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[54] **TAPE RECORDER**

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[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a tape recorder, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a tape recorder showing my new design. The broken lines are for illustrative purpose only and form no part of claimed design;

FIG. 2 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a left side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a front elevational view thereof, the broken lines are for illustrative purposes only and form no part of the claimed design;

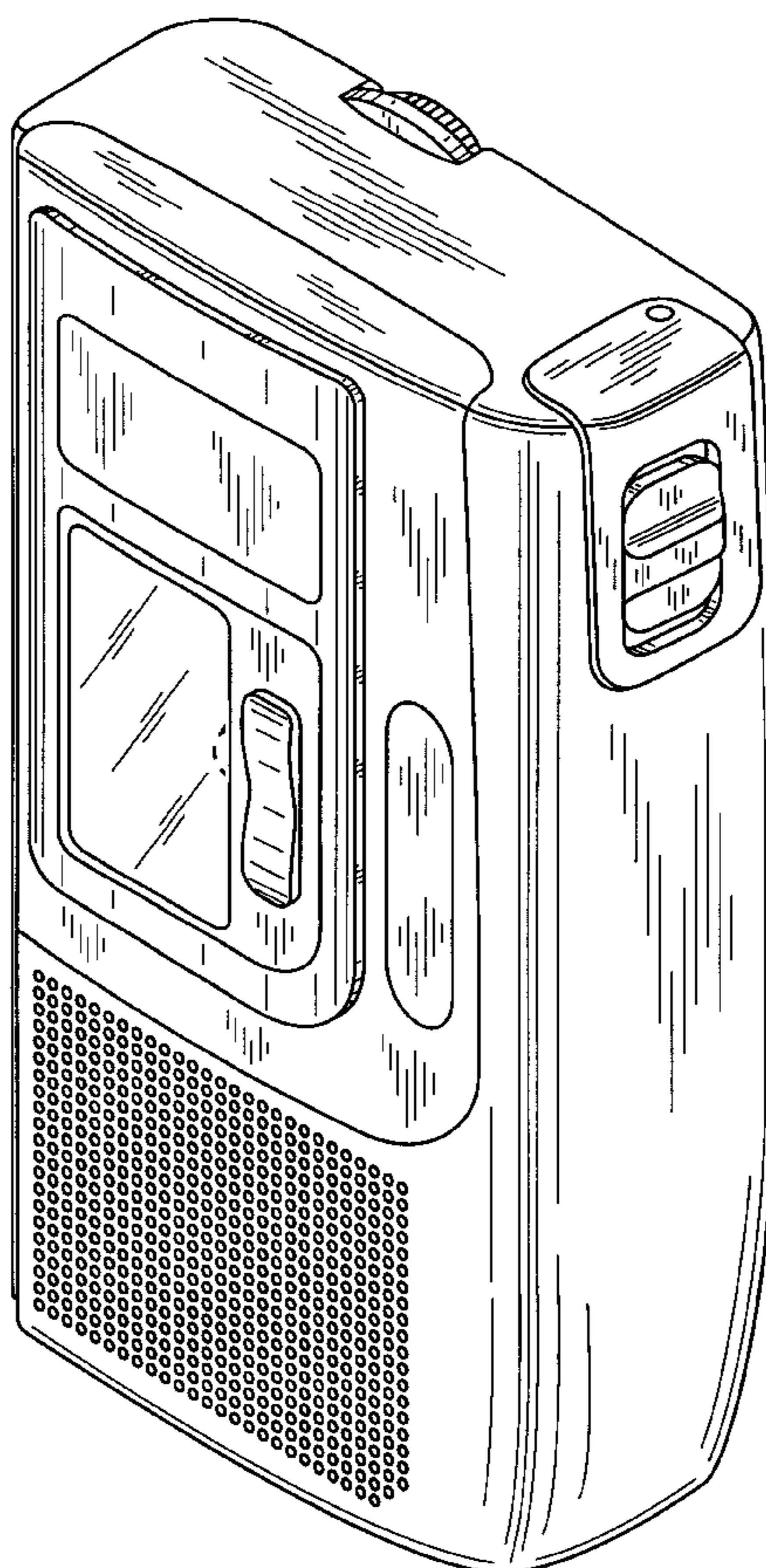
FIG. 5 is a bottom plan view thereof;

