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[54] SHOWER STALL

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1992 Kohler ad, pp. 9-4, showing a "Freewill" shower.  
Undated Owens-Corning ad showing various enclosures,  
admitted prior art.

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## [57] CLAIM

The ornamental design for a shower stall, as shown and  
described.

## DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a right, top, front perspective view of a shower stall  
embodying our new design;  
FIG. 2 is a front elevational view thereof;  
FIG. 3 is a rear elevational view thereof;  
FIG. 4 is a top plan view thereof;  
FIG. 5 is a bottom plan view thereof;  
FIG. 6 is a right side elevational view thereof;  
FIG. 7 is a left side elevational view thereof;  
FIG. 8 is a cross-sectional view taken along line 8—8 of  
FIG. 4;  
FIG. 9 is a cross-sectional view taken along line 9—9 of  
FIG. 2;  
FIG. 10 is a cross-sectional view taken along line 10—10 of  
FIG. 2;  
FIG. 11 is a cross-sectional view taken along line 11—11 of  
FIG. 2;  
FIG. 12 is a front elevational view of a second embodiment,  
the top plan view being identical to that shown in FIG. 4, and  
the other non-sectional views being mirror images of those  
shown in FIGS. 3 and 5-7; and,  
FIG. 13 is a cross-sectional view thereof, the view being a  
mirror image of that shown in FIG. 11.

