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[54] **FROG PLAYGROUND SCULPTURE**
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CLAIM

The ornamental design for a frog playground sculpture, as shown and described.

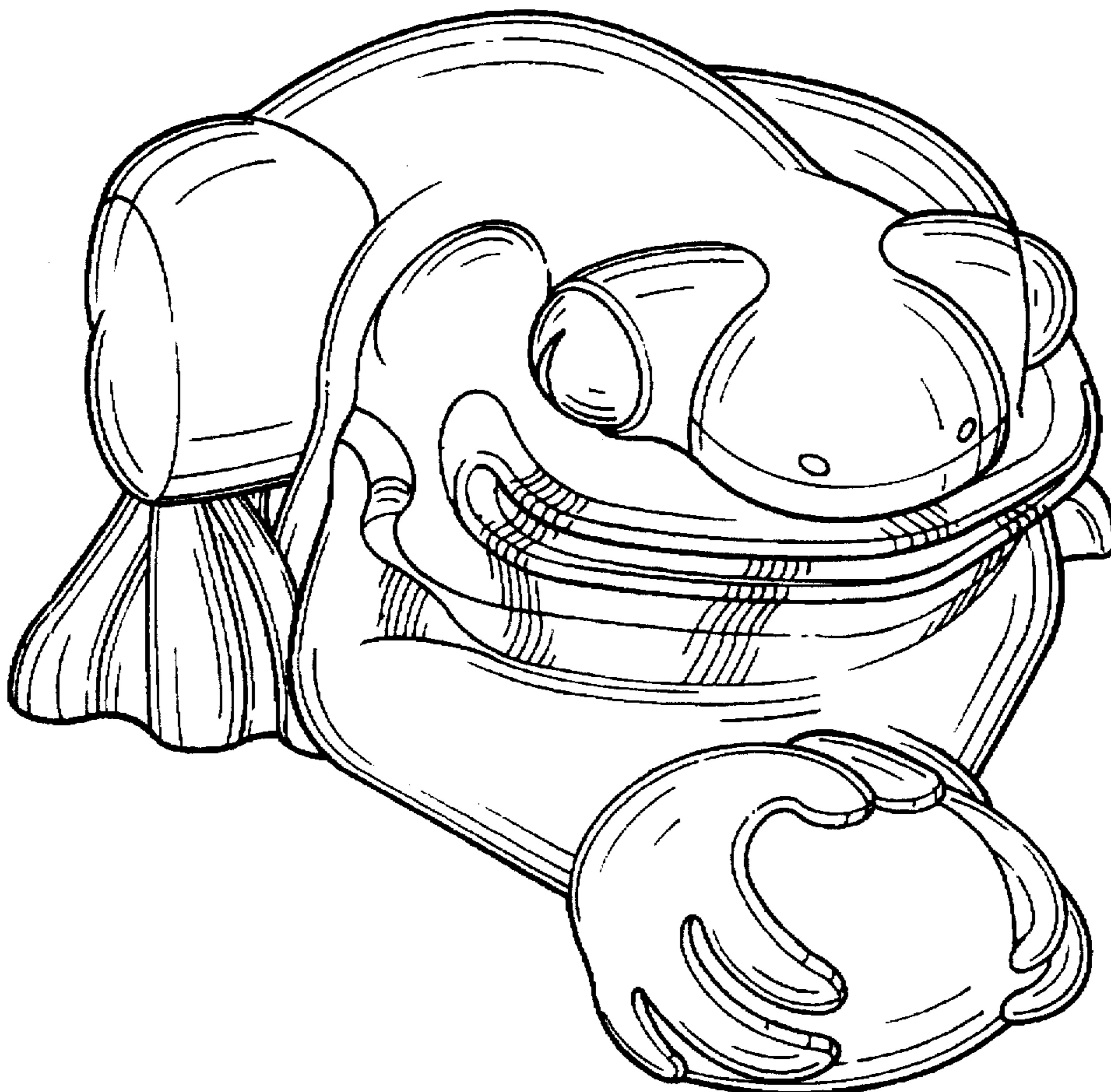
DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a top left front perspective view of a frog playground sculpture showing our new design;
FIG. 2 is a front elevational view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a top plan view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a left side elevational view thereof; the right side elevational view being a mirror image;
FIG. 5 is a rear elevational view thereof; and,
FIG. 6 is a bottom plan view thereof.

