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[54] **COMBINATION EMERGENCY LIGHTING DEVICE AND EXIT SIGN**

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[57] **CLAIM**

We claim the ornamental design for a combination emergency lighting device and exit sign, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

[56] **References Cited**

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of the first embodiment of the invention;

FIG. 2 is a top view of the invention;

FIG. 3 is a front view of the invention;

FIG. 4 is a bottom view of the invention;

FIG. 5 is a left side view of the invention;

FIG. 6 is a right side view of the invention;

FIG. 7 is a rear view of the invention with a plain panel in the exit sign; and,

FIG. 8 is a rear view of the second embodiment of the invention with an exit panel in the exit sign. The second embodiment differs from the first embodiment only by the rear view.

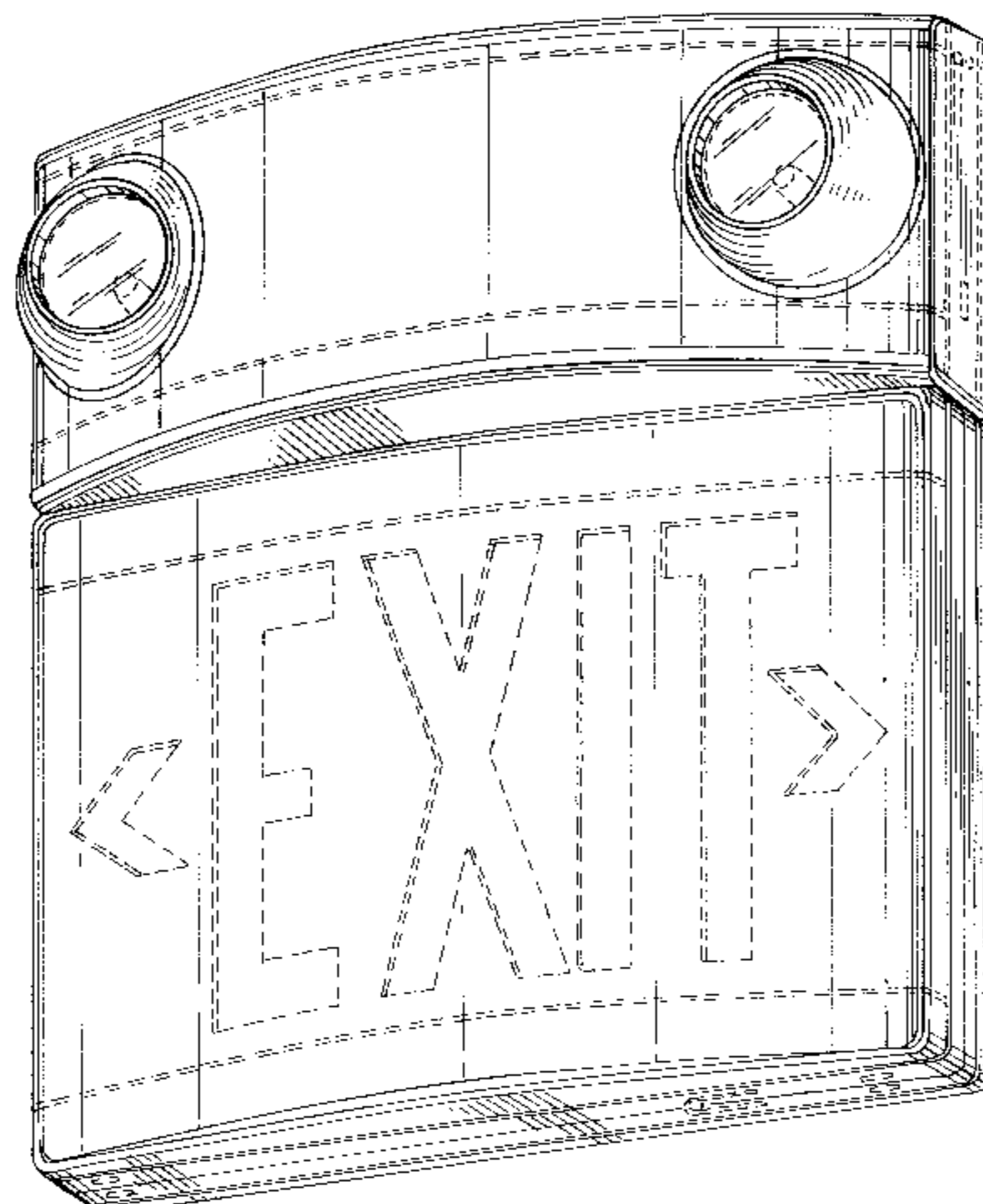
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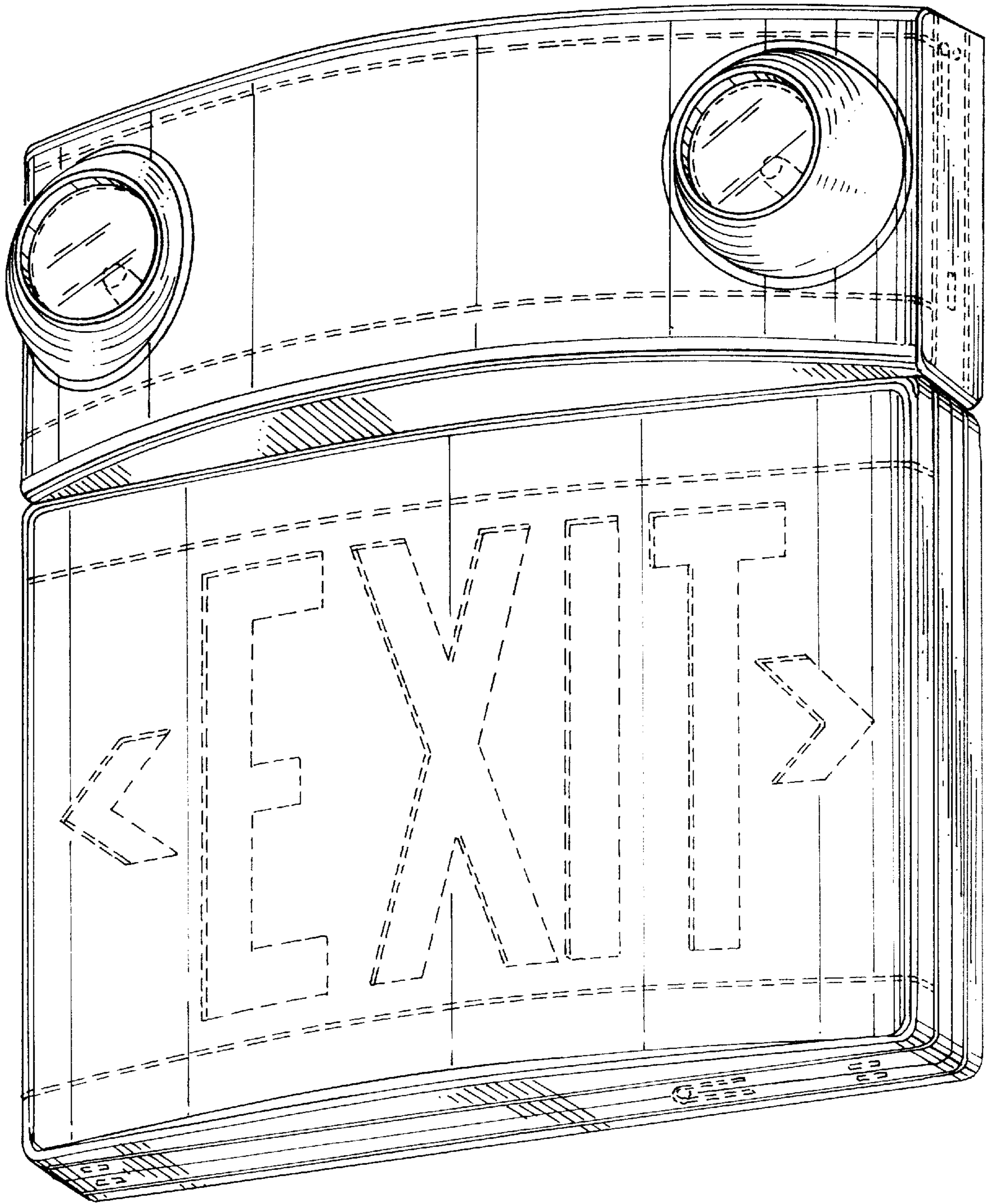