1 Claim, 11 Drawing Sheets



FIG. 1

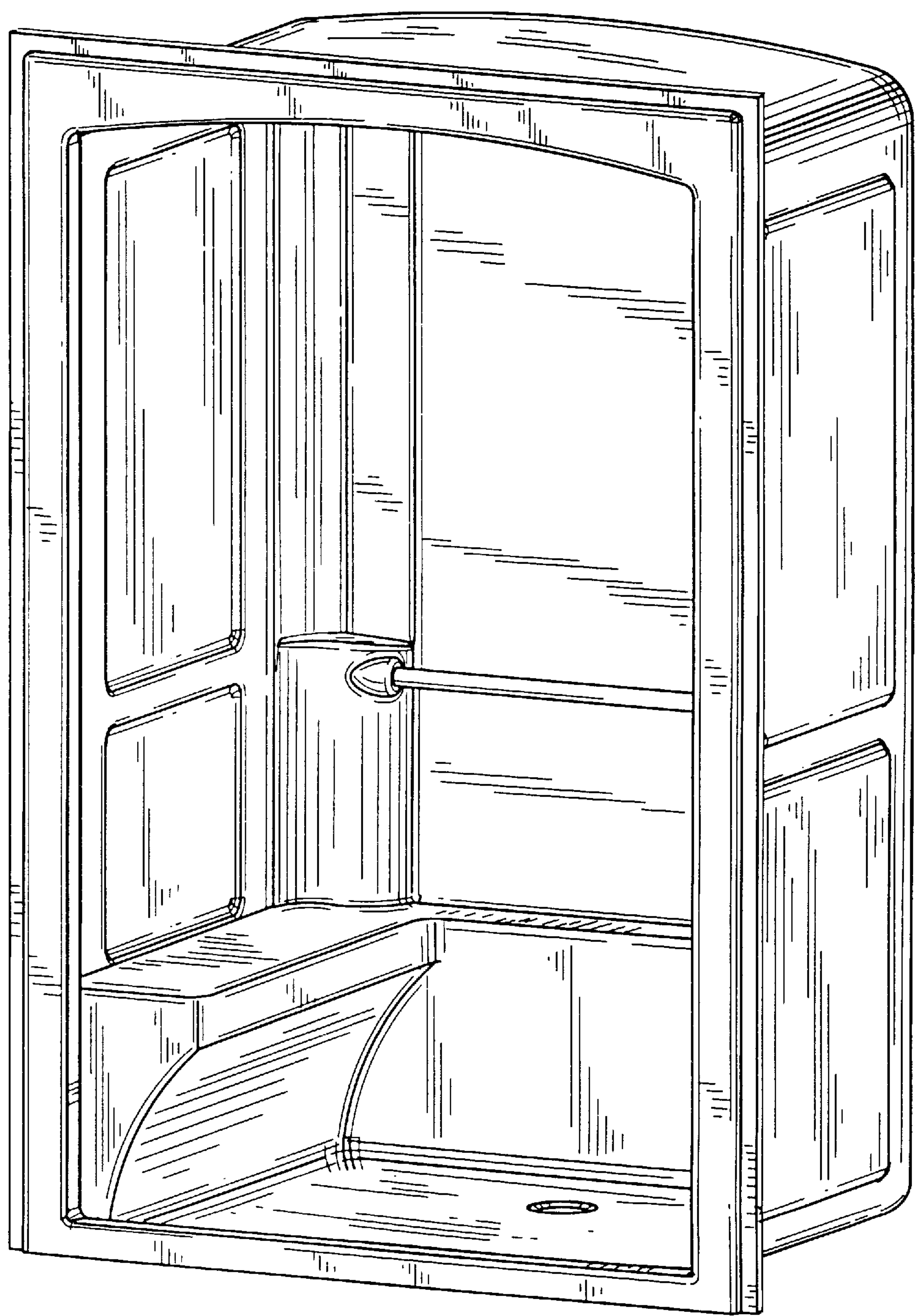


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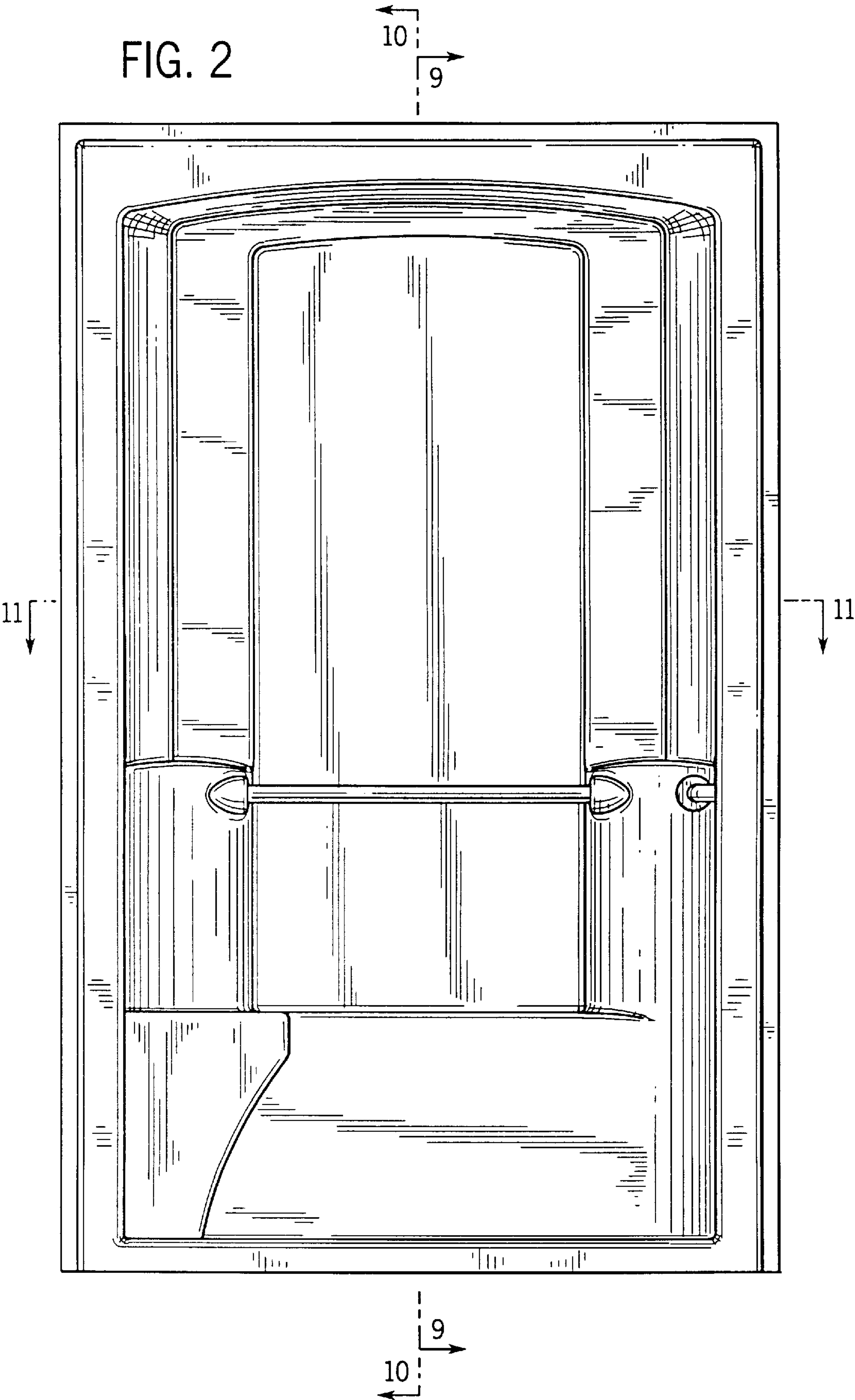


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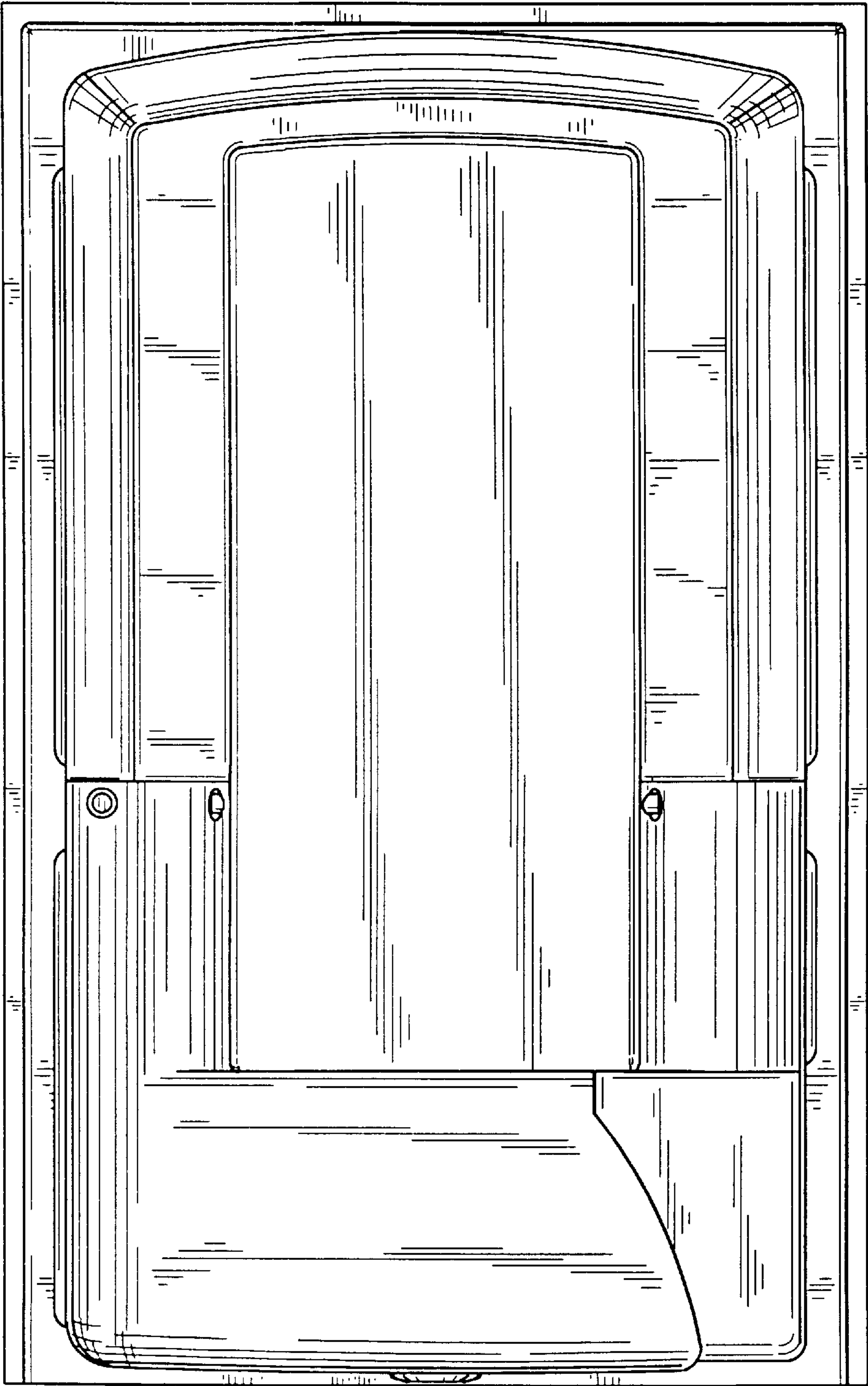


