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[54] **FLEXIBLE, MULTIPLE-COMPARTMENT MEDICAL CONTAINER**

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[57] CLAIM

The ornamental design for a flexible, multiple-compartment medical container, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of an embodiment of a multiple compartment medical container, showing our new design; FIG. 2 is a front elevational view thereof; FIG. 3 is a side elevational view of the right side thereof; FIG. 4 is a back elevational view thereof; and, FIG. 5 is a side elevational view of the left side thereof.

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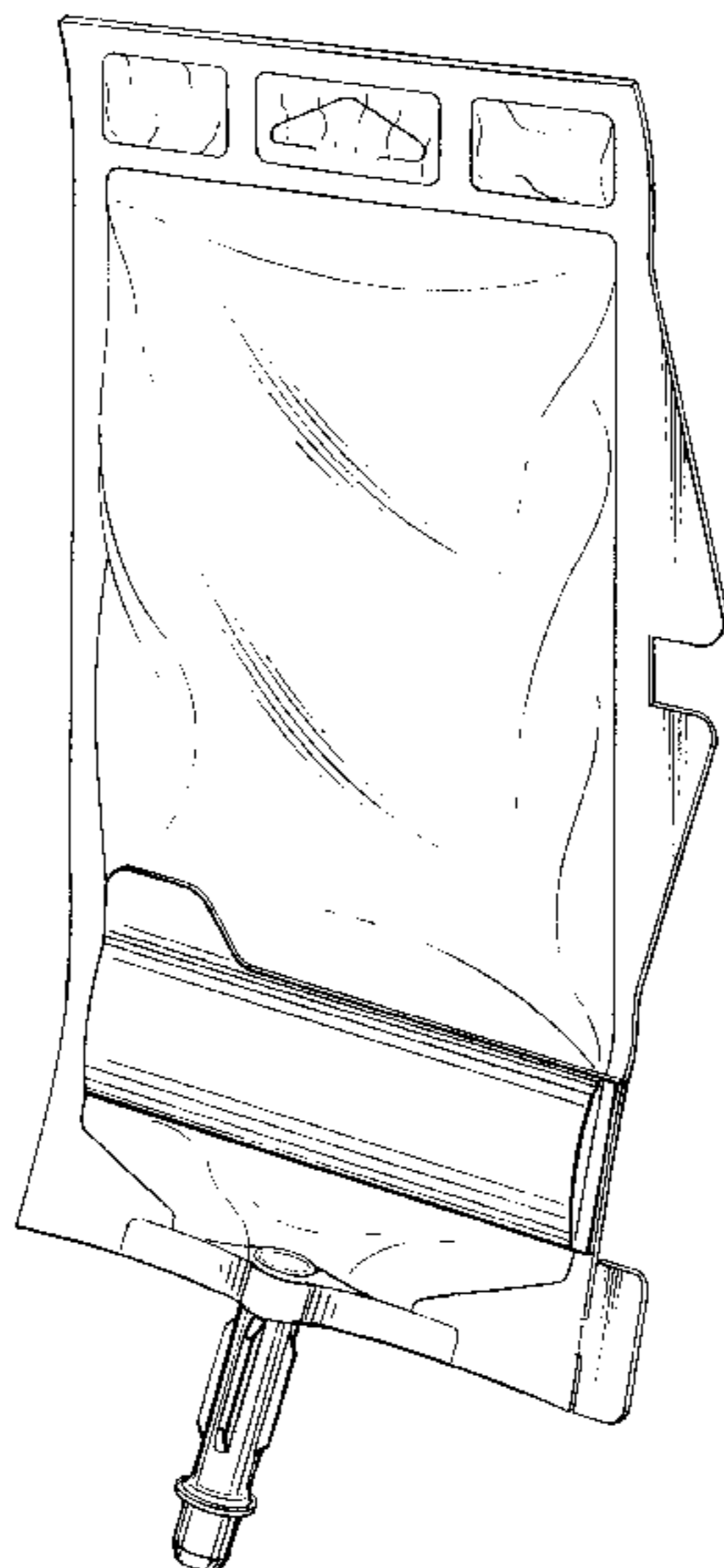


