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[54] **GEAR SHIFT KNOB FOR AUTOMOBILES**

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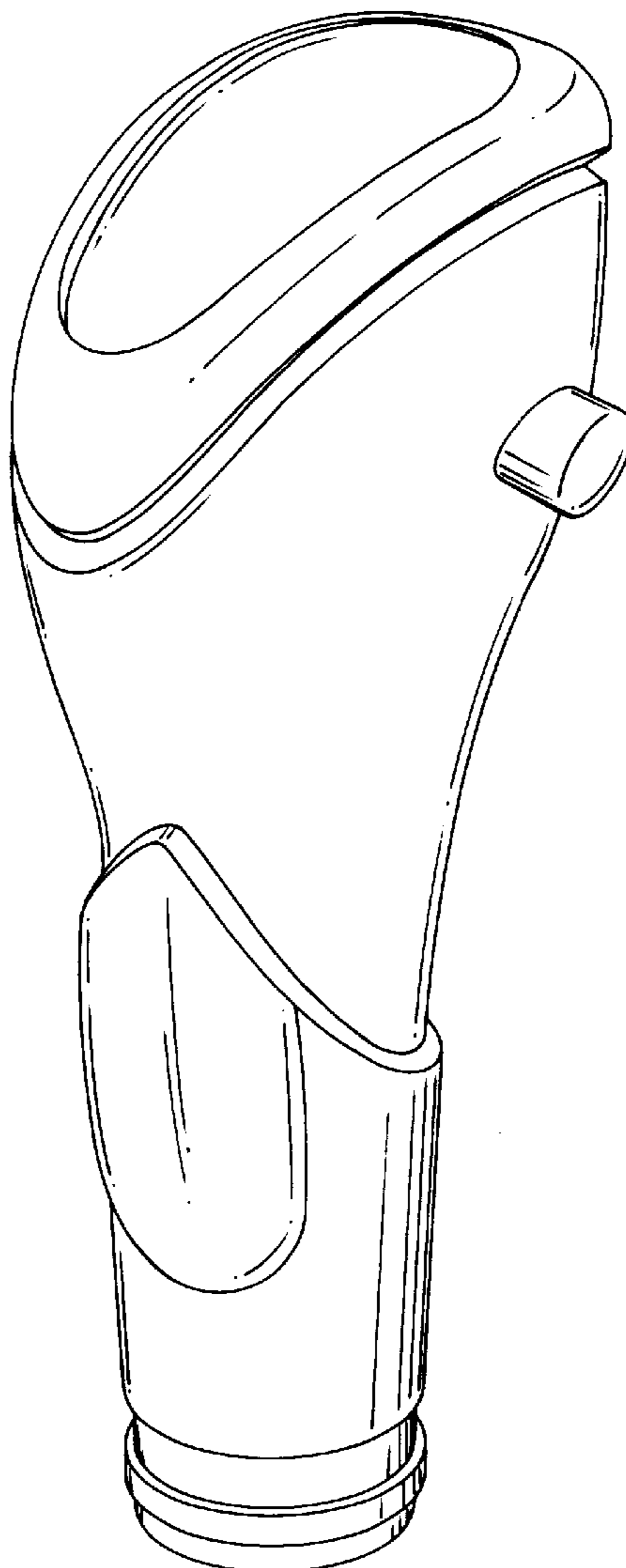
[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a gear shift knob for automobiles, as shown.

