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[54] **ELEMENT OF A SHOE UPPER**

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[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for an element of a shoe upper, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

- FIG. 1 is a frontal perspective view of an element of a shoe upper showing my new design;
- FIG. 2 is a side elevational view of the element of a shoe upper shown in FIG. 1;
- FIG. 3 is a front elevational view of the element of a shoe upper shown in FIG. 1;

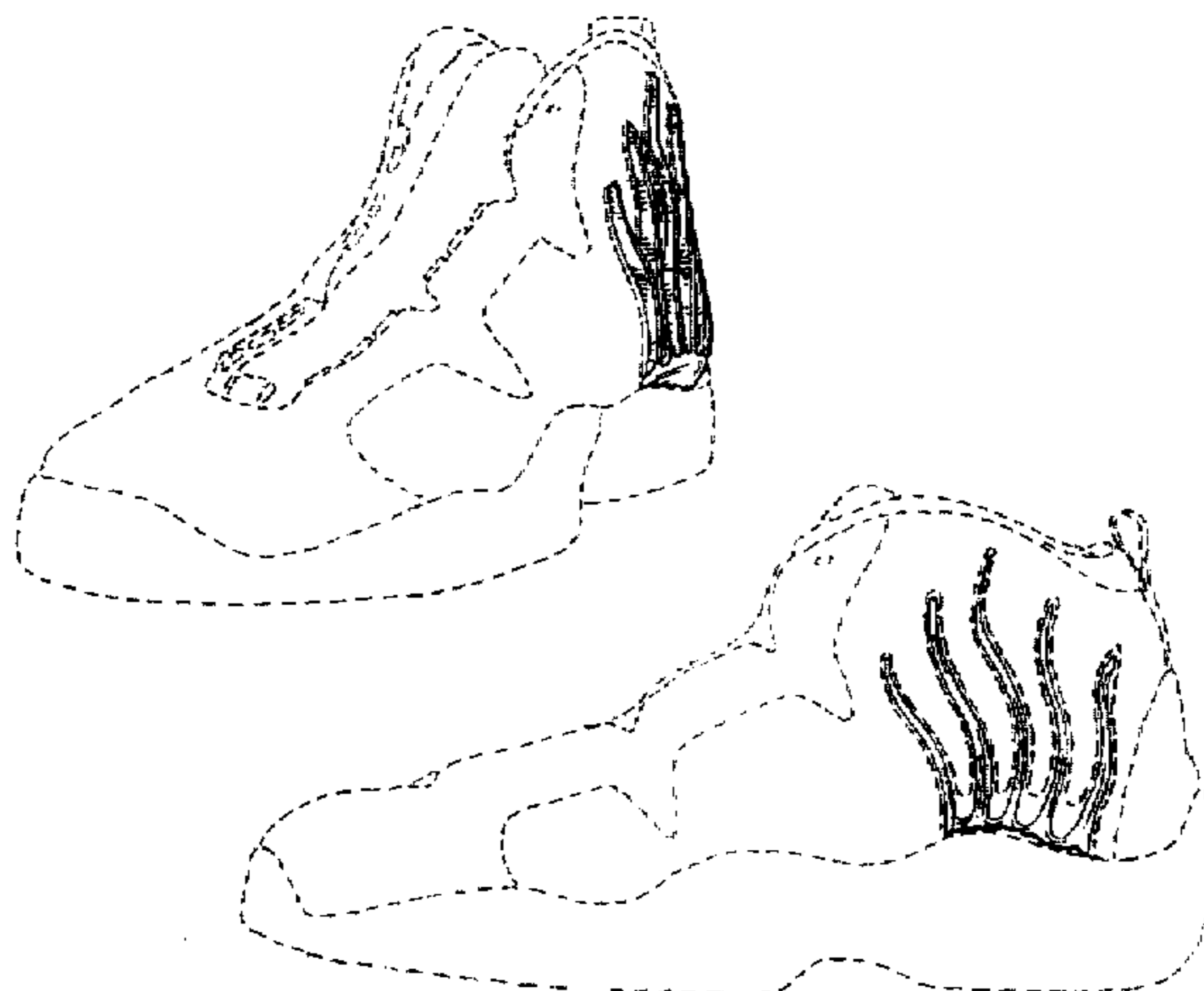


FIG. 4 is a rear elevational view of the element of a shoe upper shown in FIG. 1; and,

FIG. 5 is a top plan view of the element of a shoe upper shown in FIG. 1.