FIG. 1

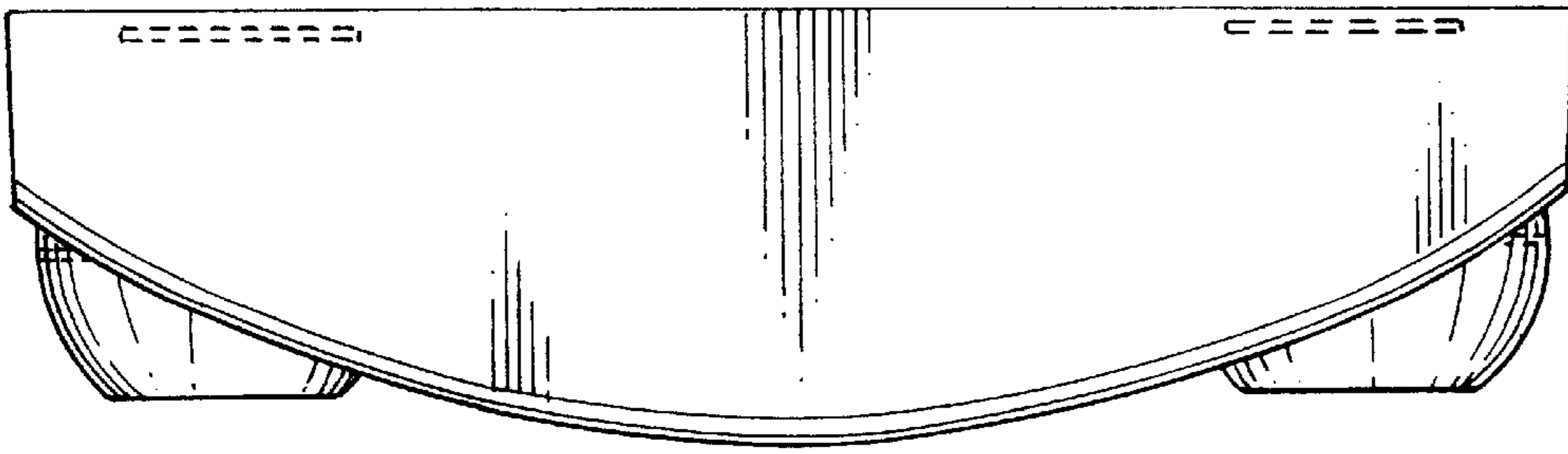


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