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[54] FAUCET

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[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a faucet, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a right, top, front perspective view of a faucet embodying my new new design;

FIG. 2 is a front elevational view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a right side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a rear elevational view thereof;

FIG. 5 is a left side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 6 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 7 is a bottom plan view thereof; and,

FIG. 8 is a front elevational view of a second embodiment, the left side elevational view being a mirror image of that shown in FIG. 3, the rear elevational view being a mirror image of that shown in FIG. 4, the right side elevational view being a mirror image of that shown in FIG. 5, the top plan view being a mirror image of that shown in FIG. 6, and the bottom plan view being a mirror image of that shown in FIG. 7.

The broken line representations of a mounting environment in FIG. 1, of a button in FIGS. 3-6, and of mounting structure in FIG. 7, are for the purpose of illustration only, and form no part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 5 Drawing Sheets

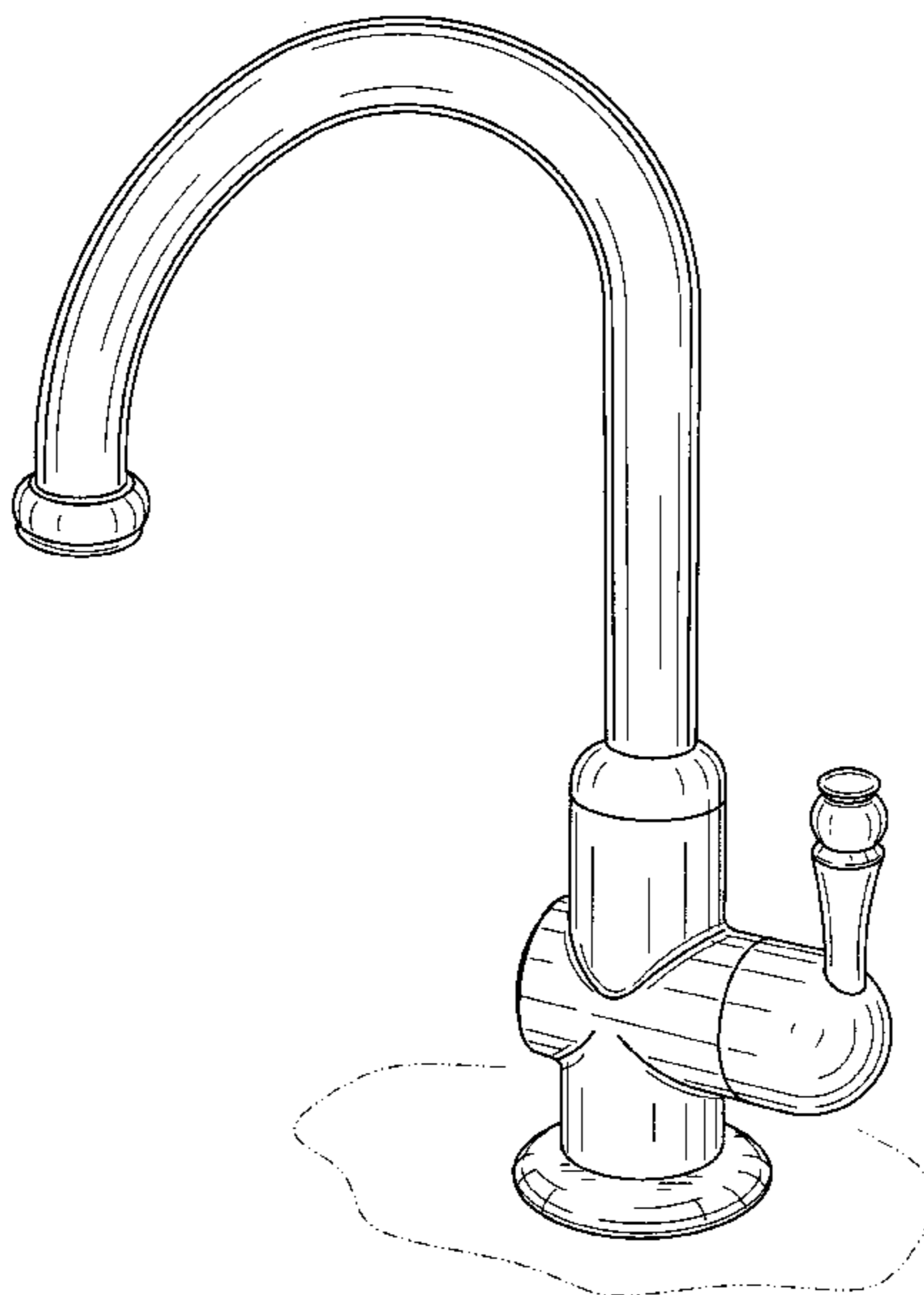


FIG. 1

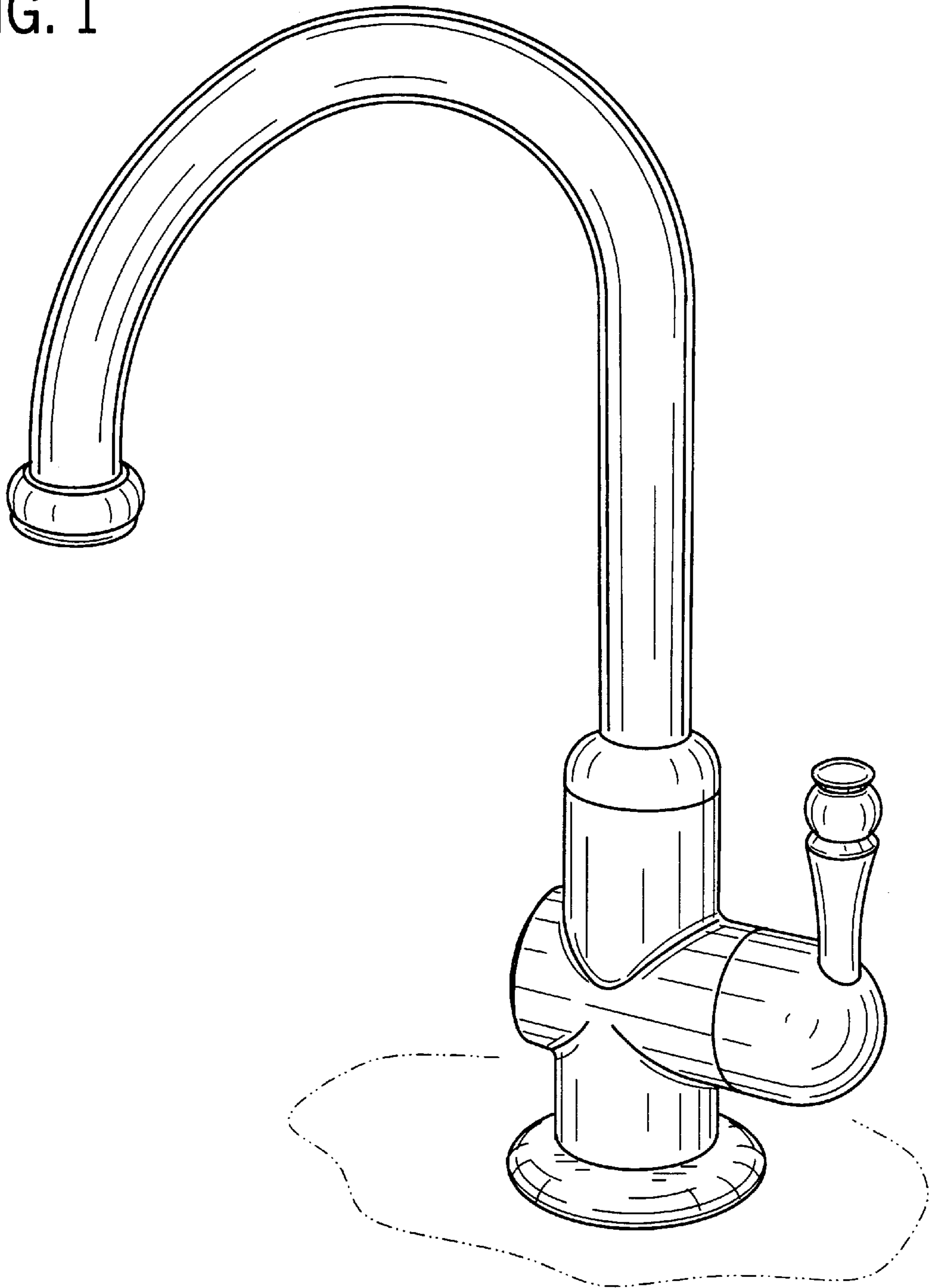


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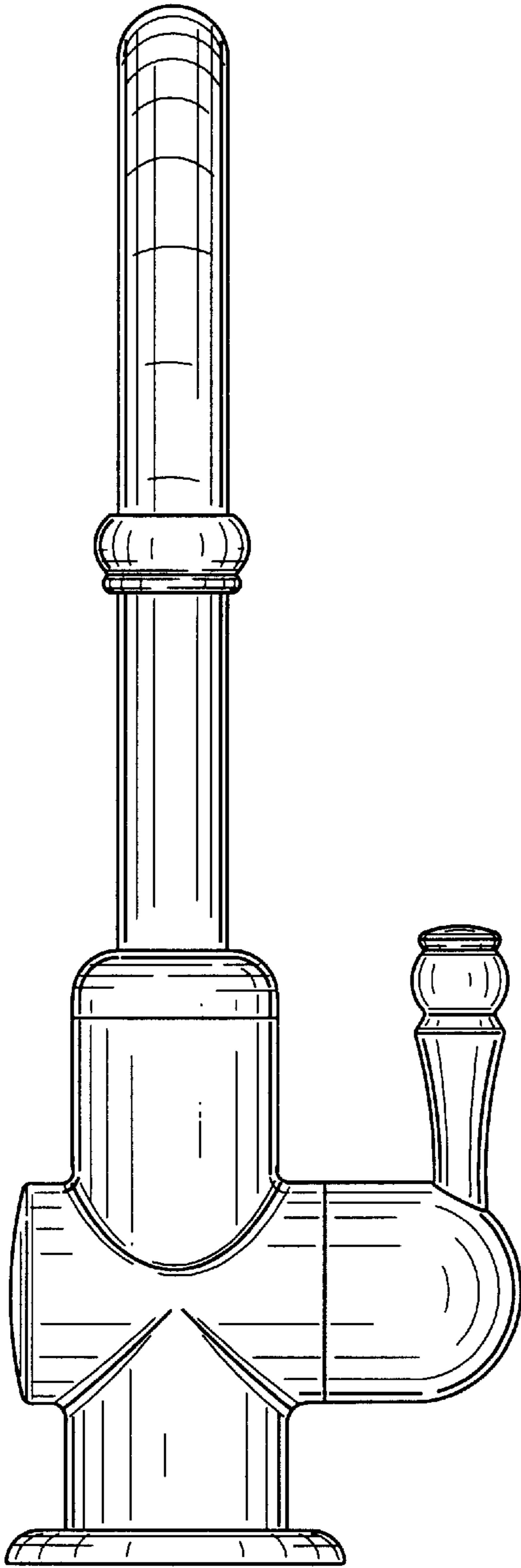
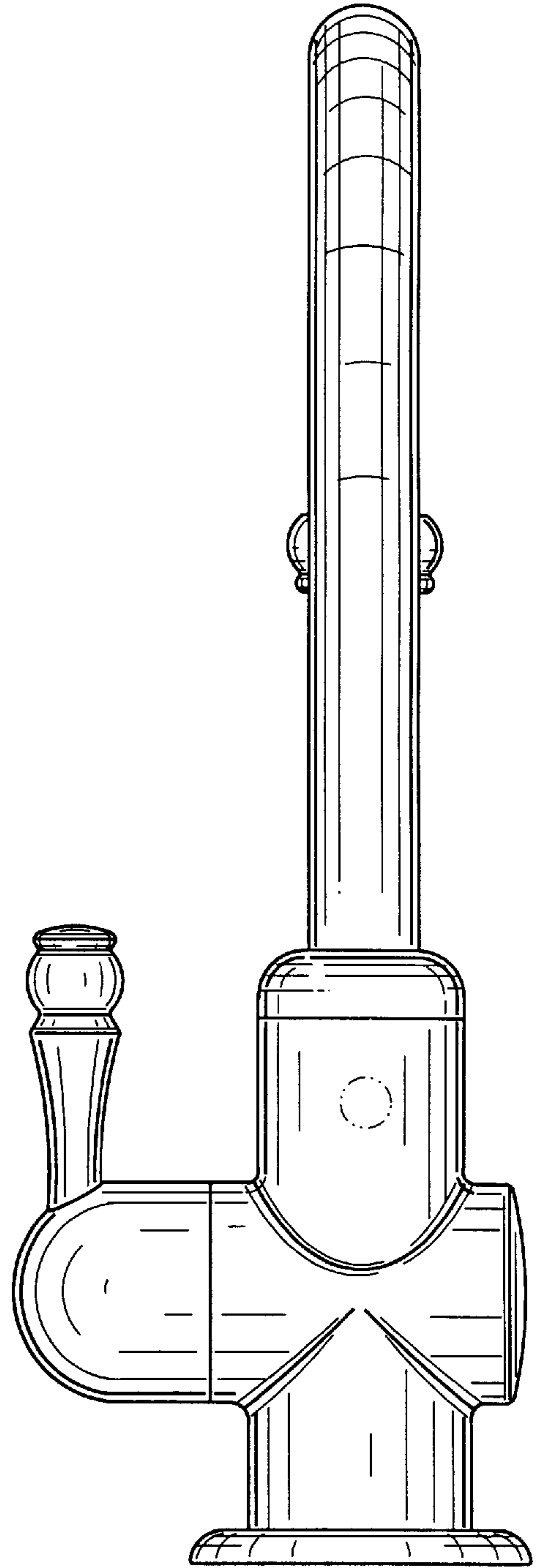