1 Claim, 3 Drawing Sheets

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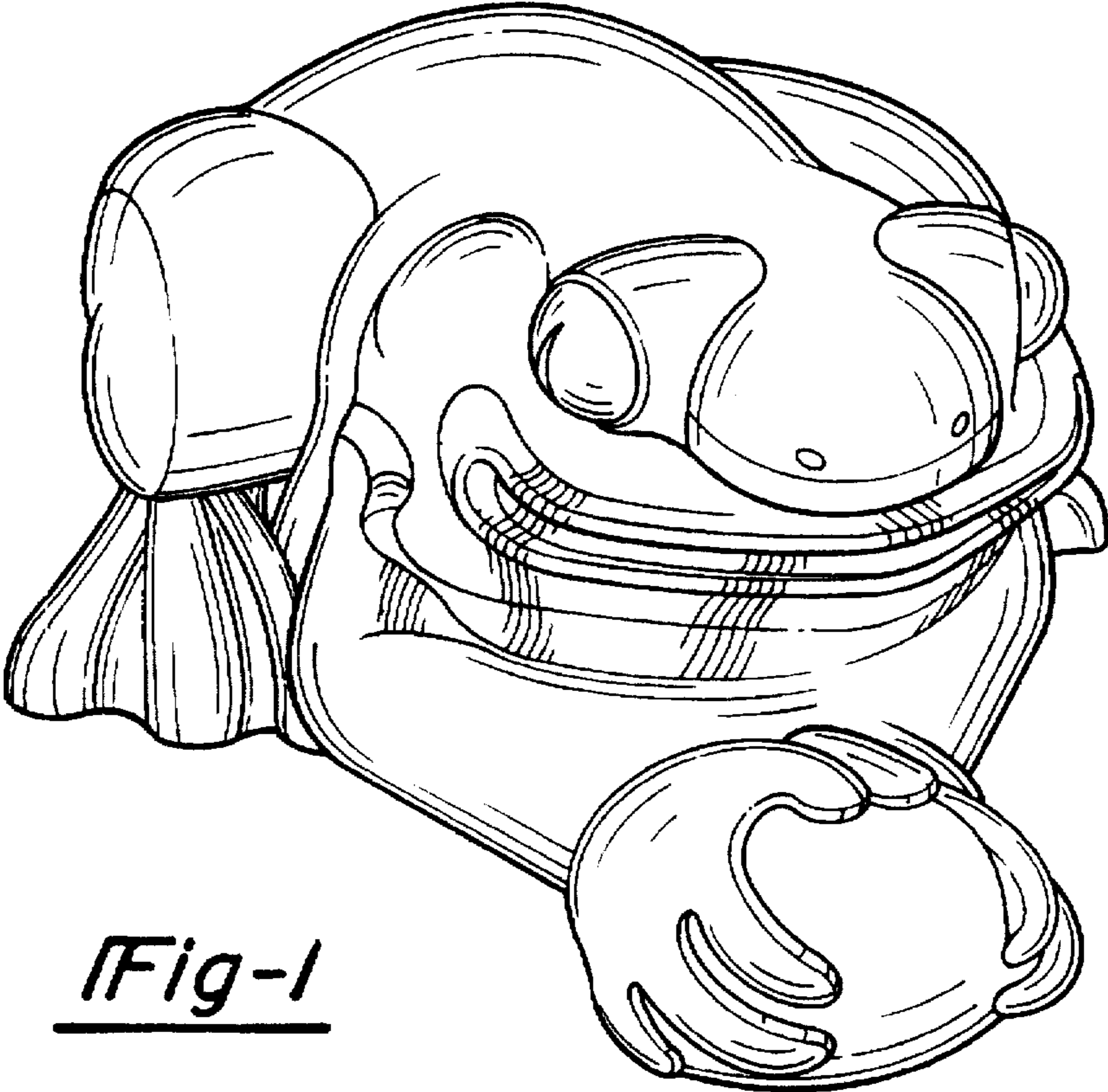


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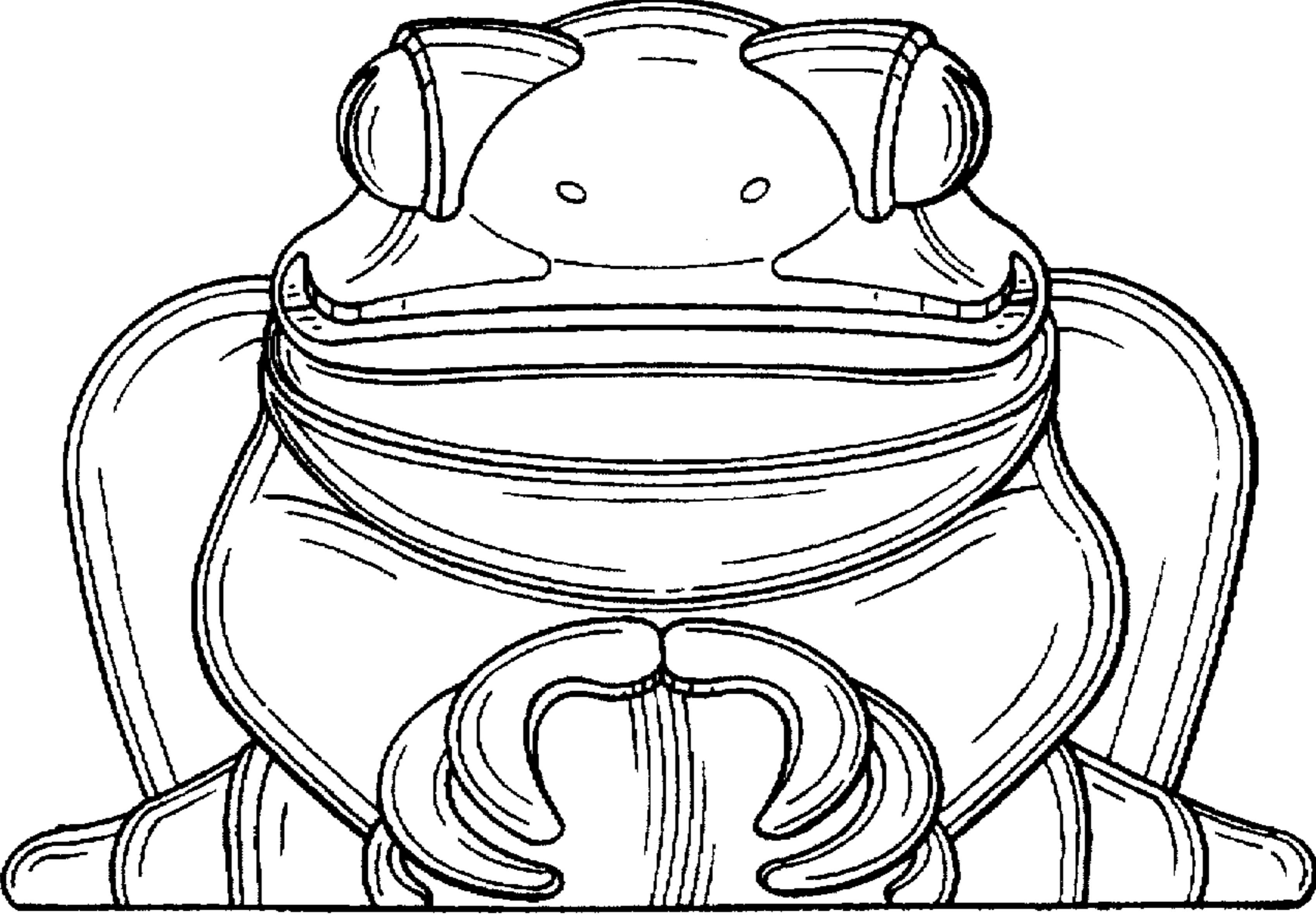


