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[54] **WATER CLOSET**

[57] **CLAIM**

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

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DESCRIPTION

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

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

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FIG. 2 is a top plan view thereof;

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FIG. 3 is a rear elevational view thereof;

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FIG. 4 is a bottom plan view thereof;

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FIG. 5 is a left elevational view thereof;

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FIG. 6 is a right elevational view thereof;

[52] **U.S. Cl.** **D23/301**

FIG. 7 is a cross-sectional view thereof taken along line 7—7 in FIG. 1;

[58] **Field of Search** D23/295, 298,
D23/299, 300, 301; 4/353, 421, 424, 428,
430, 300, 664, DIG. 2

FIG. 8 is a right front perspective view thereof;

FIG. 9 is a left rear perspective view thereof;

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FIG. 10 is a front elevation 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 16—16 in FIG. 19;

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

FIG. 27 is a left 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;

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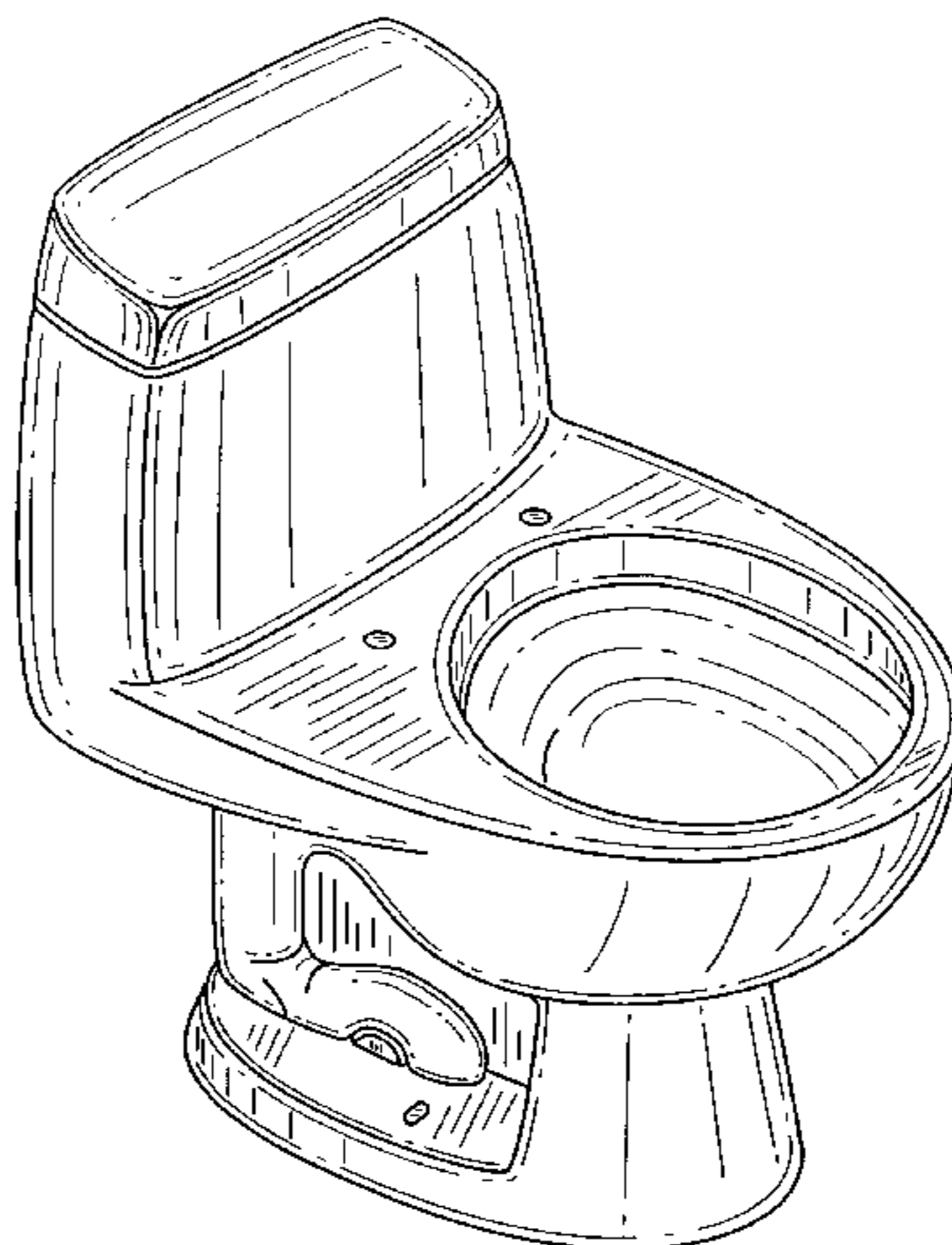


FIG. 30 is a rear elevational view of the fourth embodiment;
FIG. 31 is a bottom plan view of the fourth embodiment;
FIG. 32 is a left elevational view of the fourth embodiment;
FIG. 33 is a right elevational view of the fourth embodiment;
FIG. 34 is a cross-sectional view of the fourth embodiment
taken 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 embodi-
ment.

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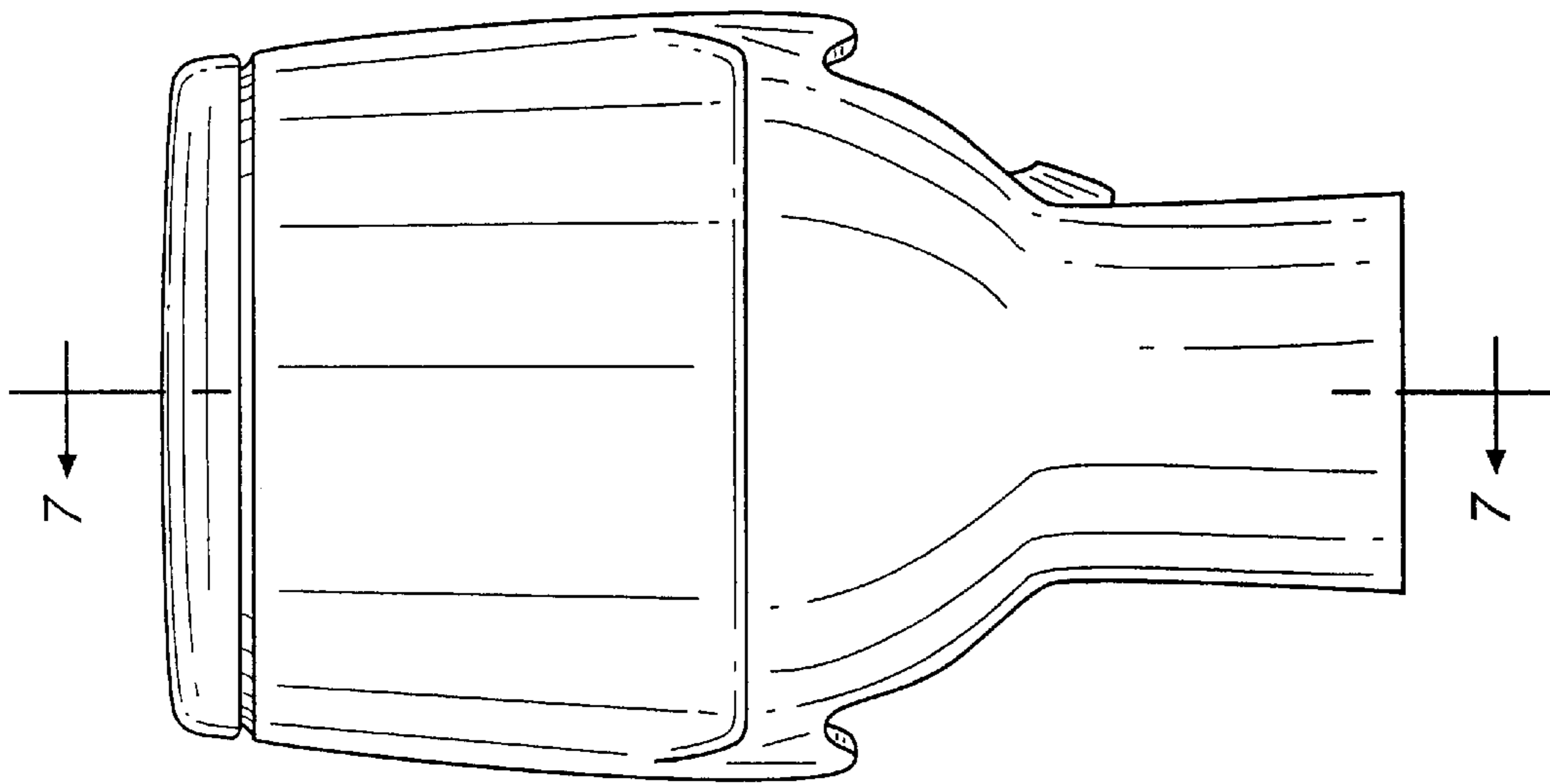


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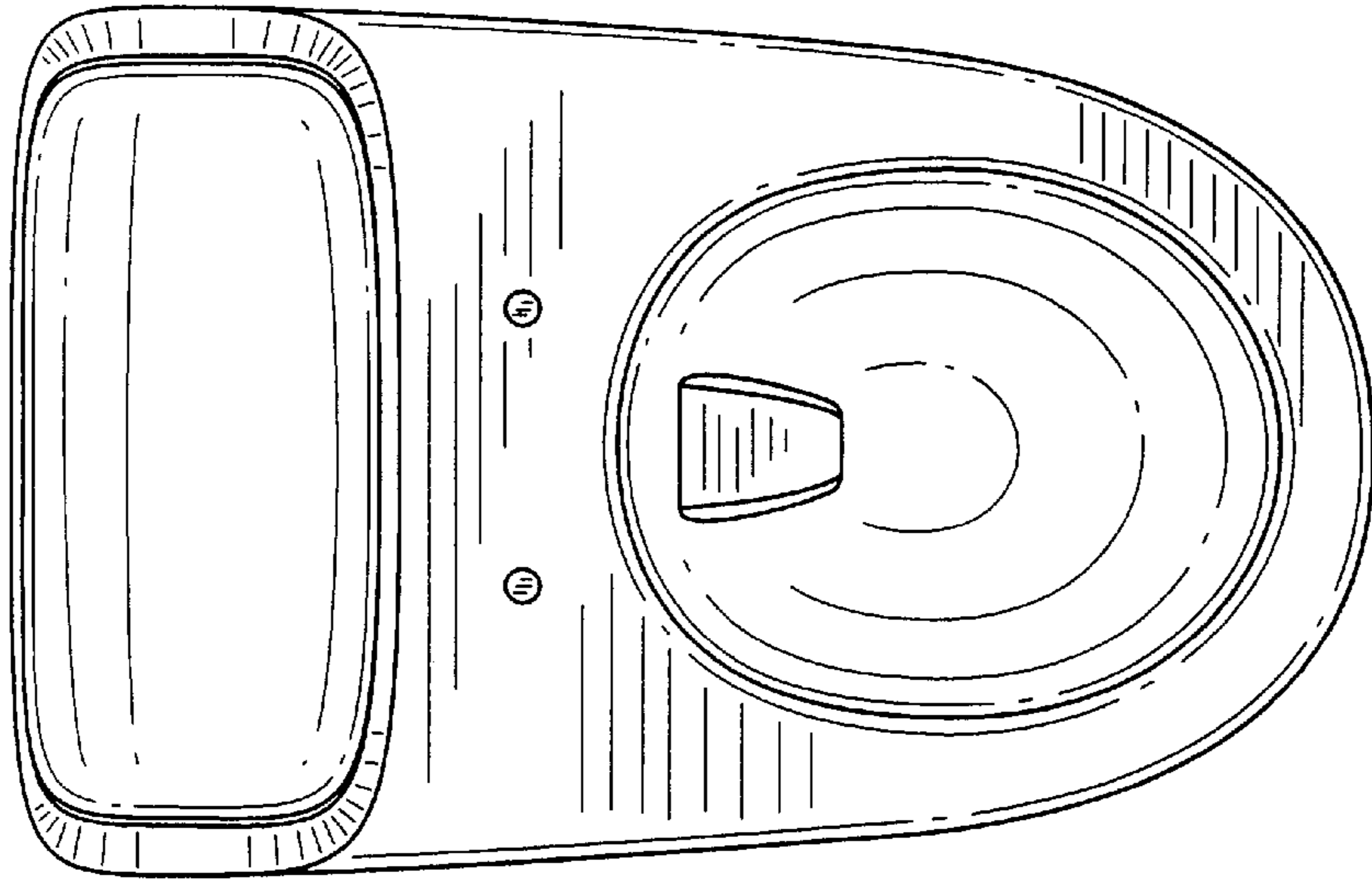


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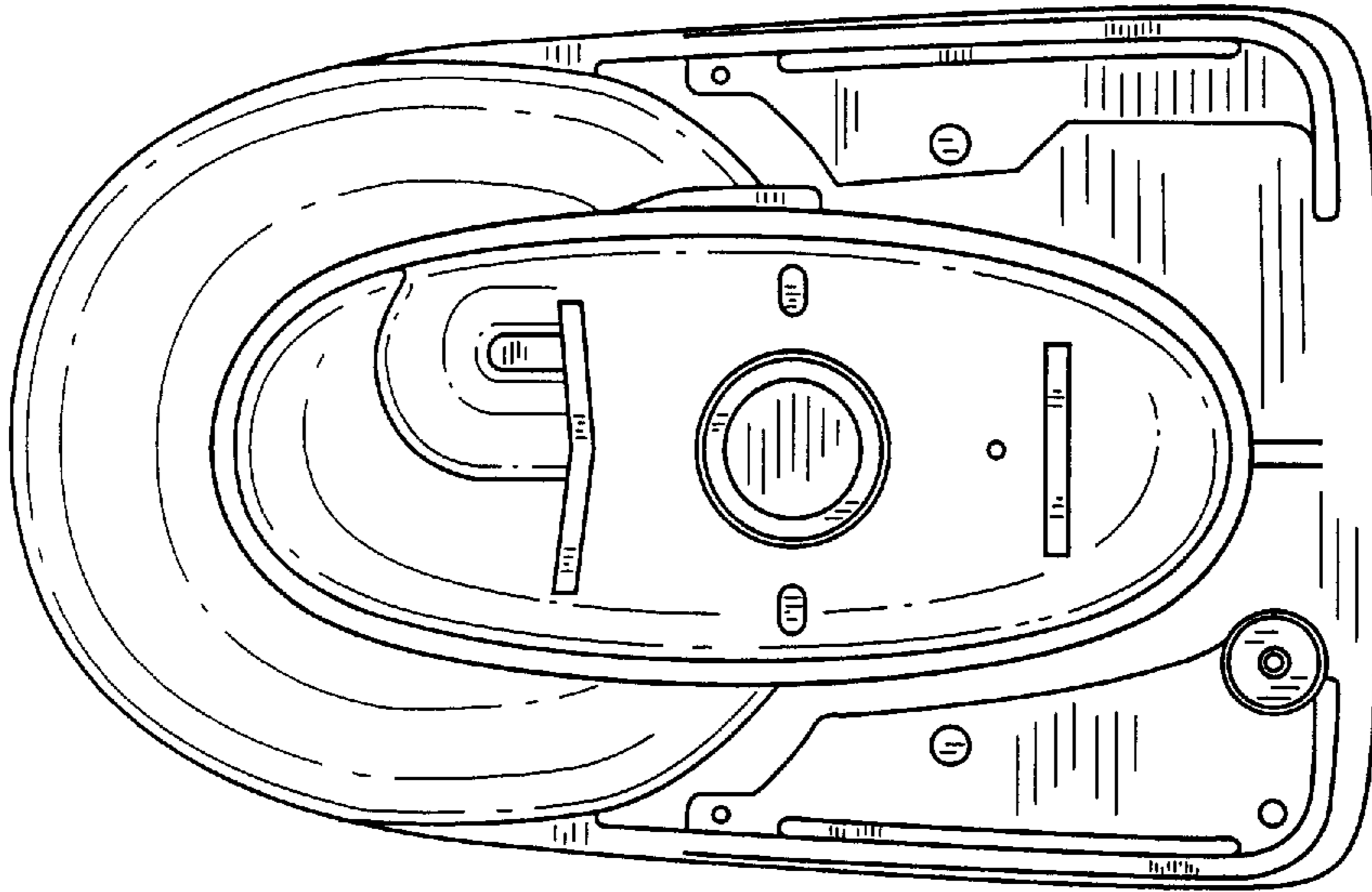