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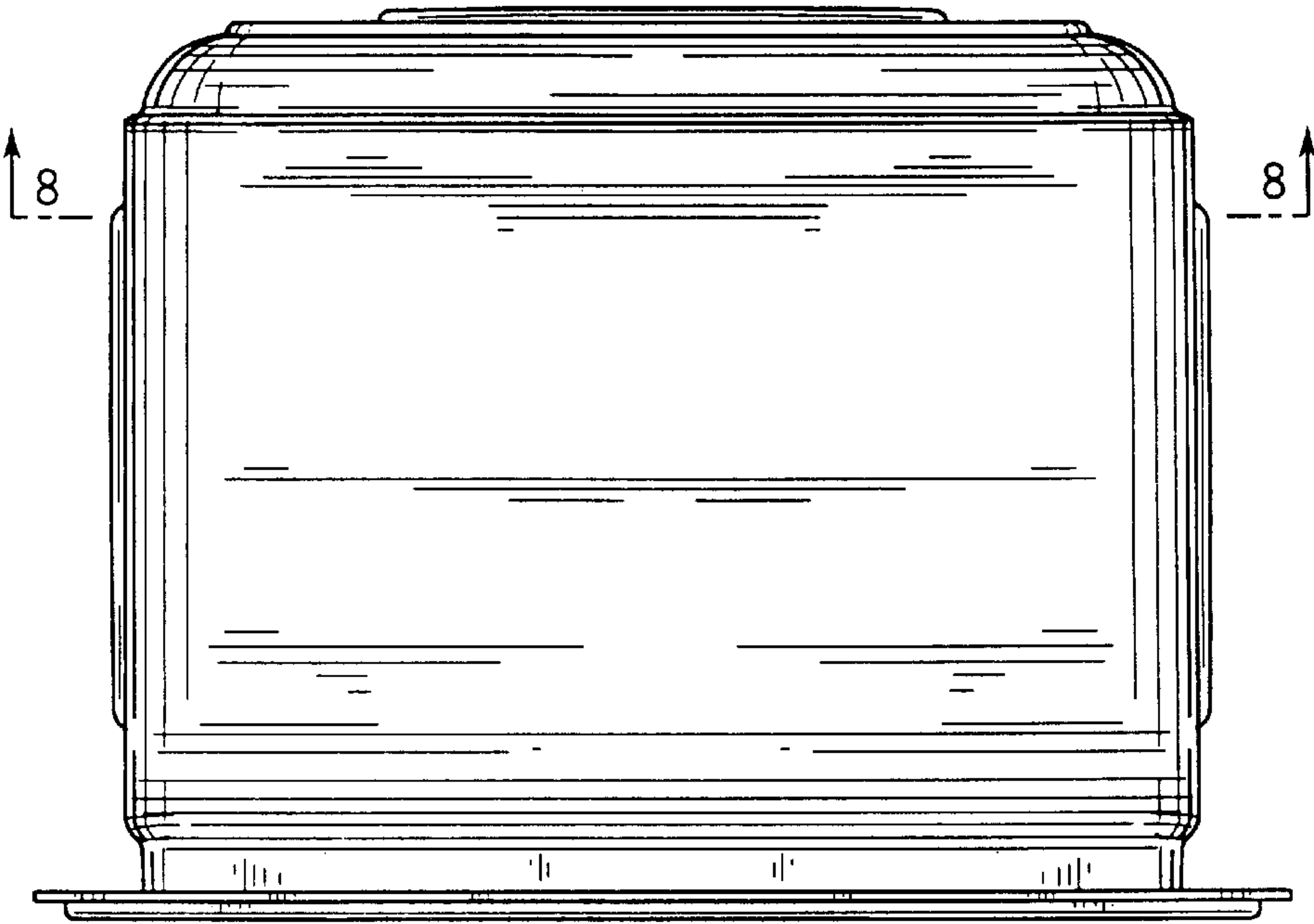


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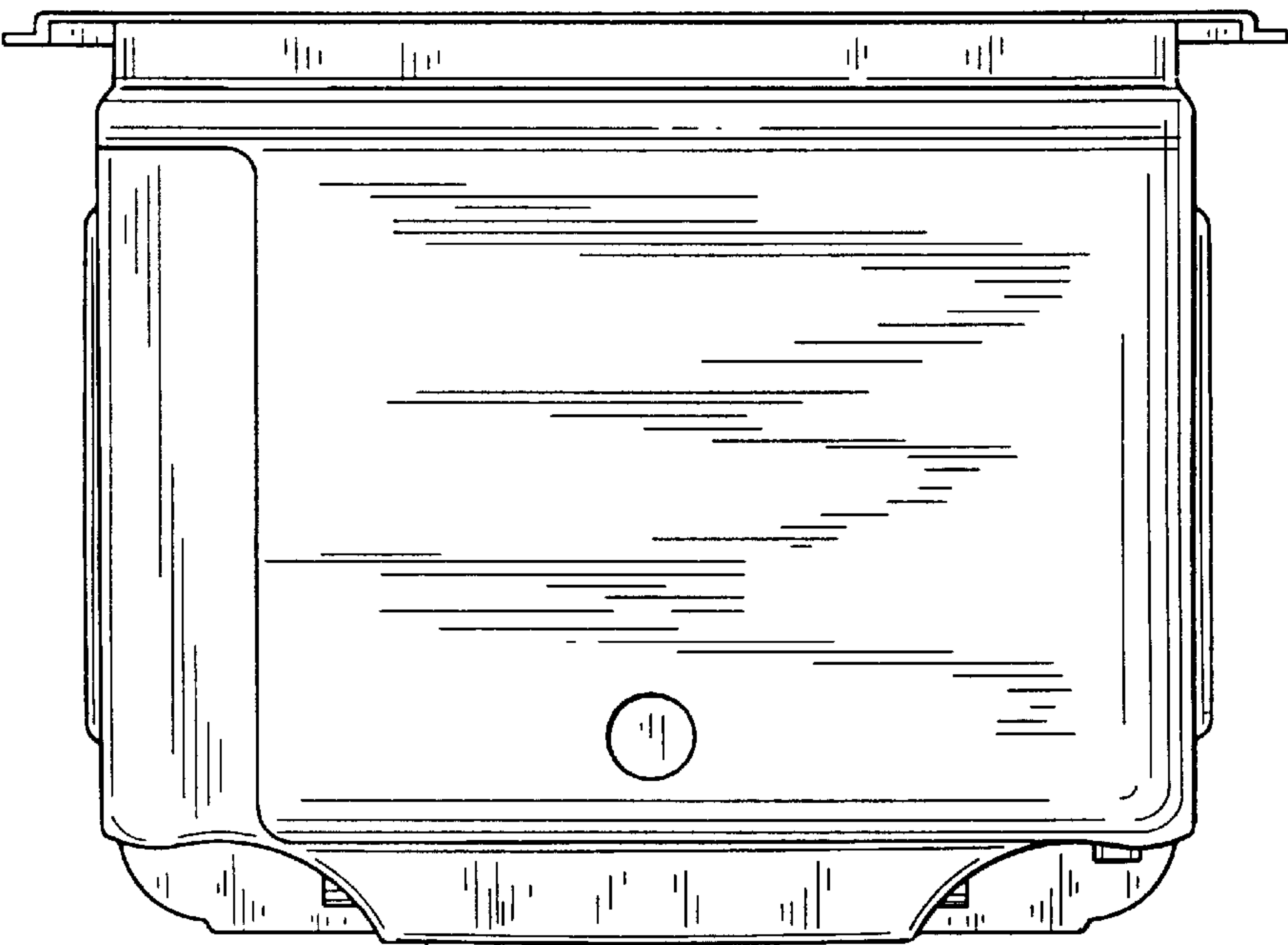