FIG. 4



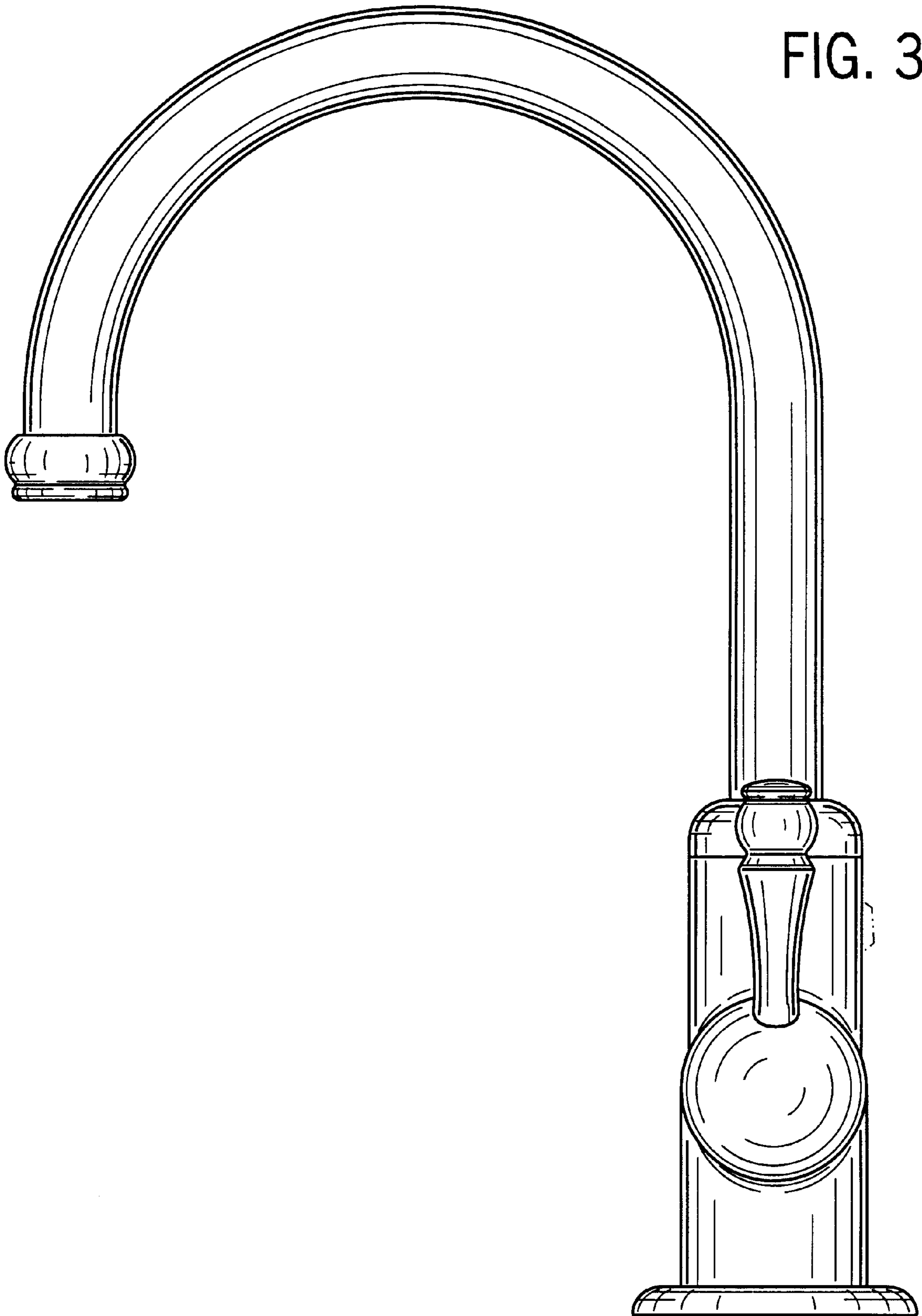