FIG. 1

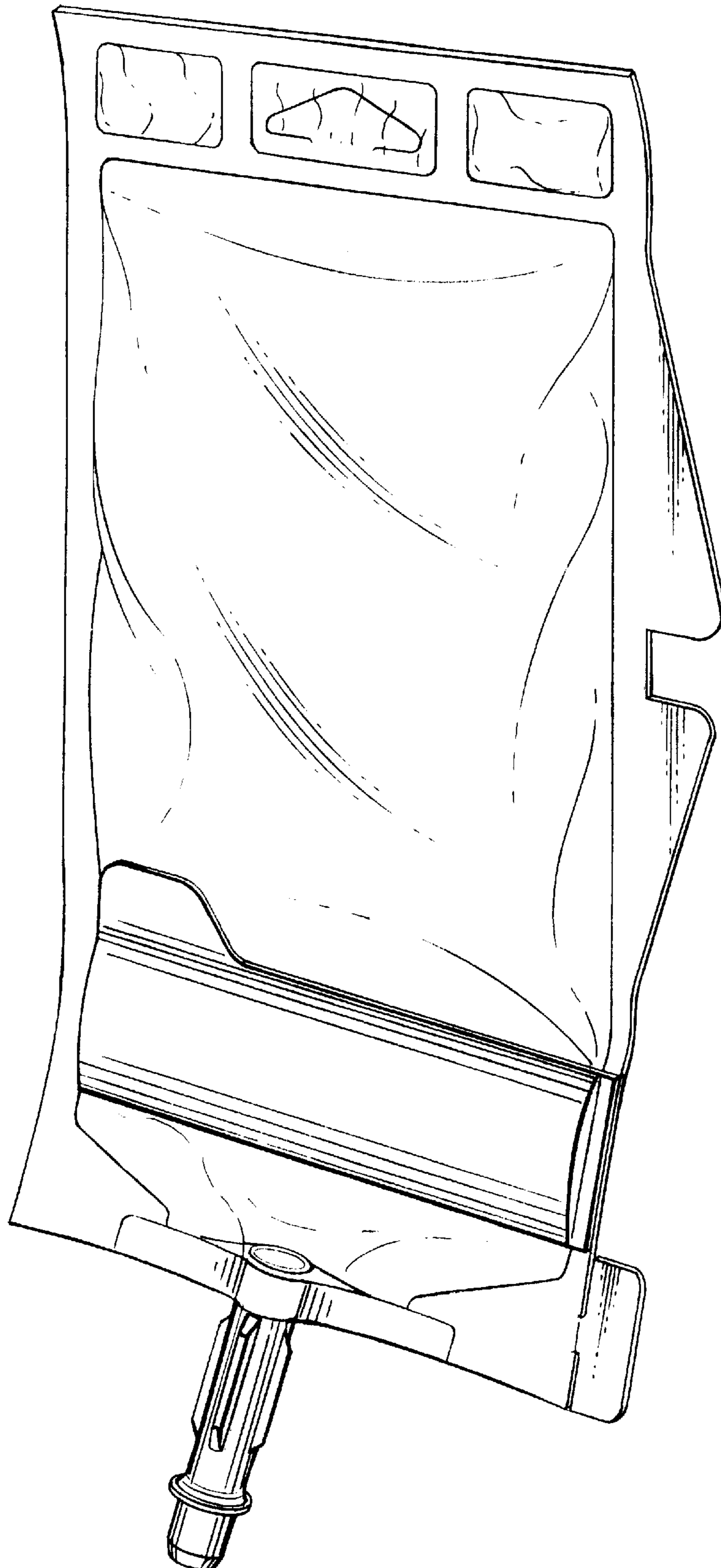


FIG. 3