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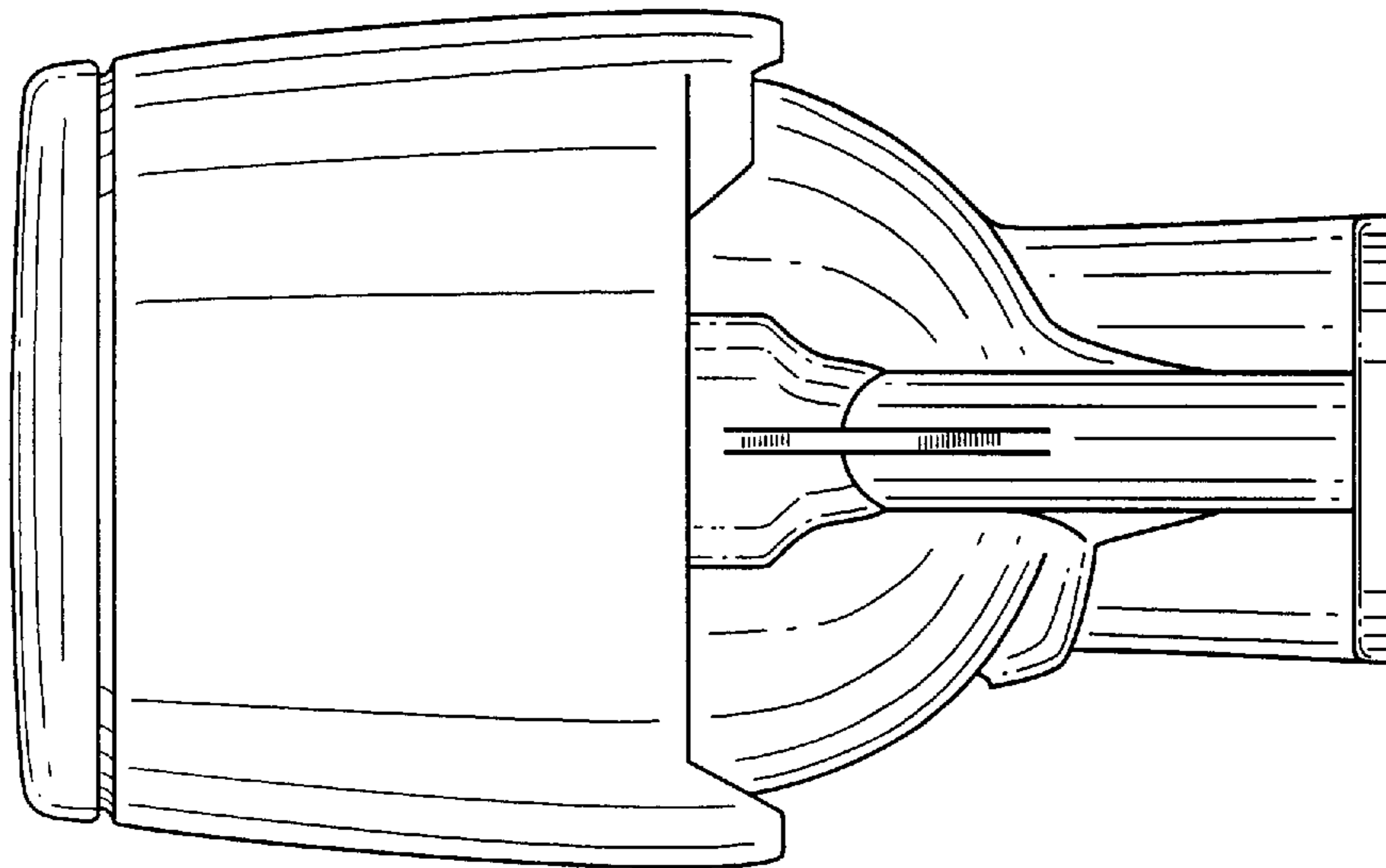


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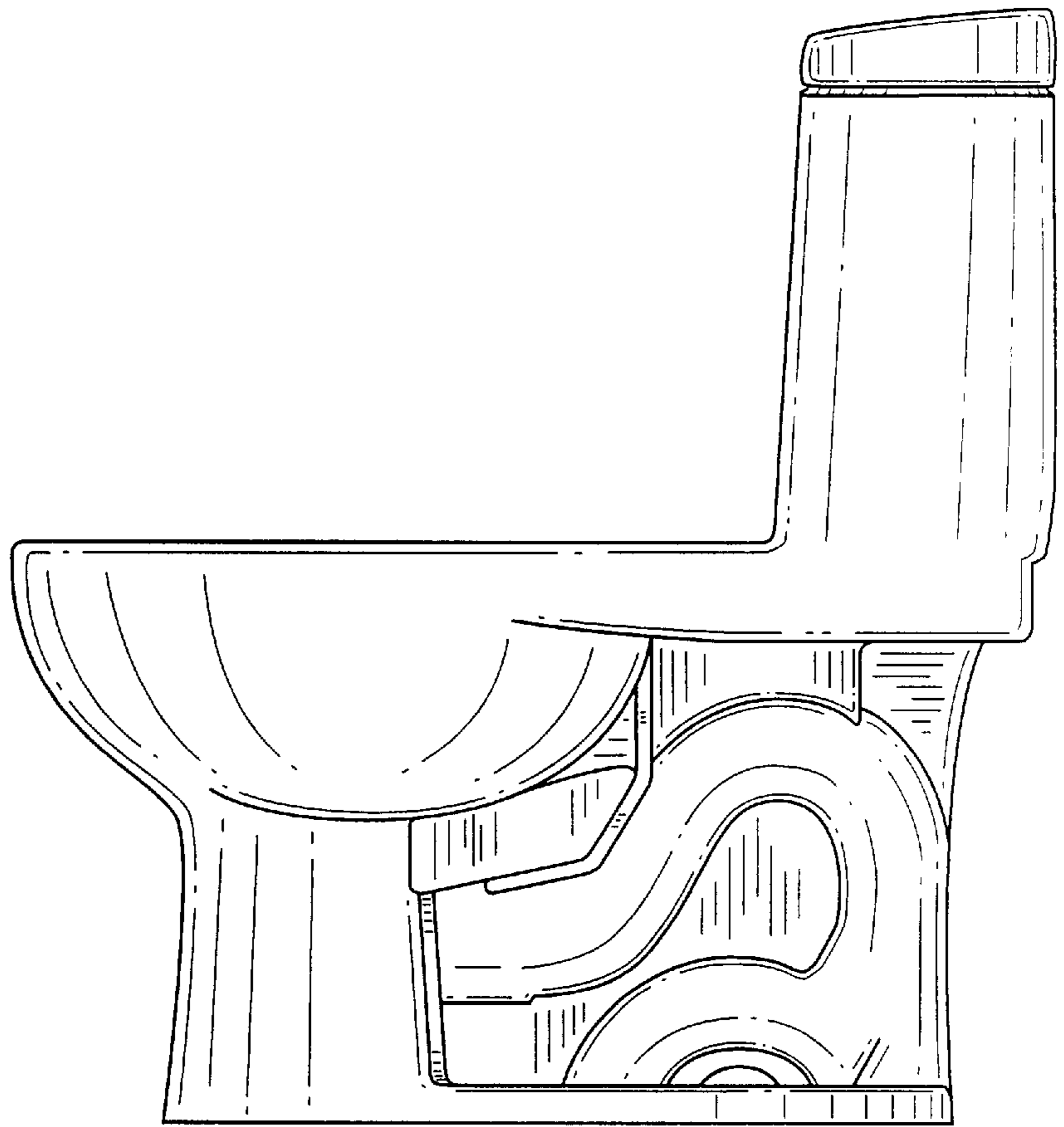


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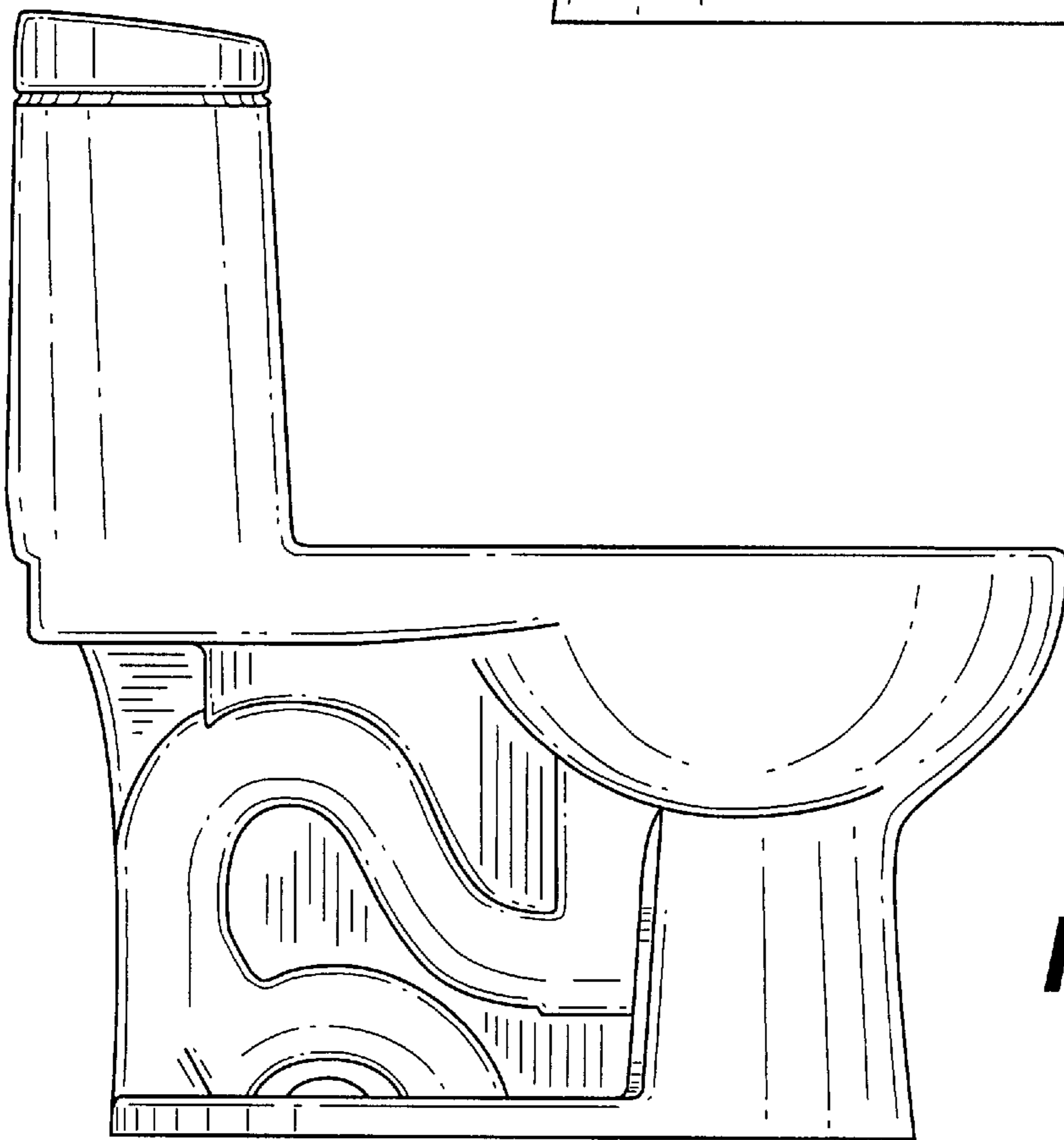


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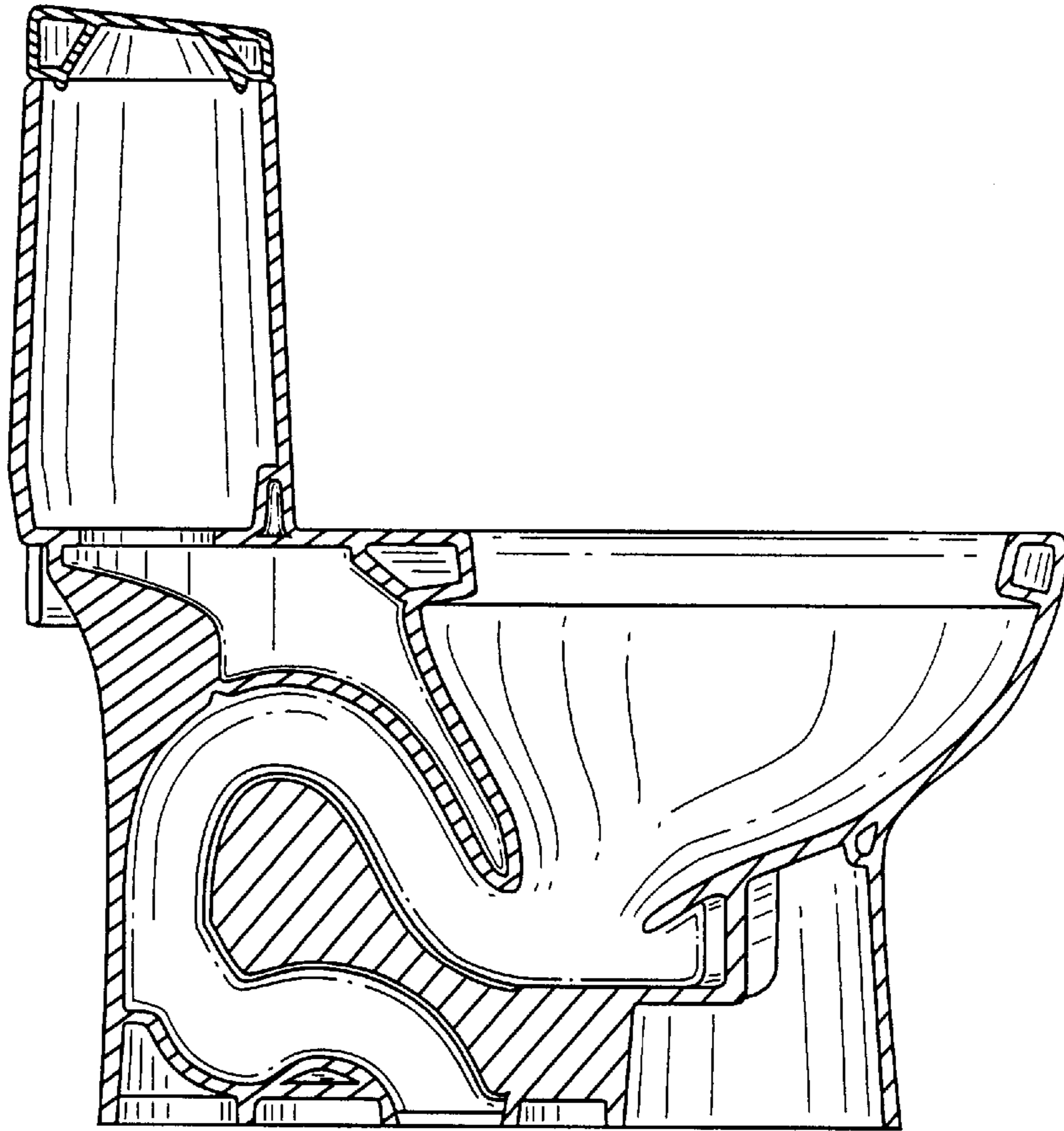


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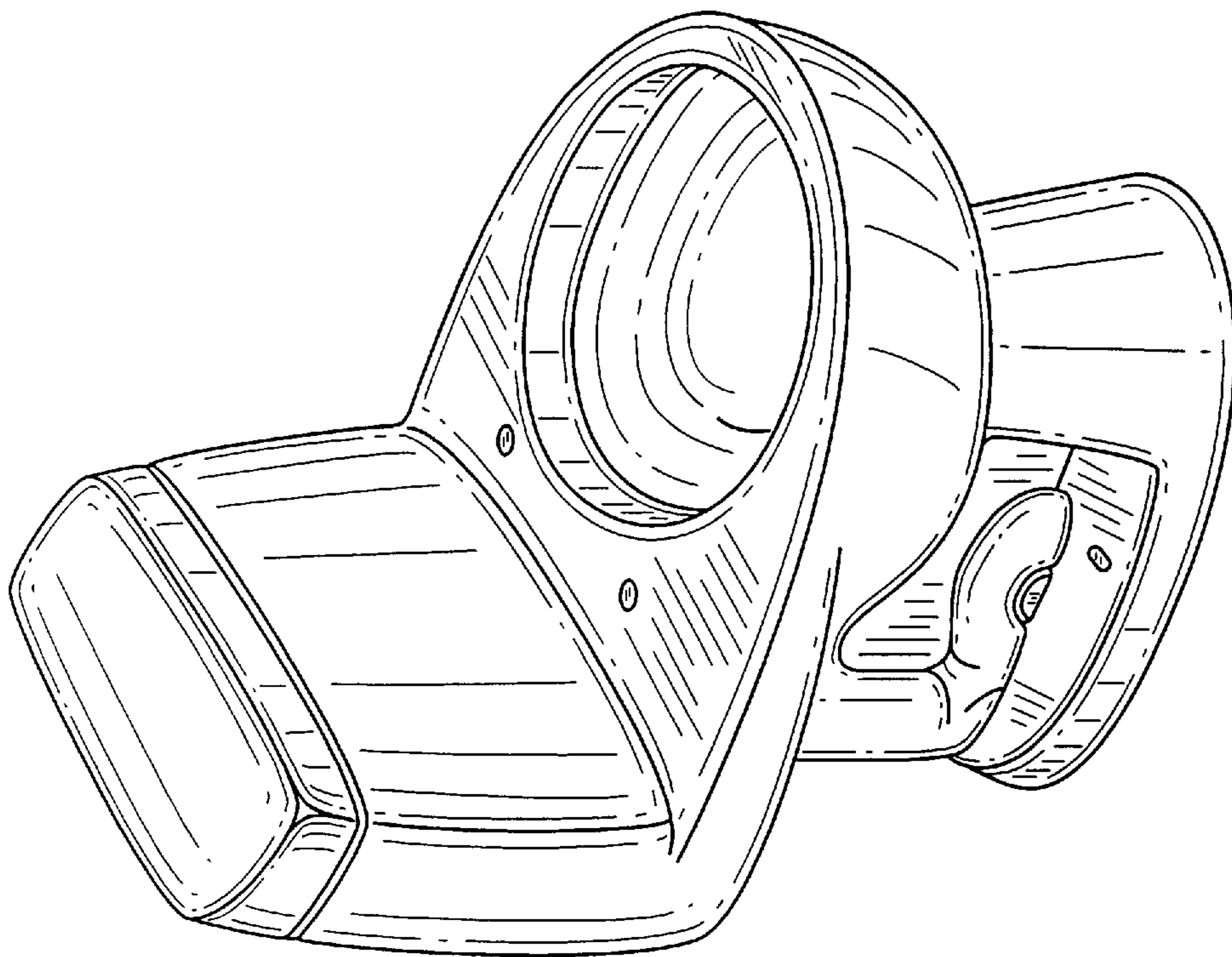


