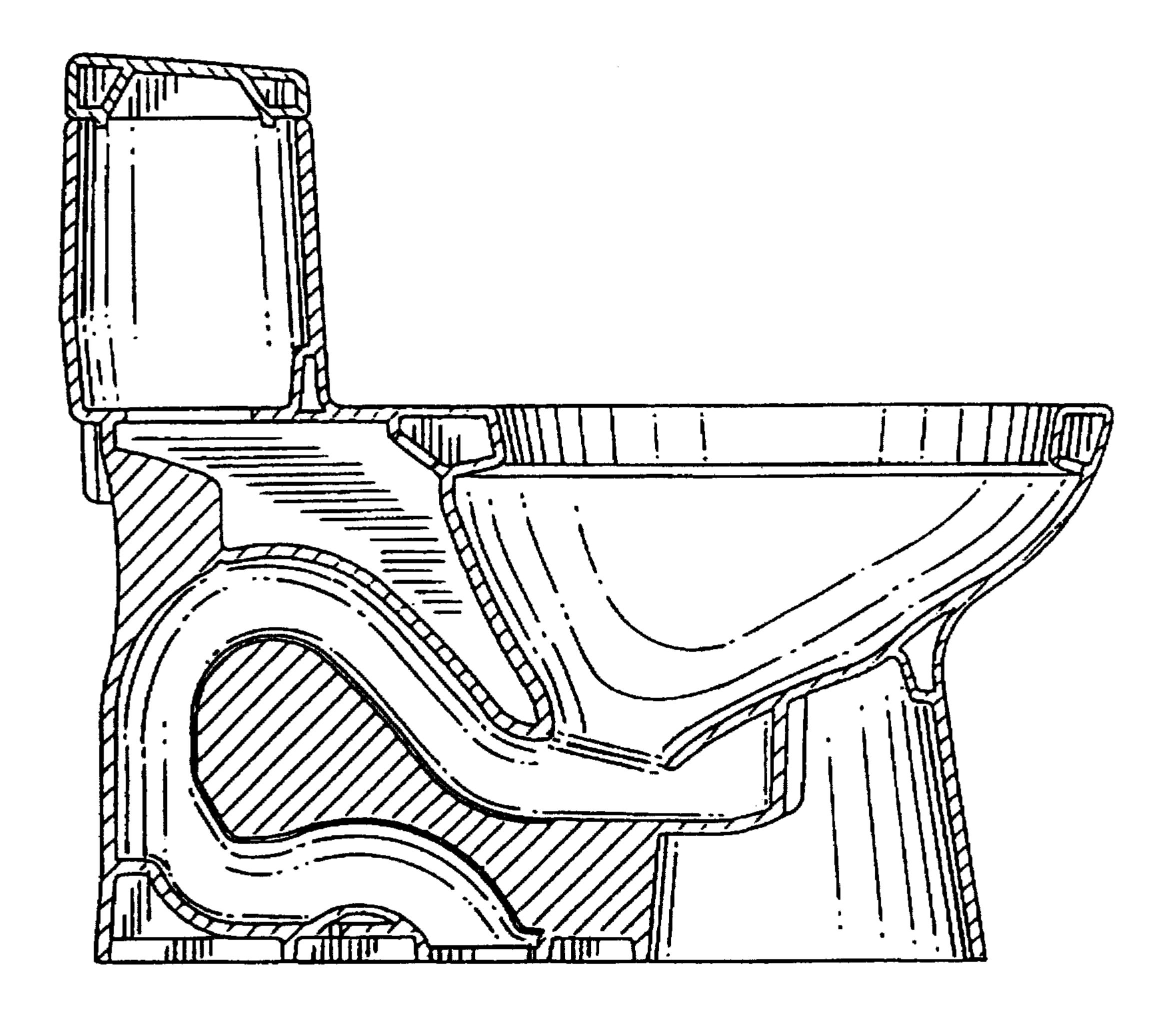
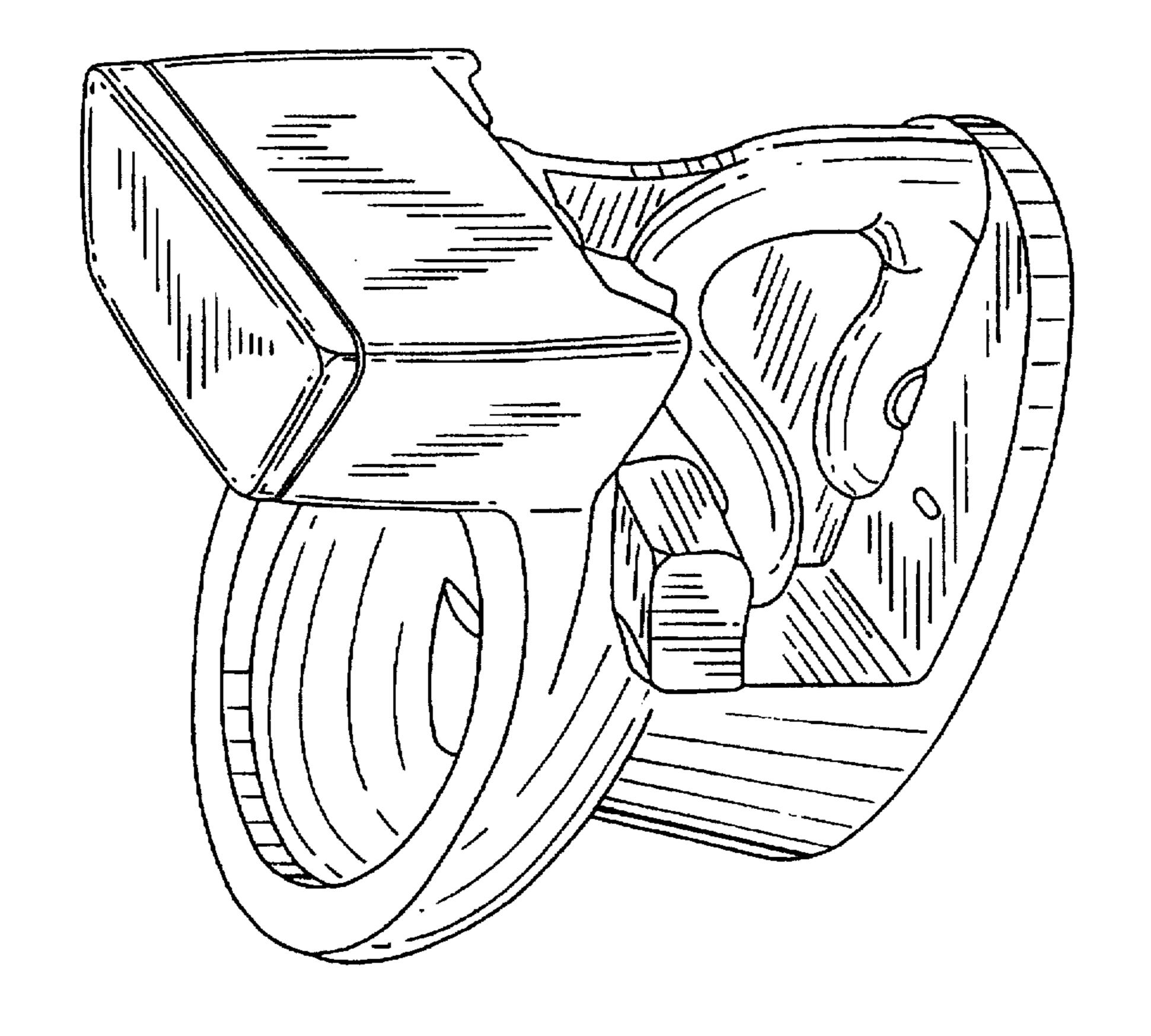
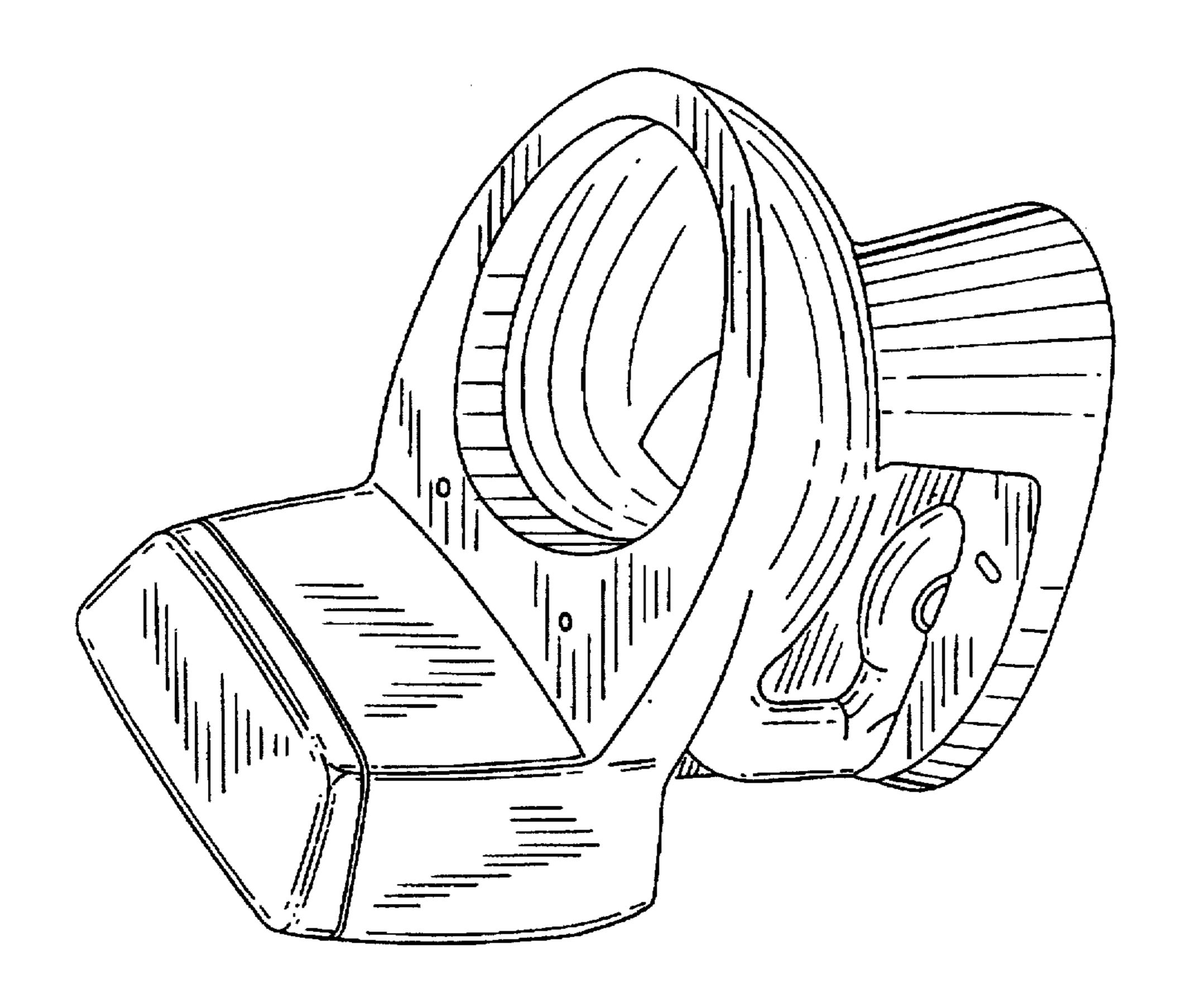
