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[54] **PLASTIC CONTAINER**

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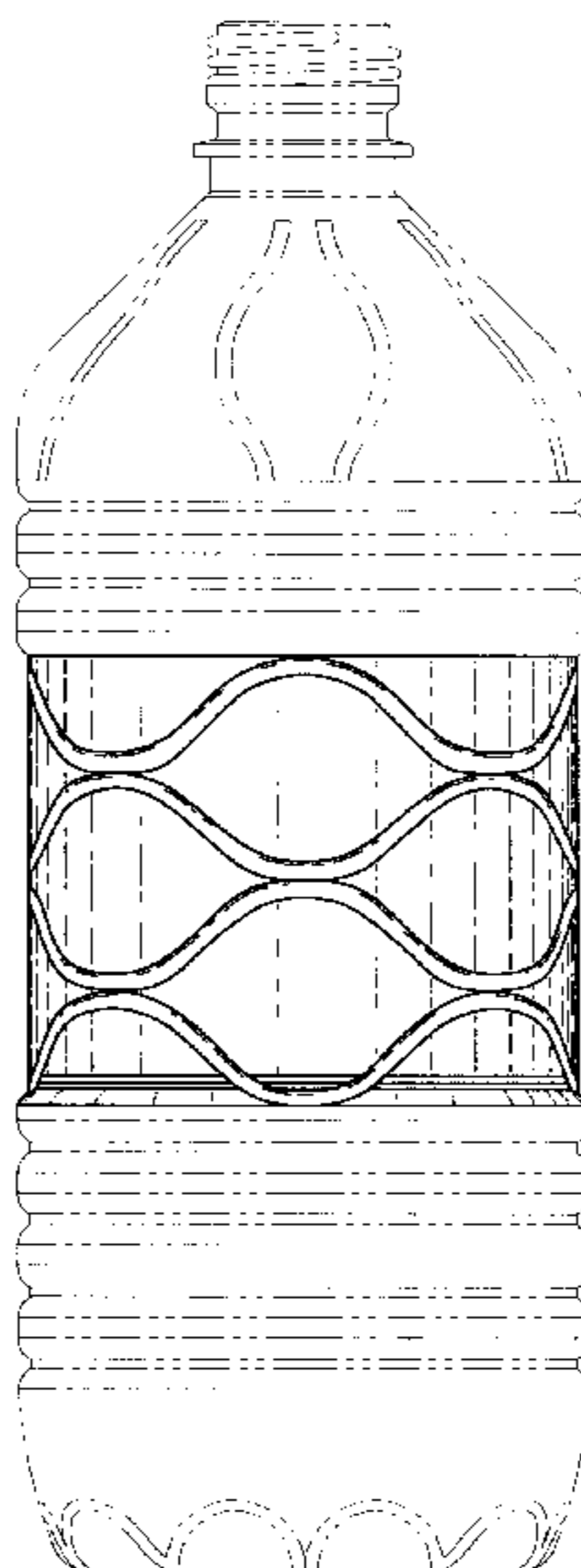
### [57] CLAIM

The ornamental design for a plastic container, as shown and described.

### DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view showing my new design; FIG. 2 is a first side elevational view; FIG. 3 is a second side elevational view; FIG. 4 is a front elevational view; FIG. 5 is a rear elevational view; FIG. 6 is a top plan view; and, FIG. 7 is a bottom palm view. The broken lines showing the upper and lower portions of the container are for illustrative purposes only and do not form part of the claimed design.

