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[54] **CORD GUARD**

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Copy of three photographs prepared for purposes of this Information Disclosure Statement showing a prior art cord guard.

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[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a cord guard, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a top plan view of a cord guard showing my new design, the bottom plan view thereof being a mirror image; FIG. 2 is a right side elevation view thereof, the left side elevation view thereof being a mirror image;

FIG. 3 is a section view thereof taken along line 3—3 of FIG. 1;

FIG. 4 is a section view thereof taken along line 4—4 of FIG. 1;

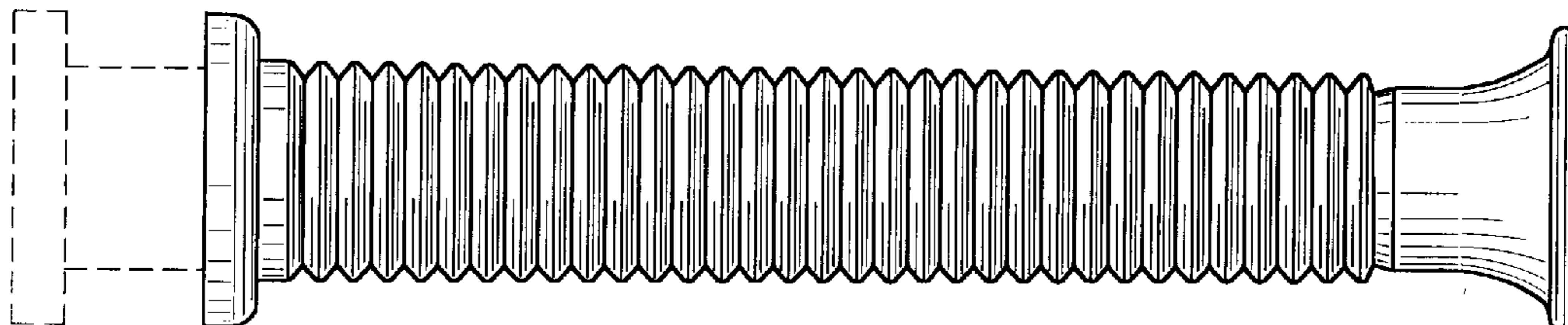
FIG. 5 is a forward end view thereof;

FIG. 6 is a section view thereof identical to FIG. 4 but on a larger scale than FIG. 4; and,

FIG. 7 is an enlarged, fragmentary section view thereof taken along line 7—7 of FIG. 6.

The broken lines in FIGS. 1 and 2 showing the portion of a cord guard connector ordinarily located within an appliance are used for illustrative purposes only and form no part of the claimed design.

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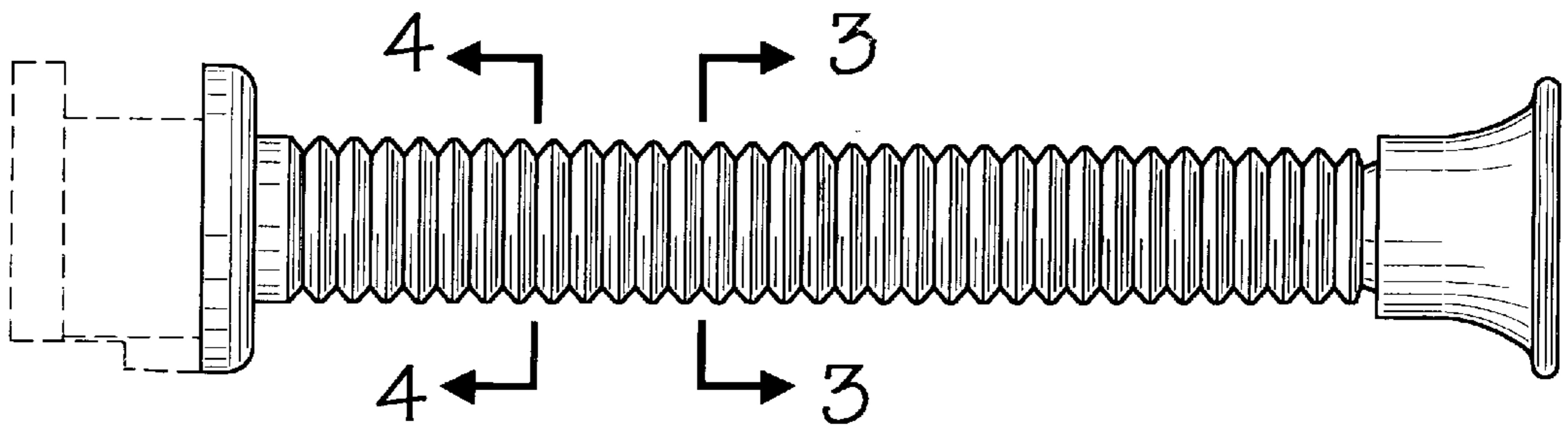