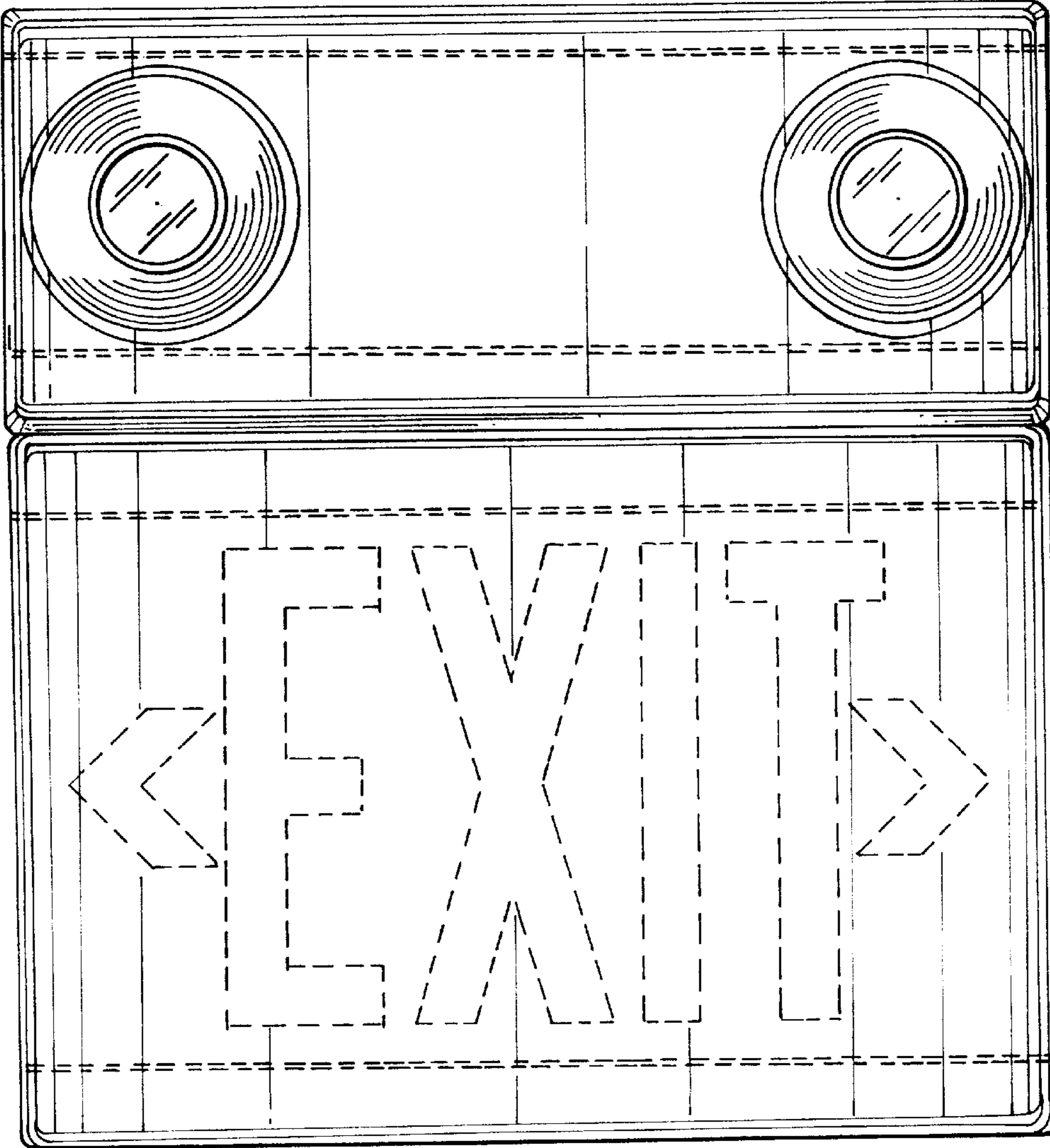


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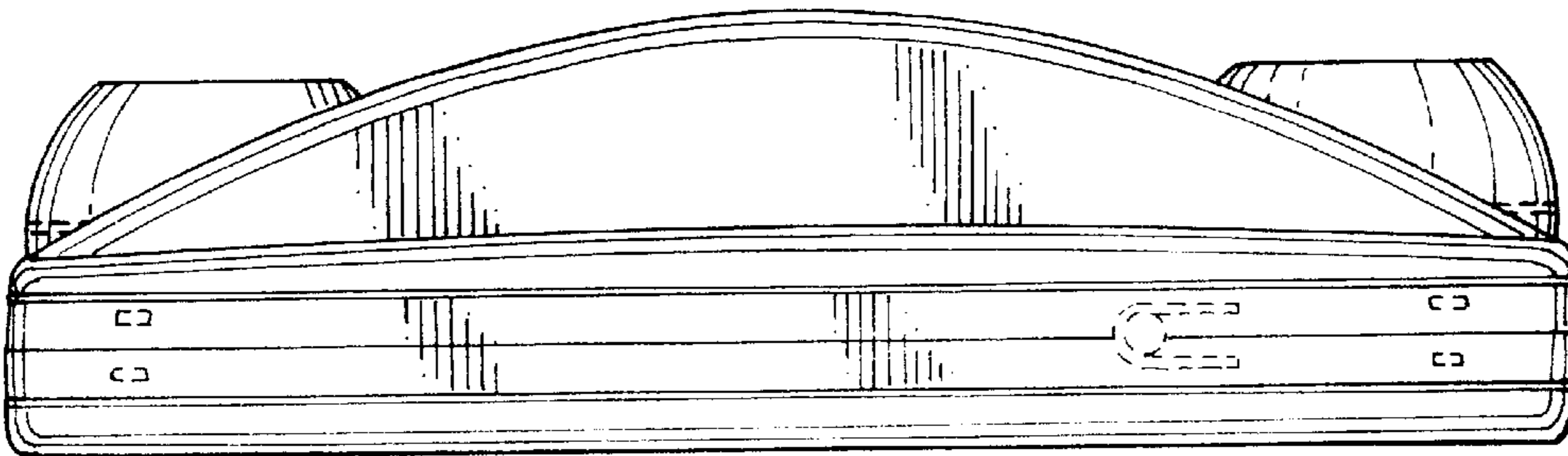