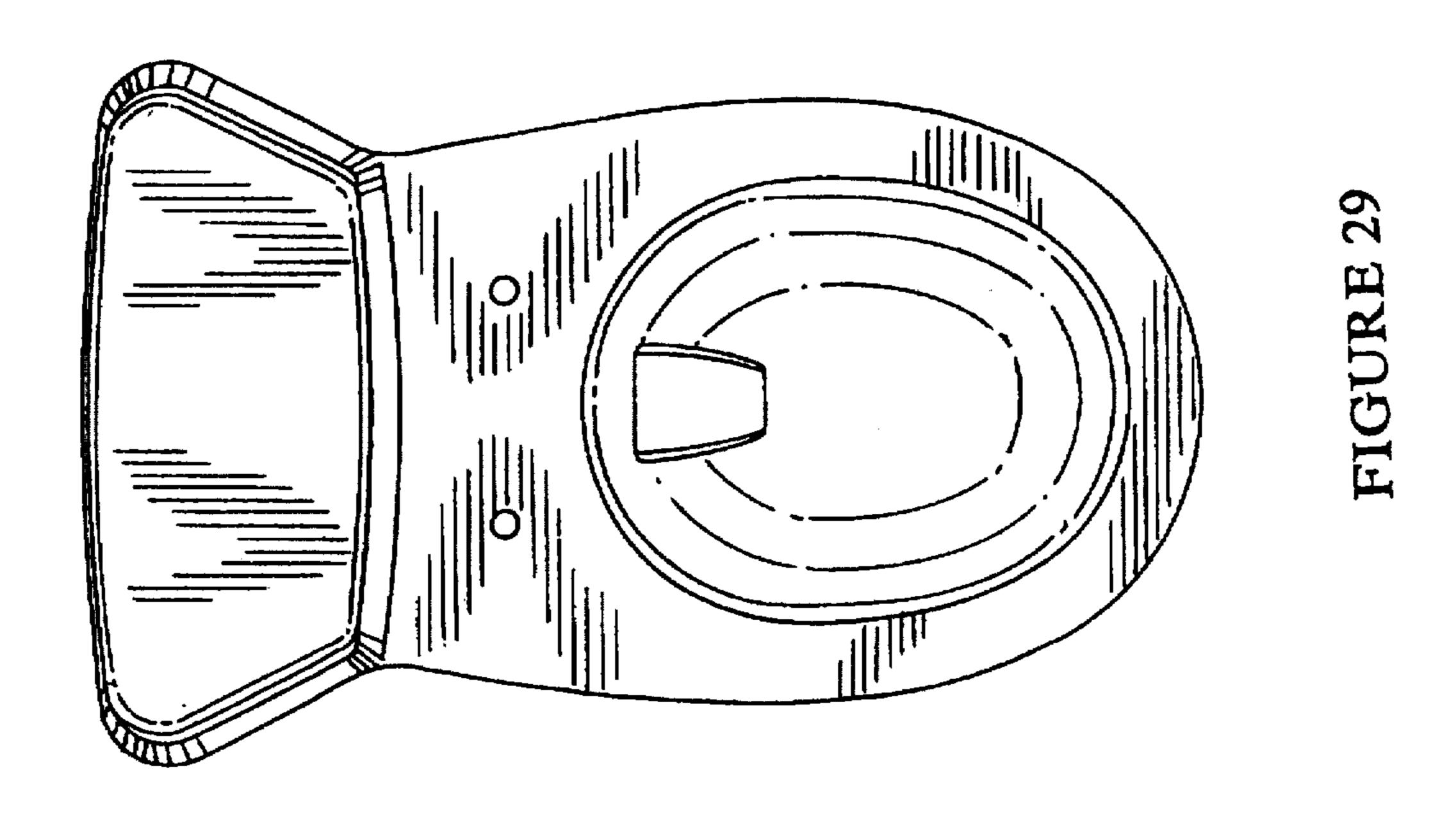


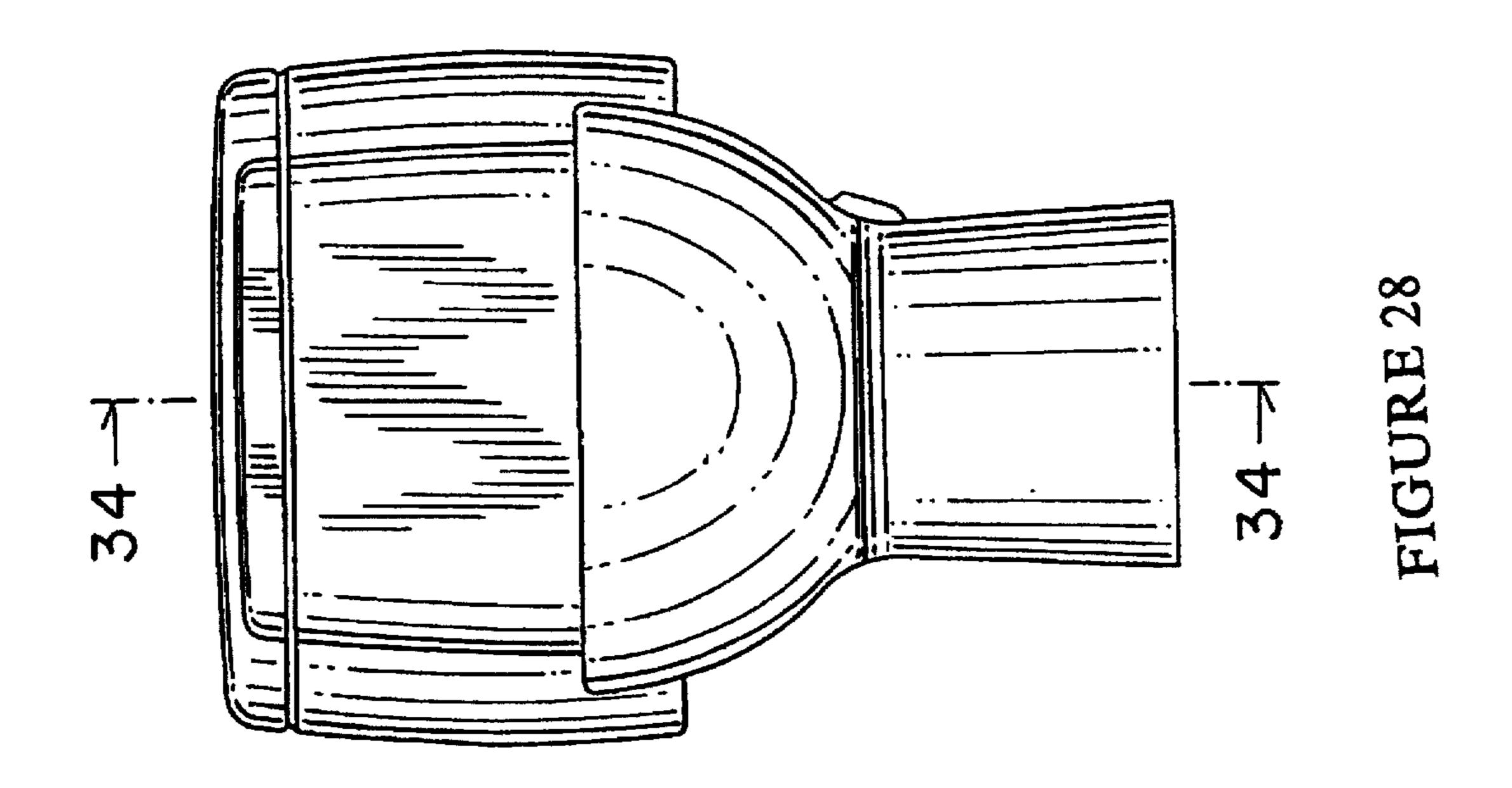
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