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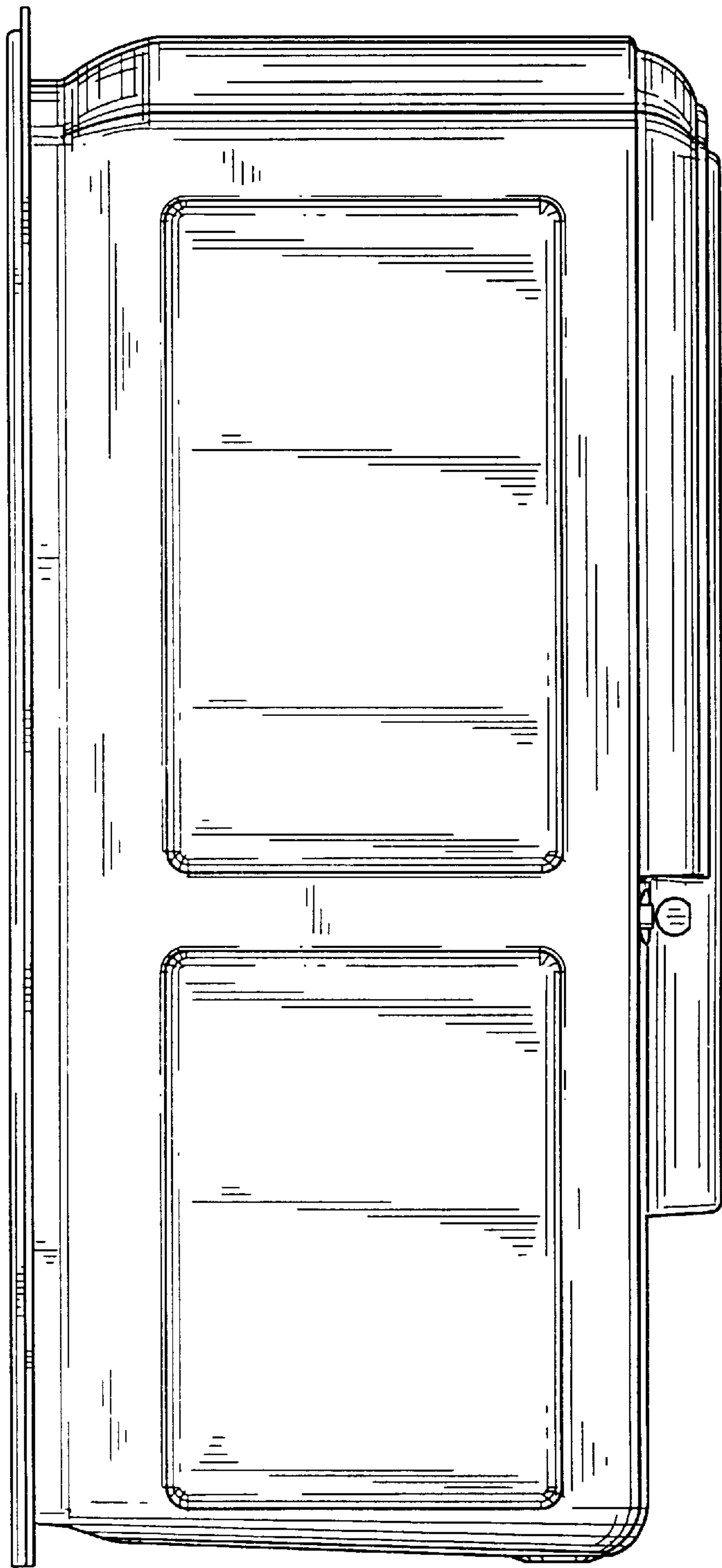