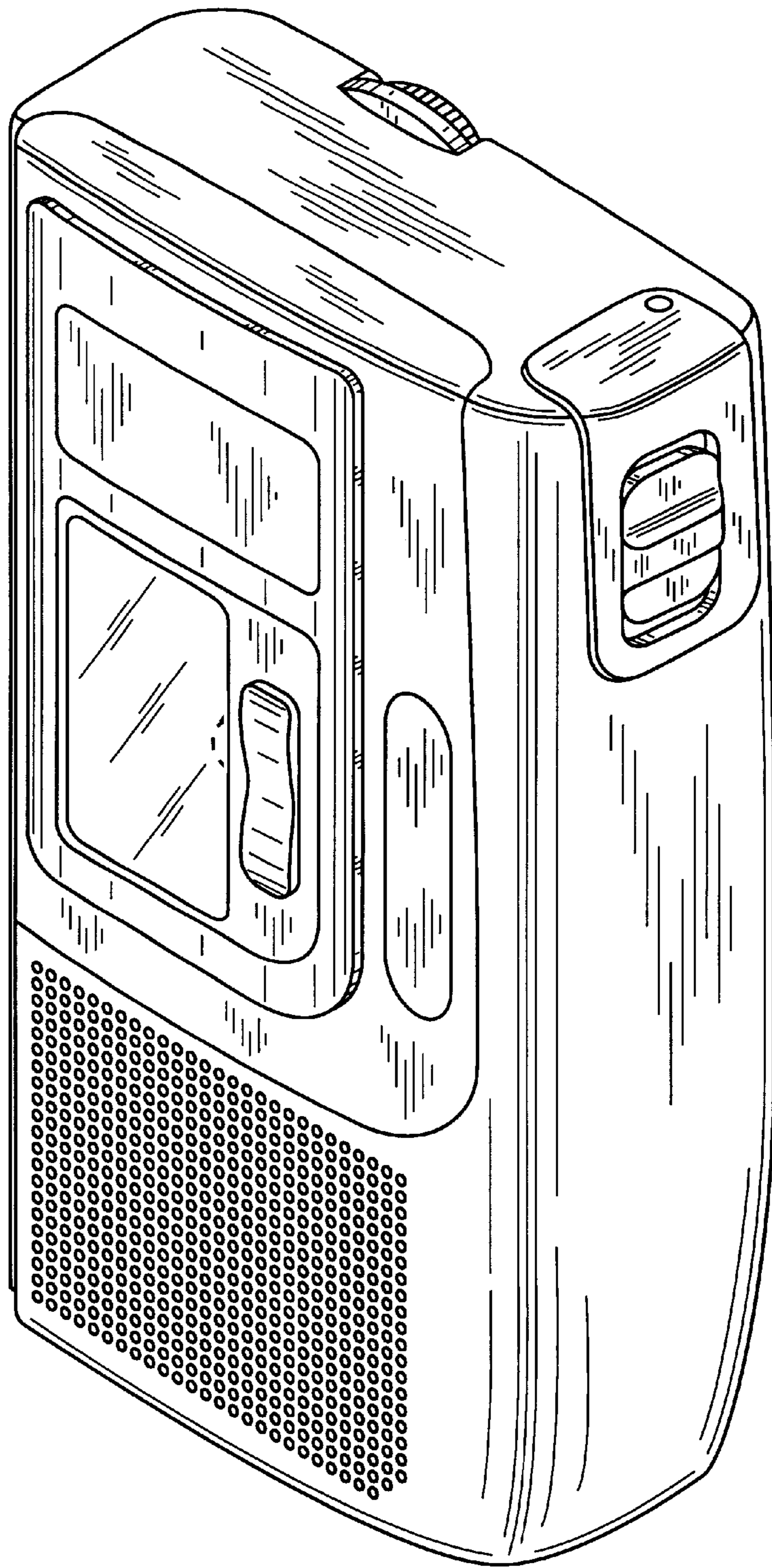
FIG. 6 is a right side elevational thereof;

FIG. 7 is a rear elevational view thereof; and,

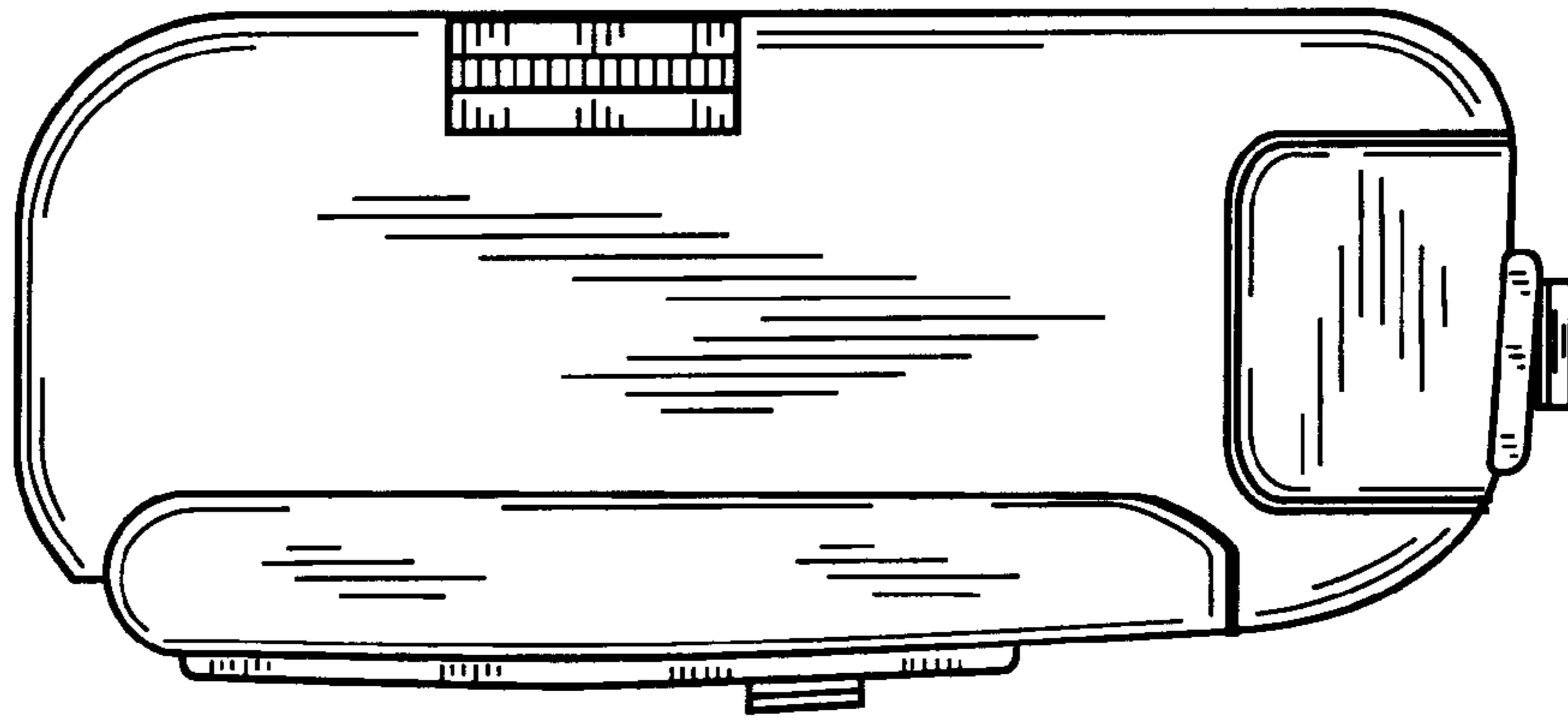
FIG. 8 is a perspective view thereof wherein the lid portion is in the open position. The inside position in broken lines are for illustrative purpose only and form no part of claimed design.