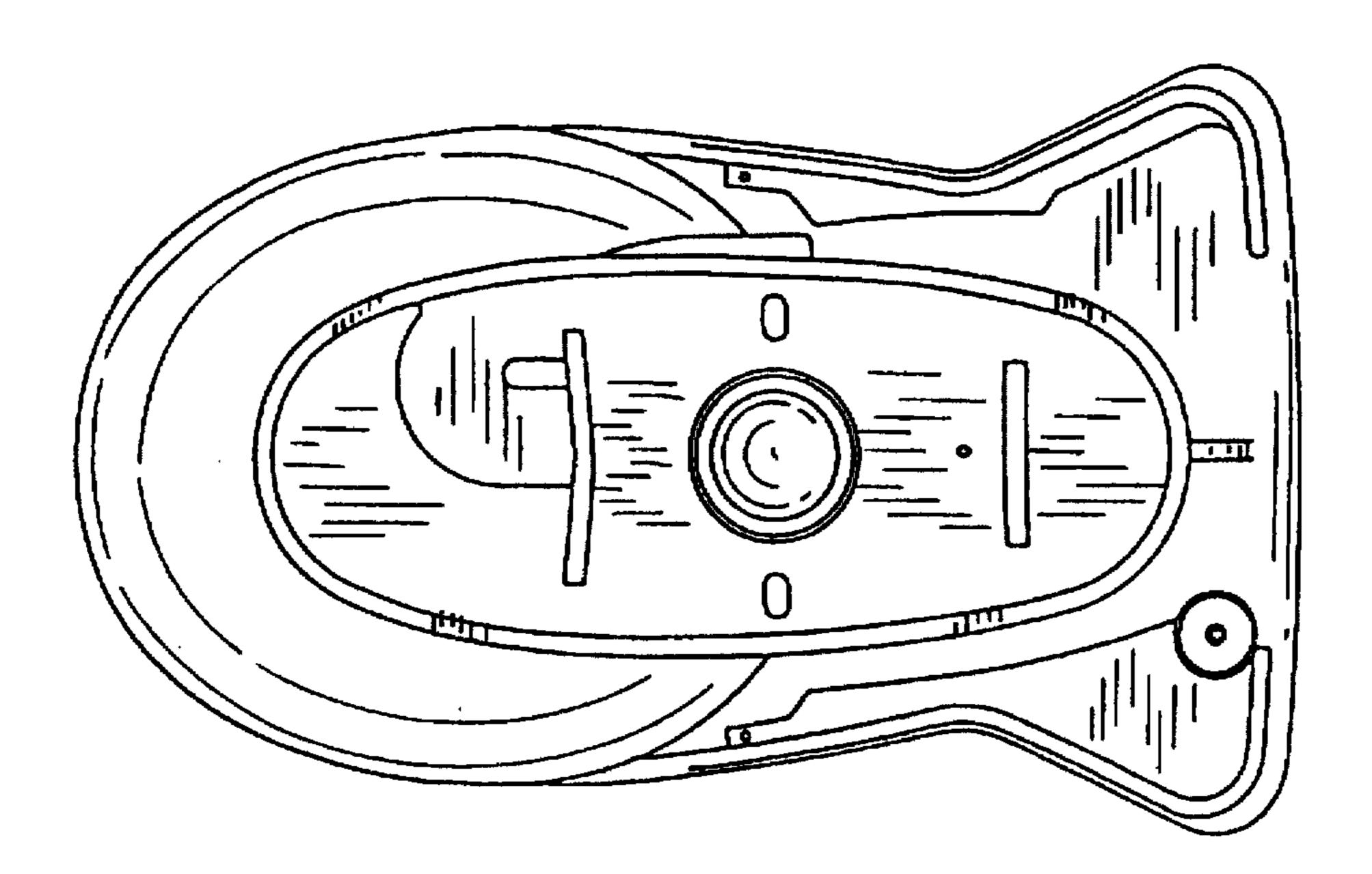












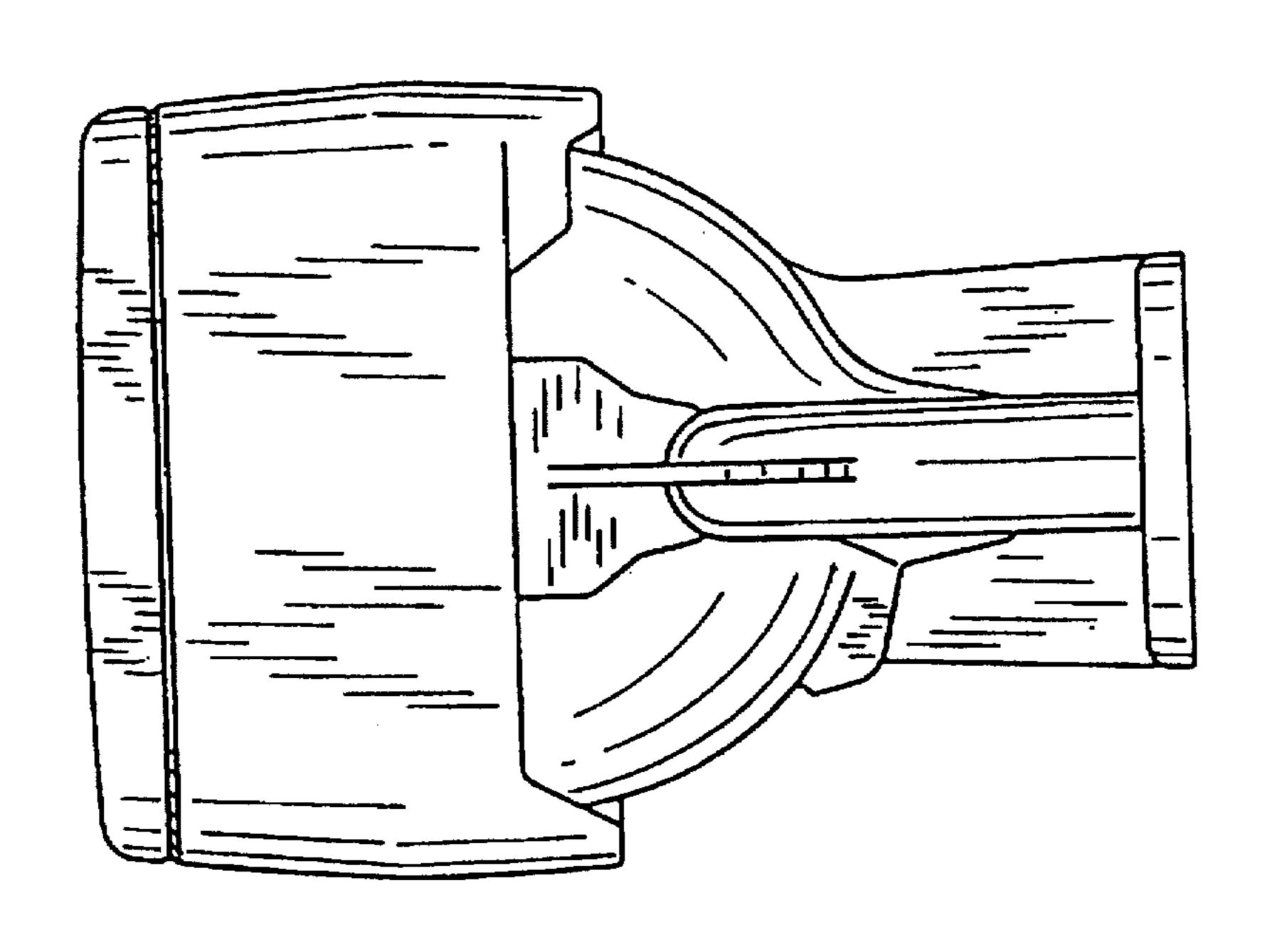