FIG. 1

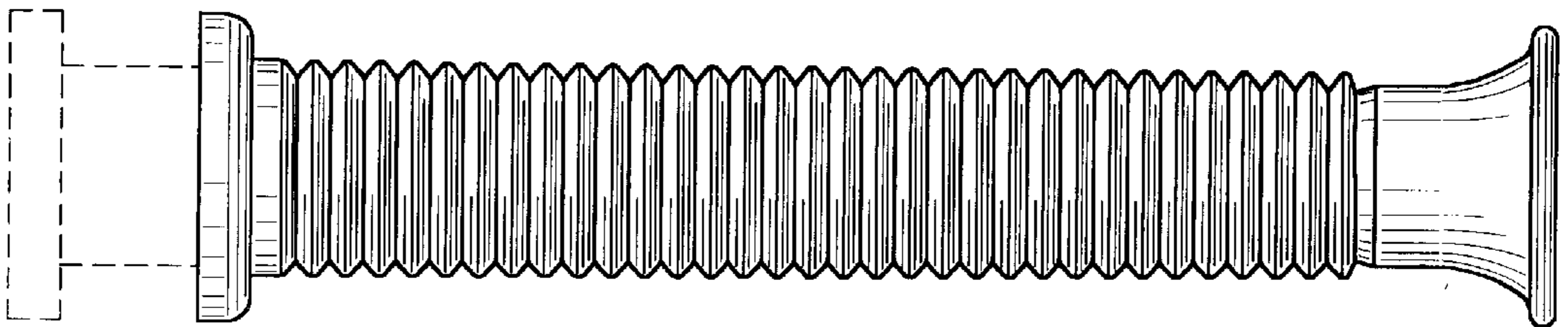


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