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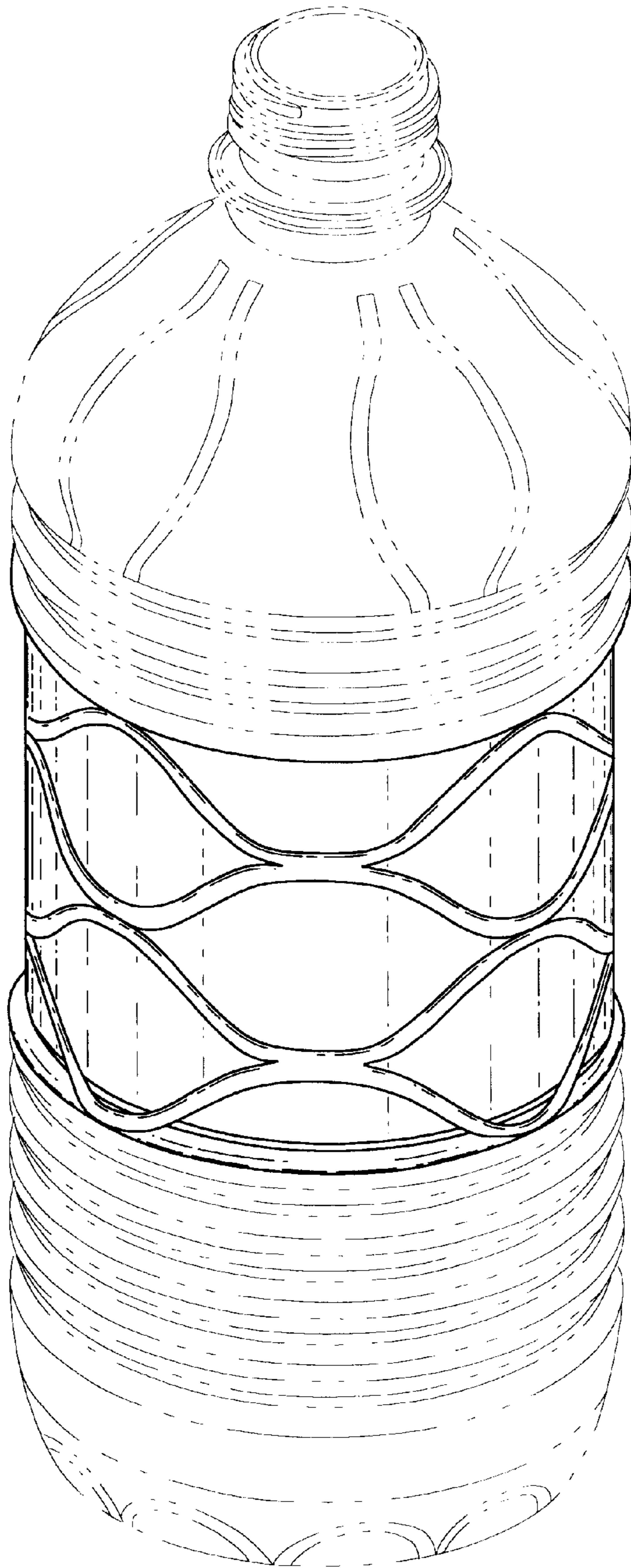