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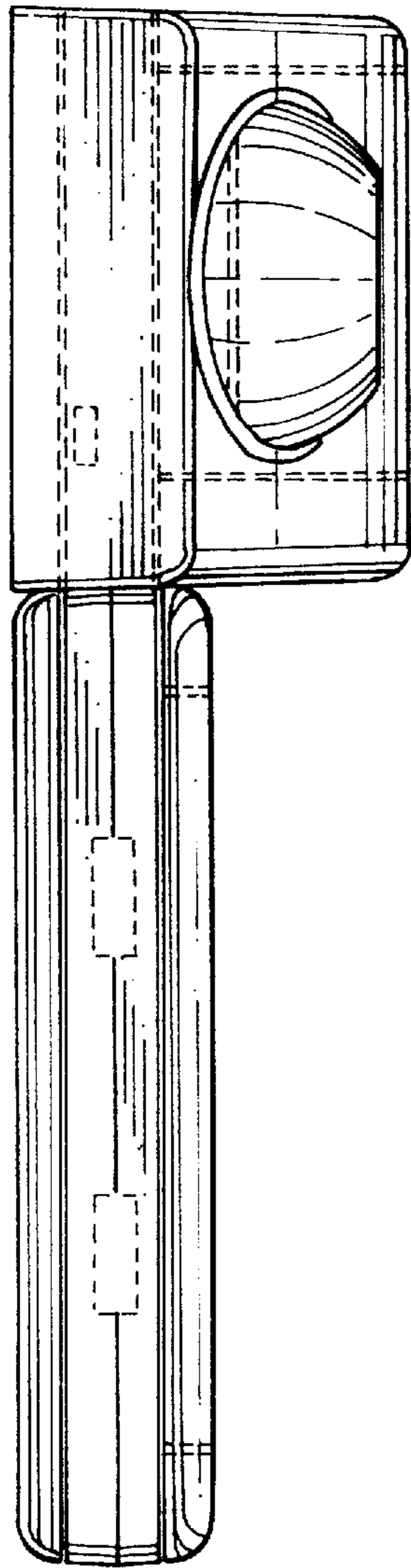


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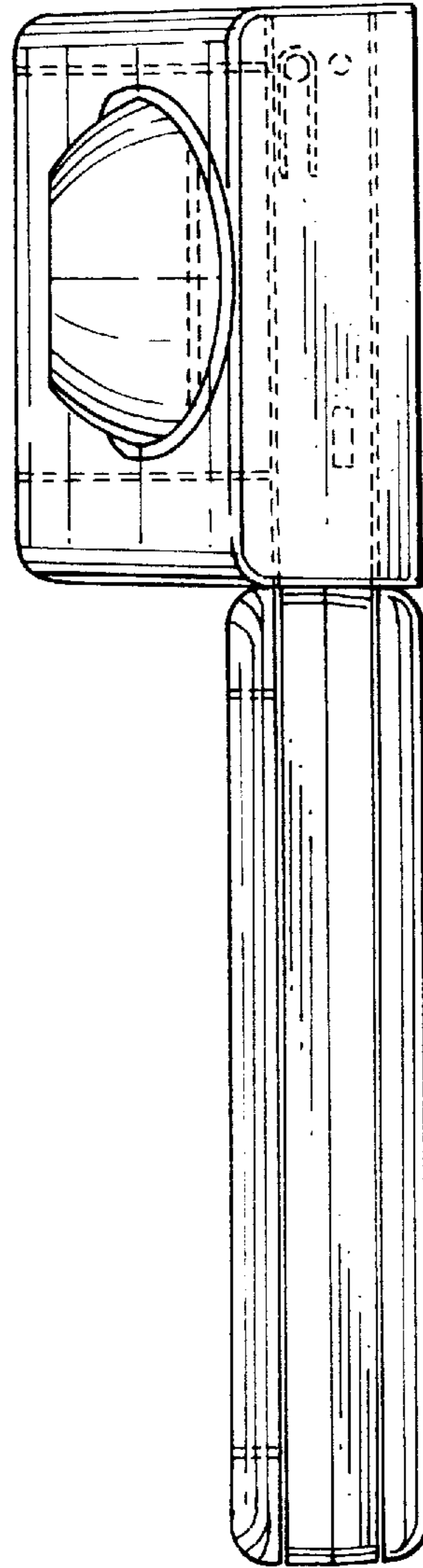