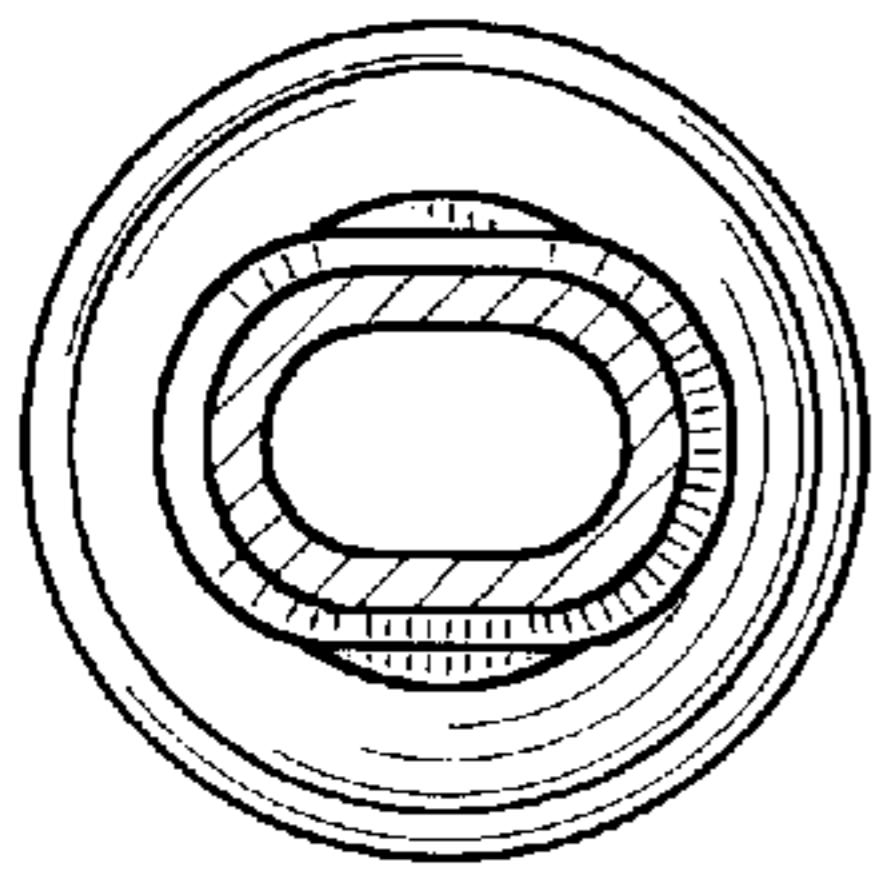


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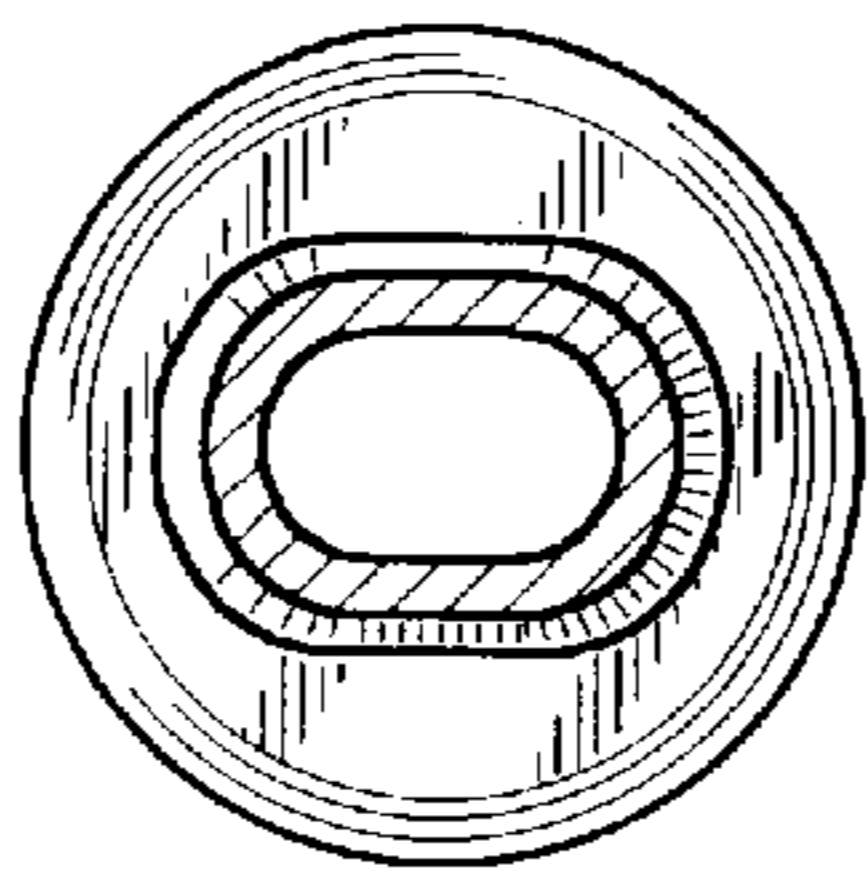