The broken line showing of the remainder of the shoe is for

illustration purposes only and form no part of the claimed design.

**1 Claim, 2 Drawing Sheets**

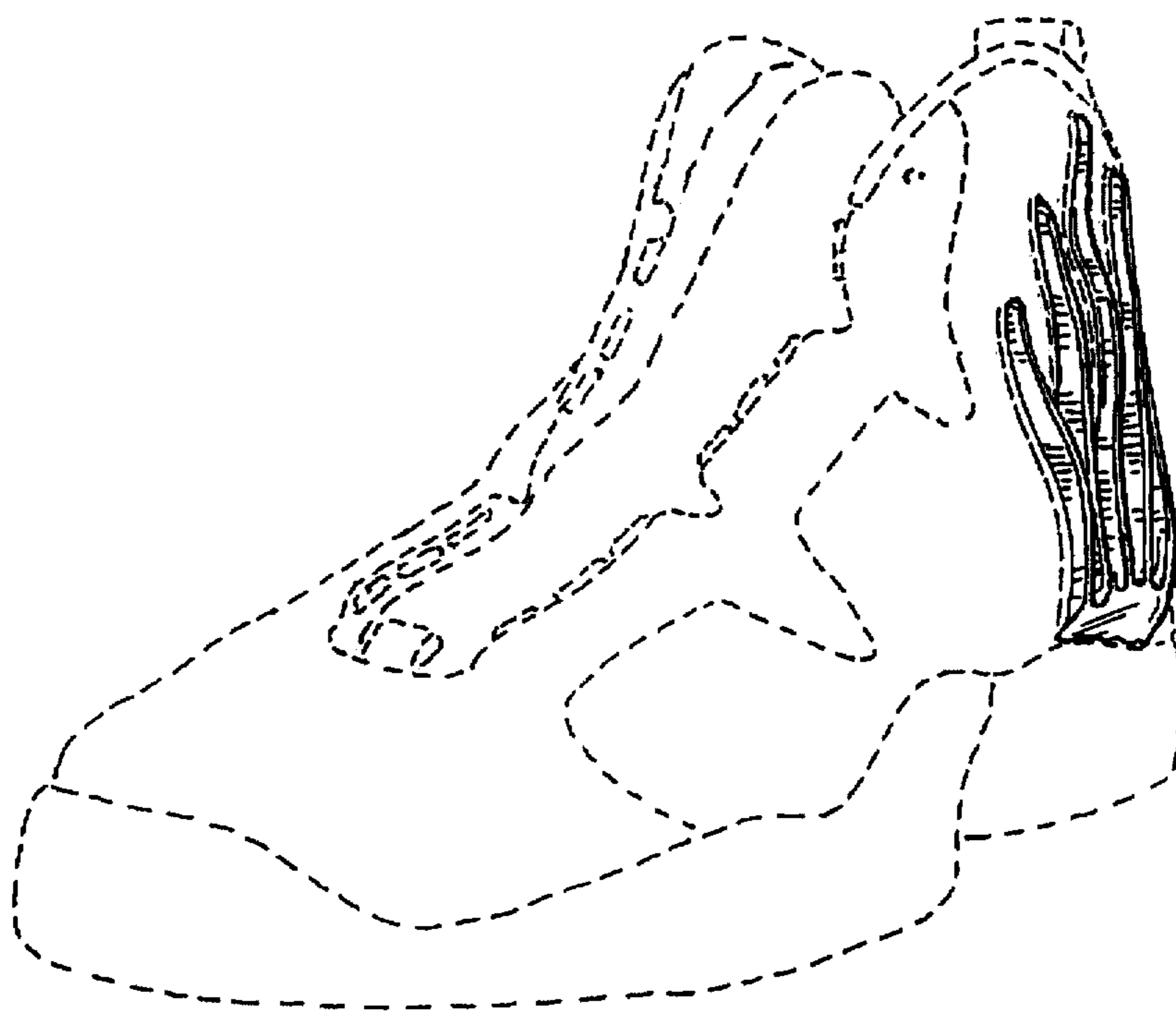