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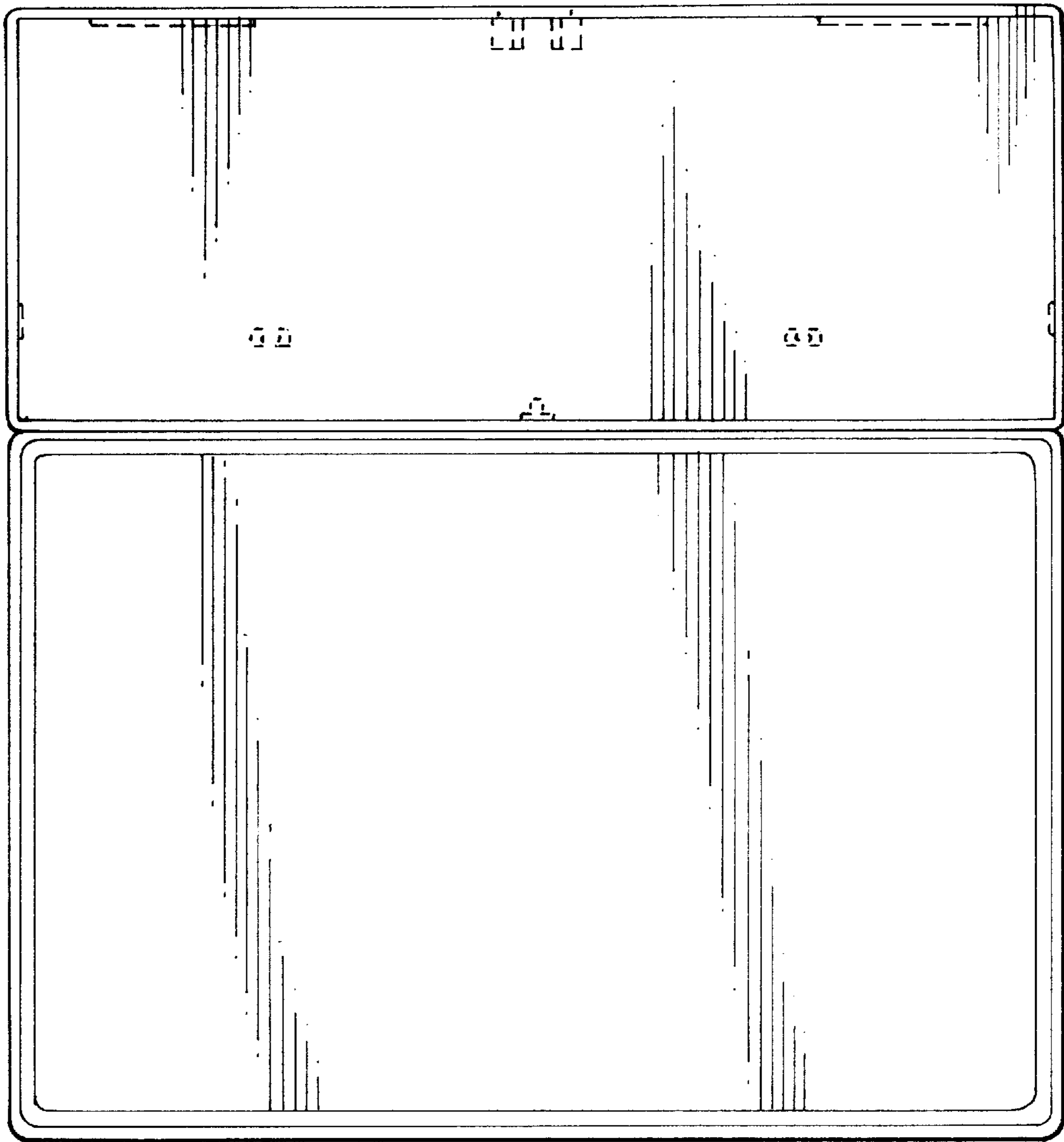