FIG. 1

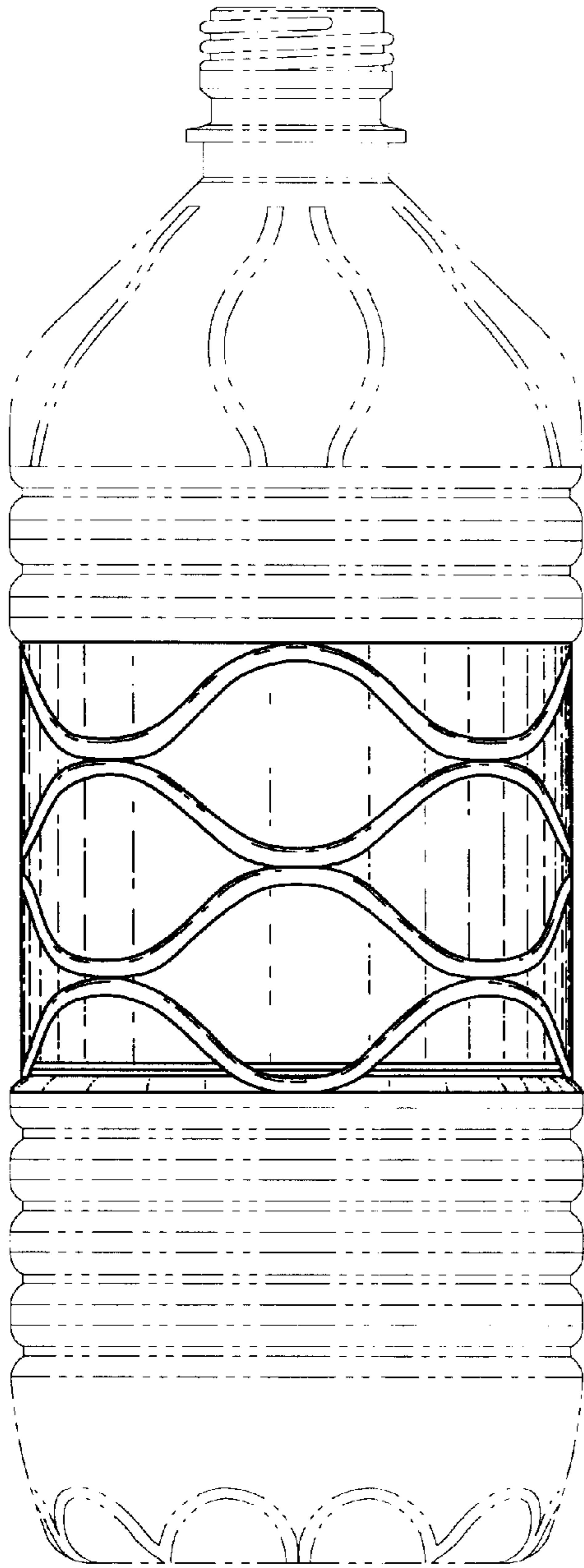


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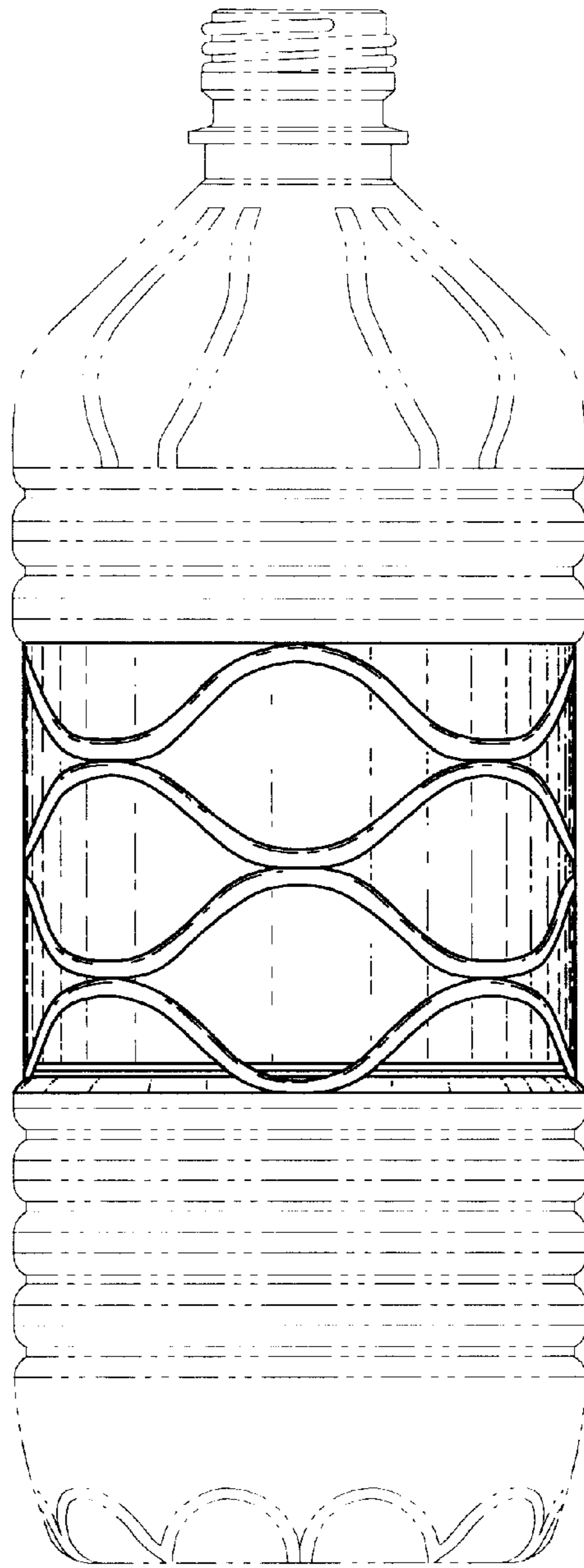