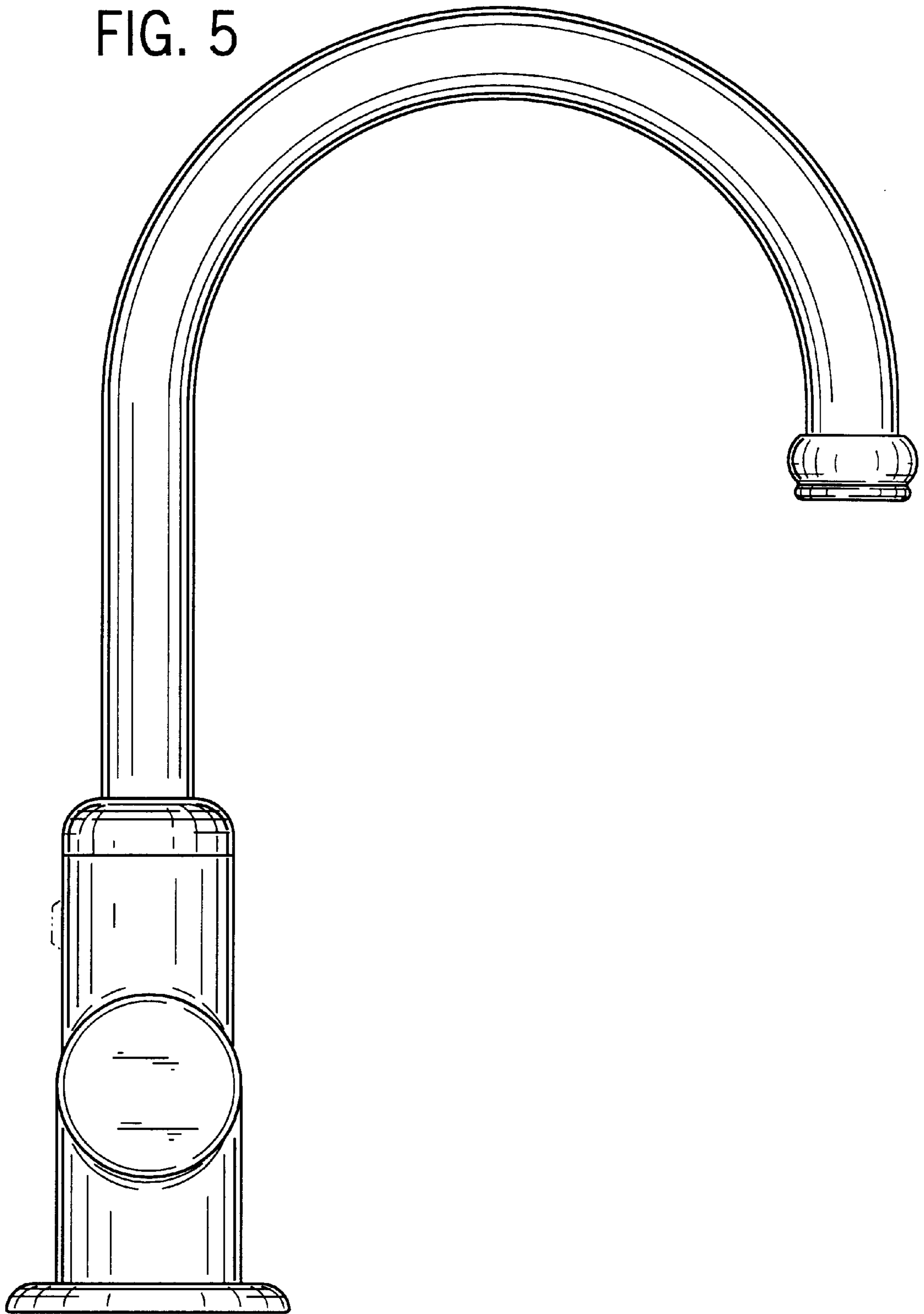