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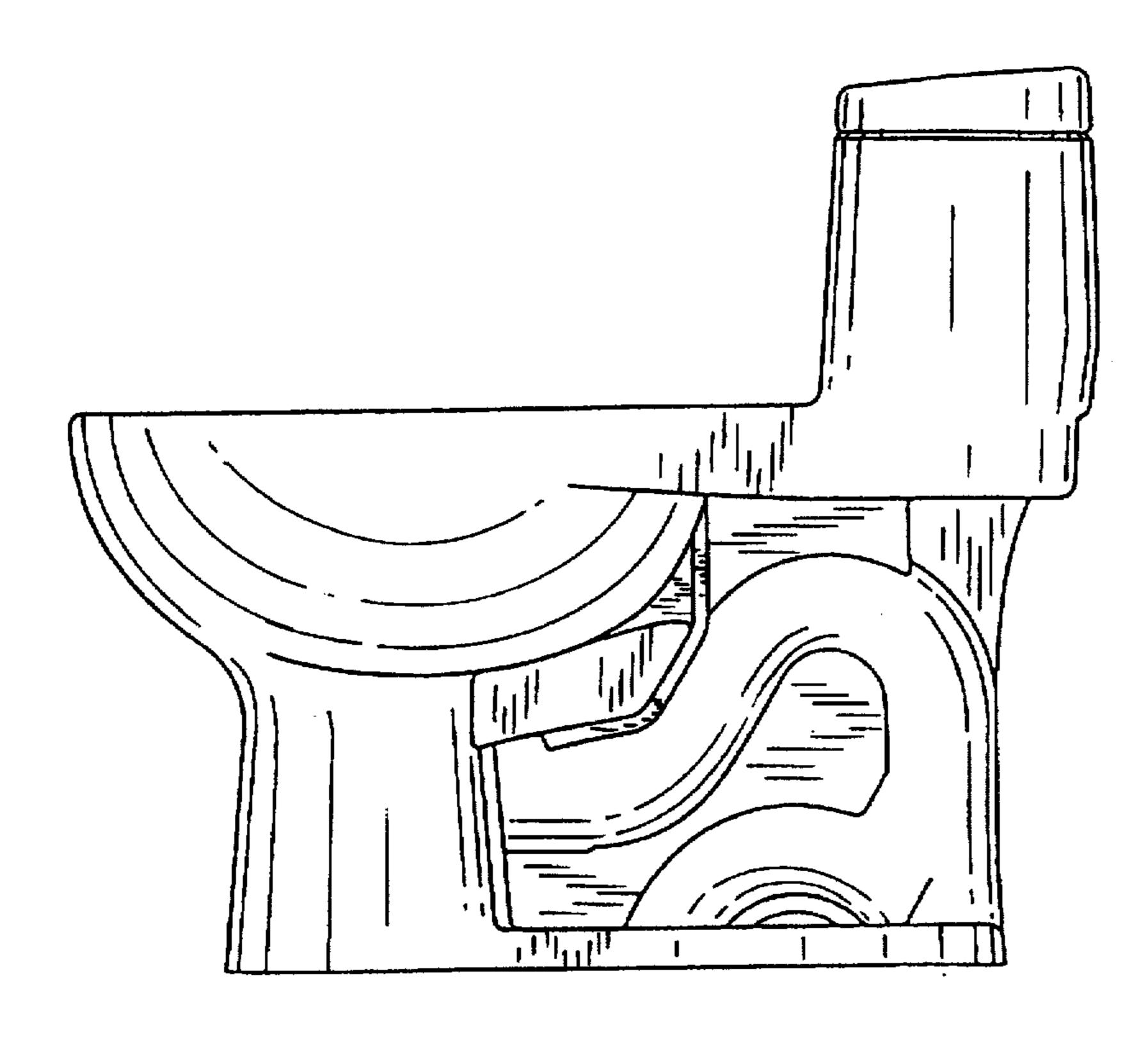


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