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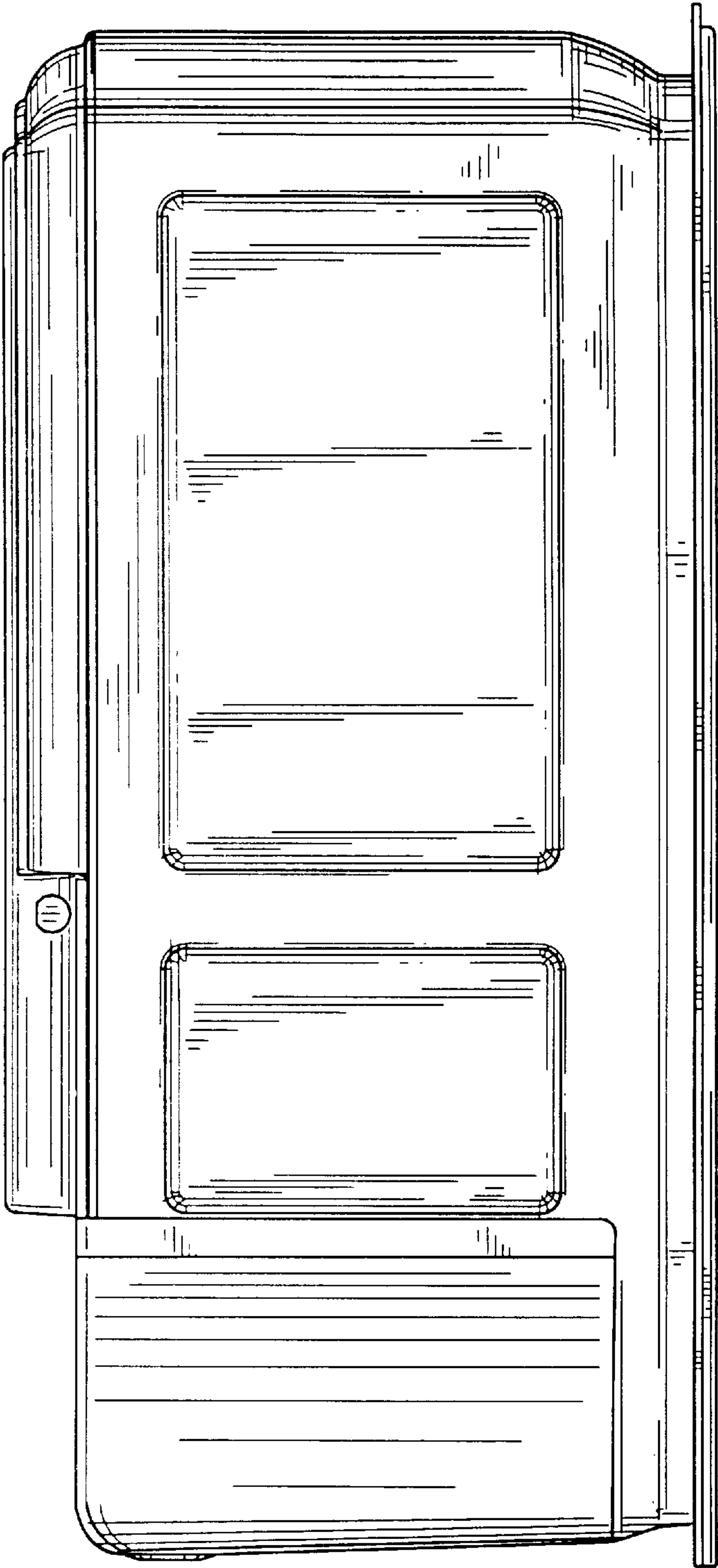


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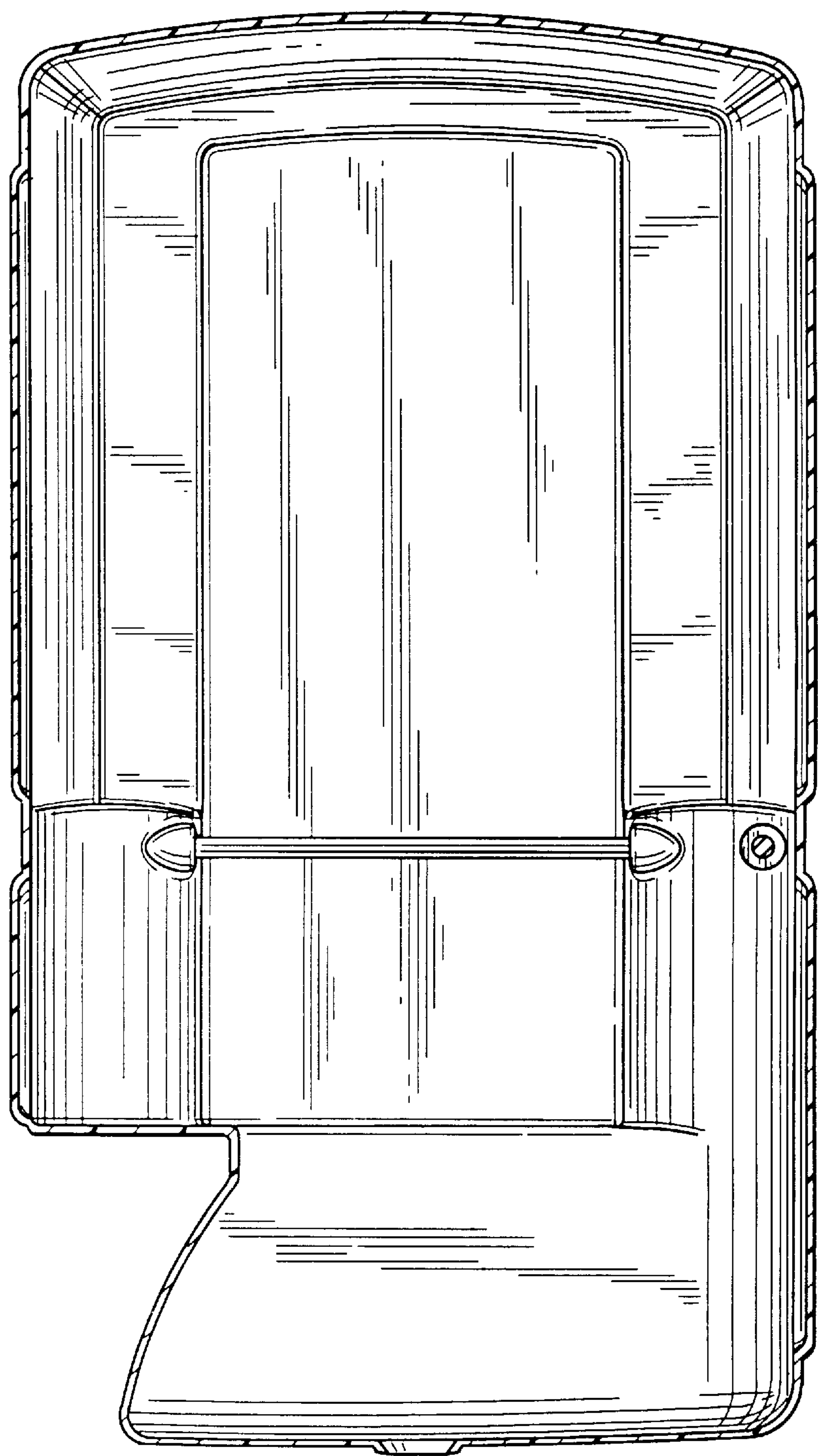