**1 Claim, 5 Drawing Sheets**

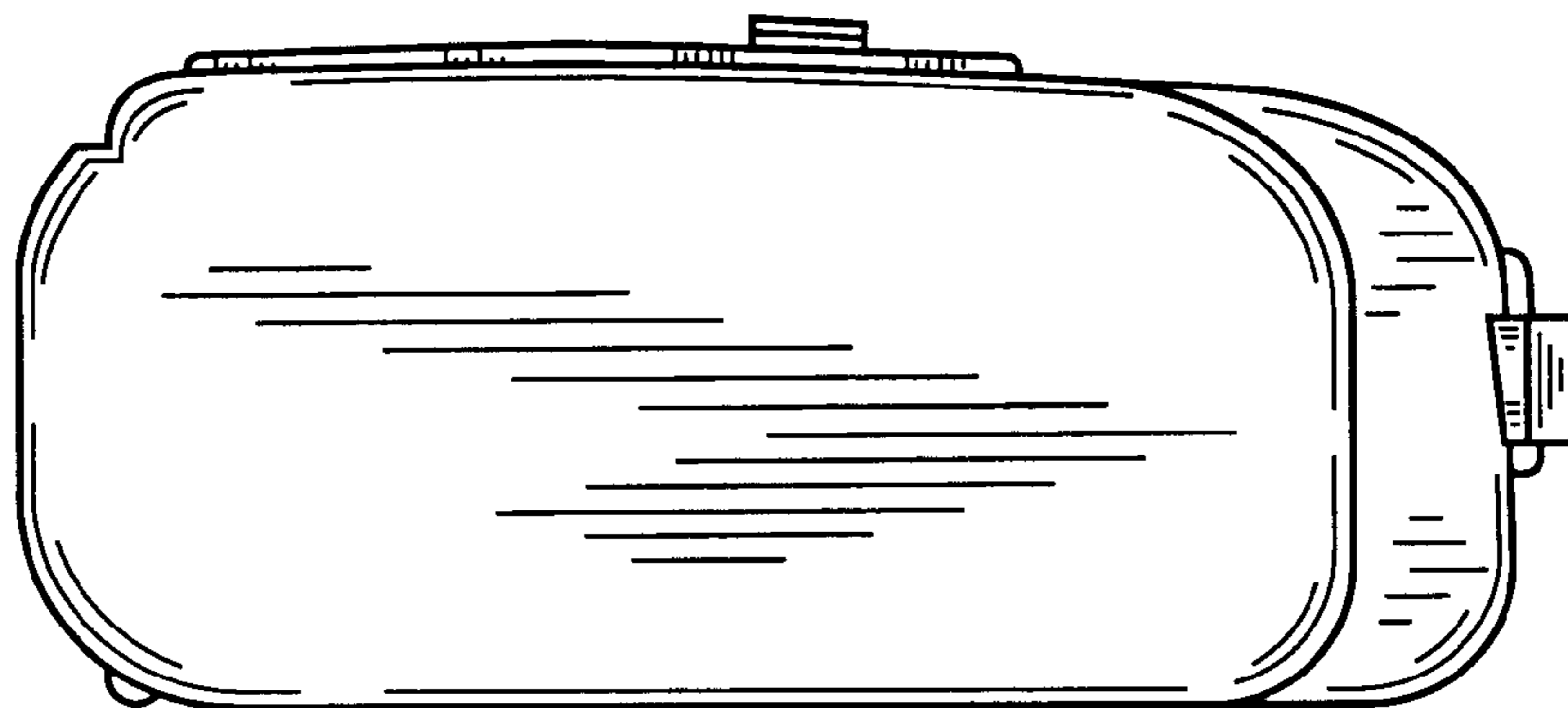