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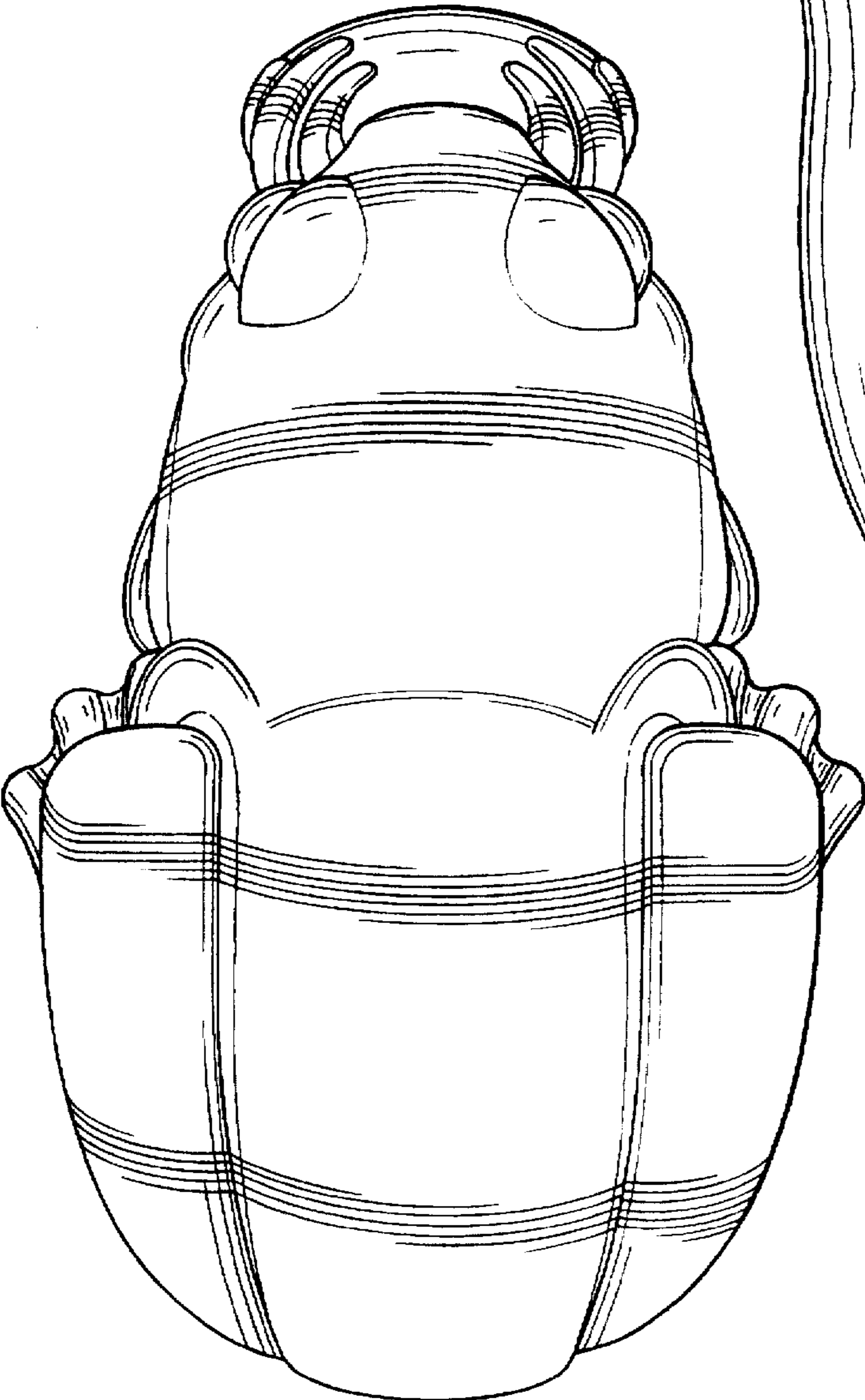