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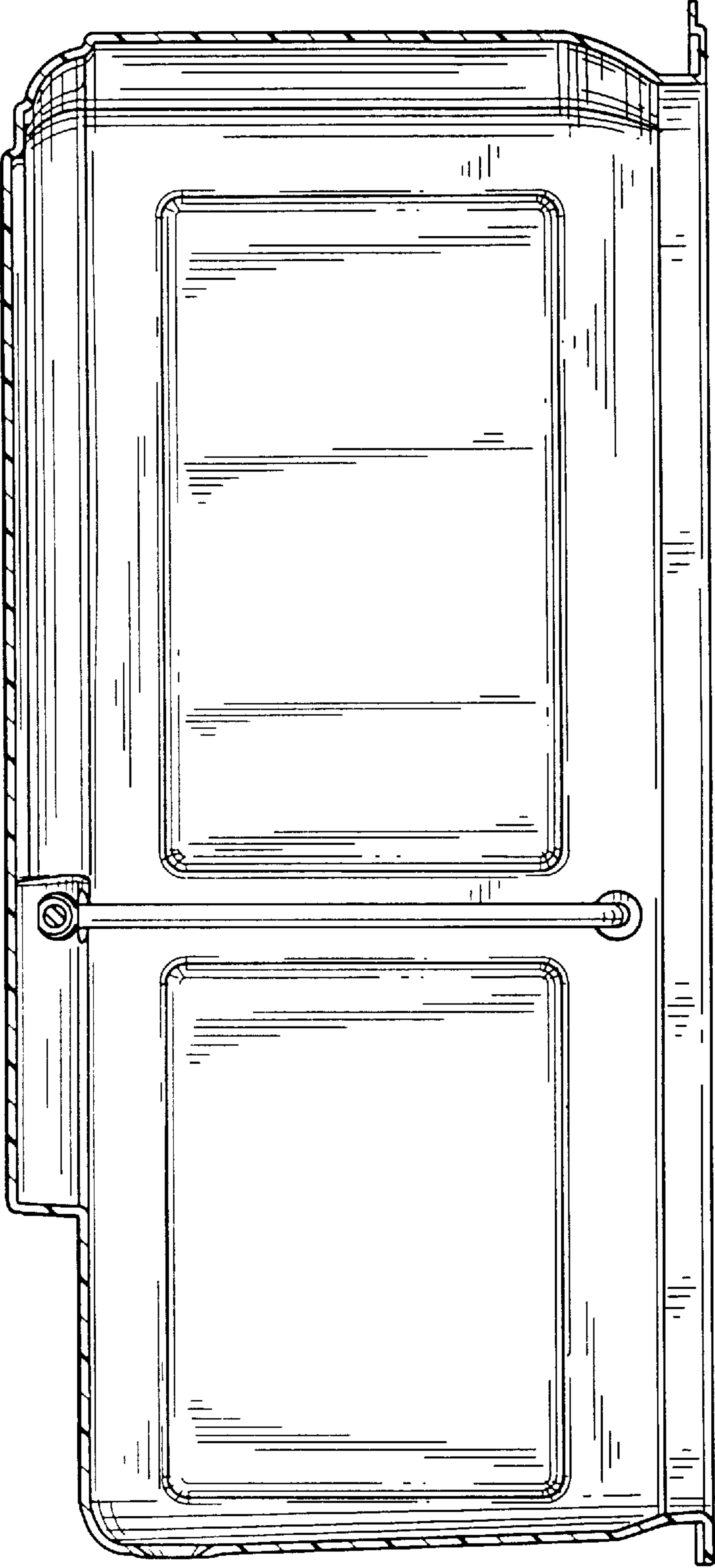


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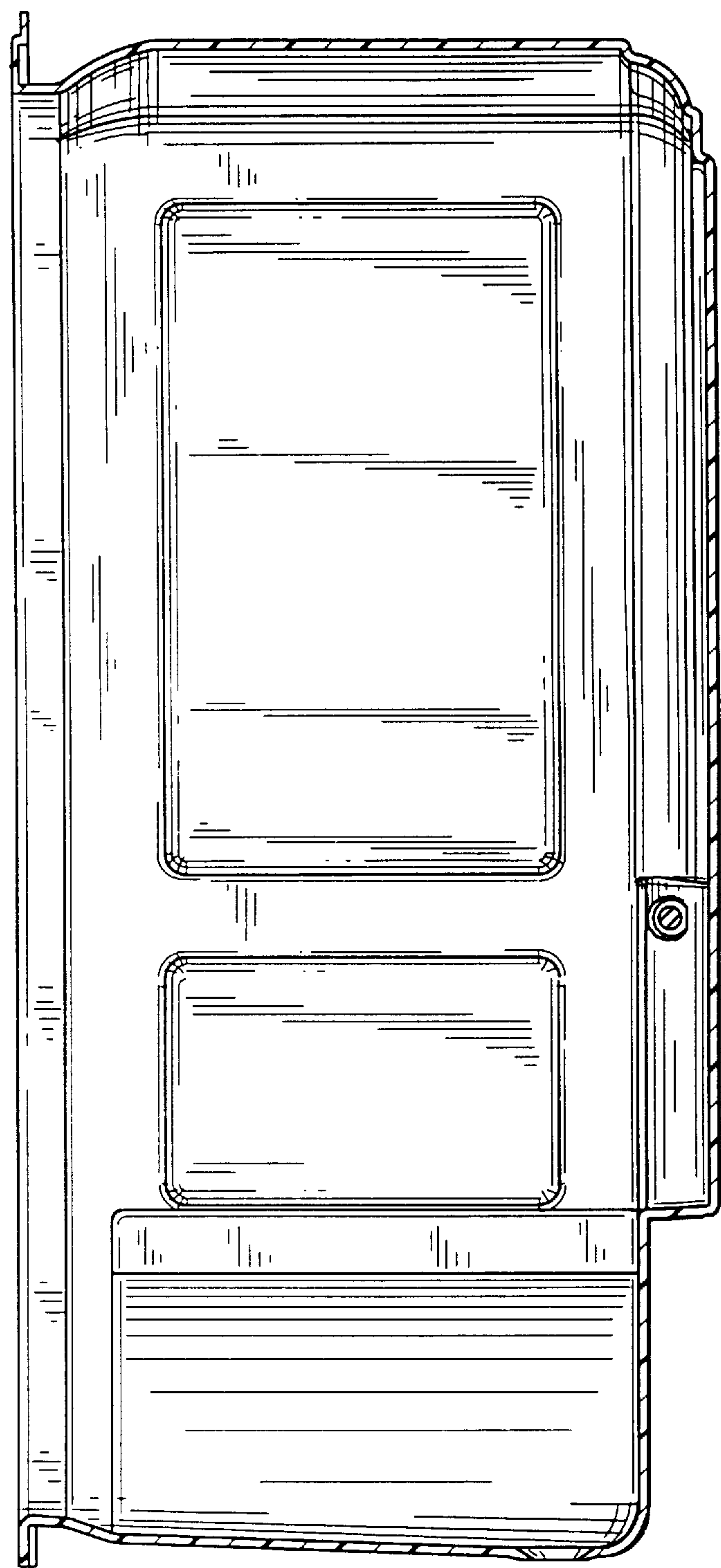


