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- [54] **CONTROL FOR A CEILING FAN**
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[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a control for a ceiling fan, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a control for a ceiling fan showing my new design;

FIG. 2 is a front view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a right side view thereof, the left side, top, and bottom views being substantially the same; and,

FIG. 4 is a rear view thereof.

The broken lines in FIG. 1 are illustrative of environmental structure only and form no part of the claimed design.

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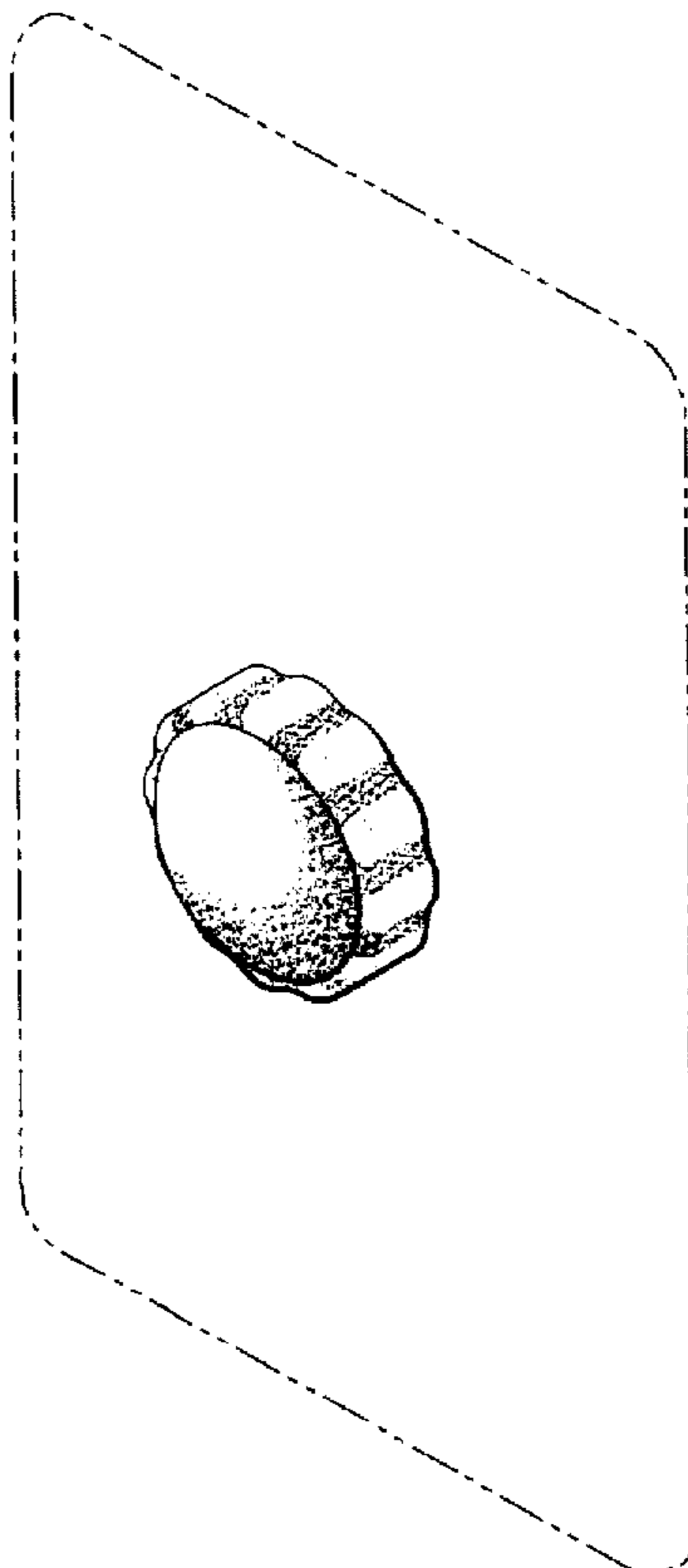
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1 Claim, 1 Drawing Sheet