FIG. 1

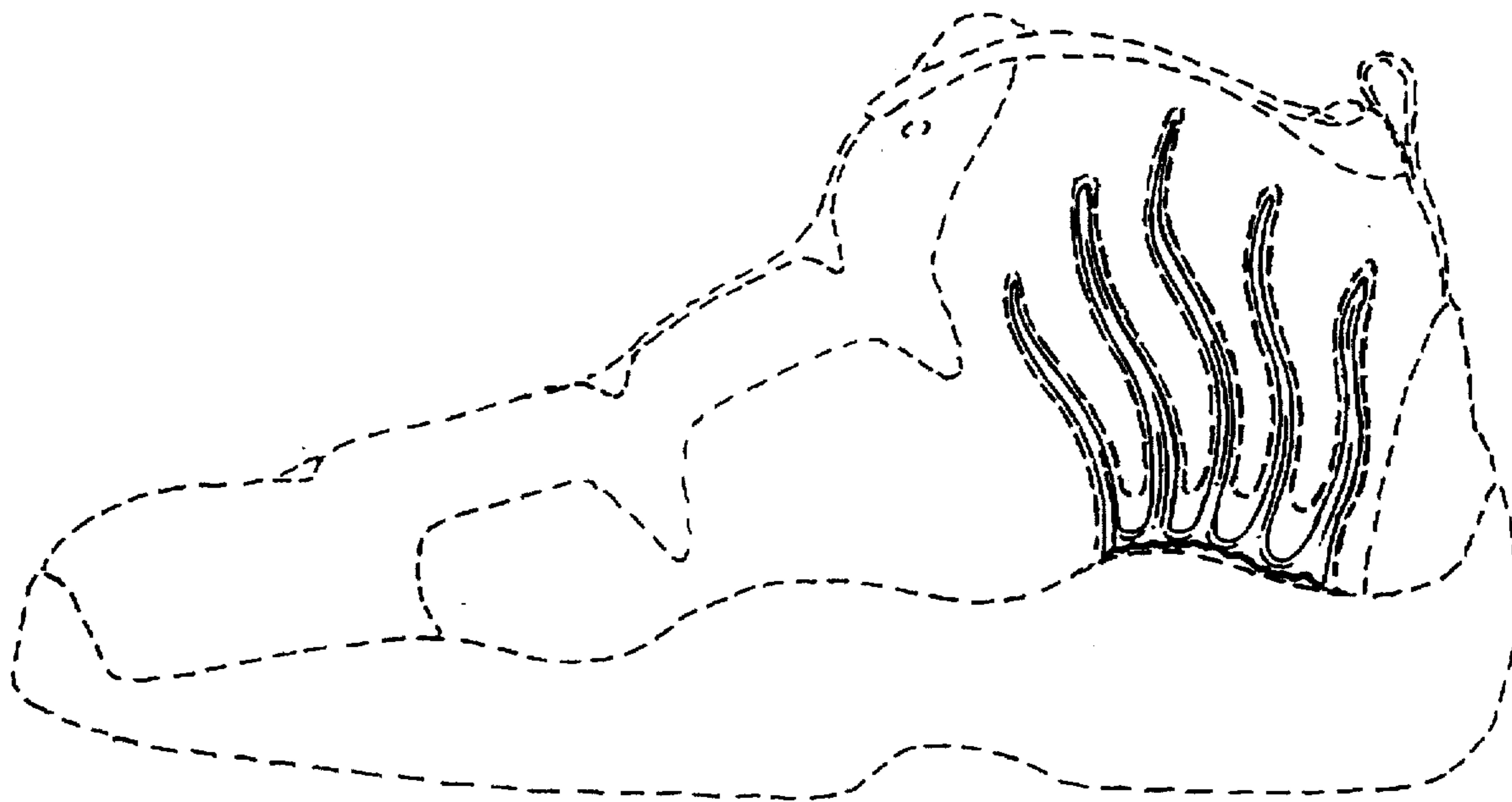


FIG. 2

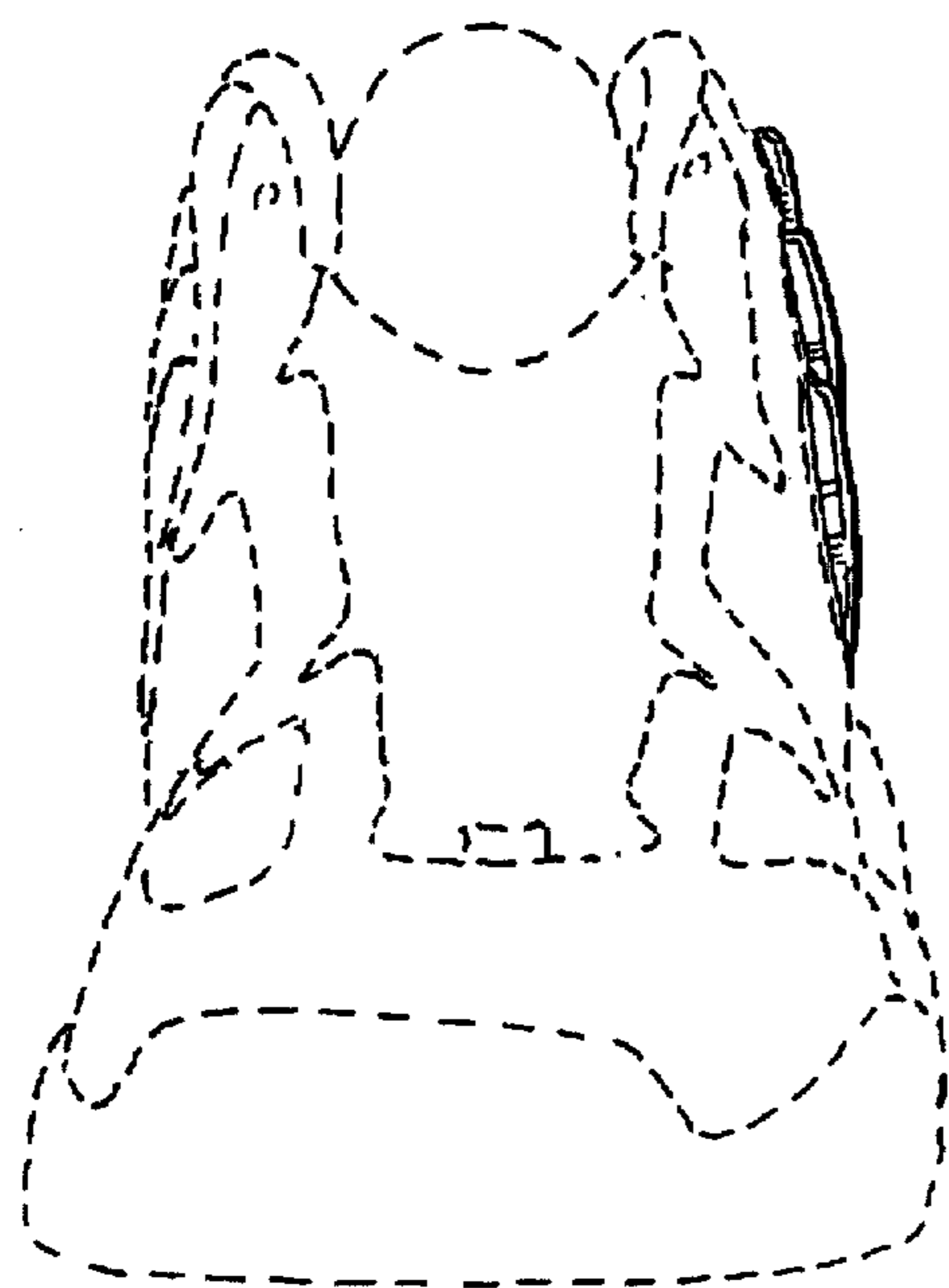