FIG. 11

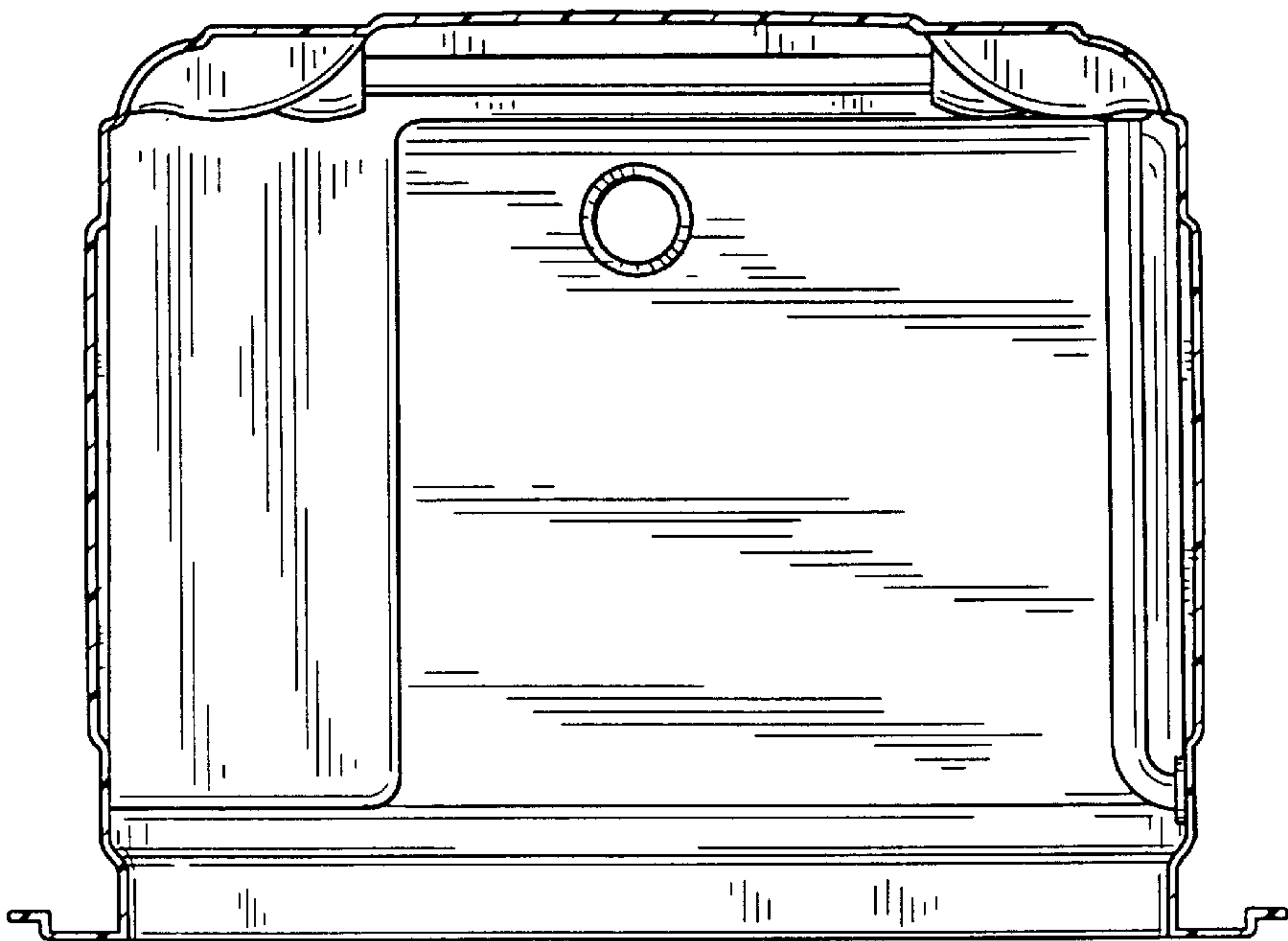


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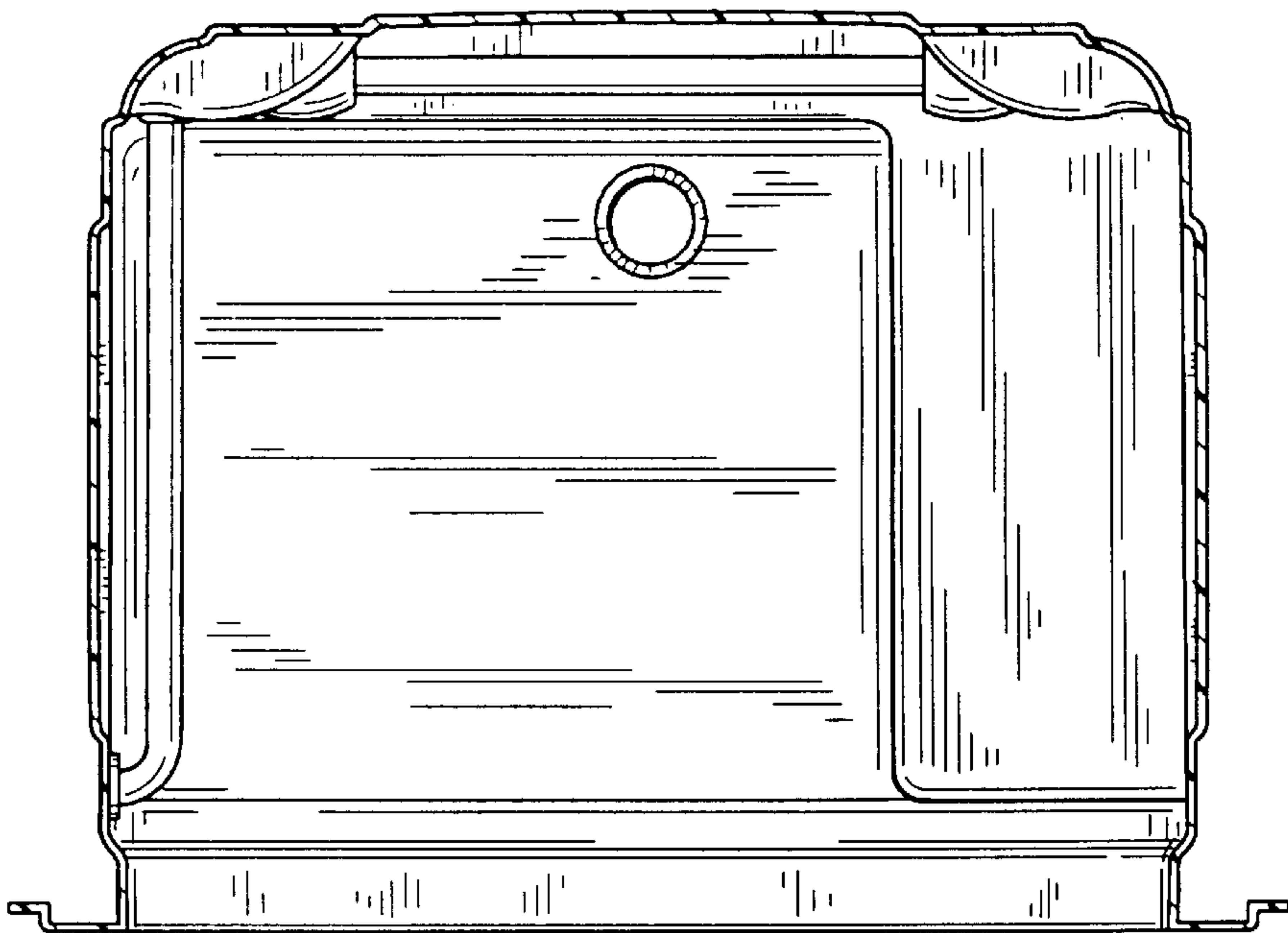