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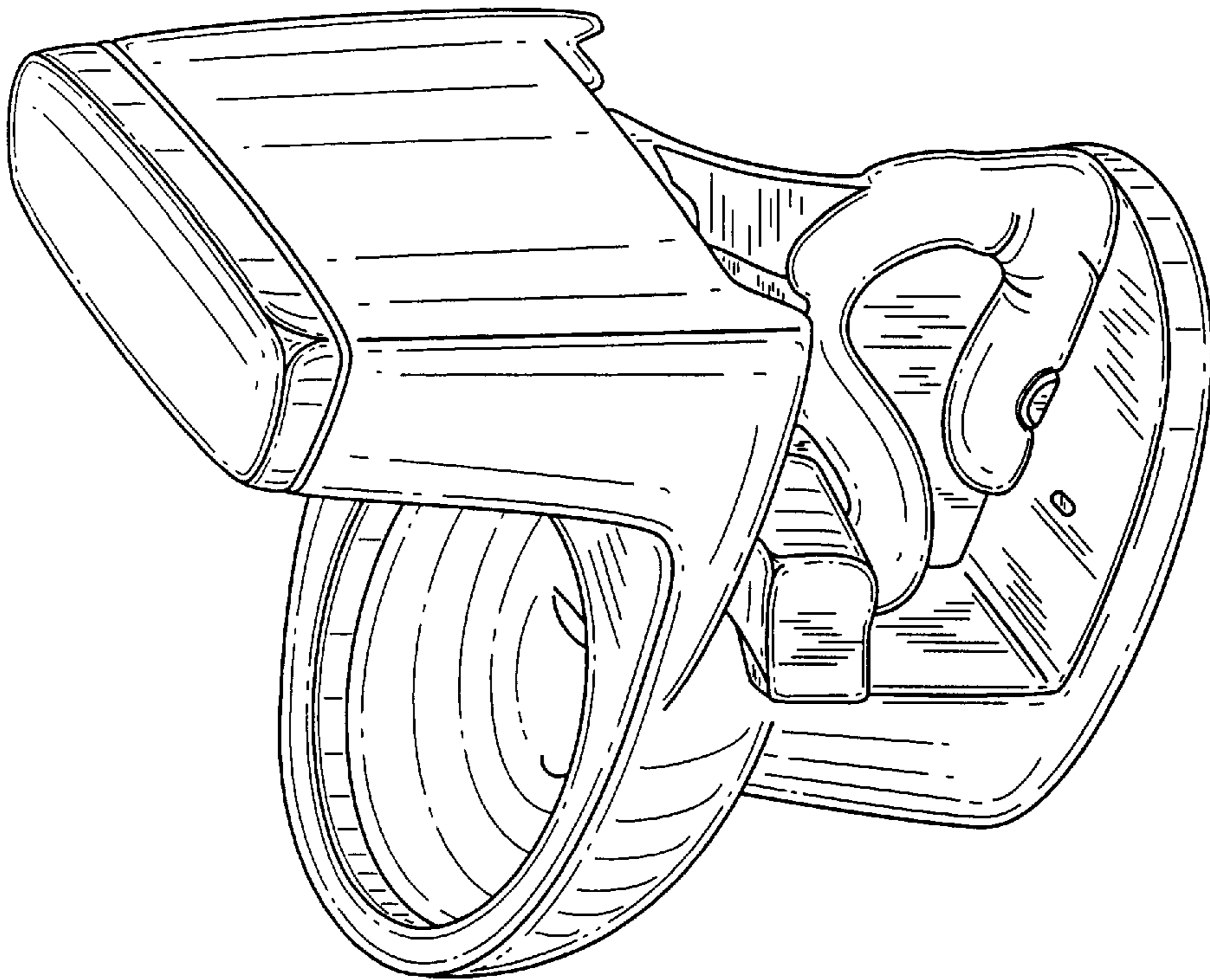


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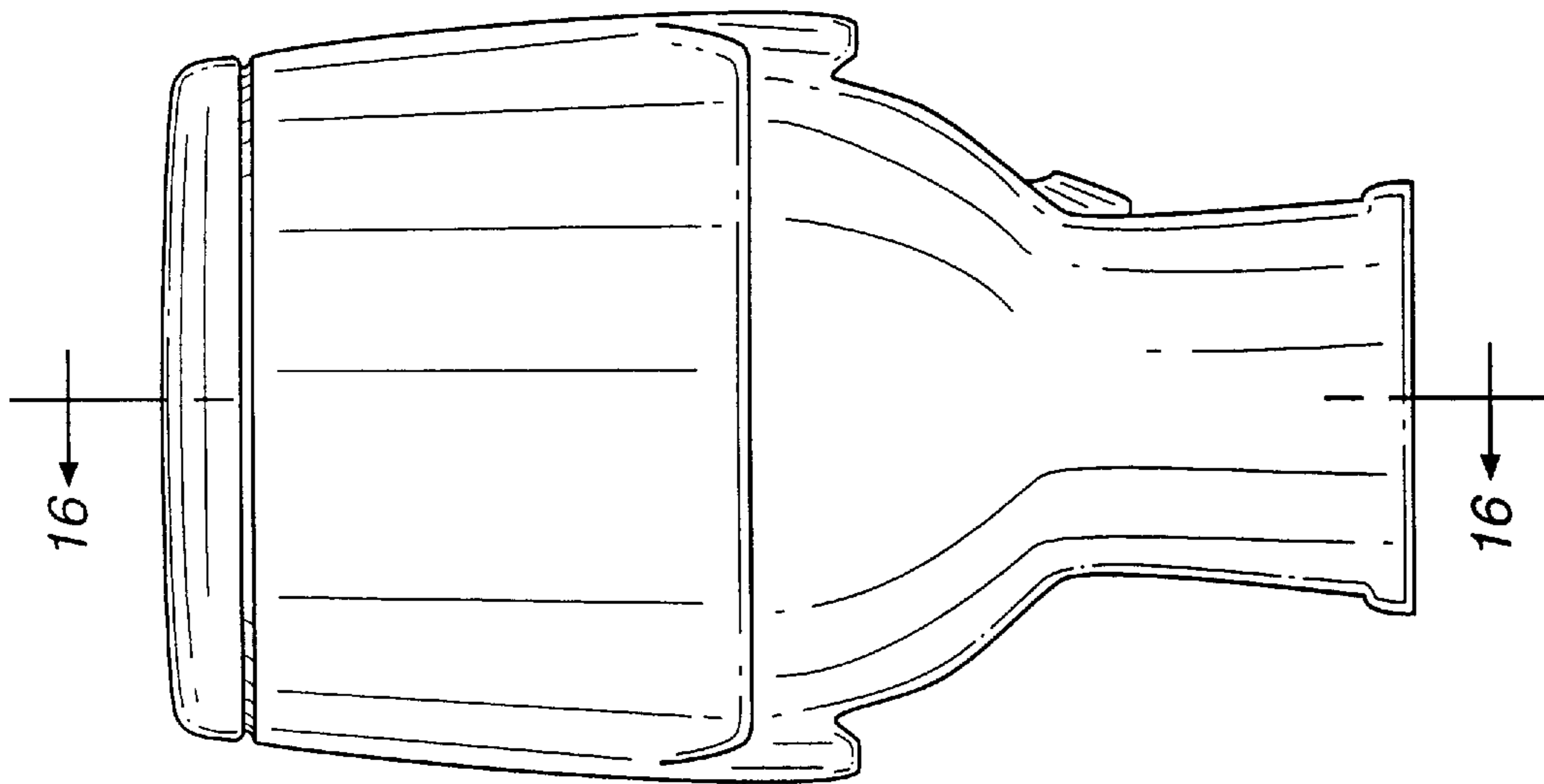


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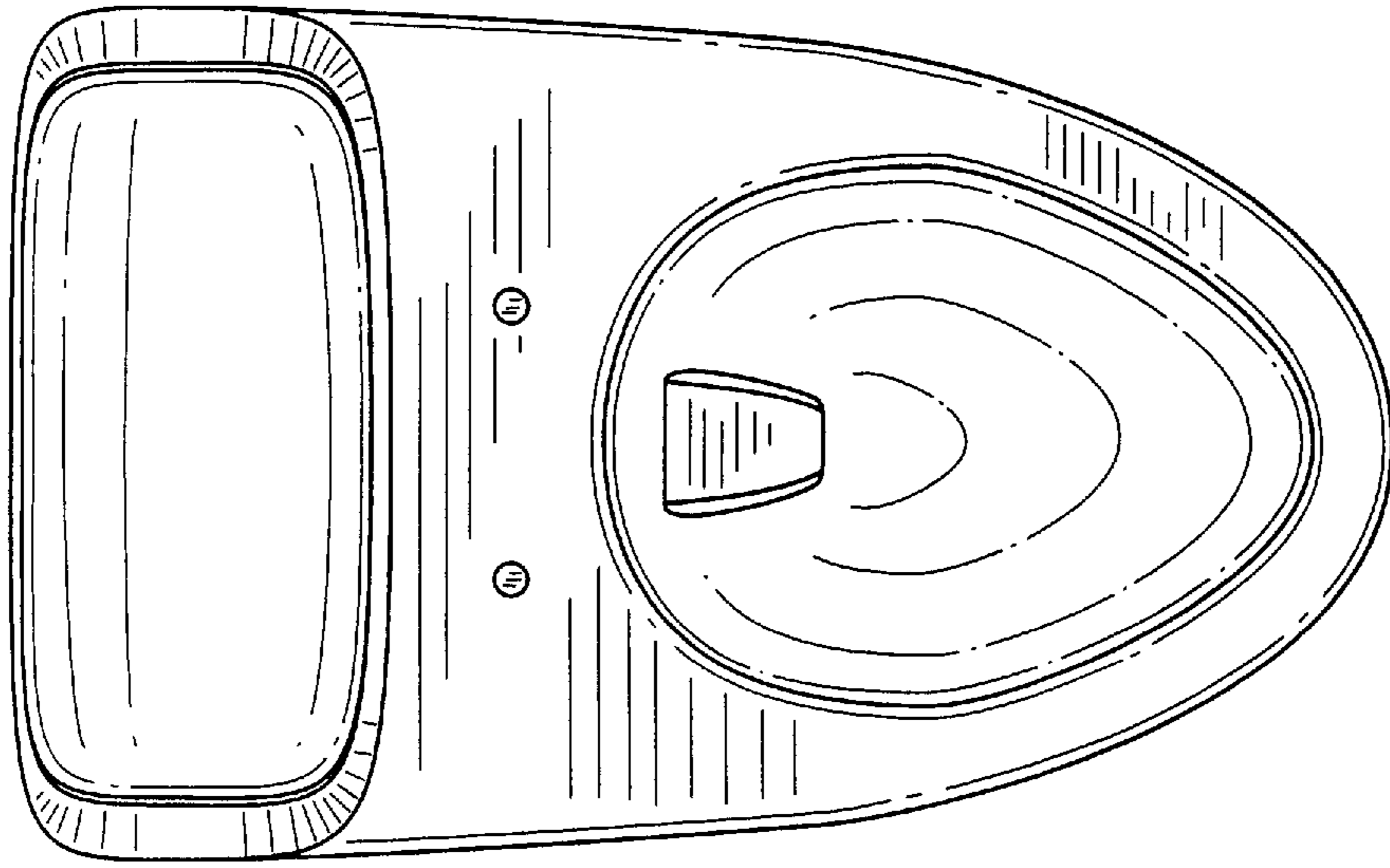


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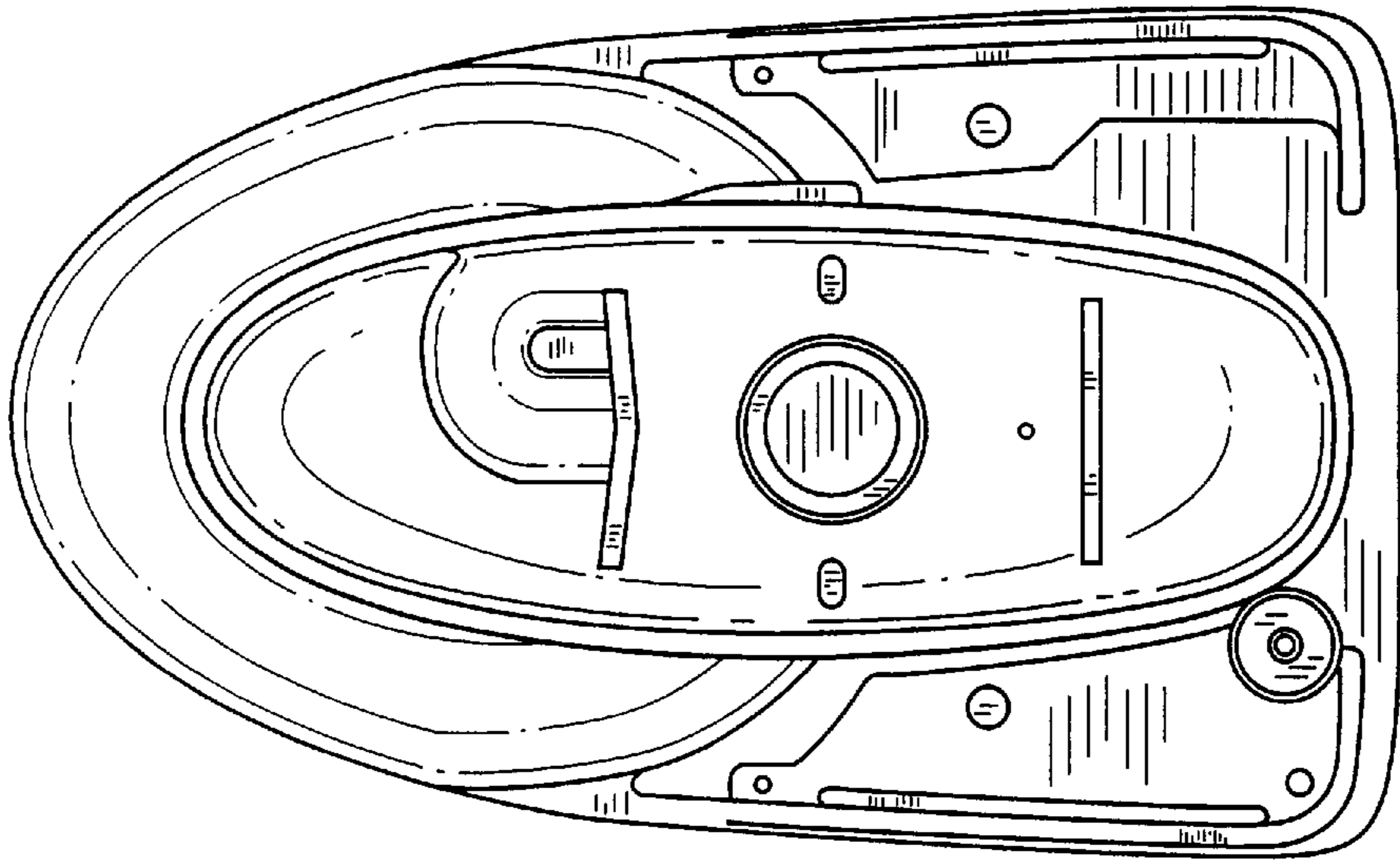


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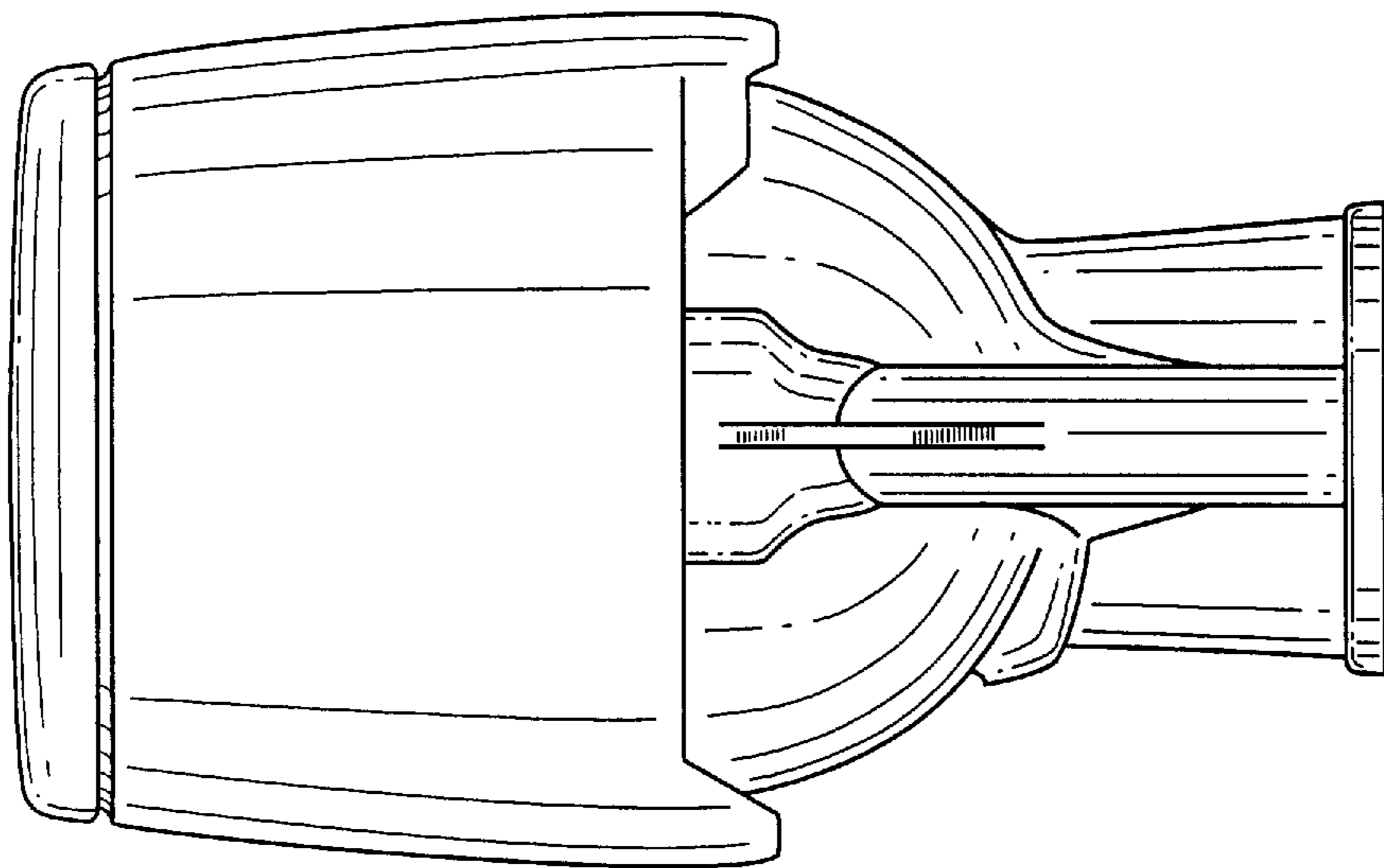