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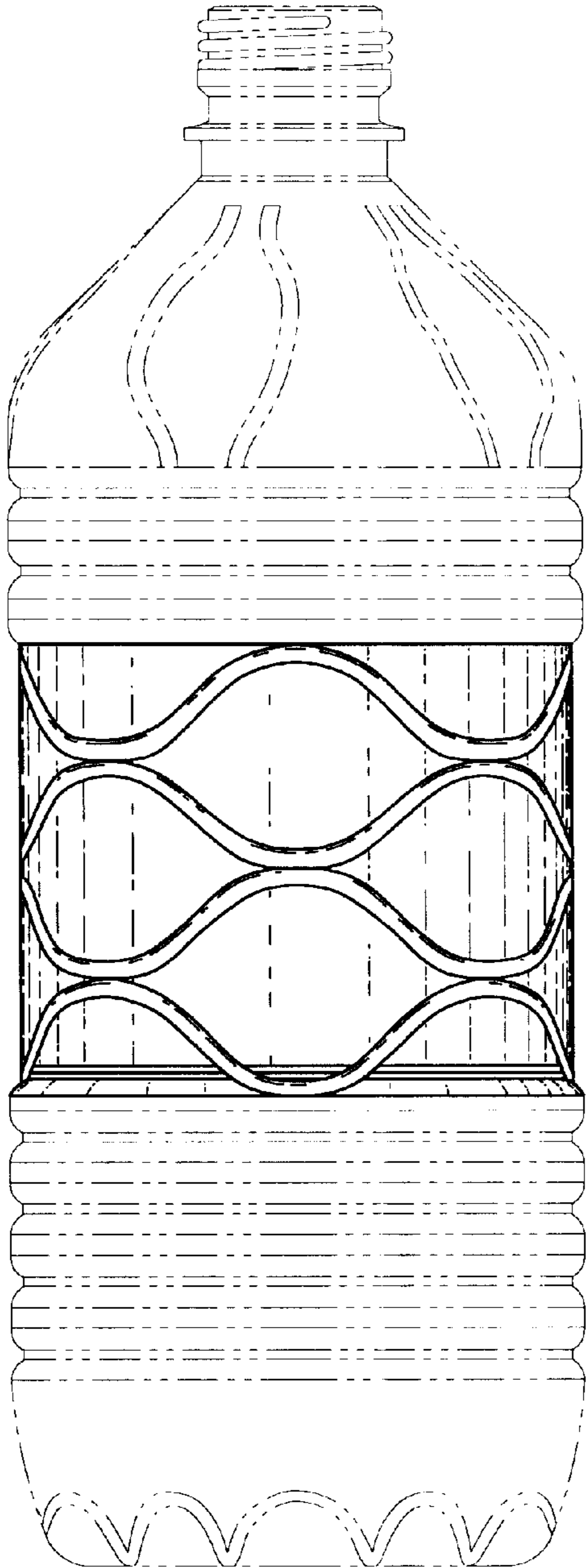


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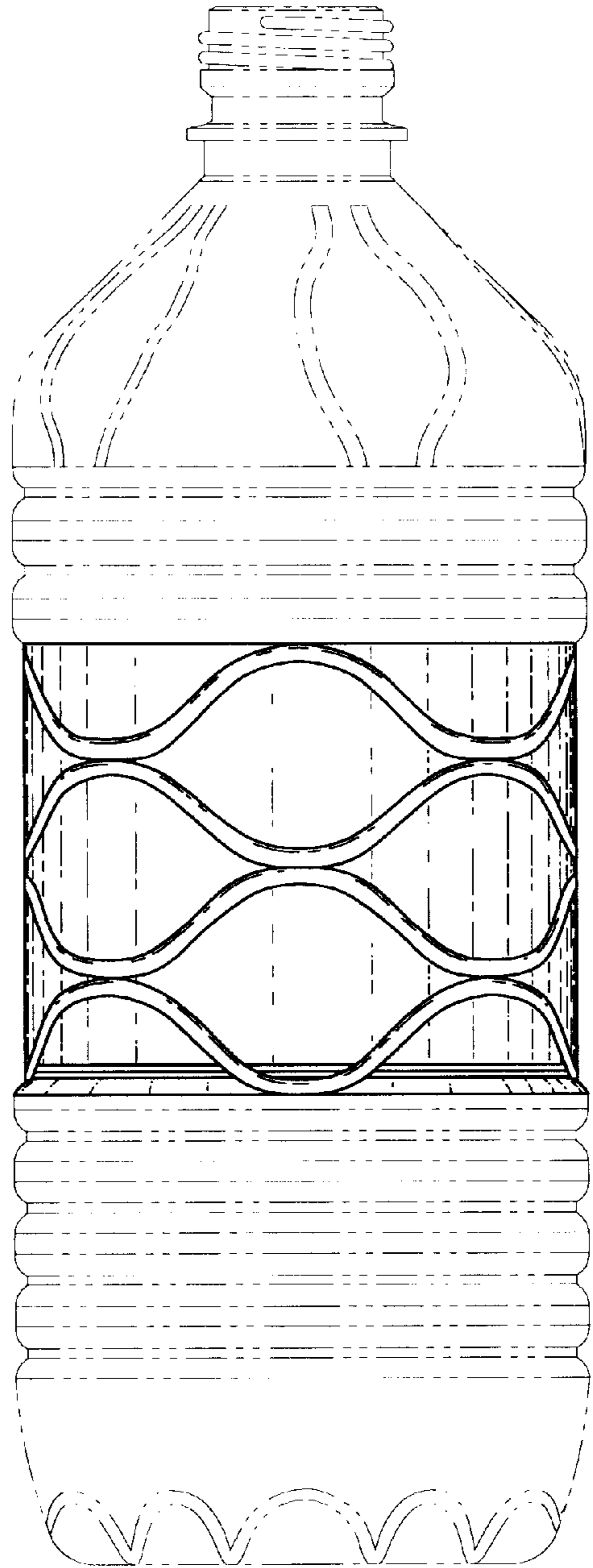