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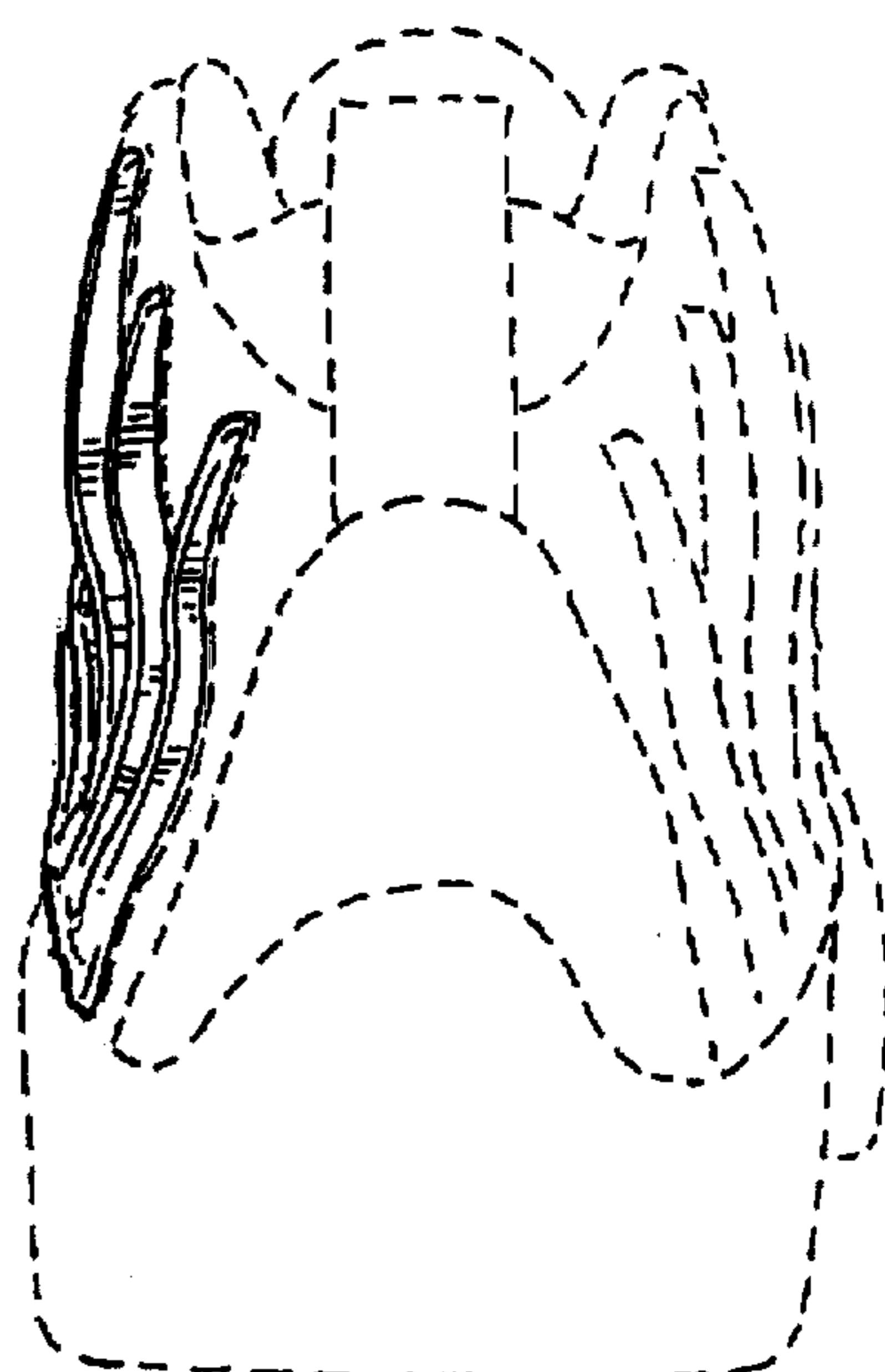