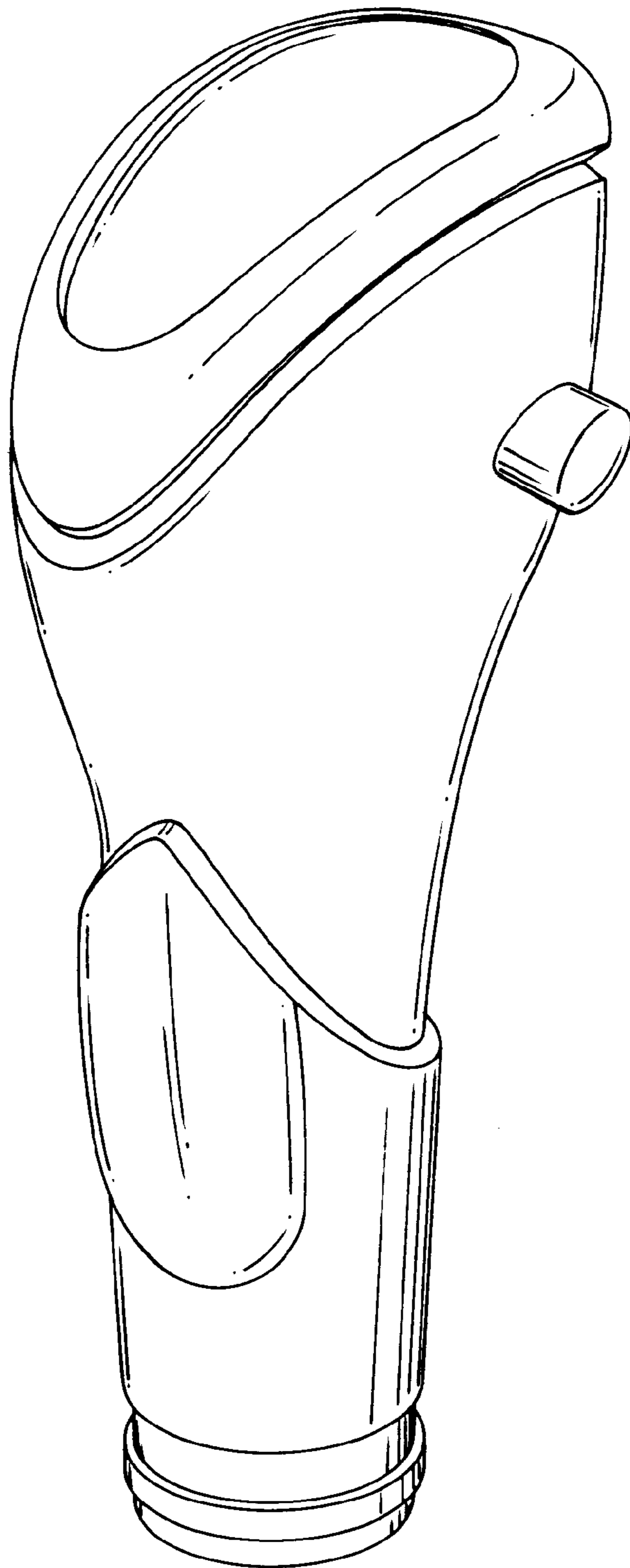
**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a top, front perspective view of a gear shift knob for automobiles;  
FIG. 2 is a front view thereof;  
FIG. 3 is a rear view thereof;  
FIG. 4 is a top view thereof;  
FIG. 5 is a right-side view thereof;  
FIG. 6 is a bottom view thereof; and,  
FIG. 7 is a left-side view thereof.