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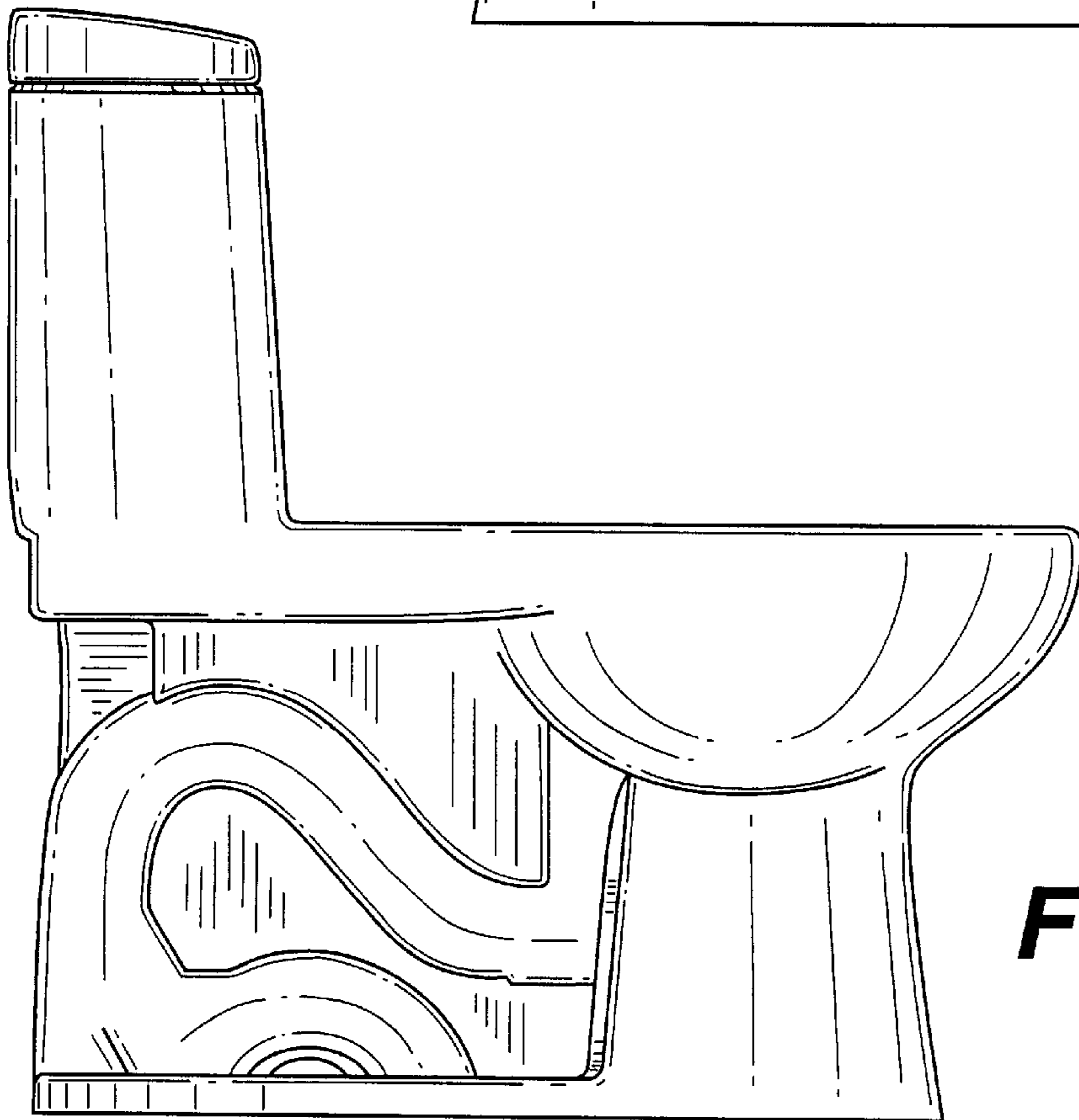
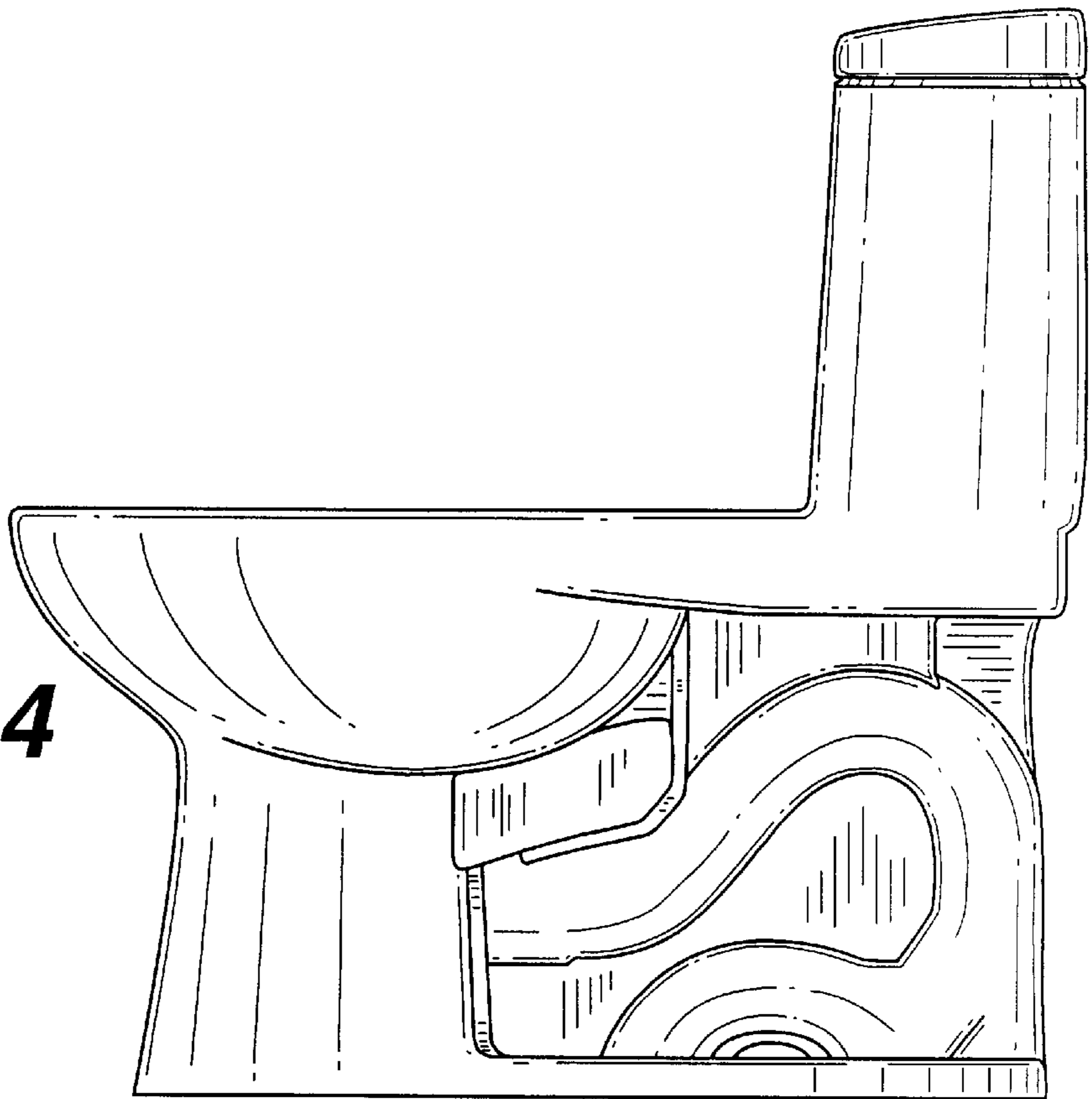


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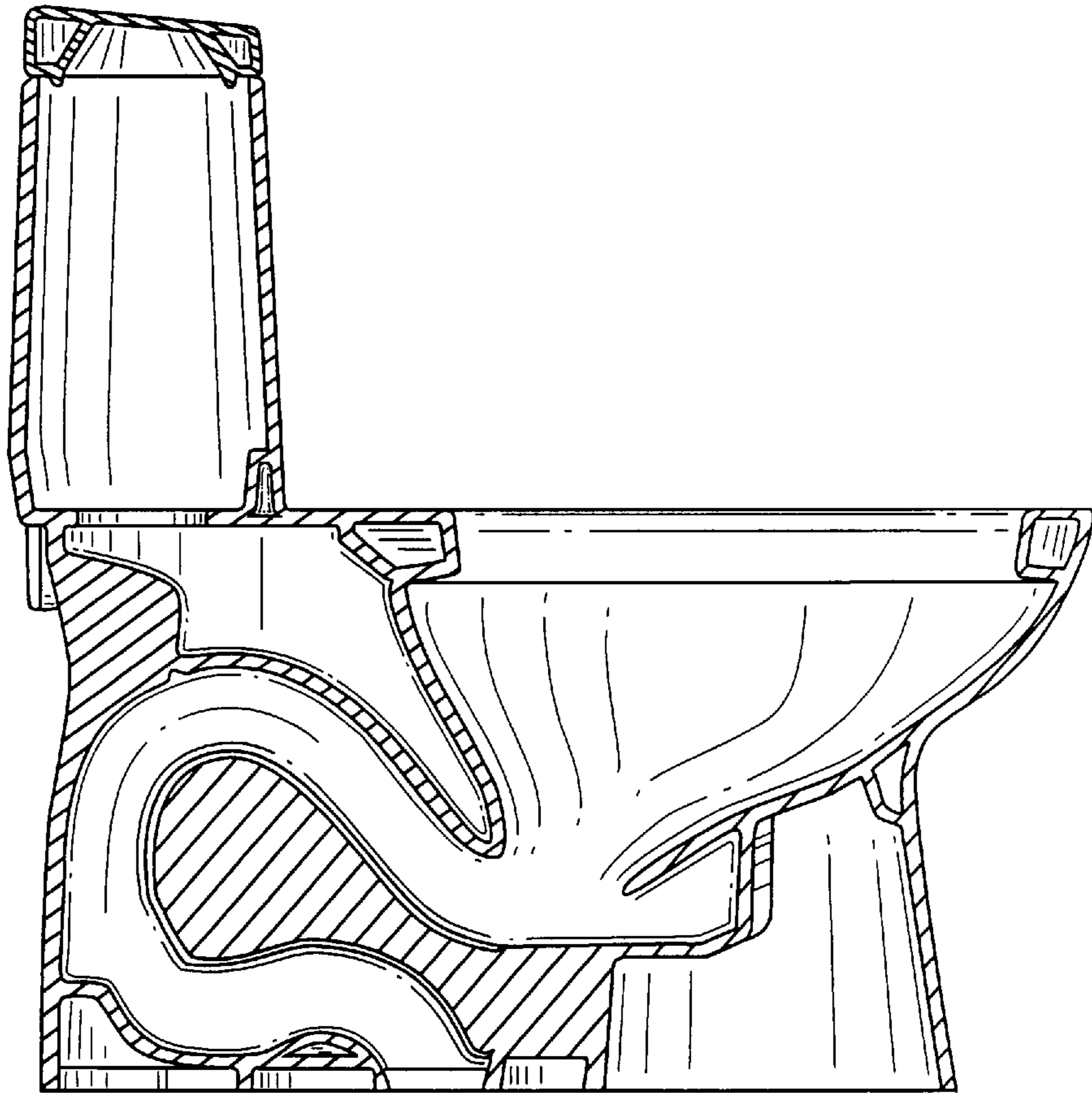


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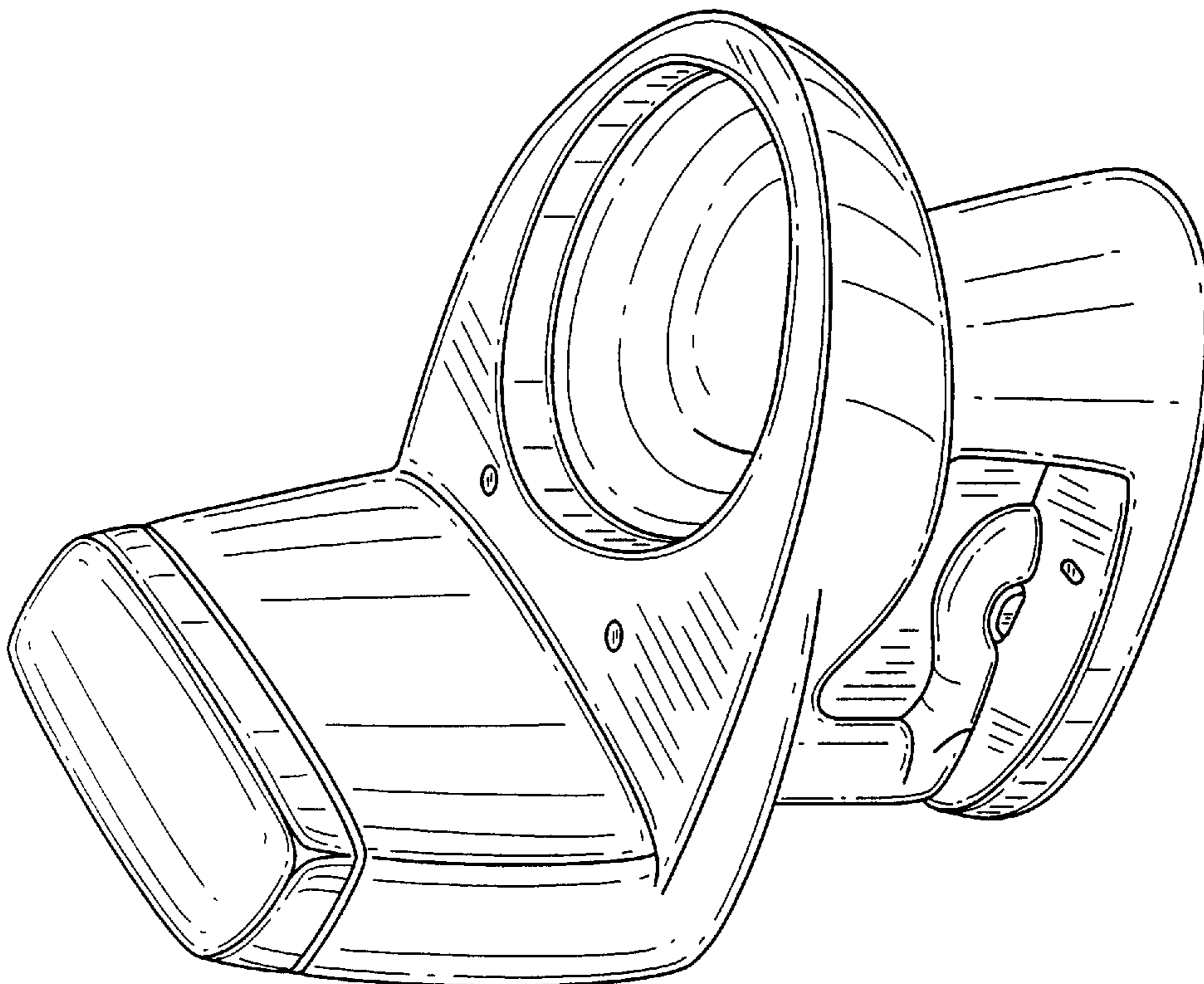