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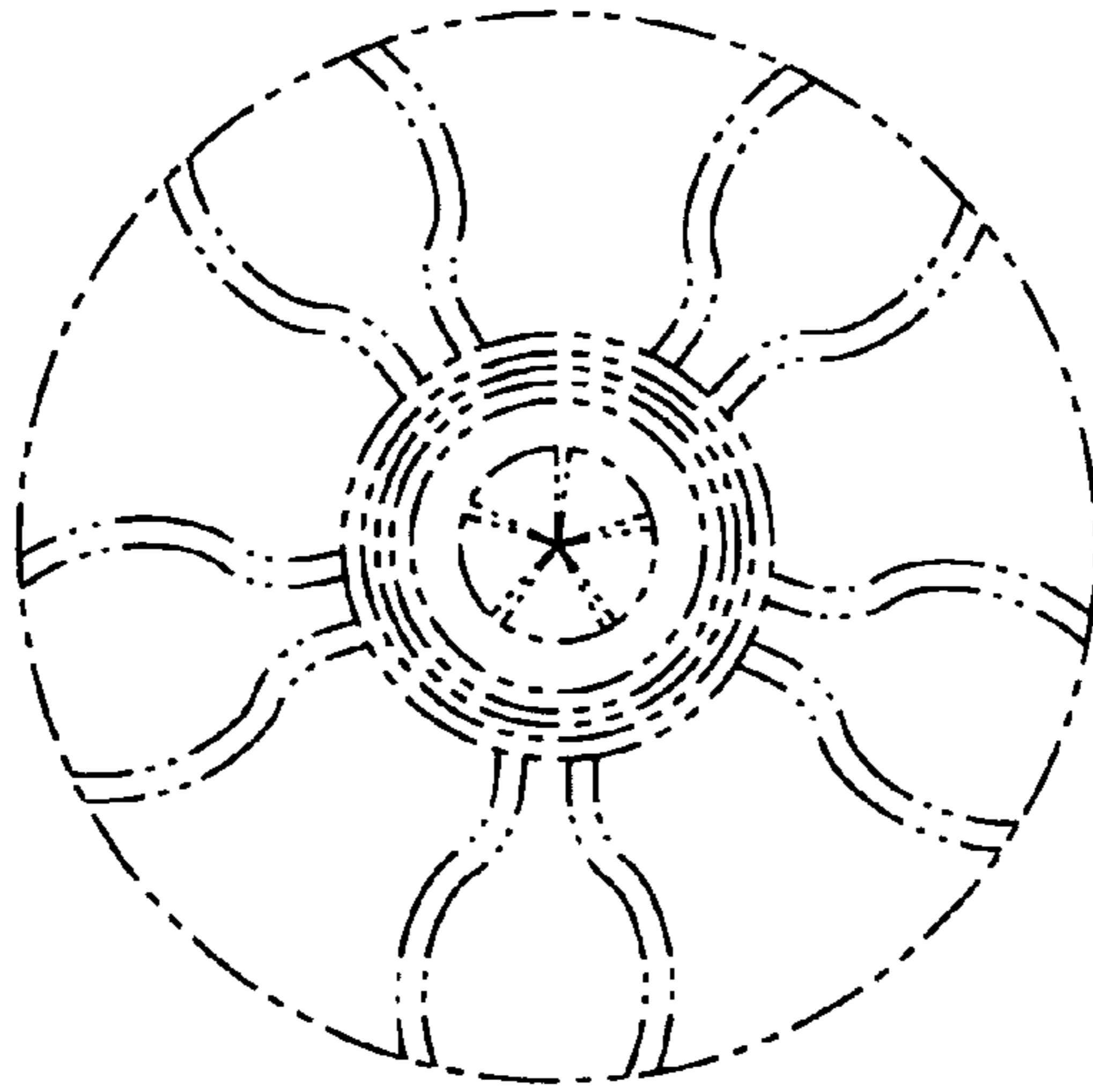