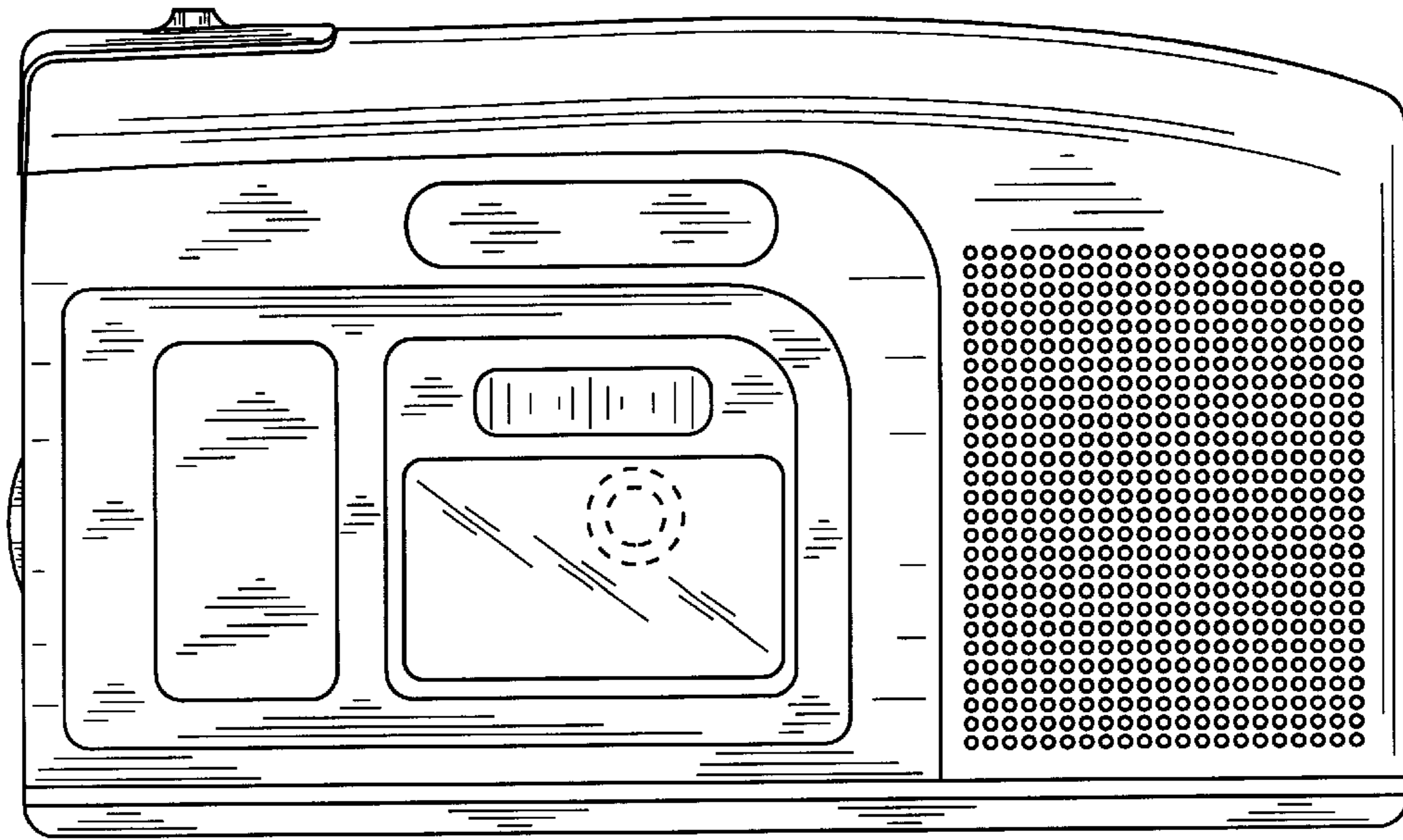
**FIG. 1**