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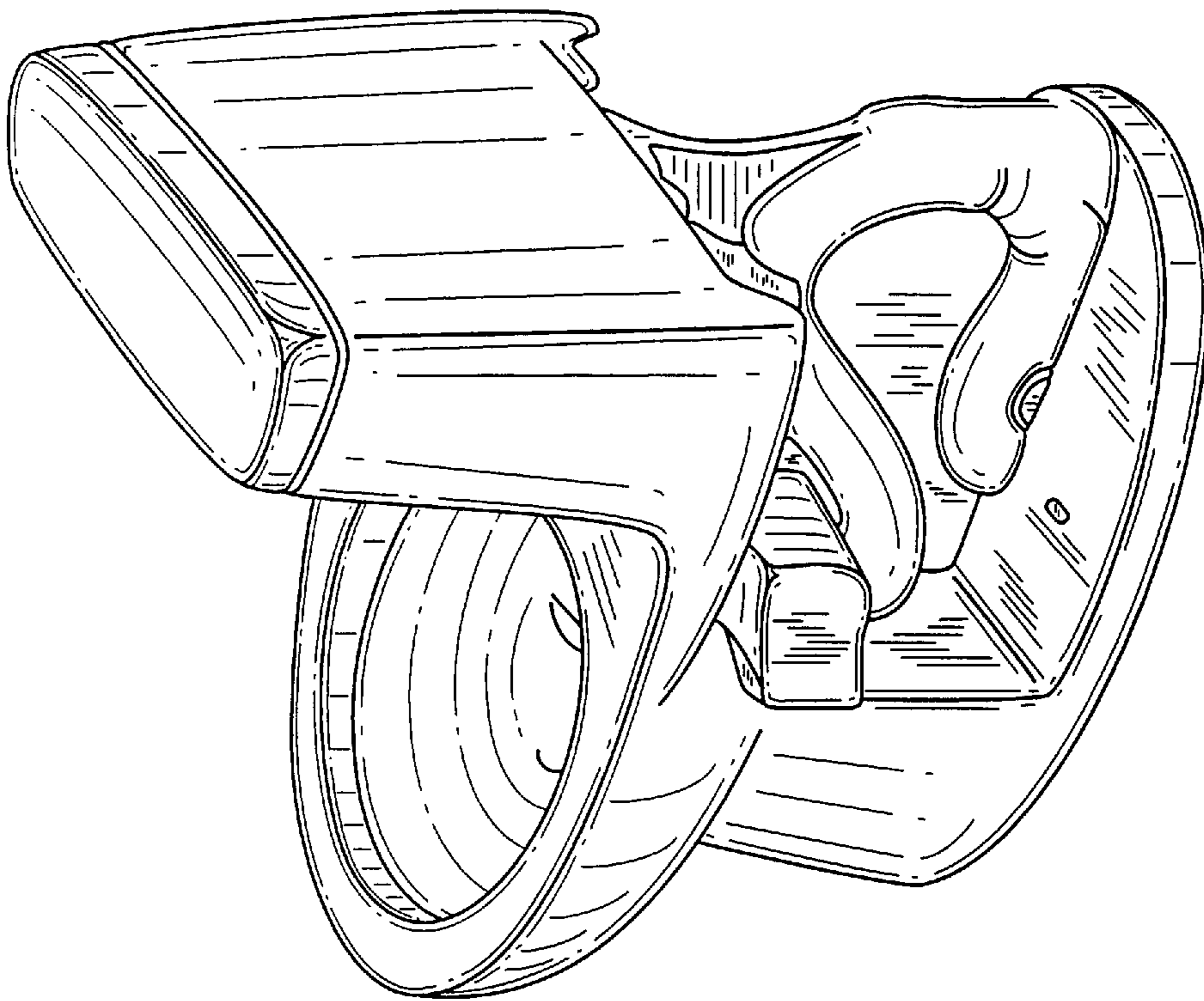


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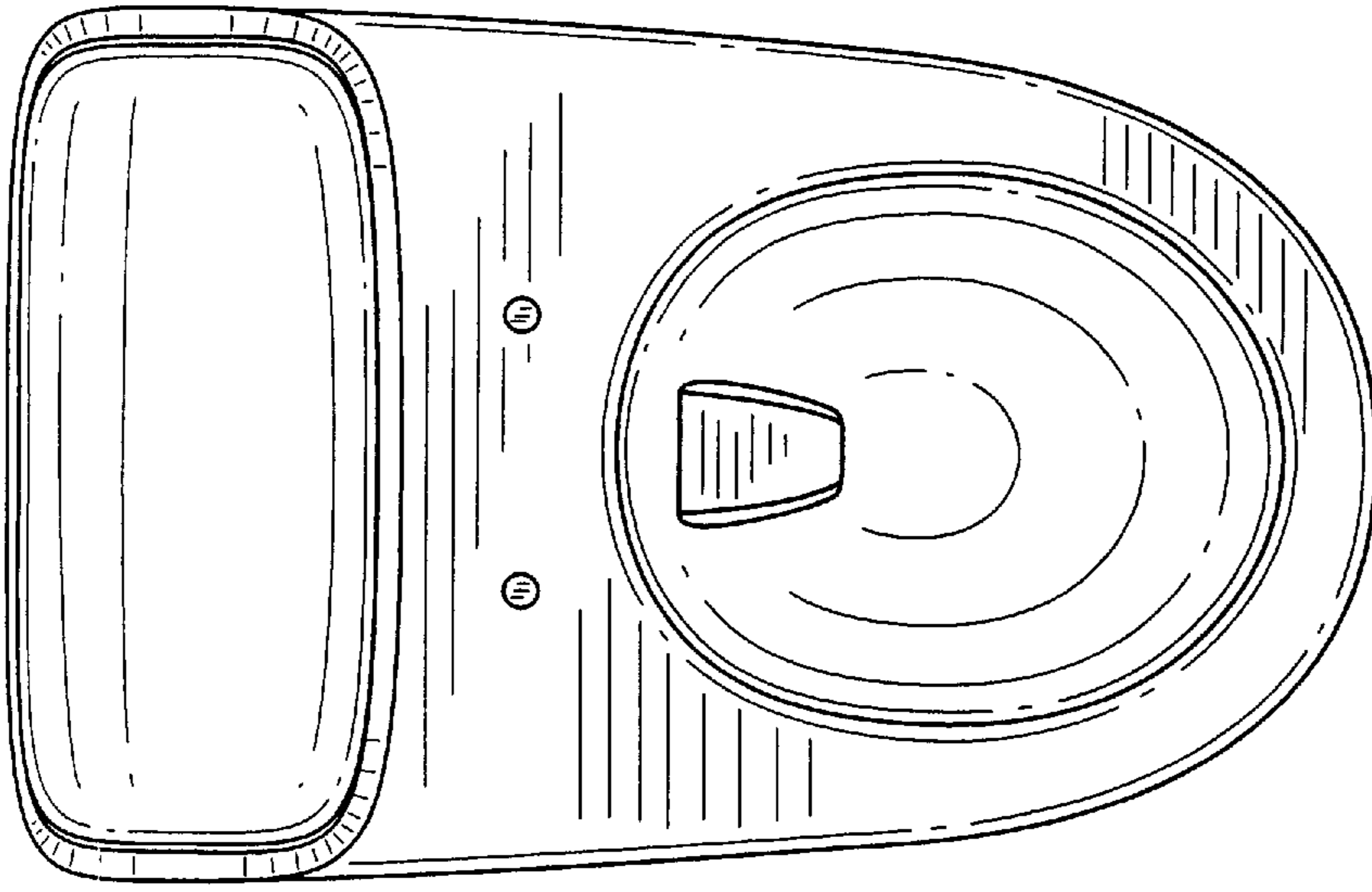


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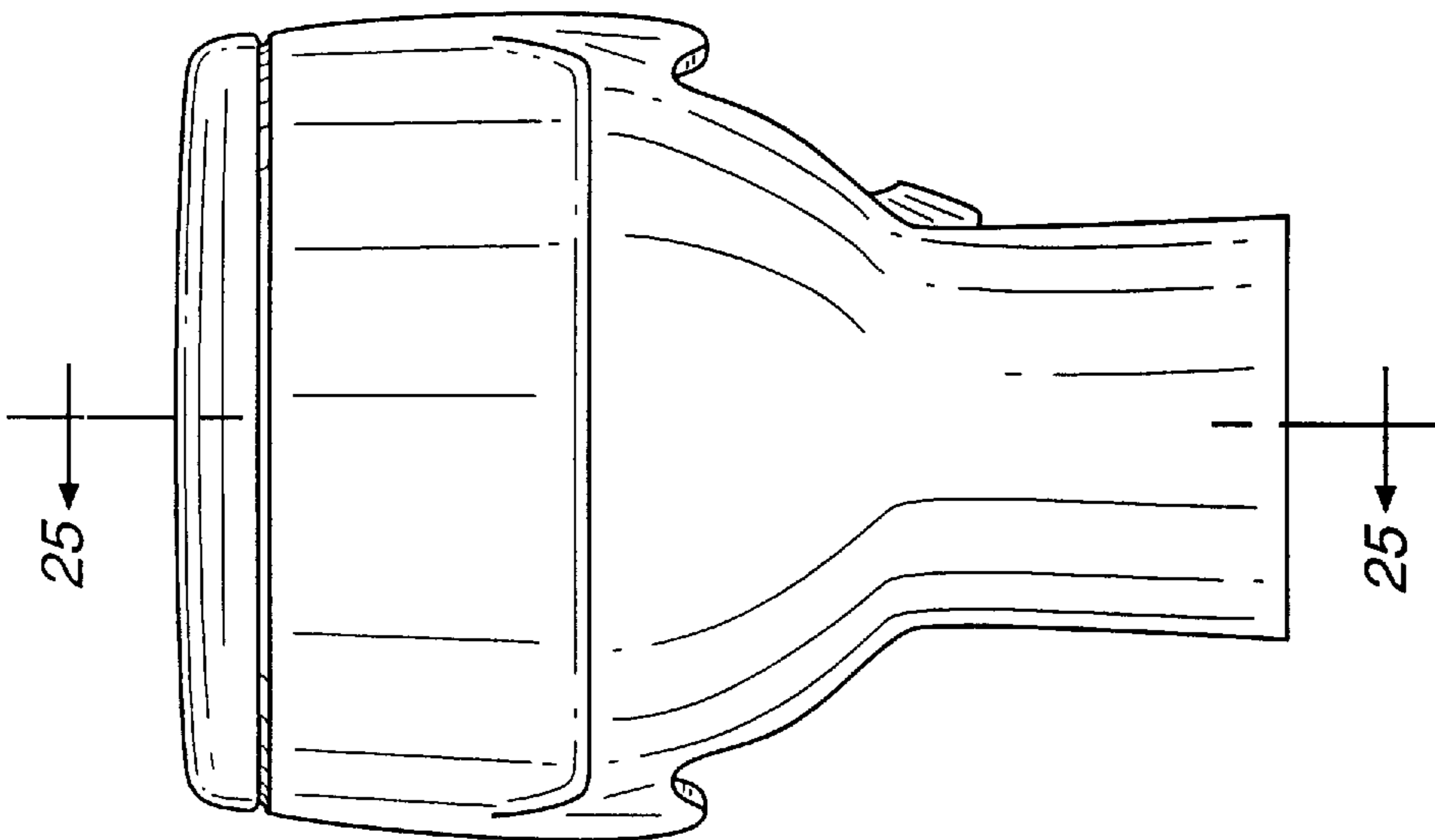


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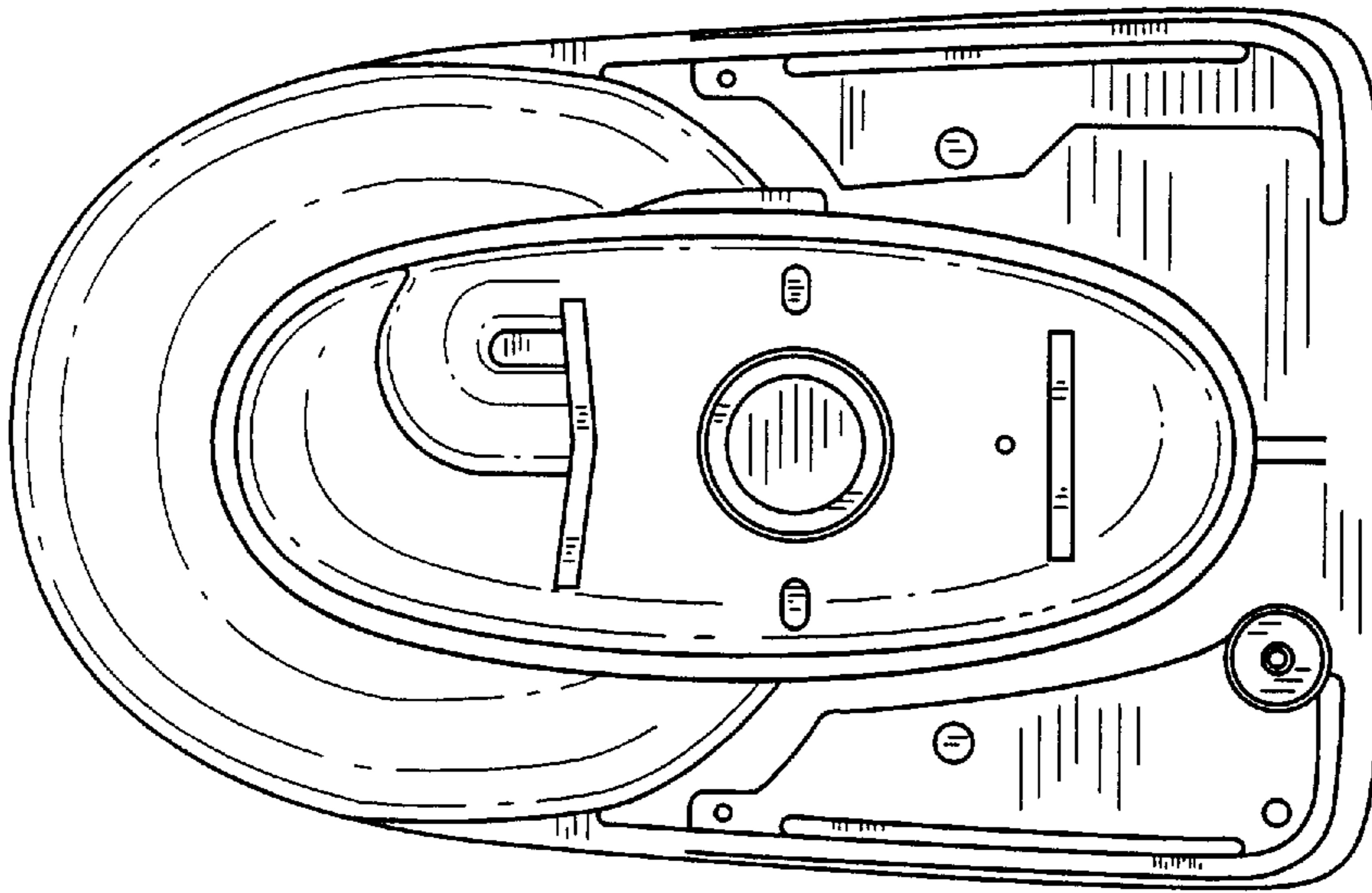


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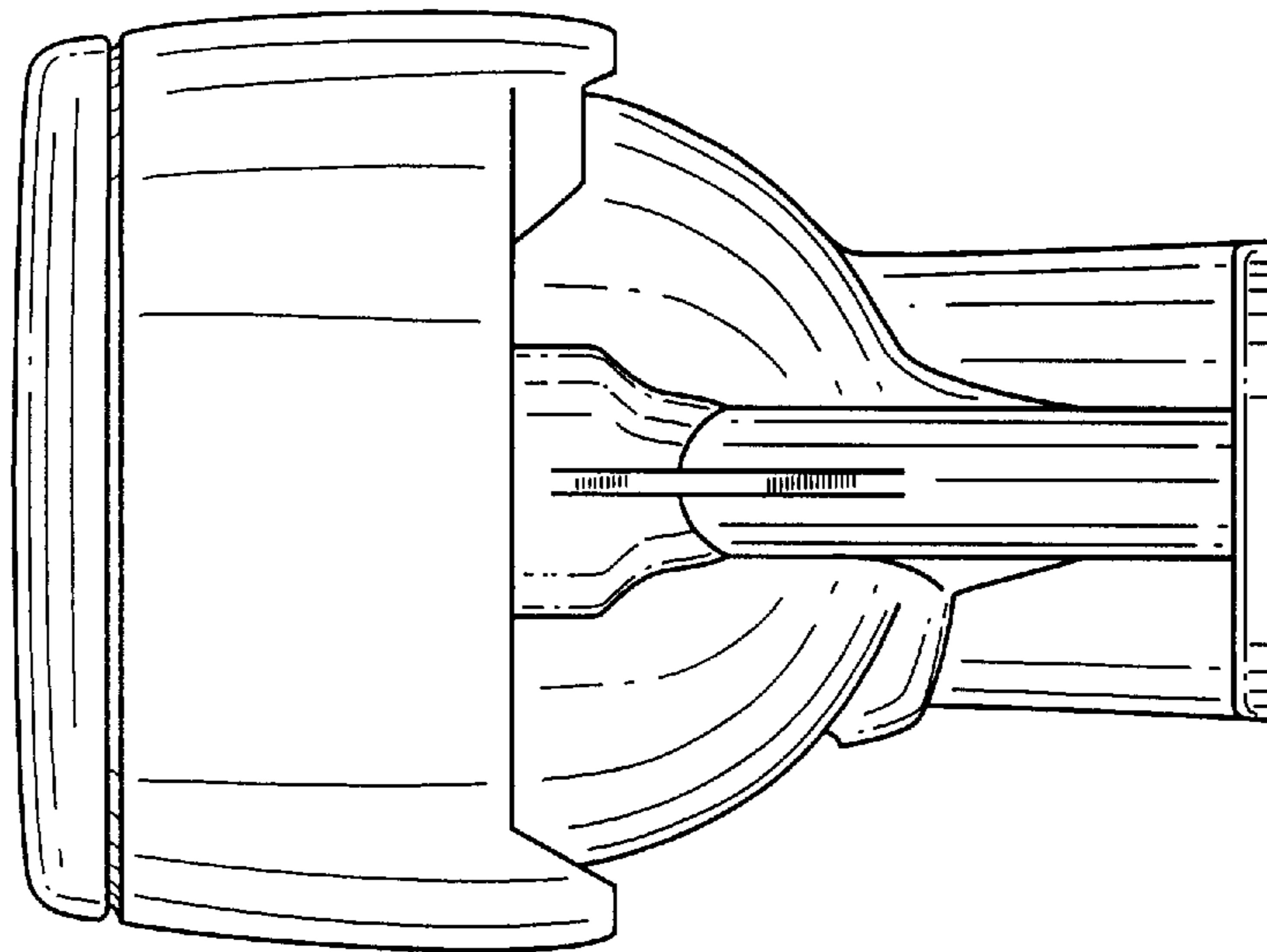