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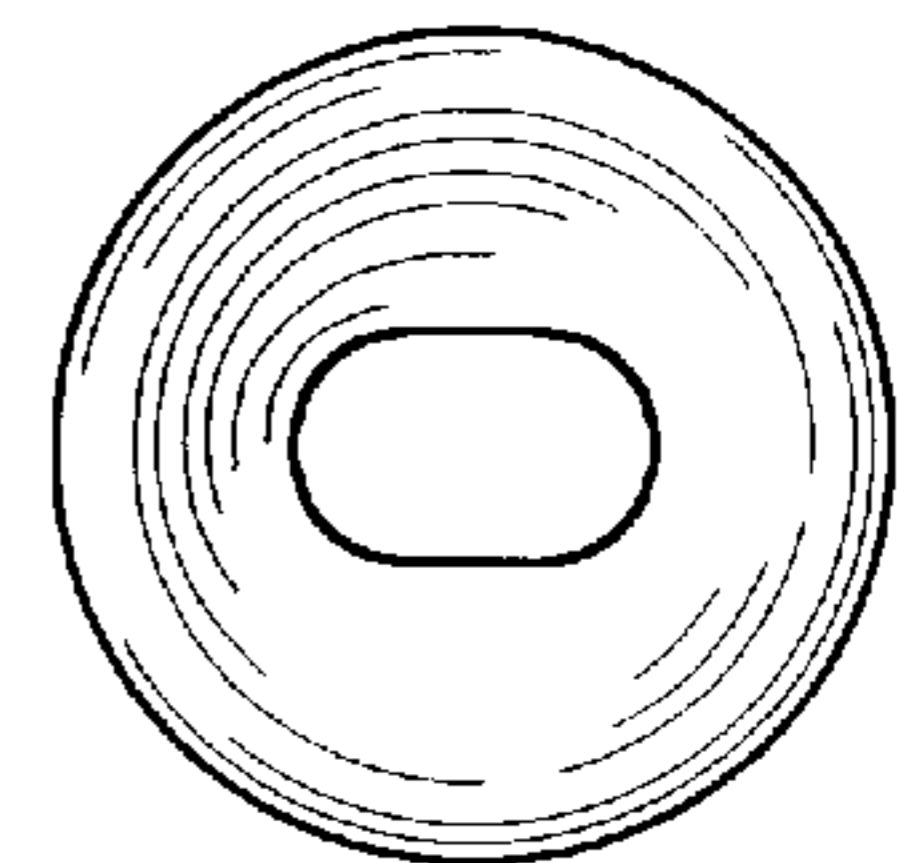