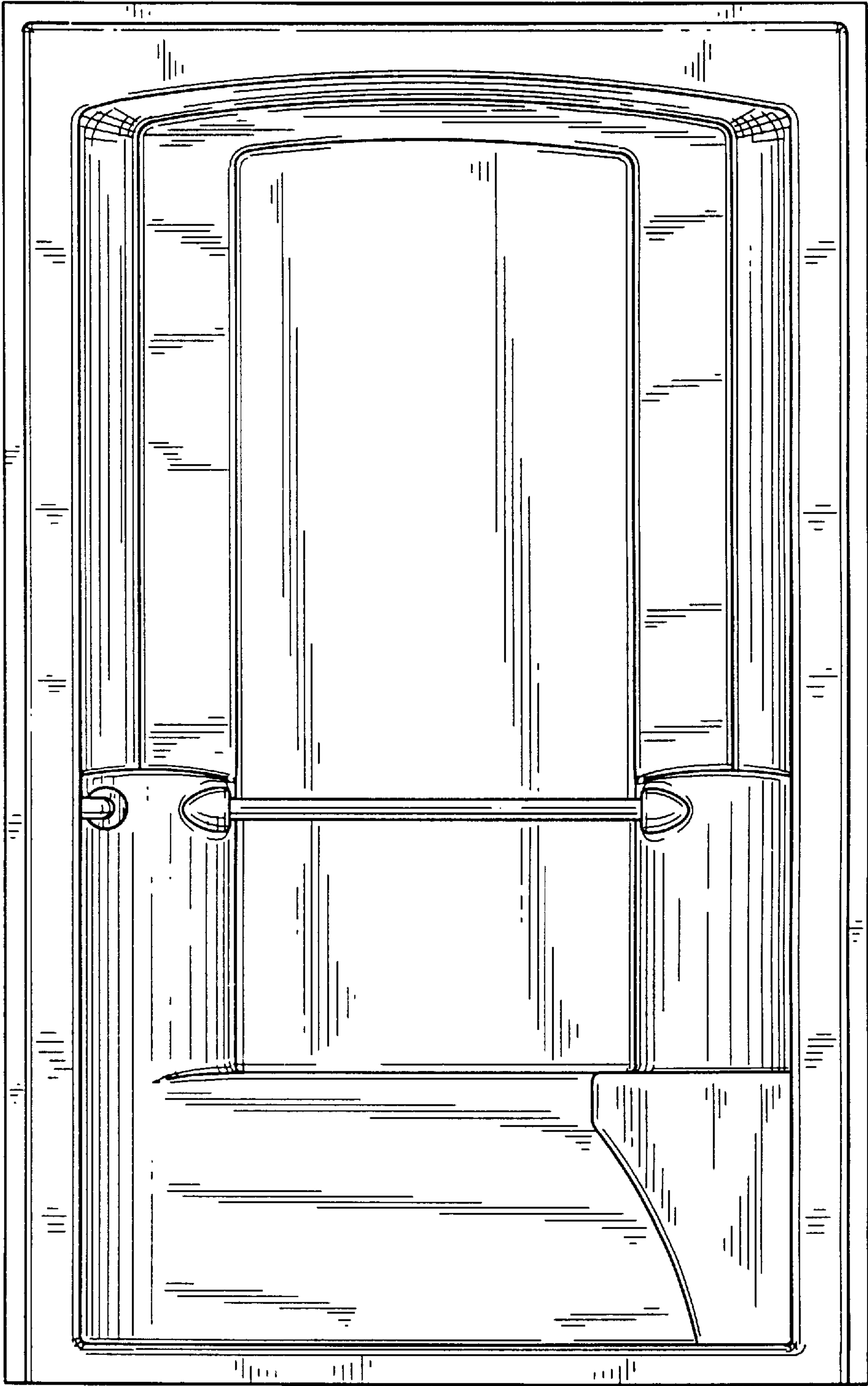


FIG. 12



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