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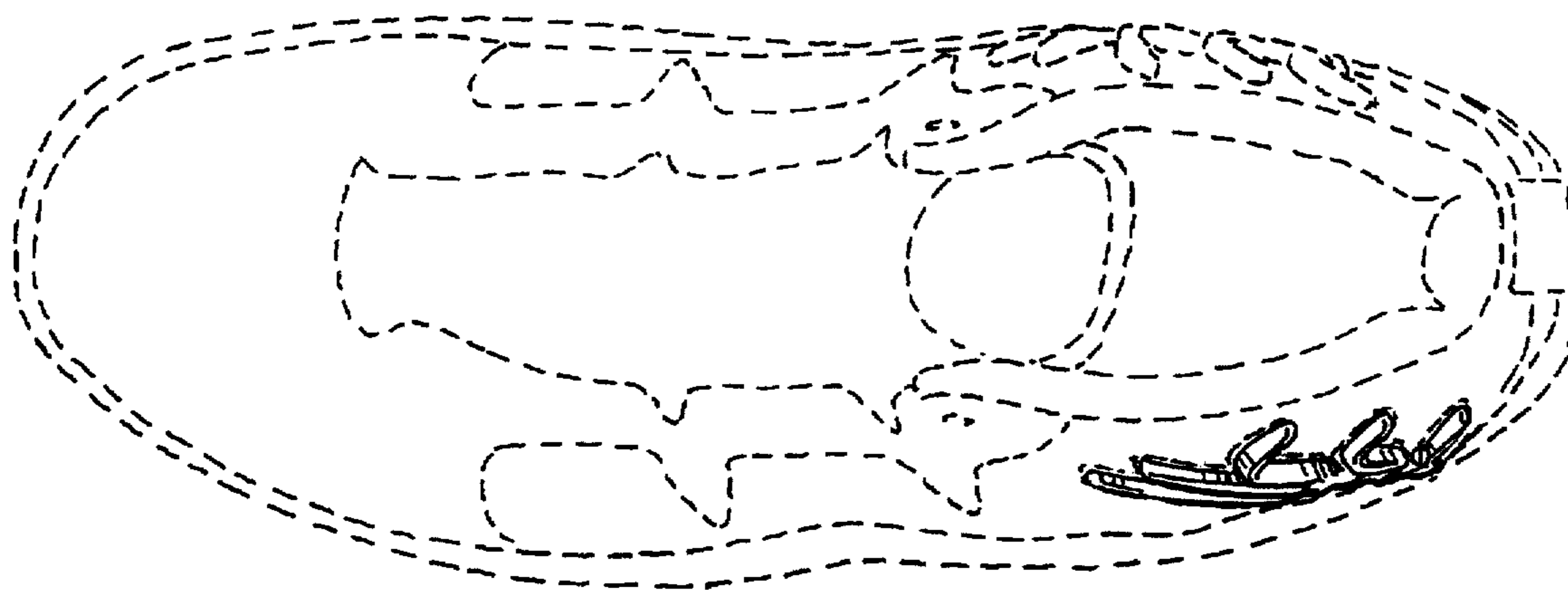


FIG. 5