FIG. 3

FIG. 5



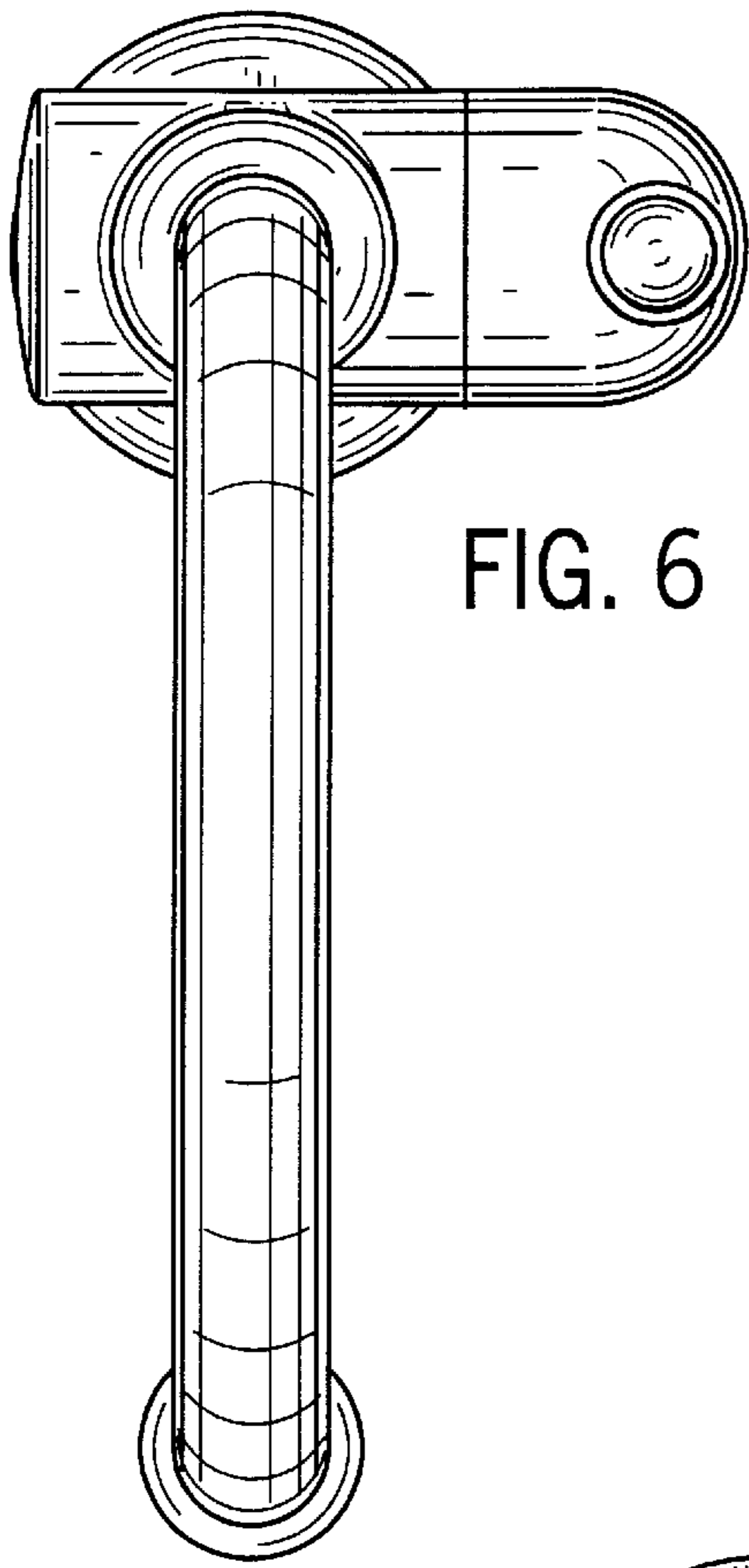