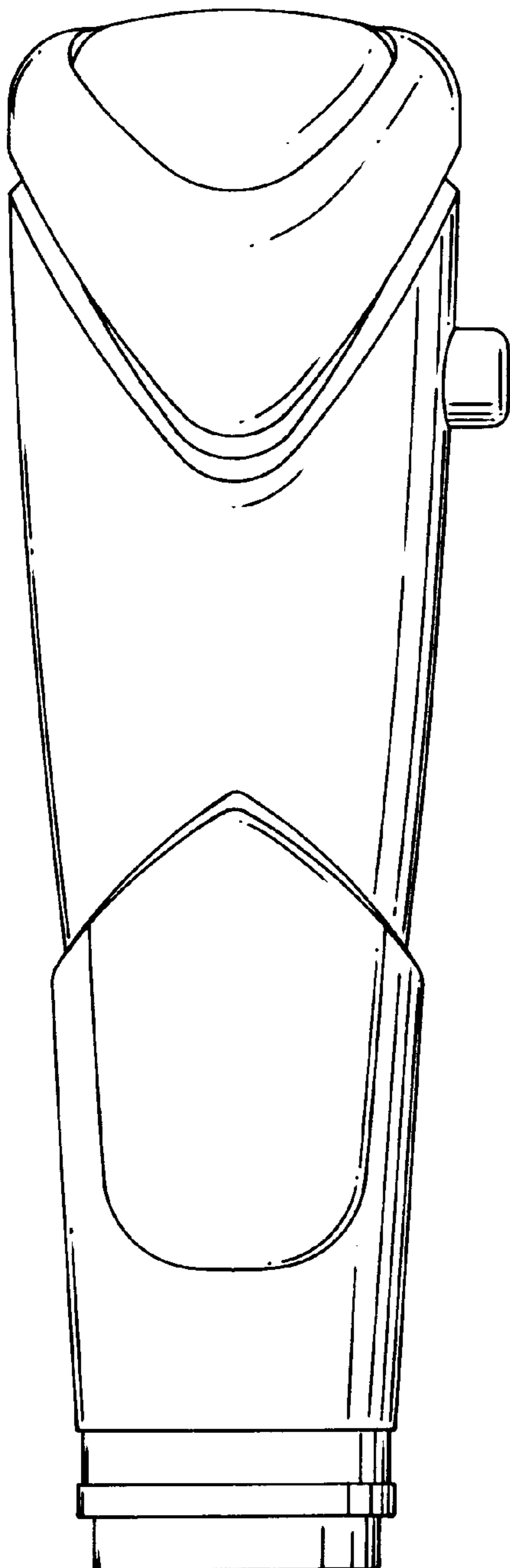
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