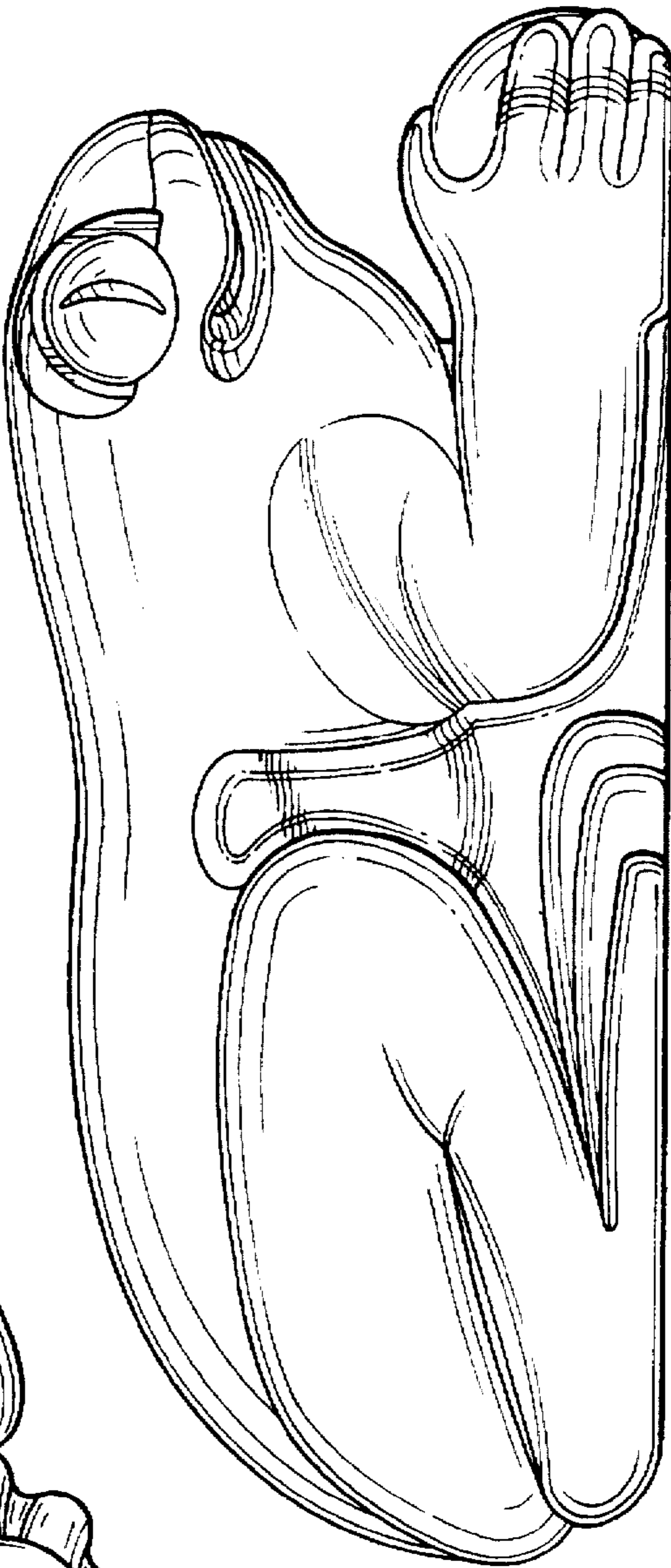


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