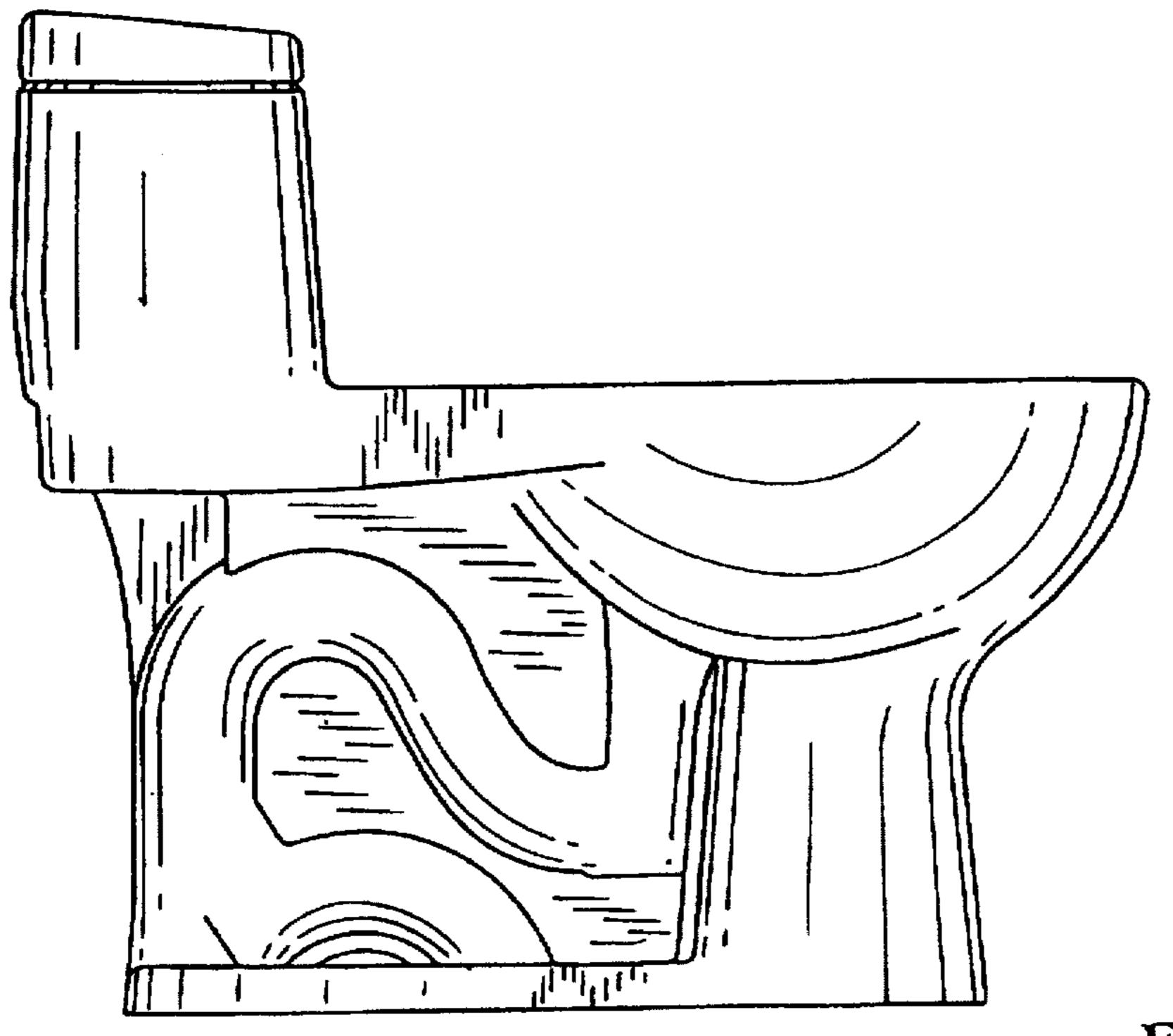


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