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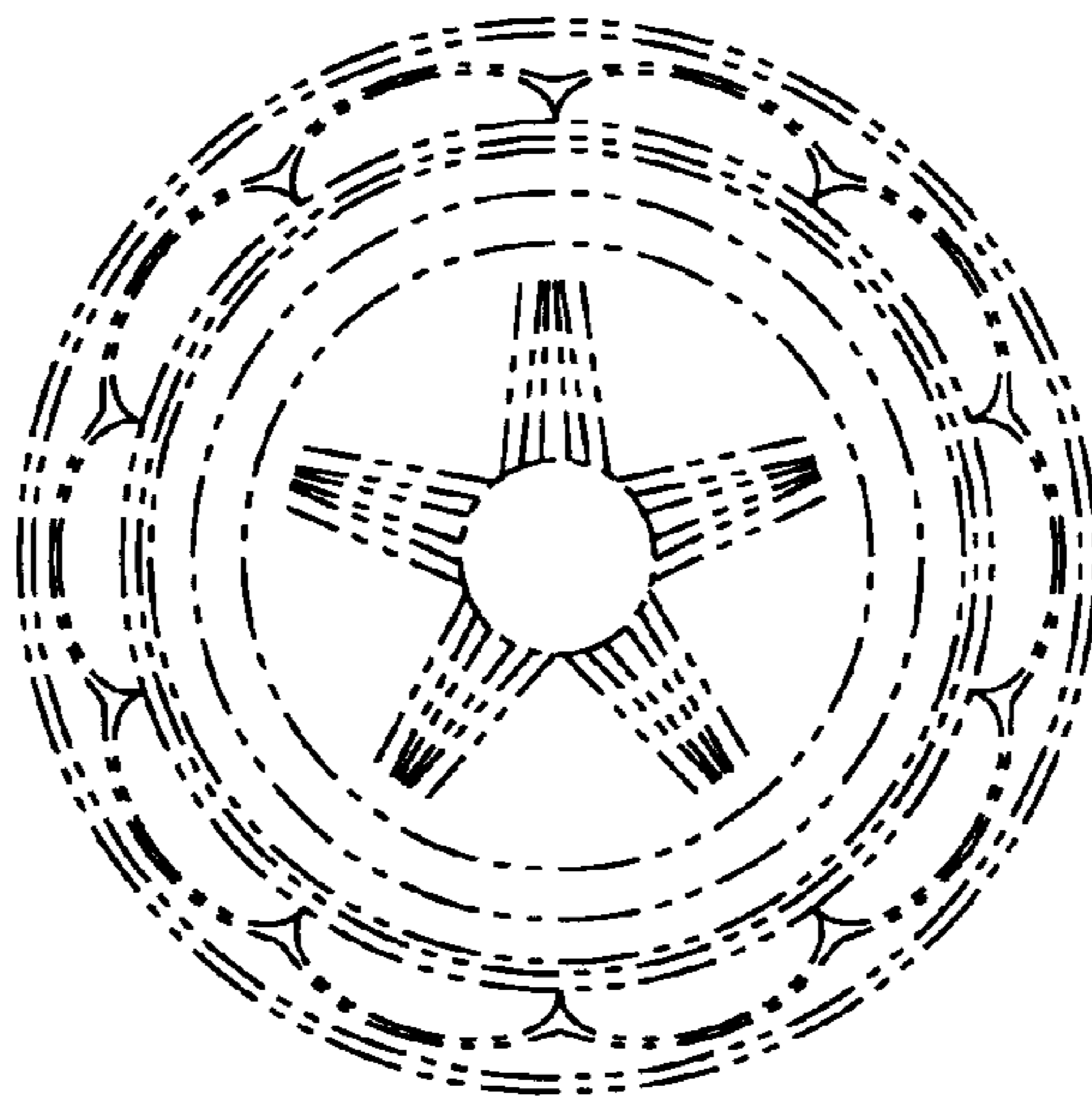