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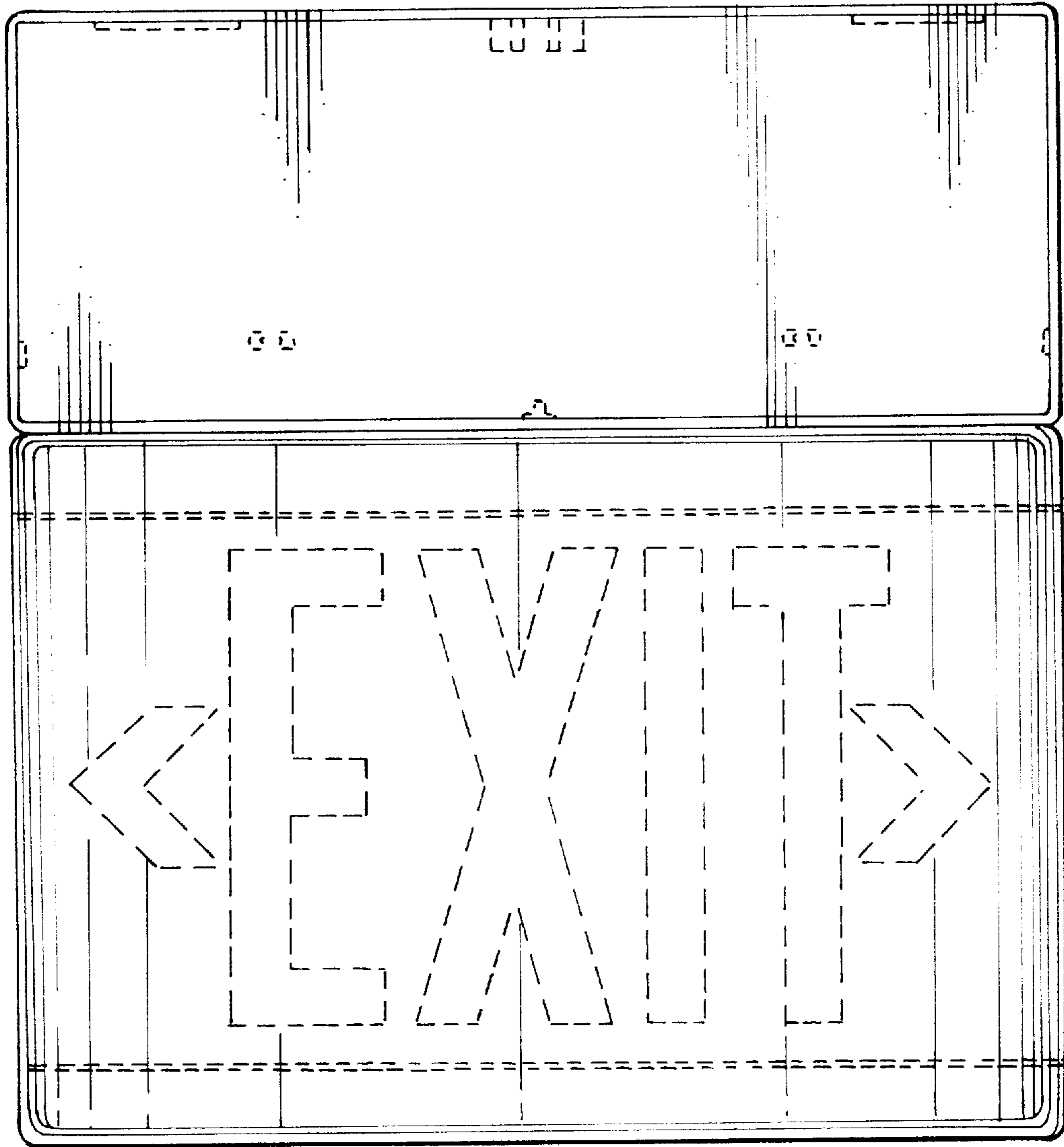


FIG. 8

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

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