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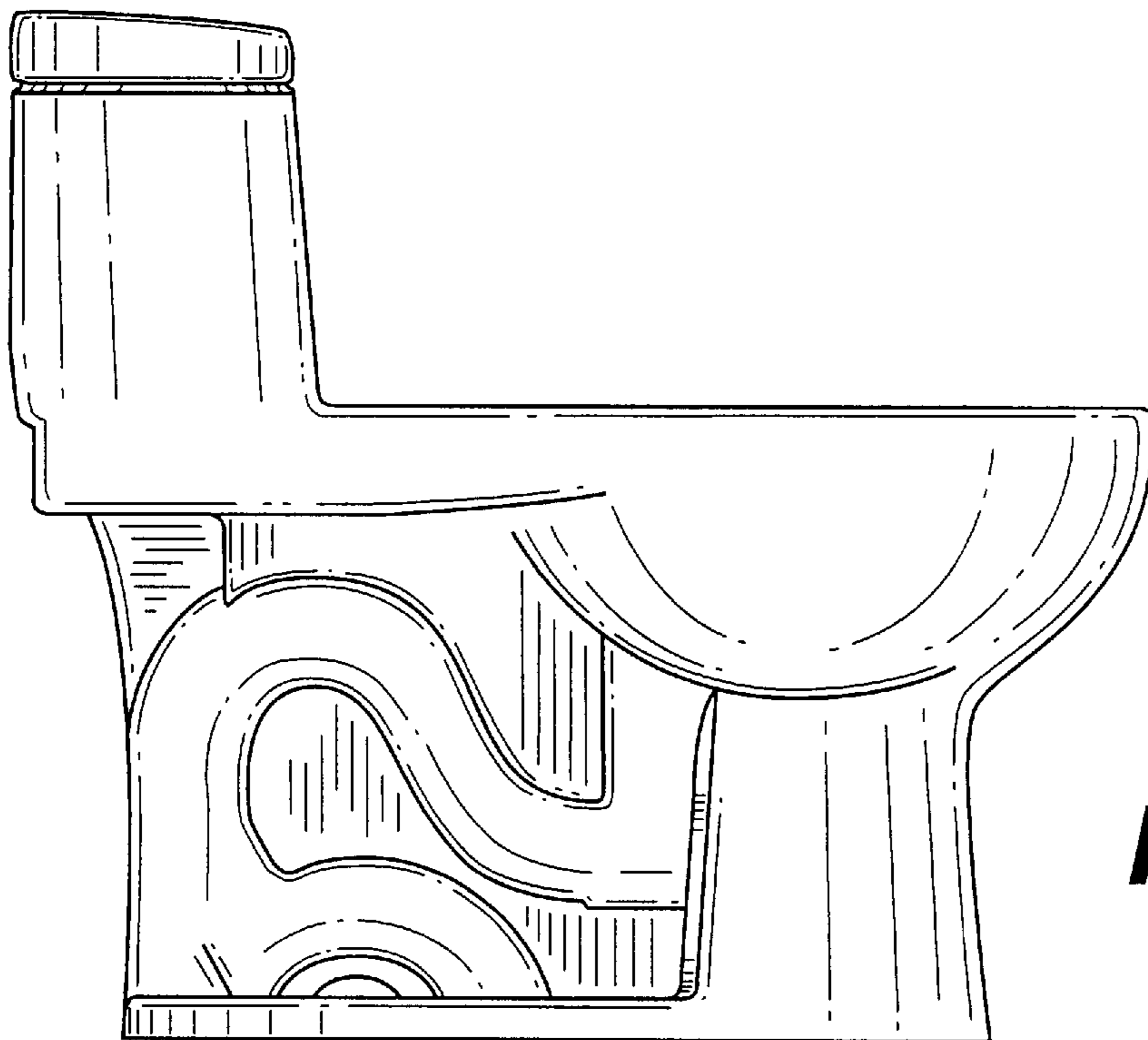
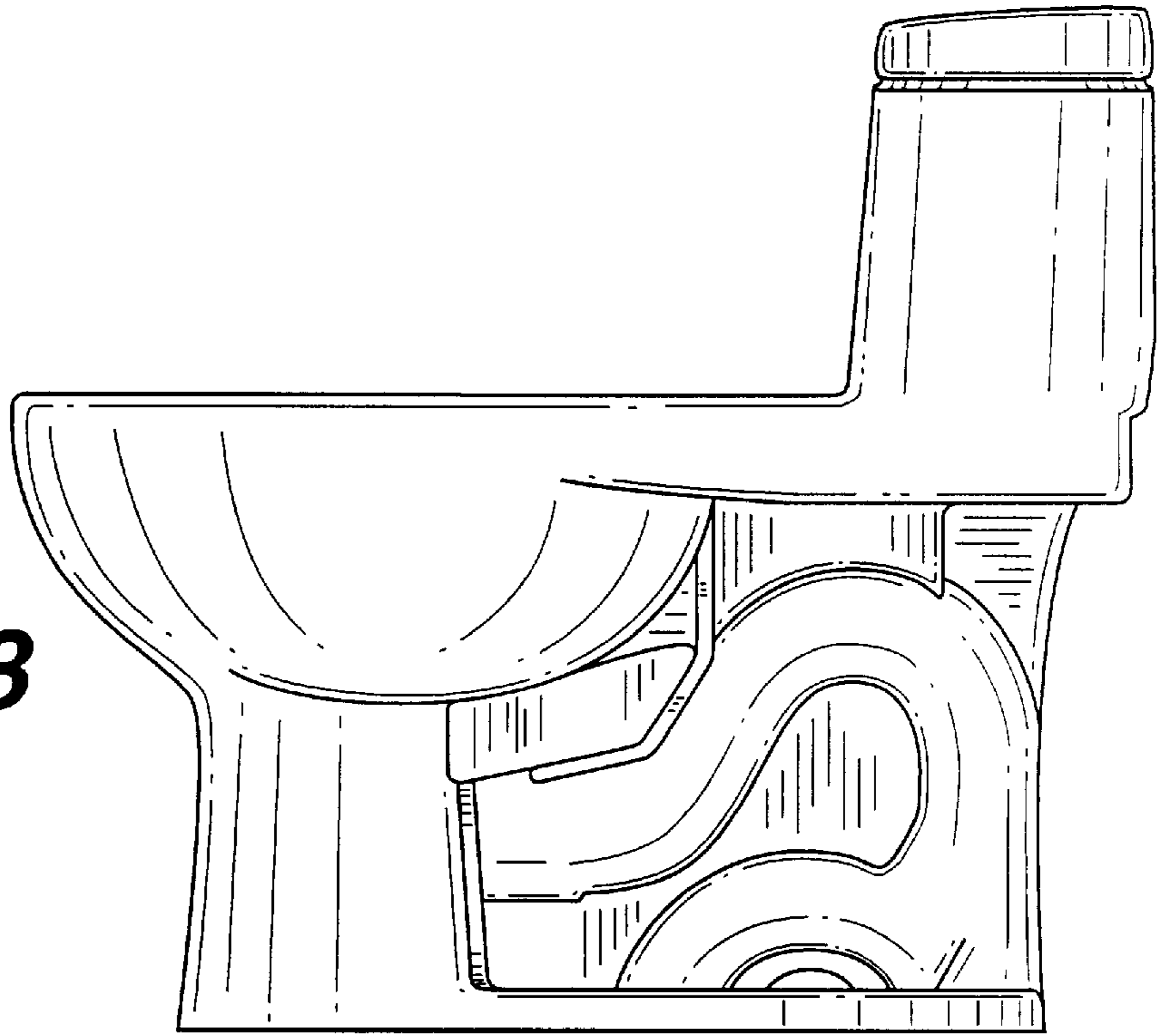


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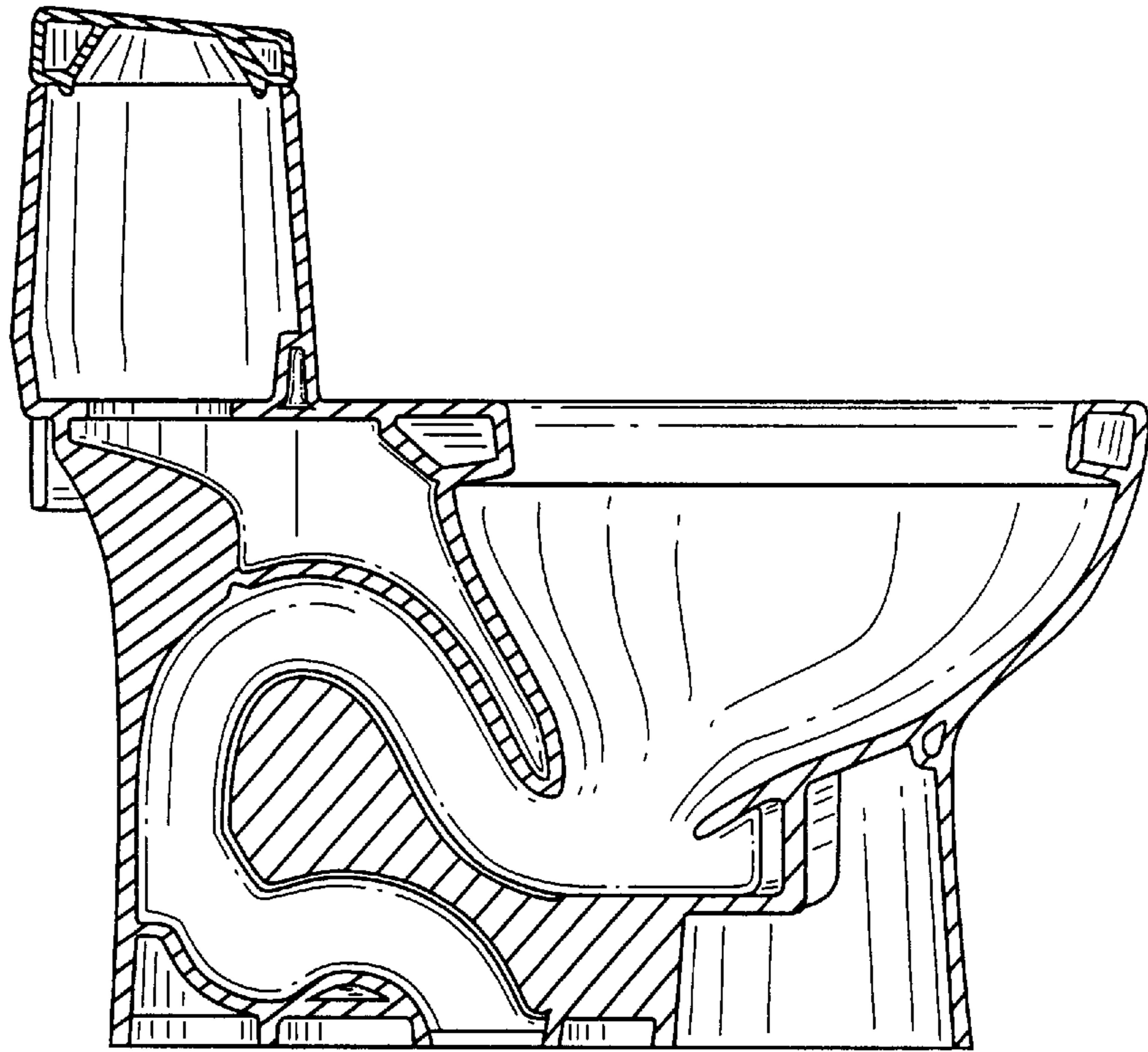


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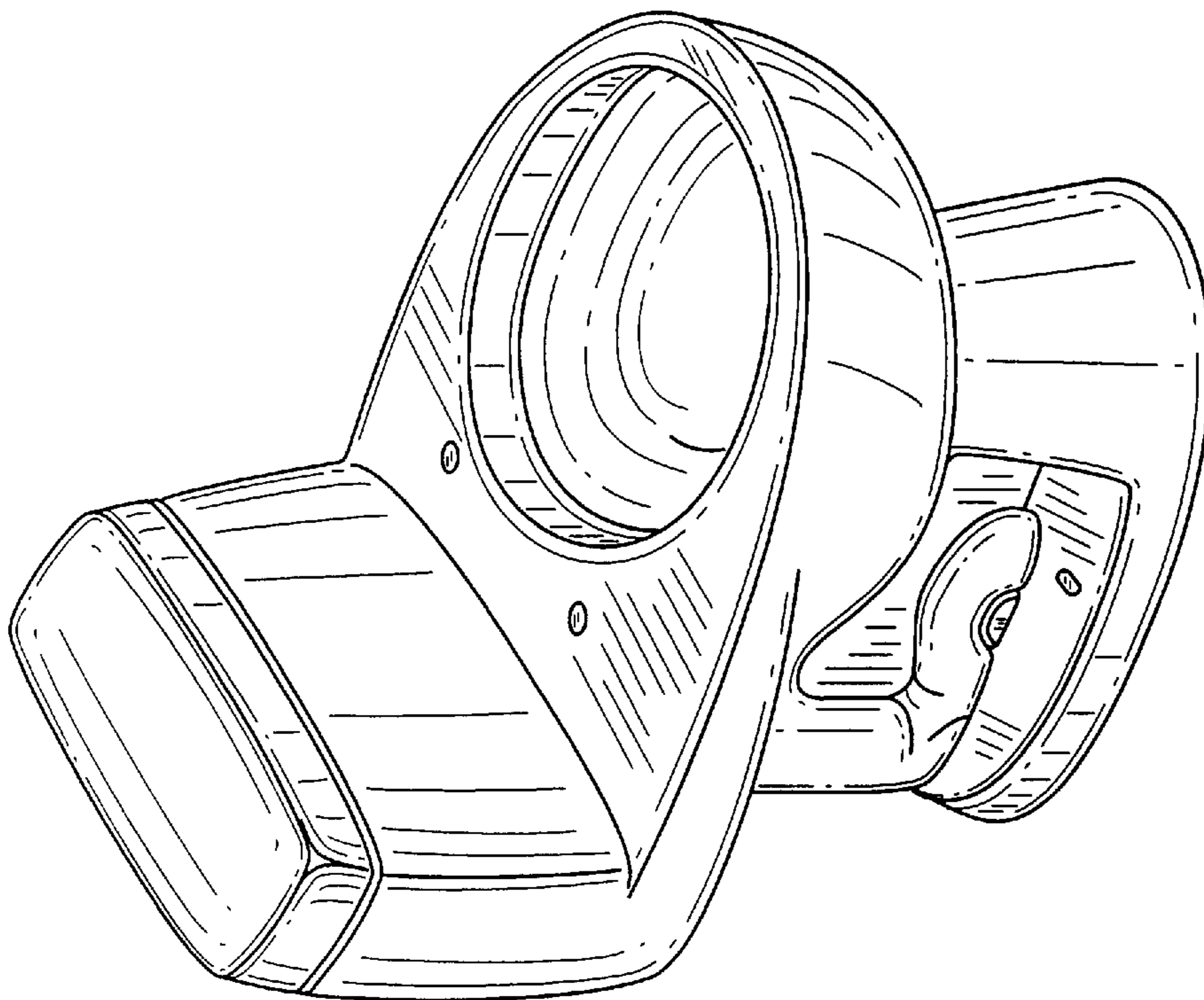


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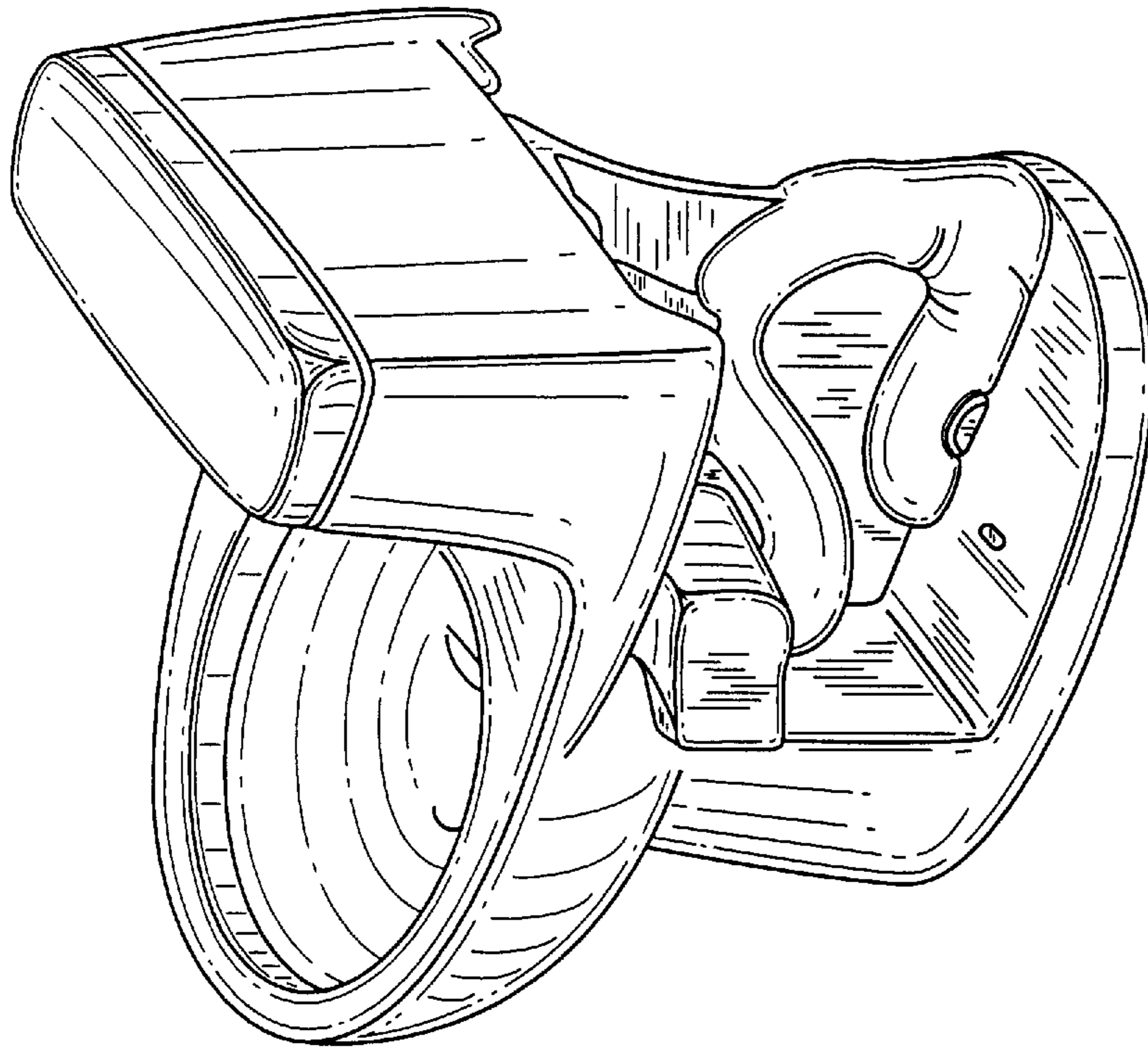