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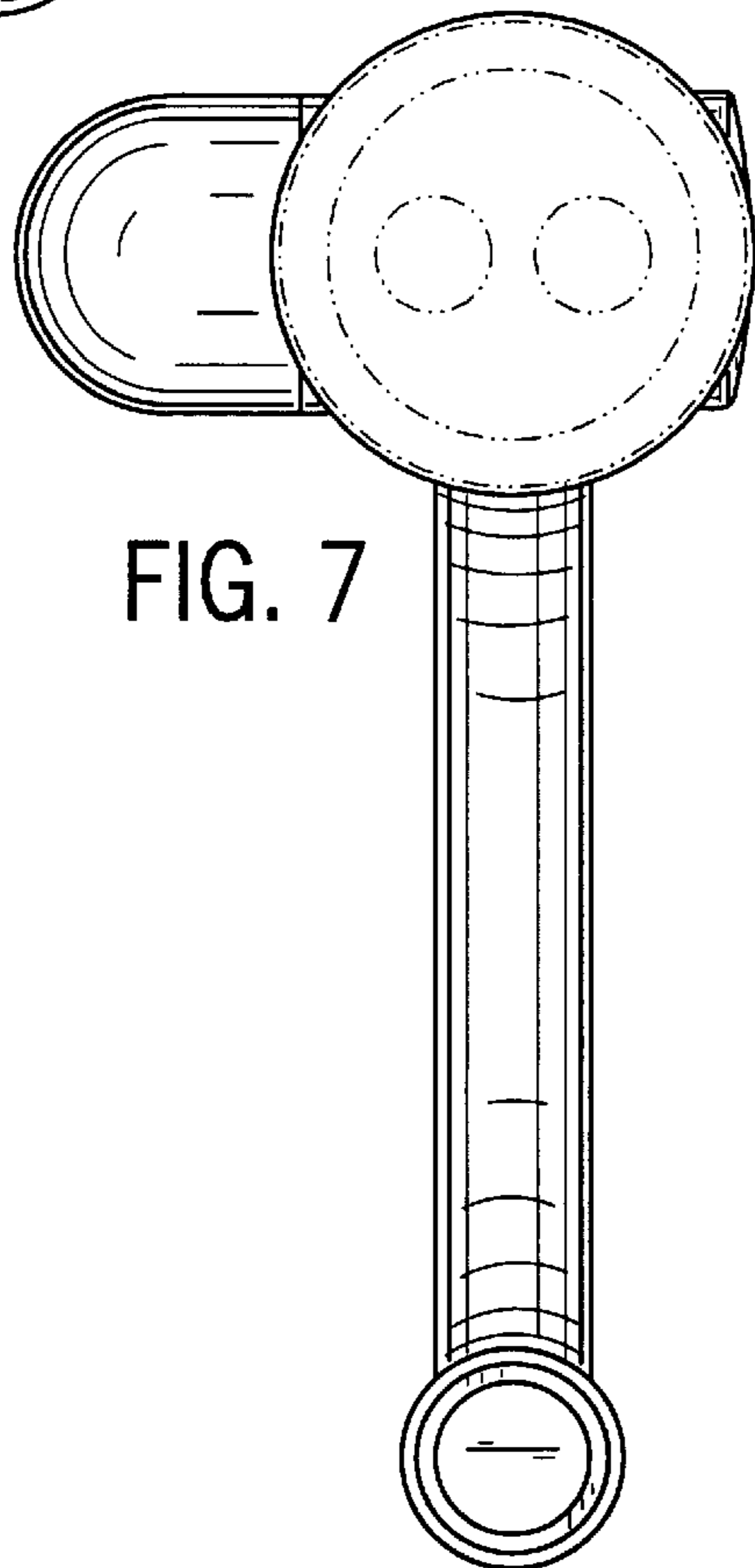


FIG. 7

FIG. 8