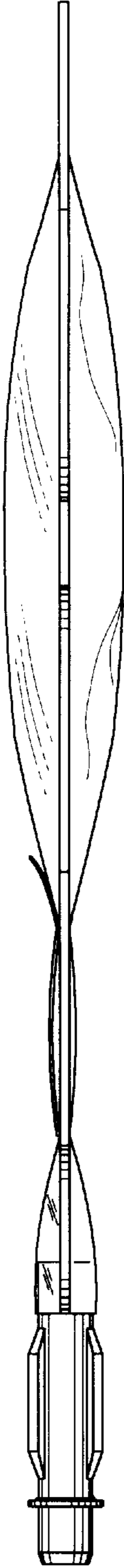


FIG. 2

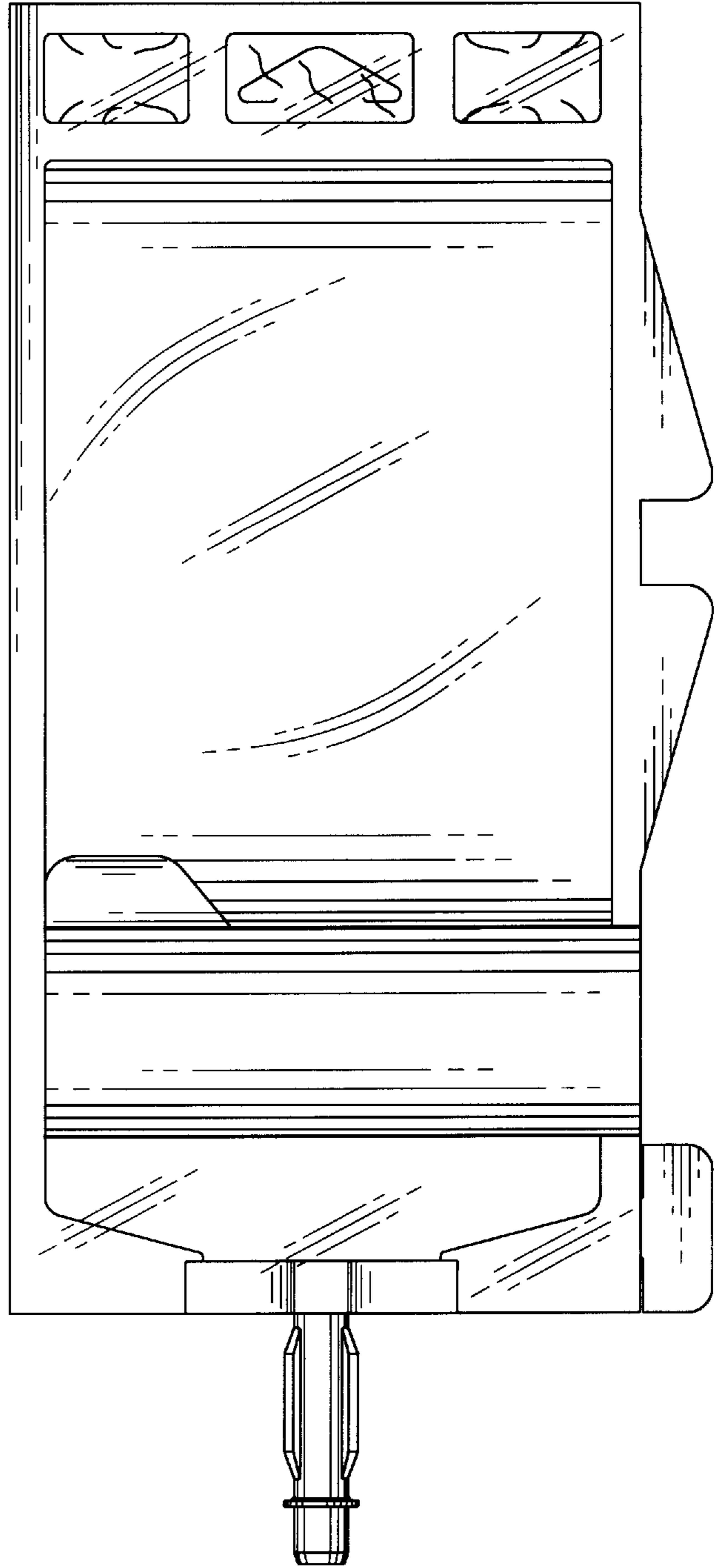