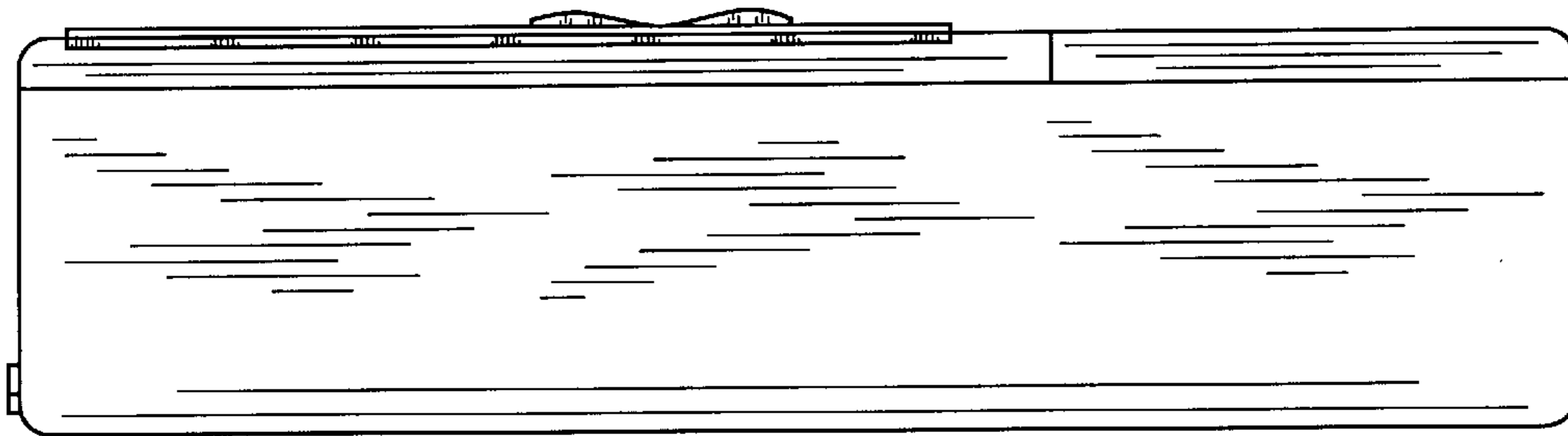
**FIG. 2**



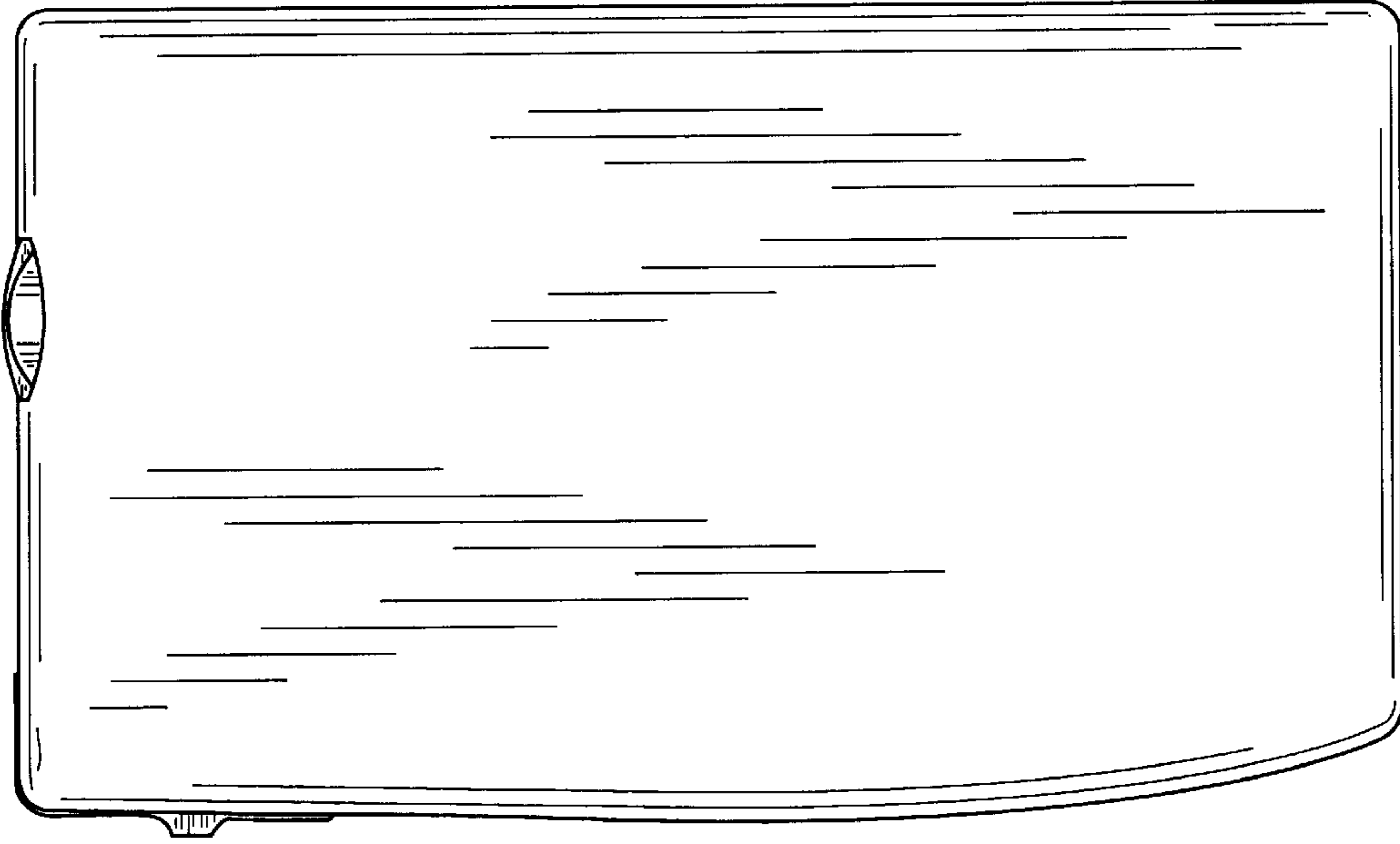