FIG. 7

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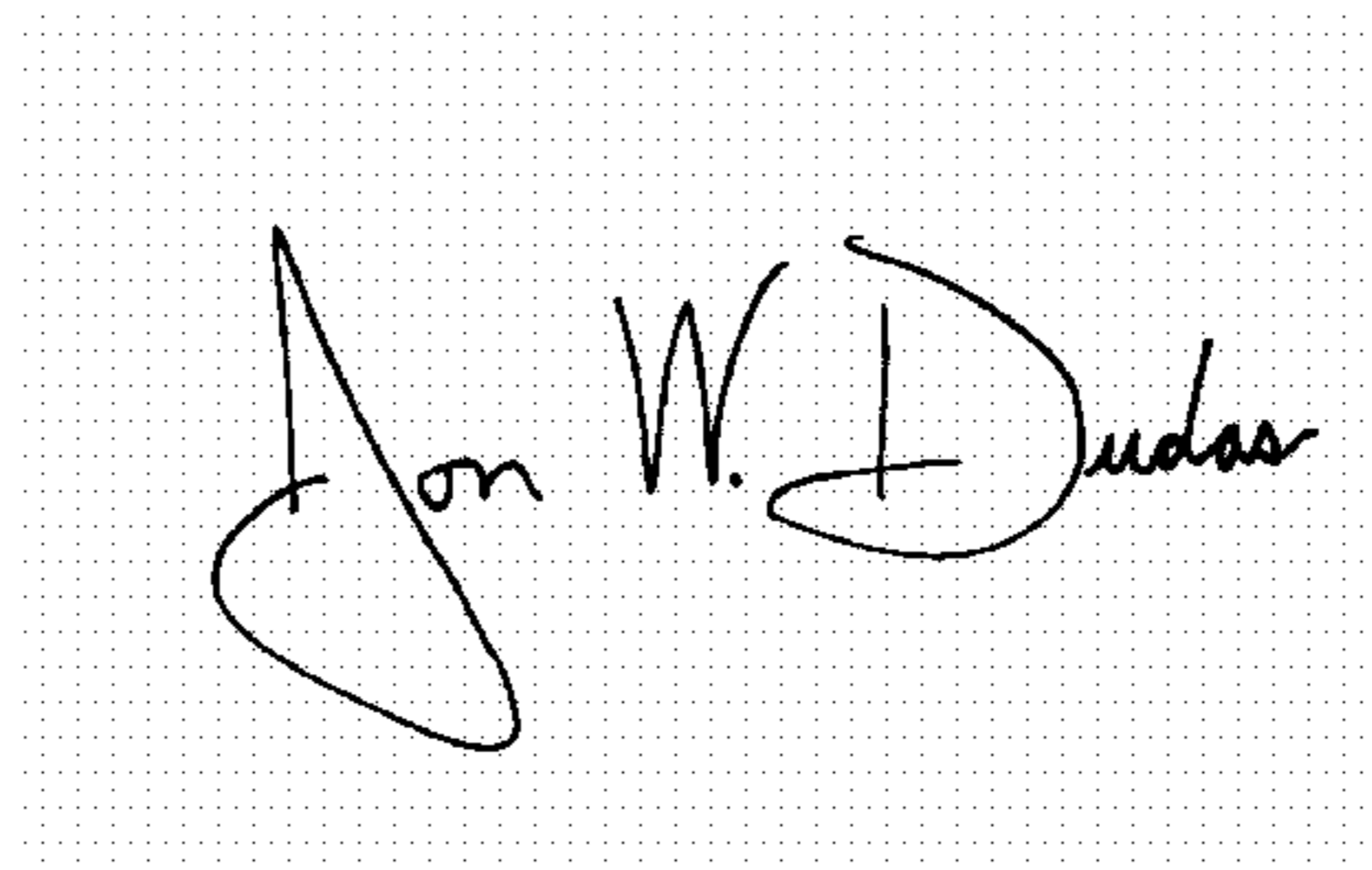
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This application is related to U.S. Serial No. 29/079,317, filed November 12, 1997; U.S. Serial No. 29/079,350, filed November 12, 1997; and U.S. Serial No. 29/079,342, filed November 12, 1997. --;

Item [56], **References Cited**, U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS, delete  
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