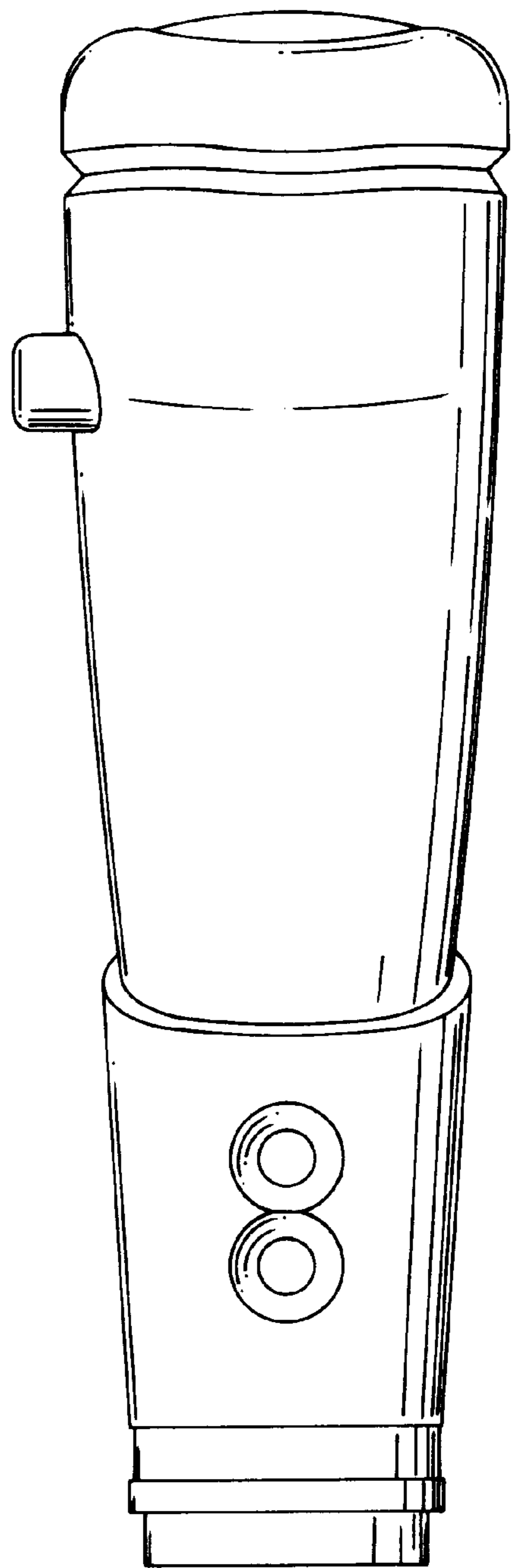
*Fig. 1*



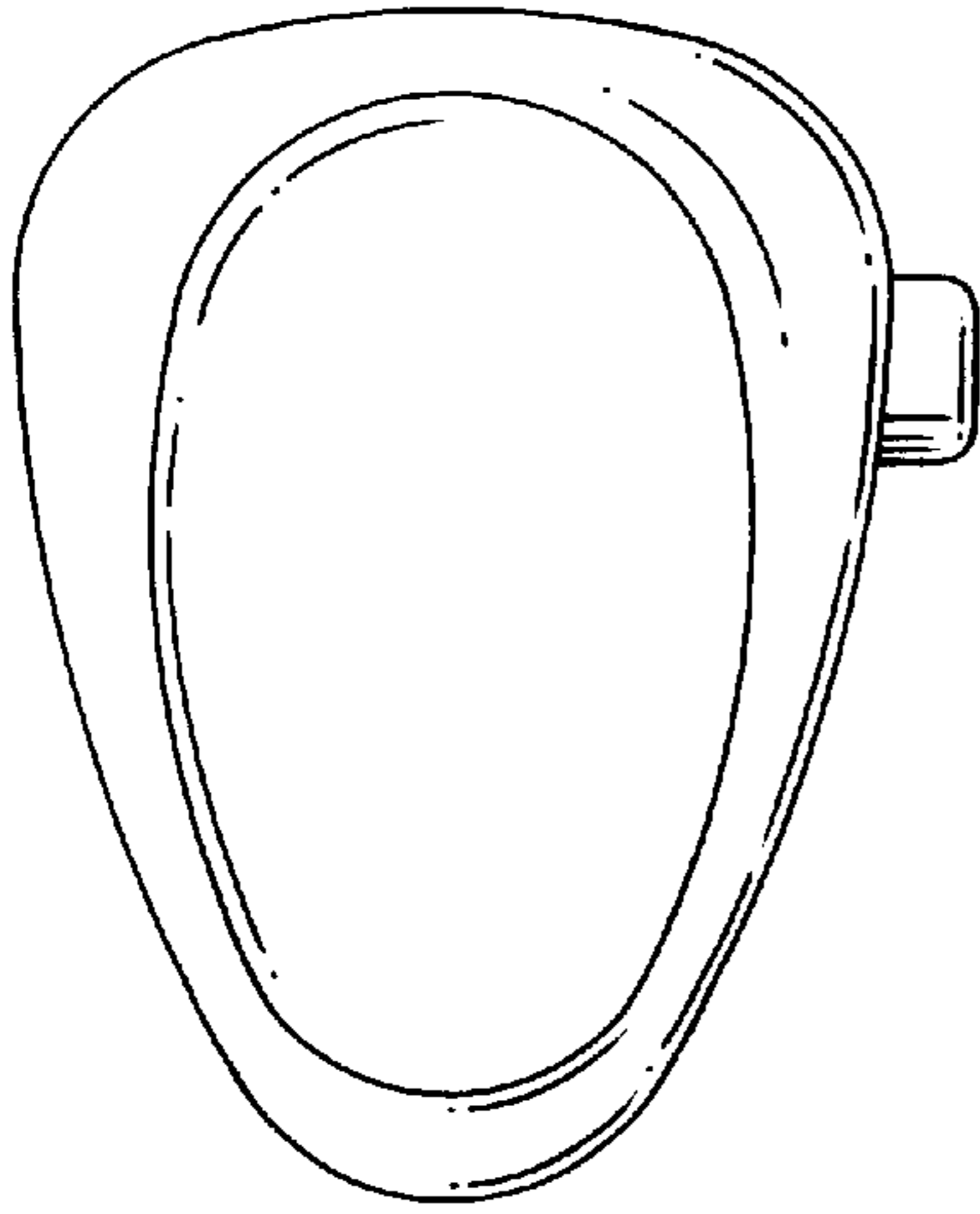