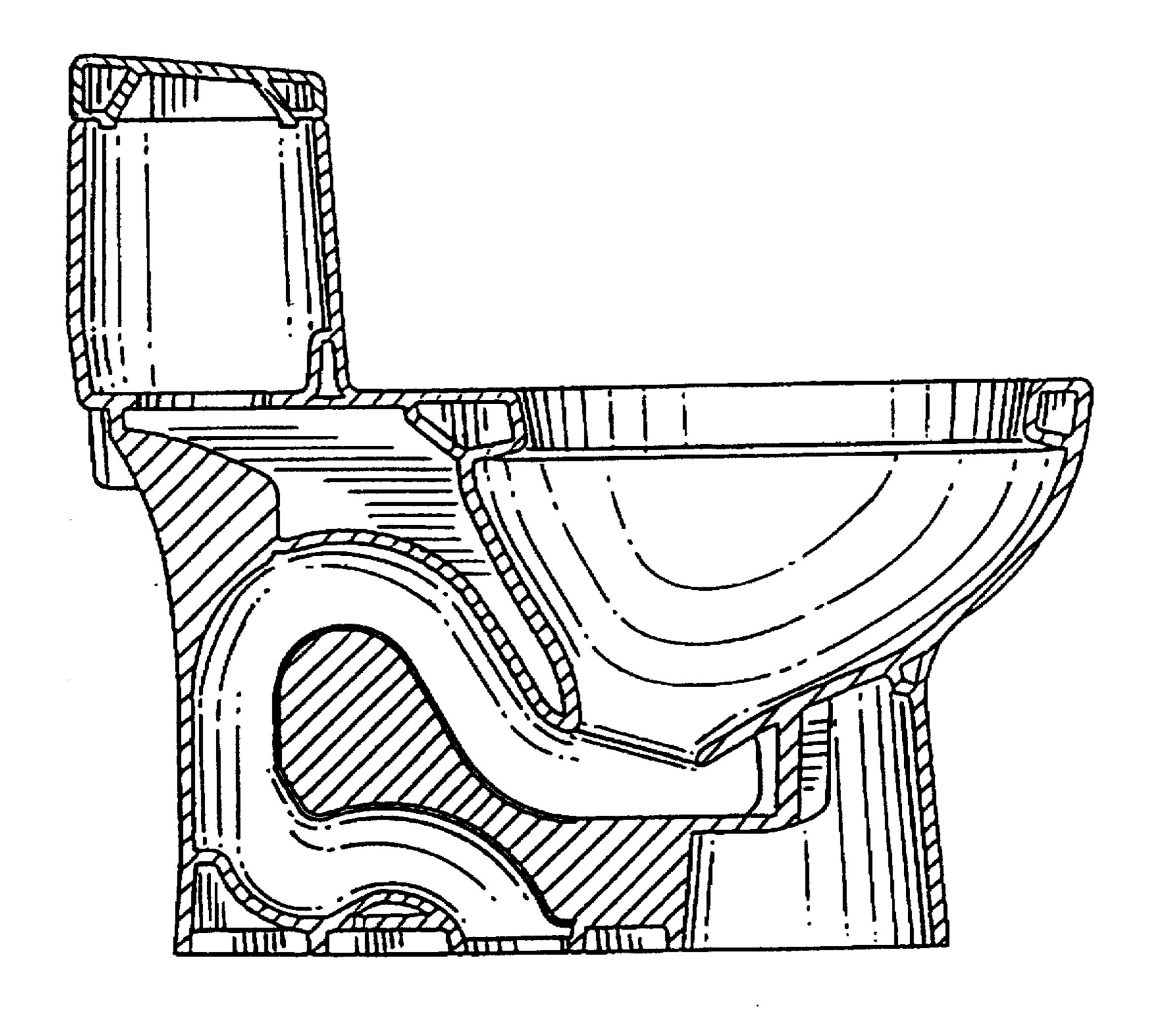
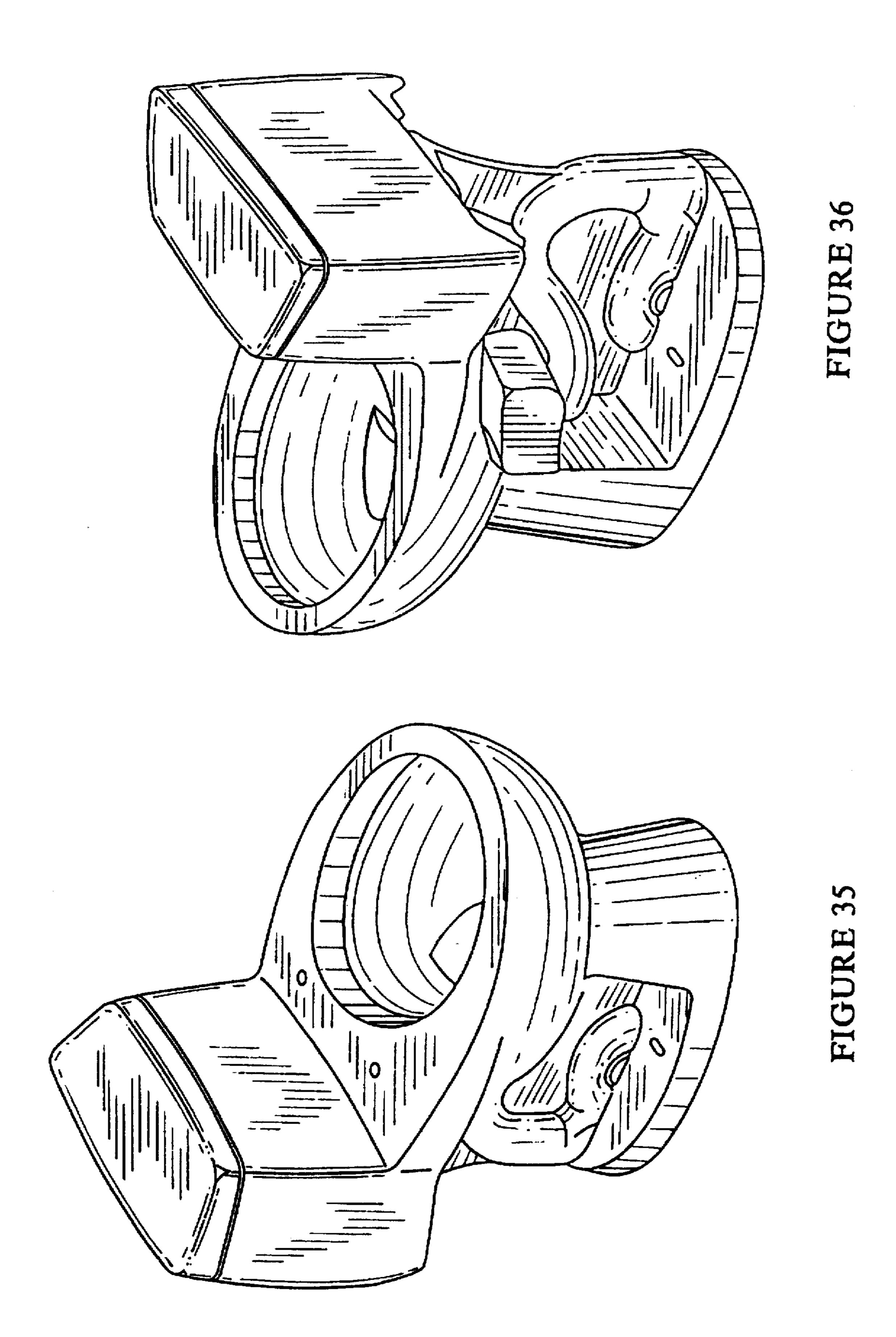


FIGURE 34



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

On the Title Page, in the Description, column 2,

line 12, "long" should read --along--;

line 30, "elevation" should read --elevational--; and

line 38, "long" should read --along--.

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