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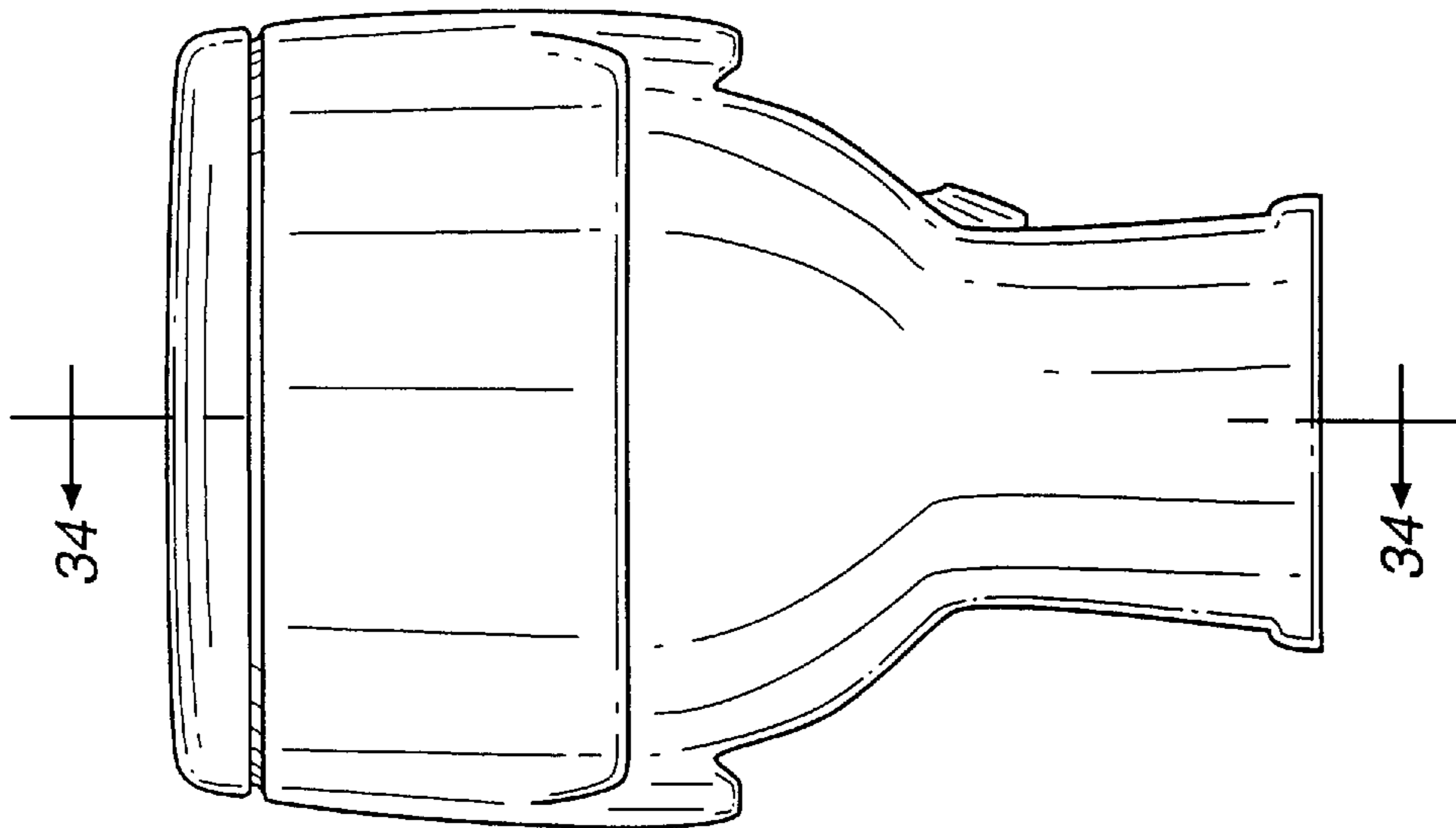


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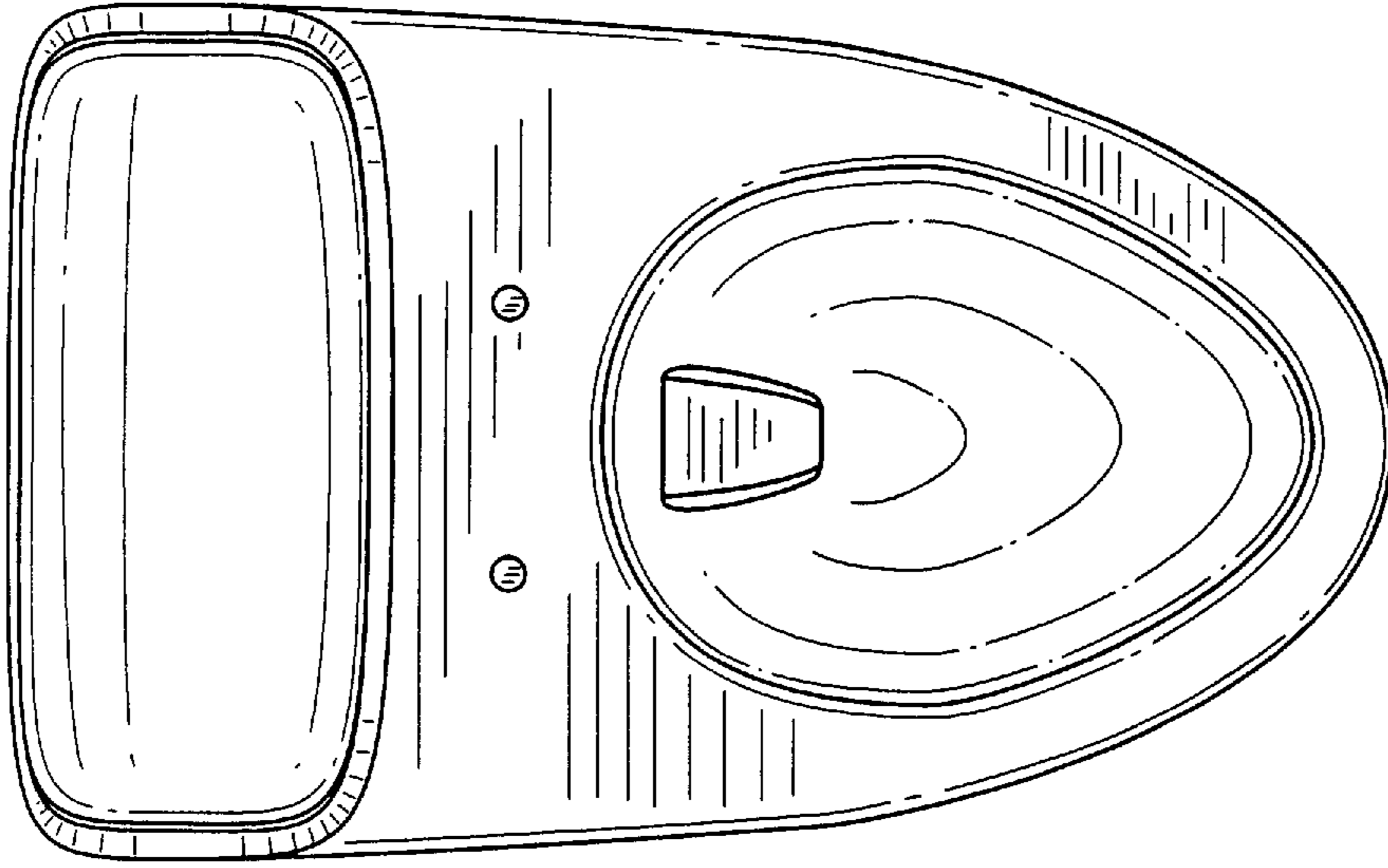


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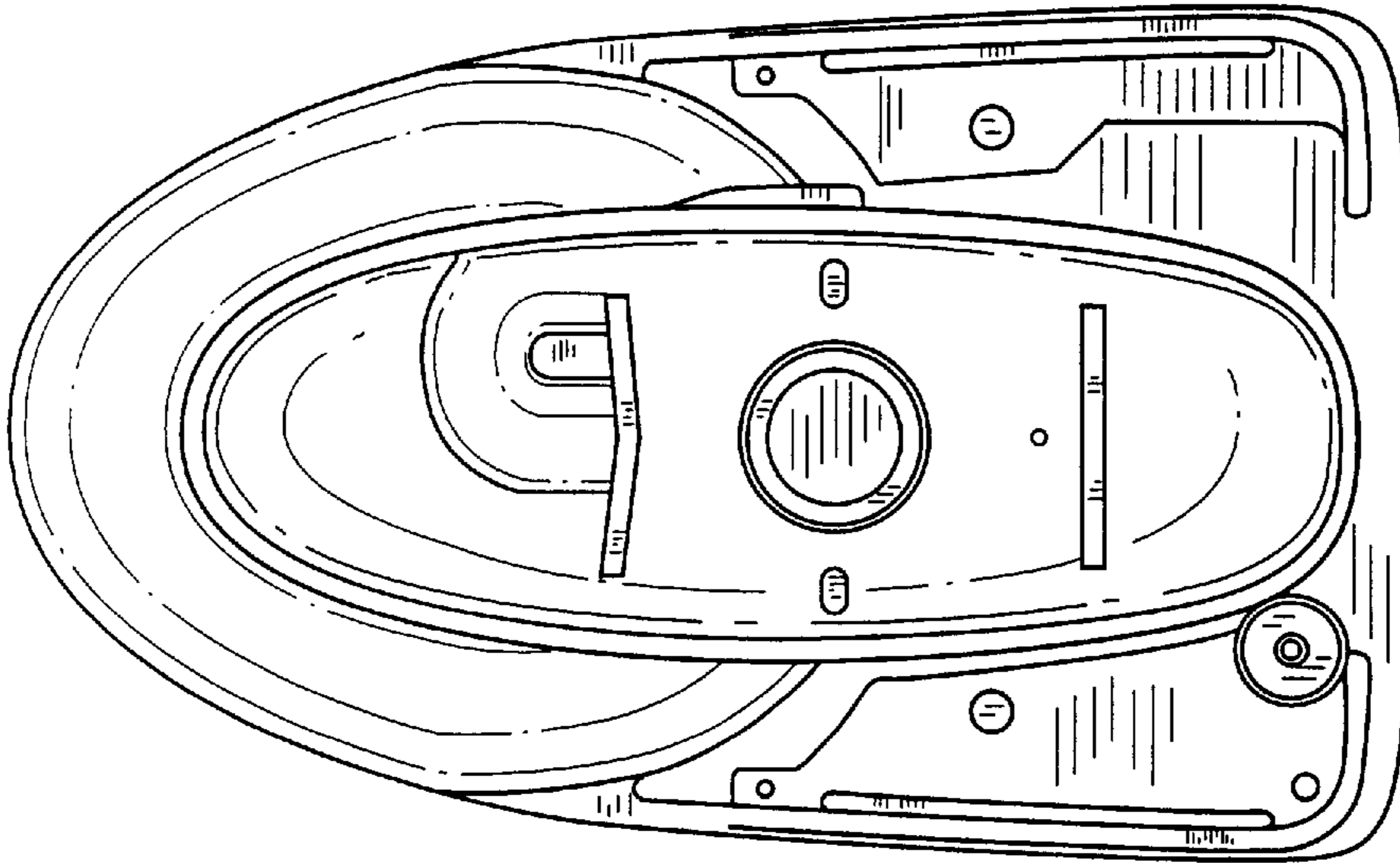


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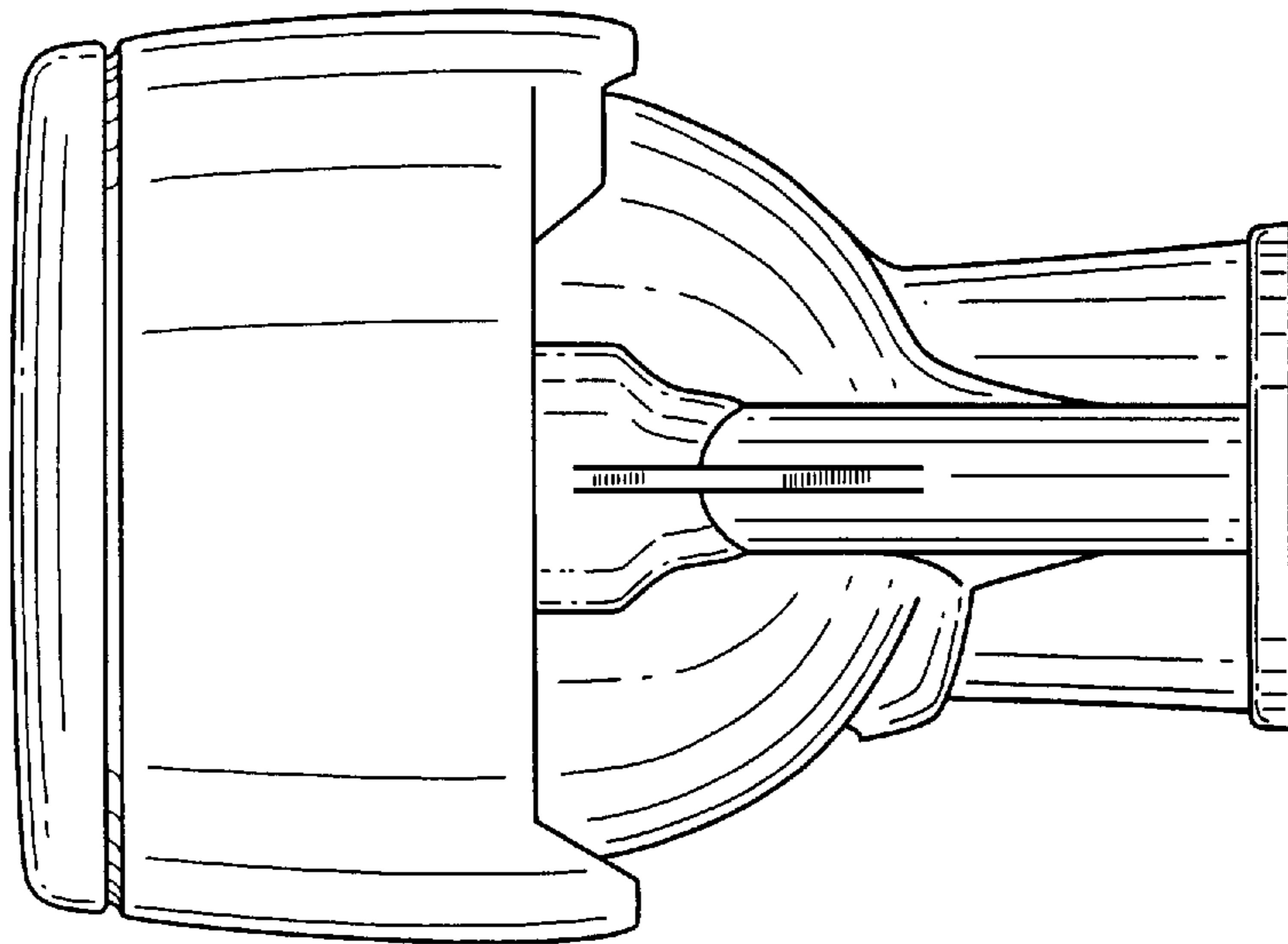