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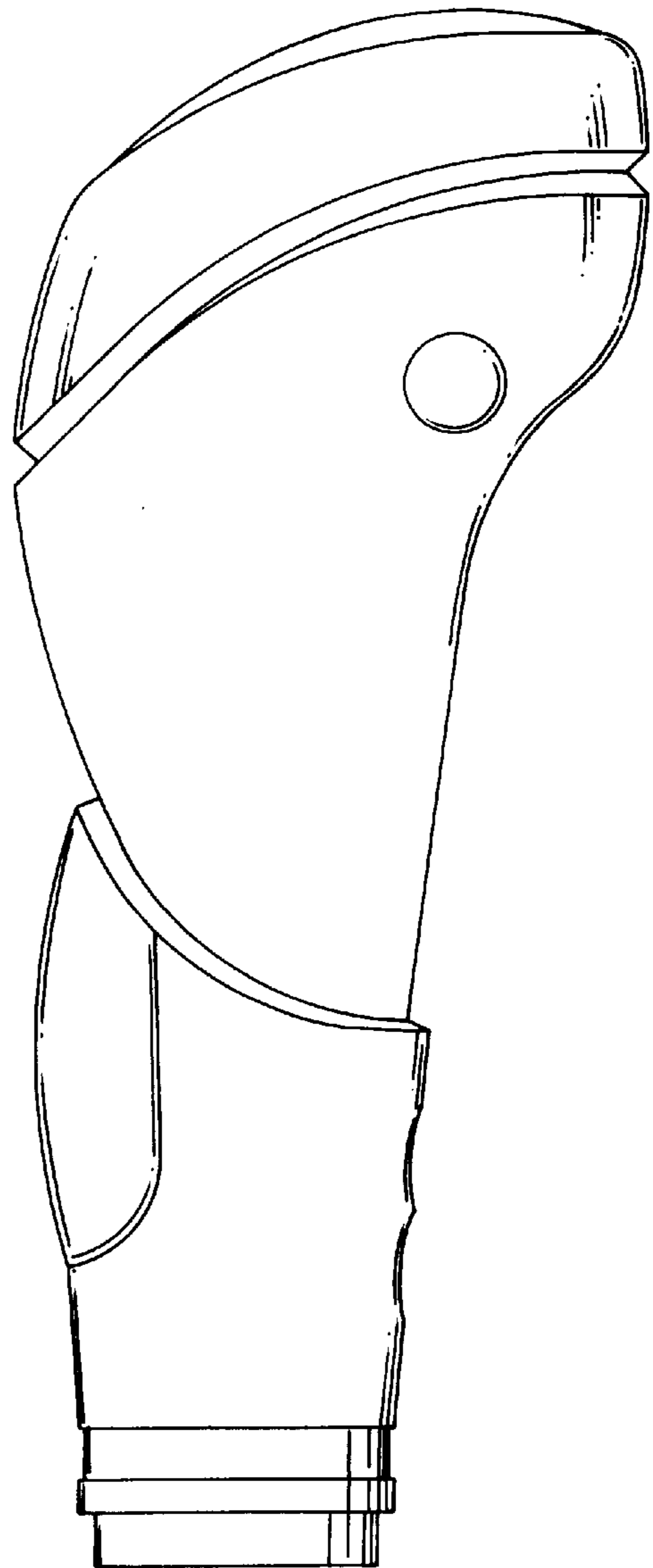
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