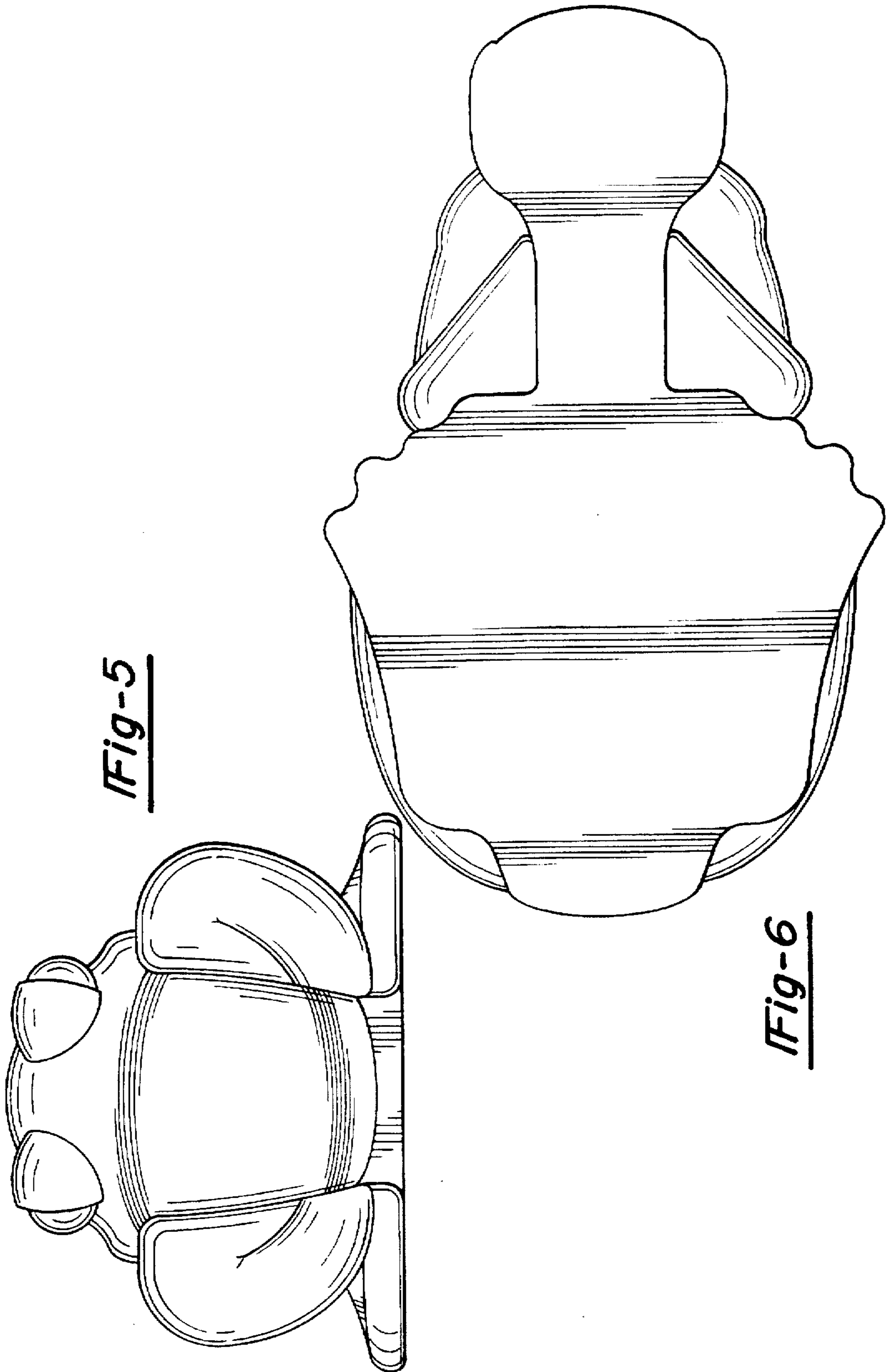


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