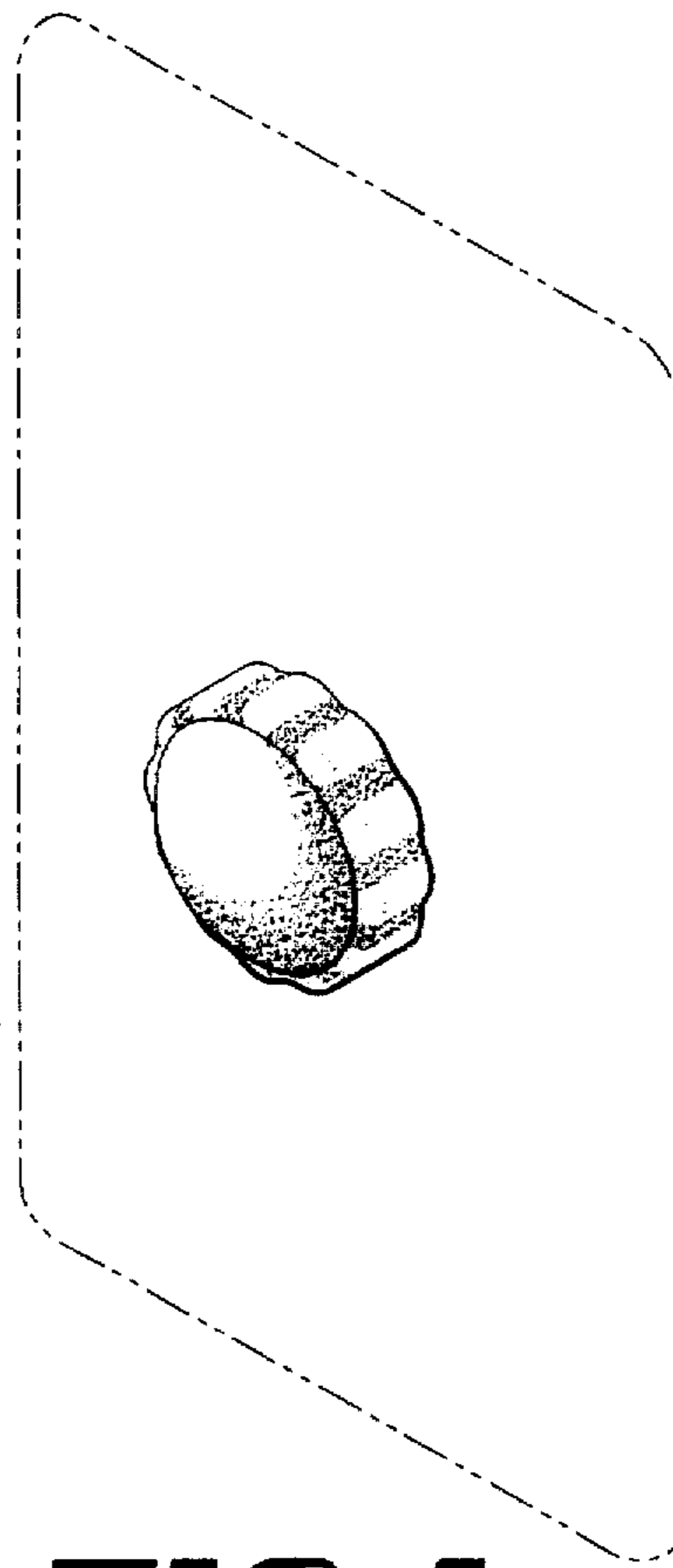


FIG 1

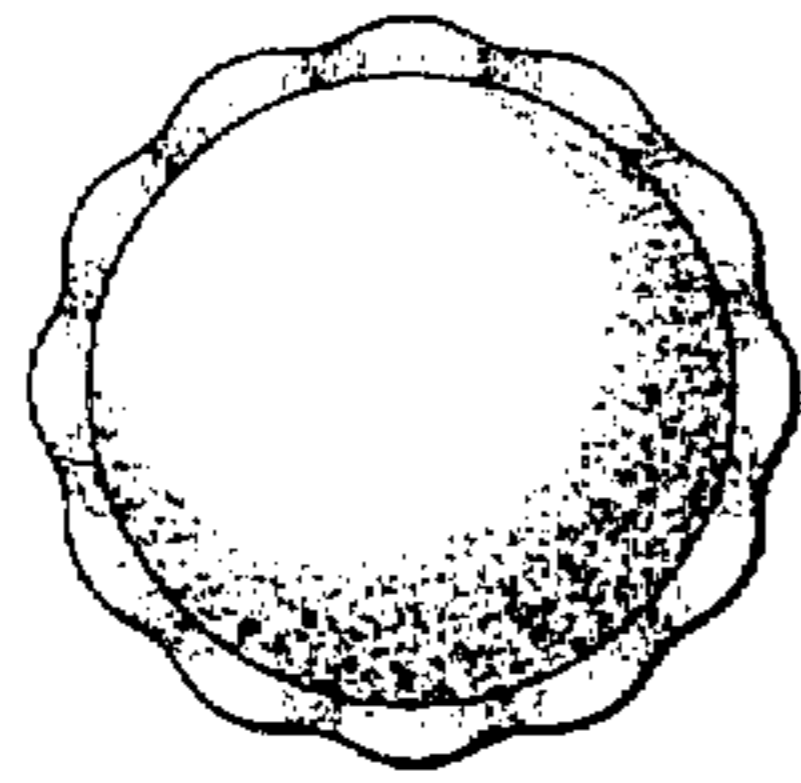


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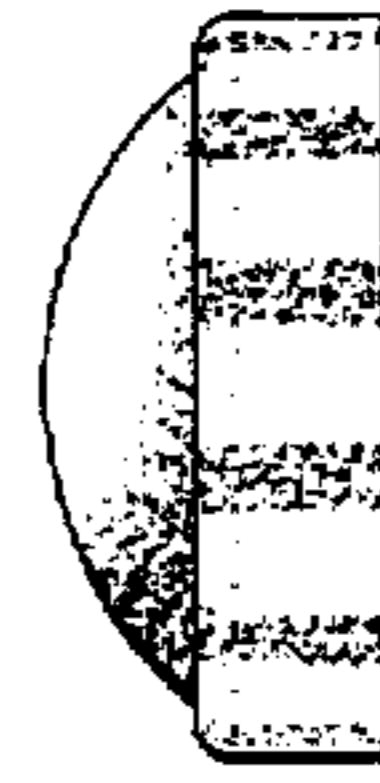