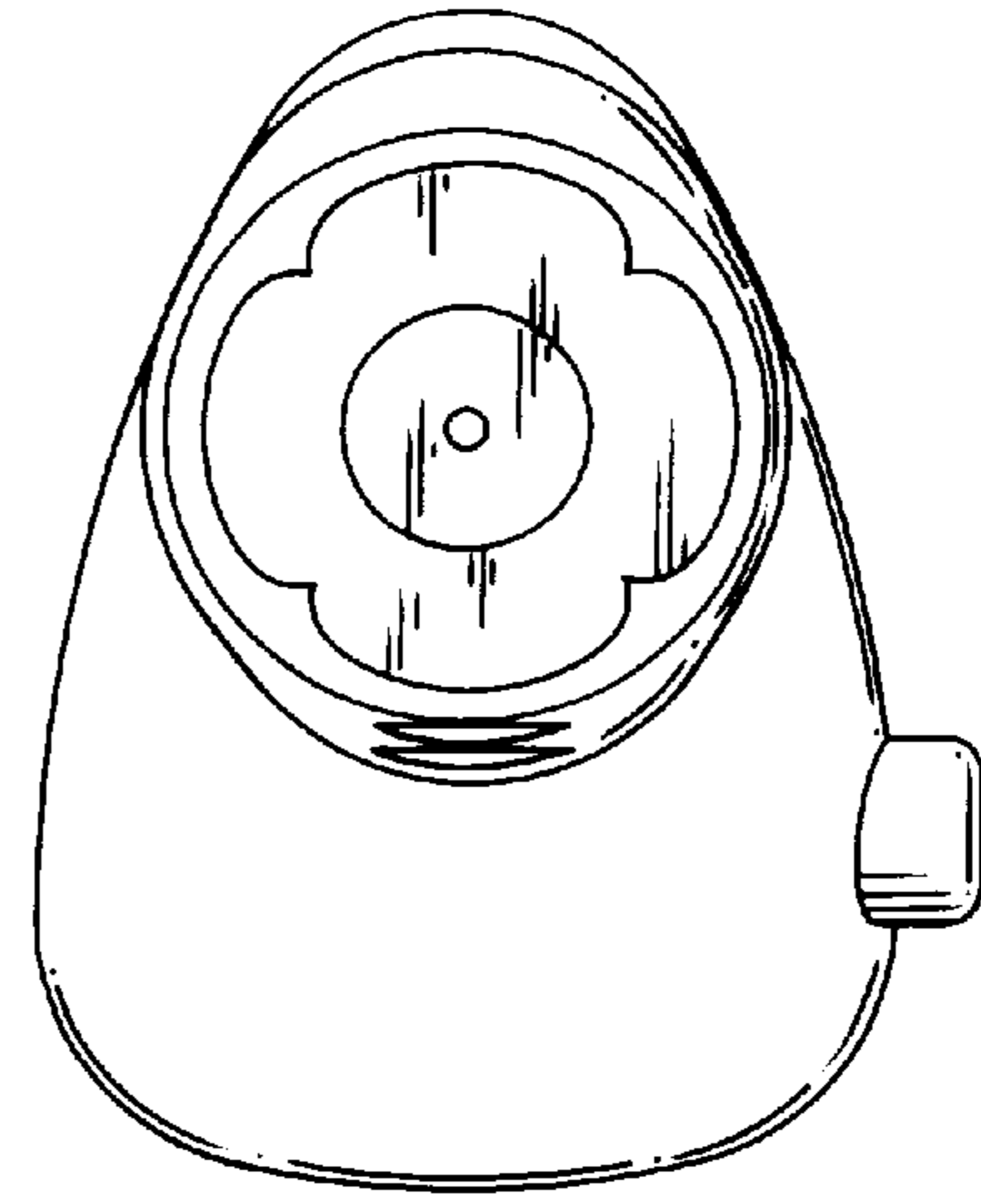
*Fig. 4*



*Fig. 5*



*Fig. 6*



*Fig. 7*