FIG. 4

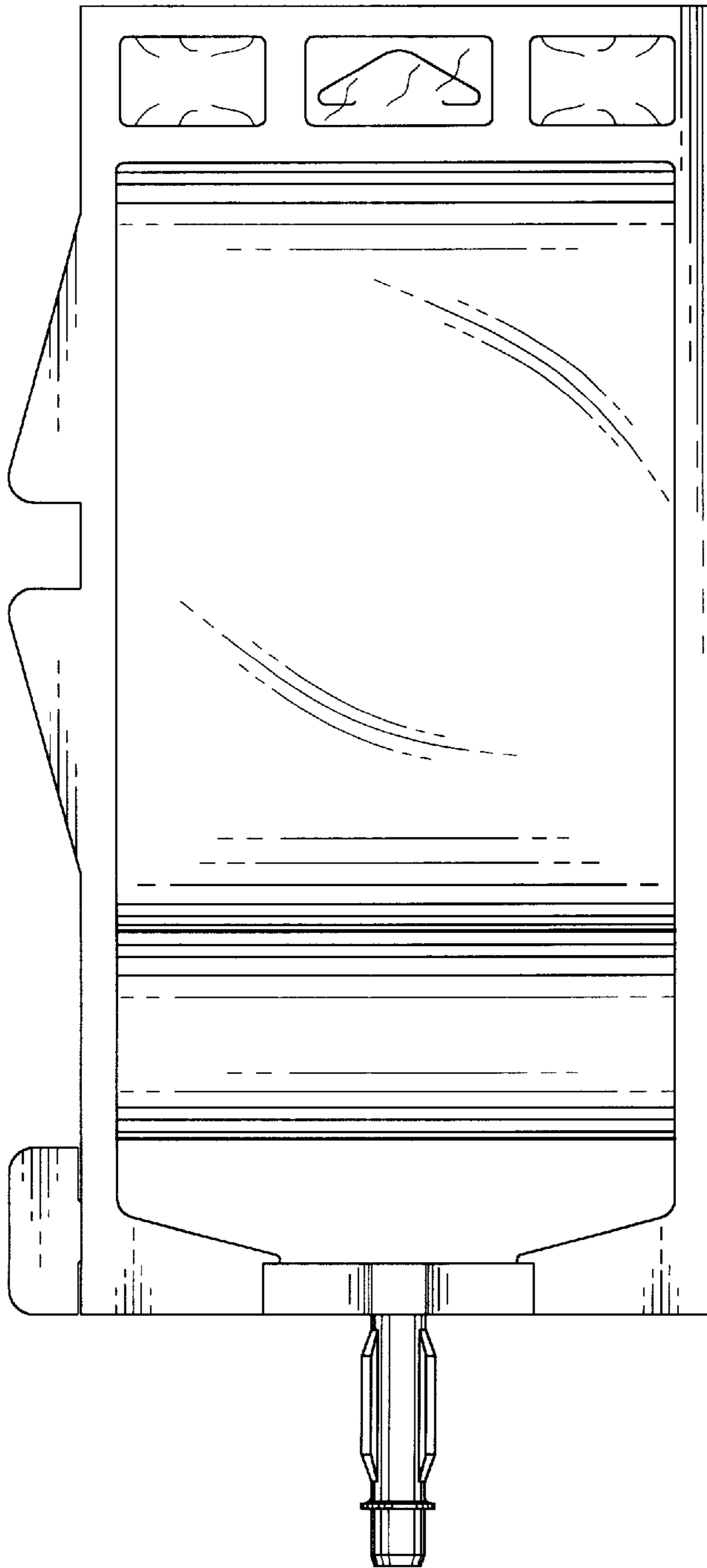


FIG. 5