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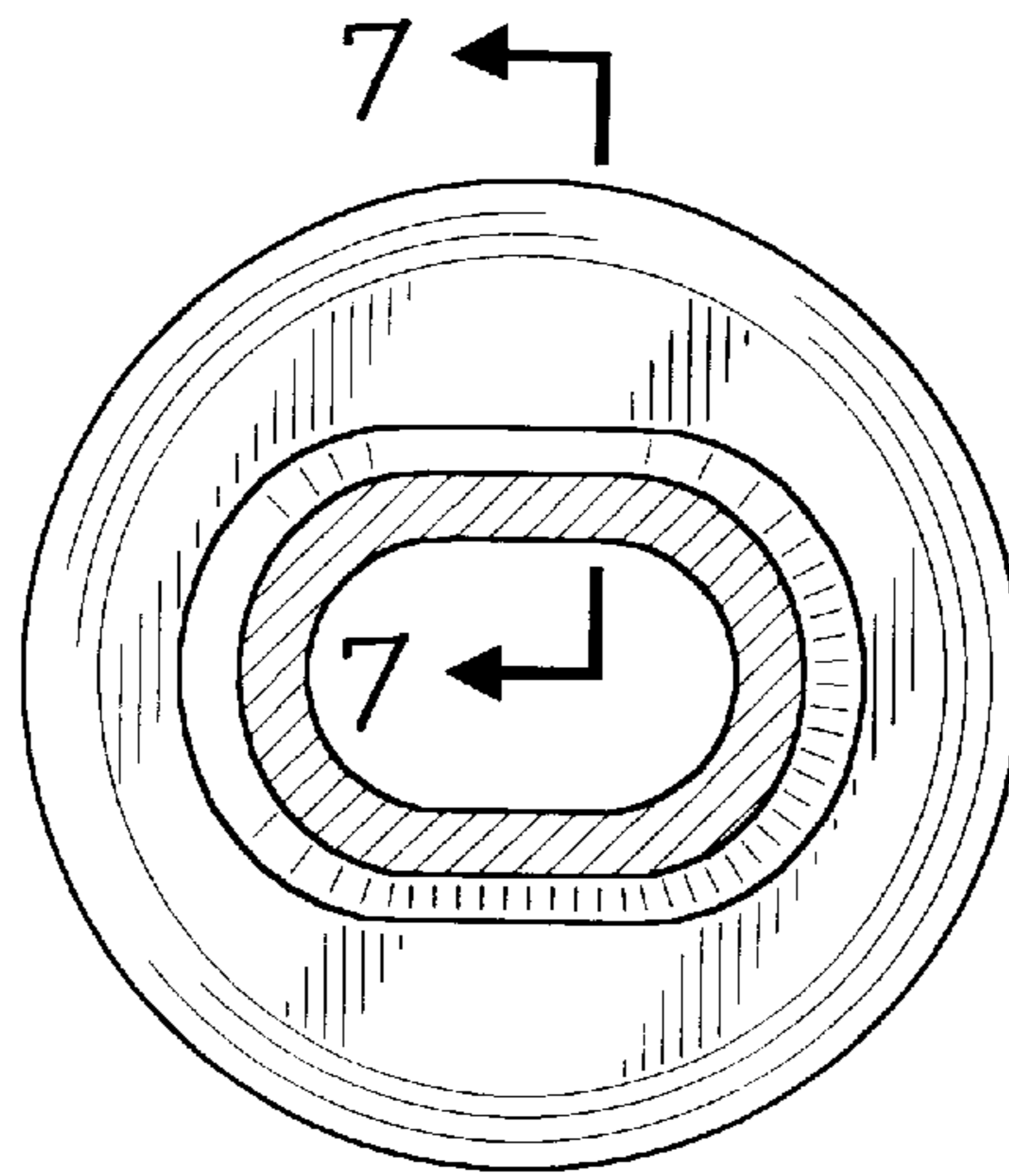


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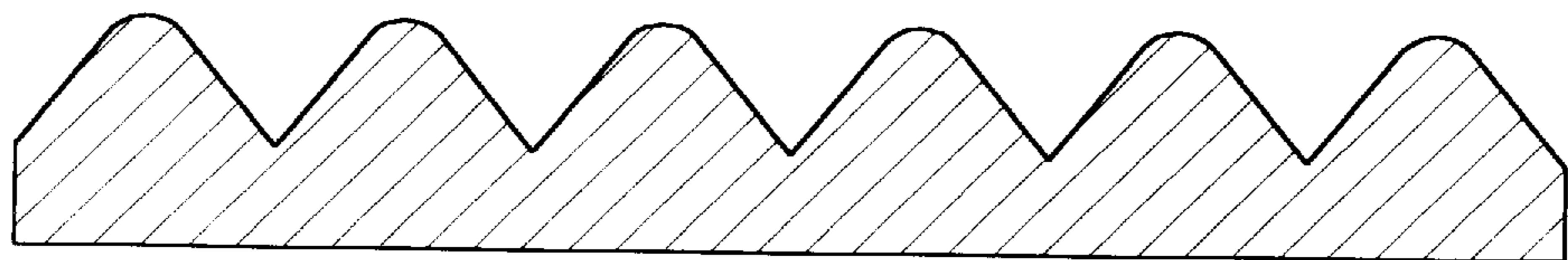


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