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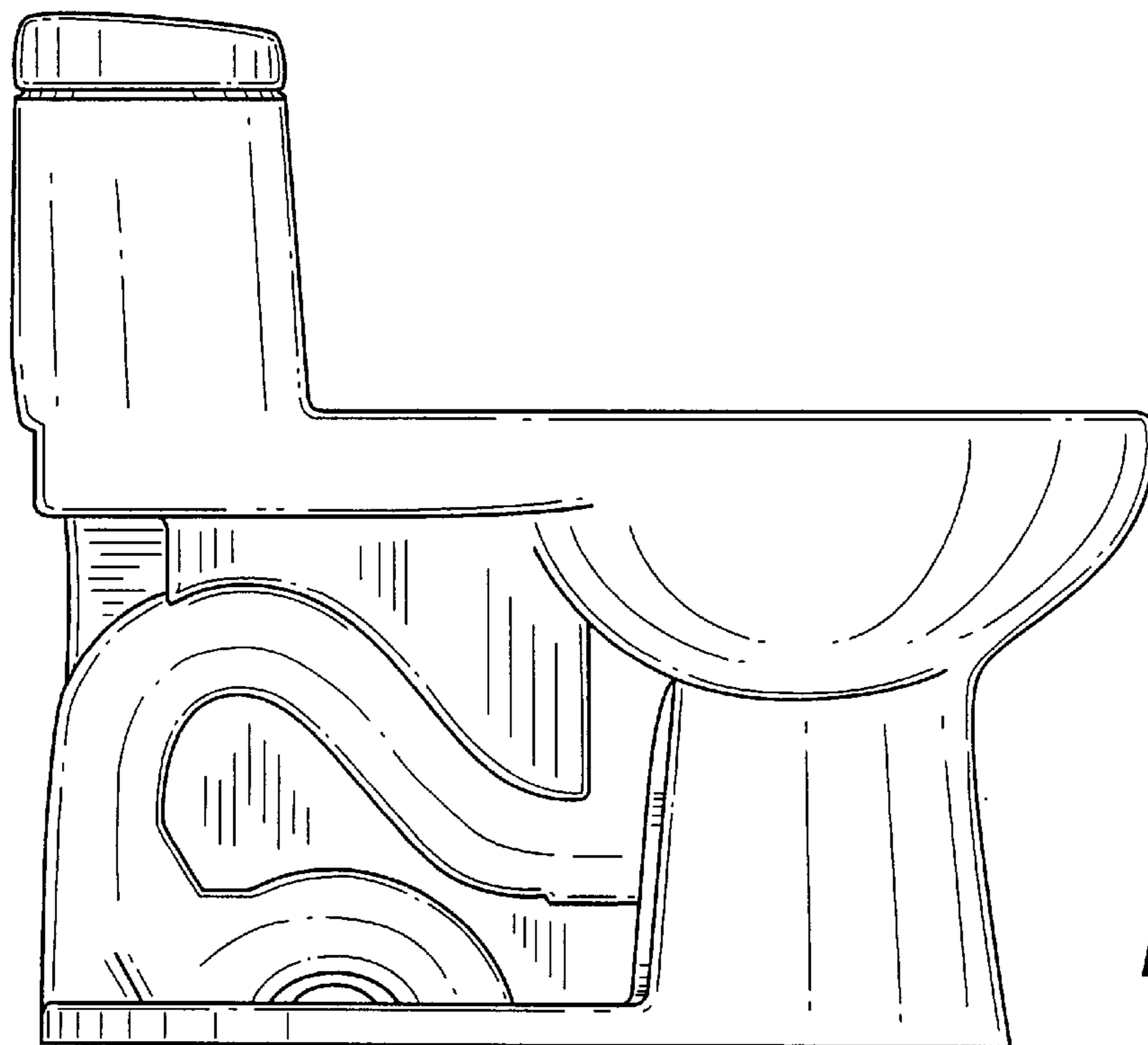
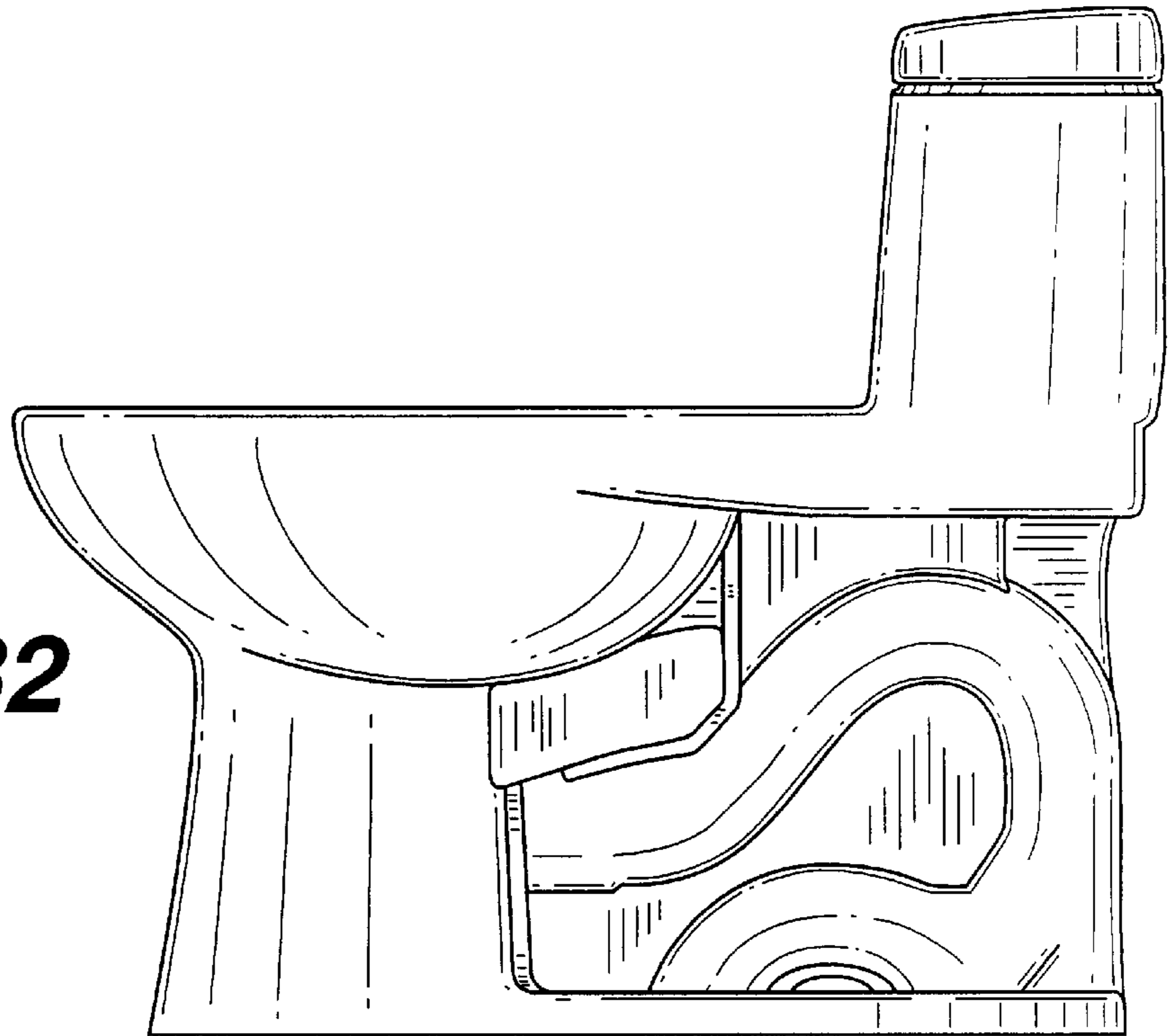


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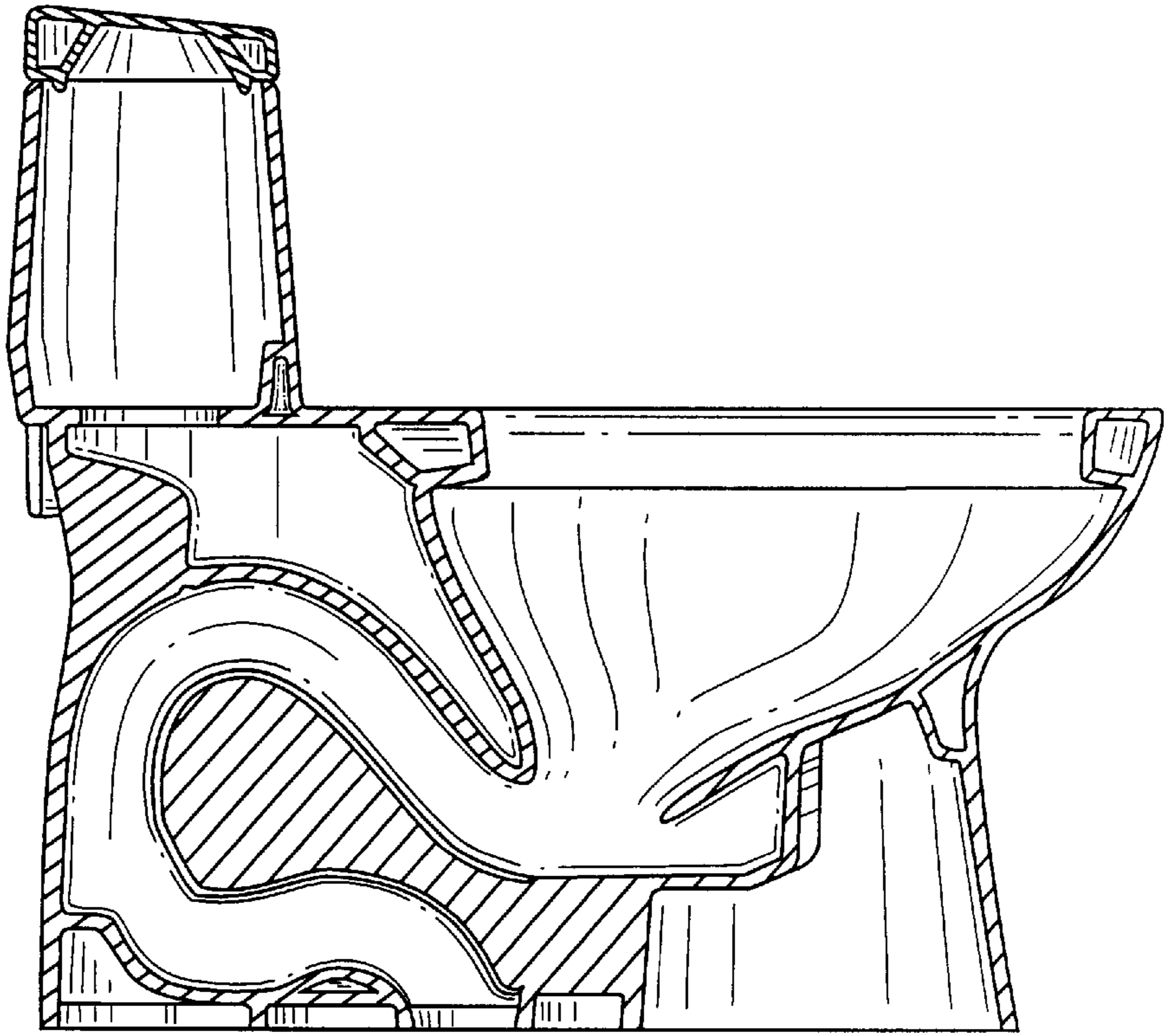


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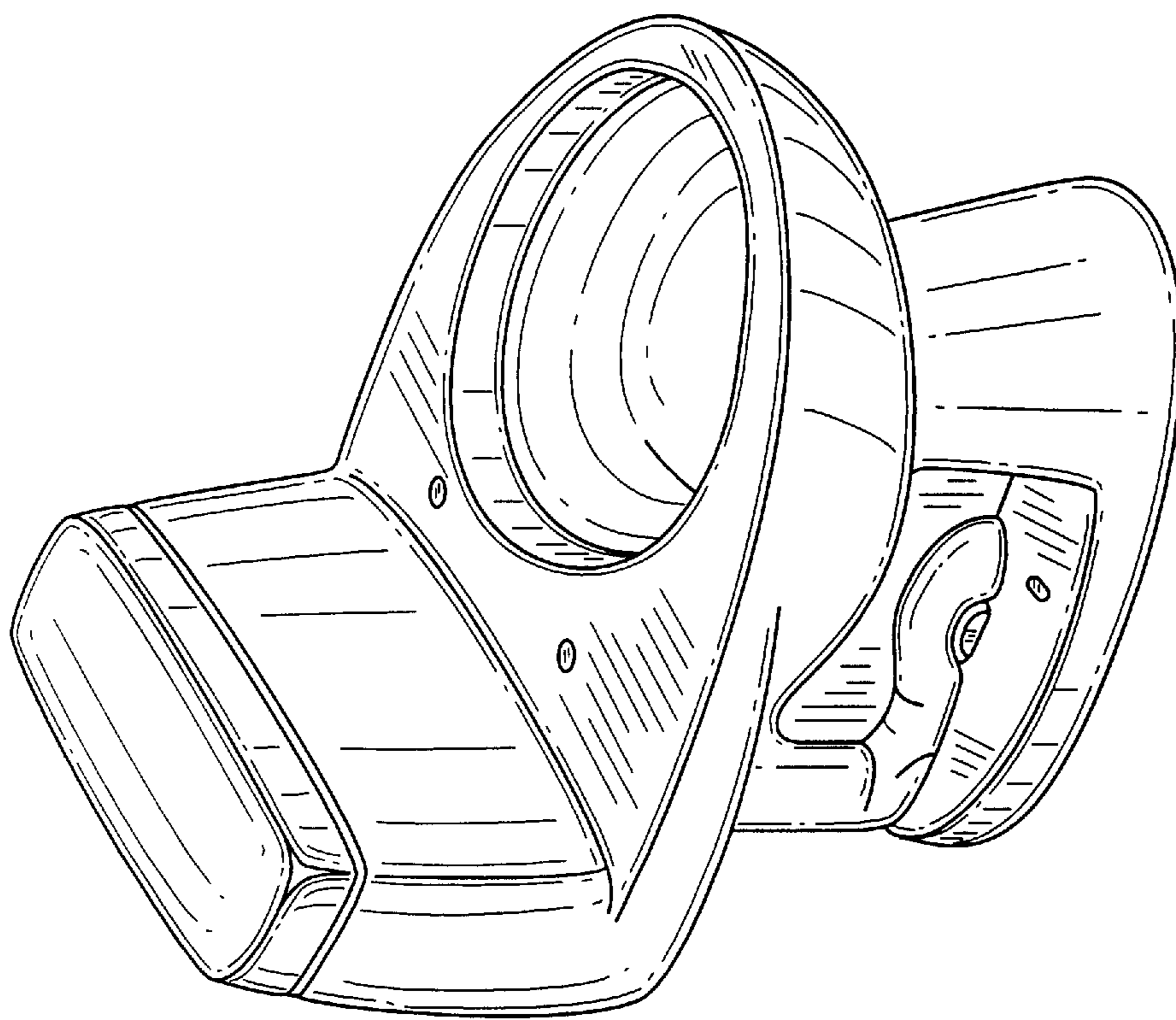


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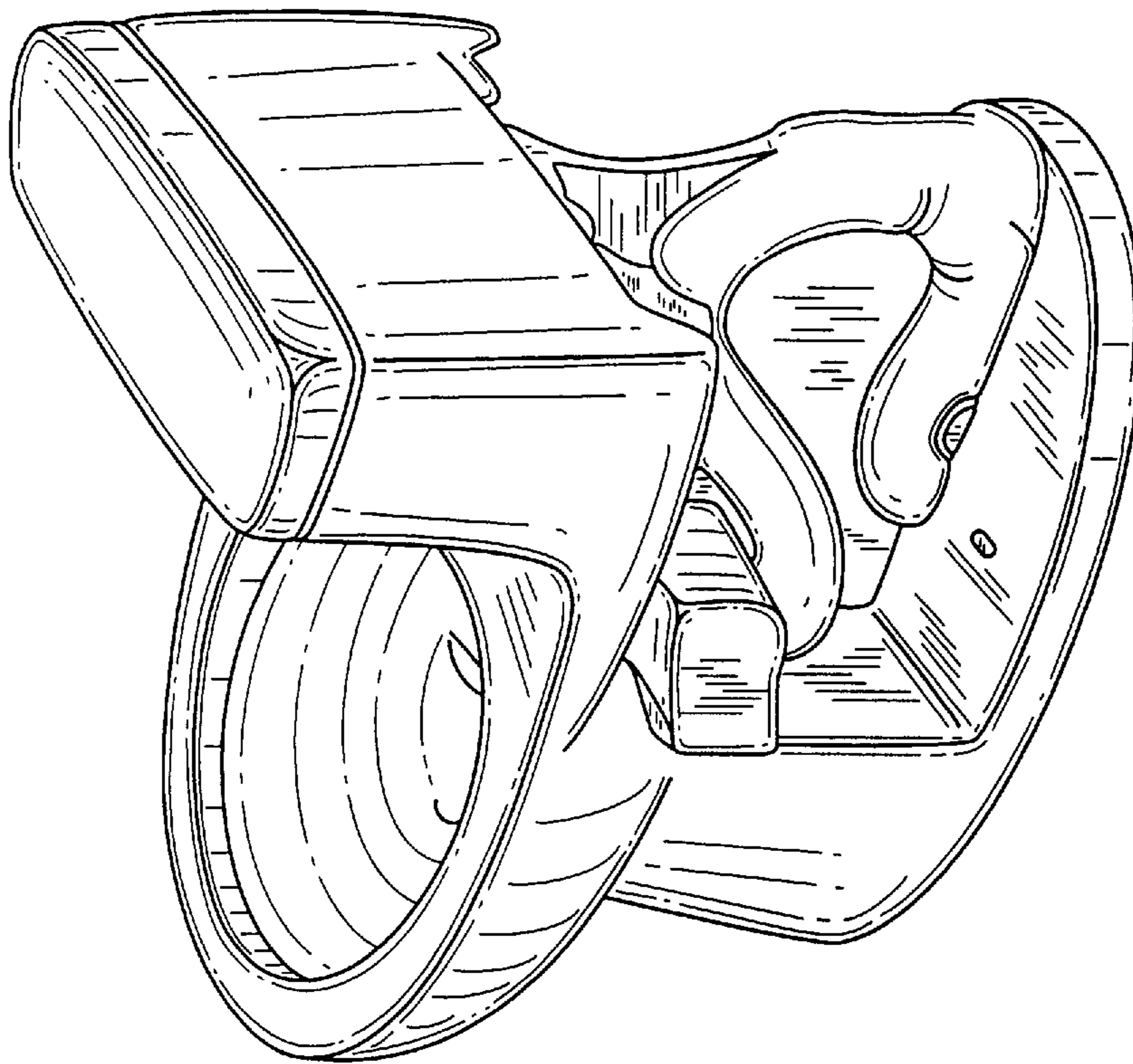


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