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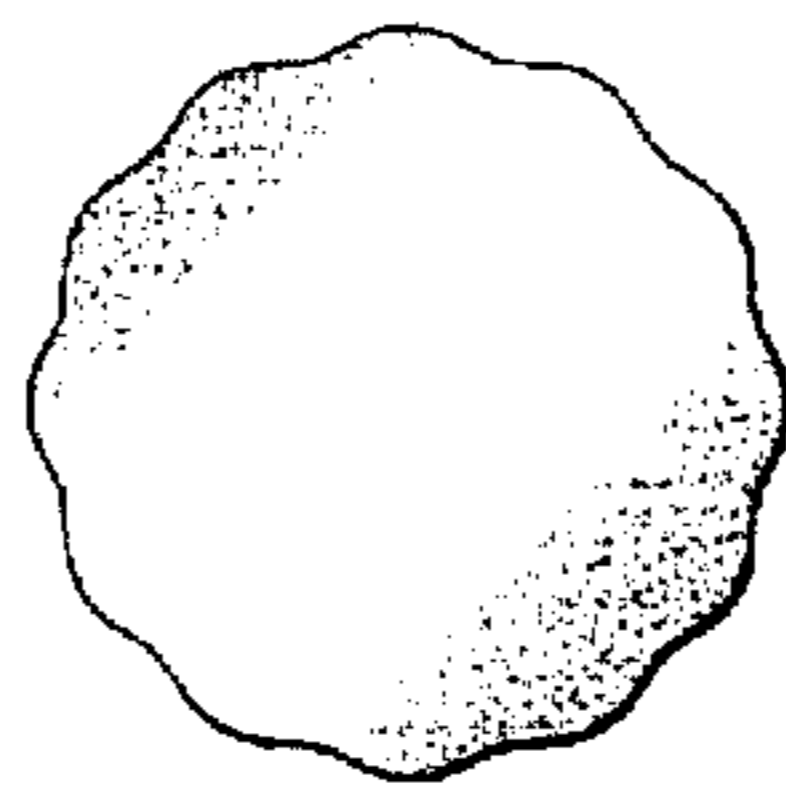


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