**FIG. 5**



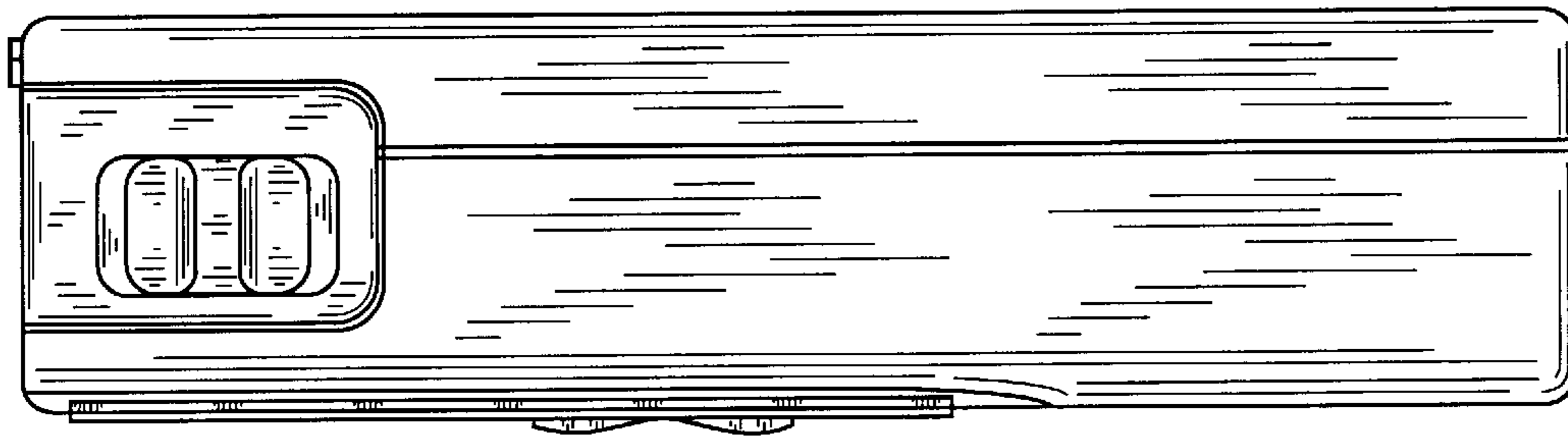
**FIG. 4**



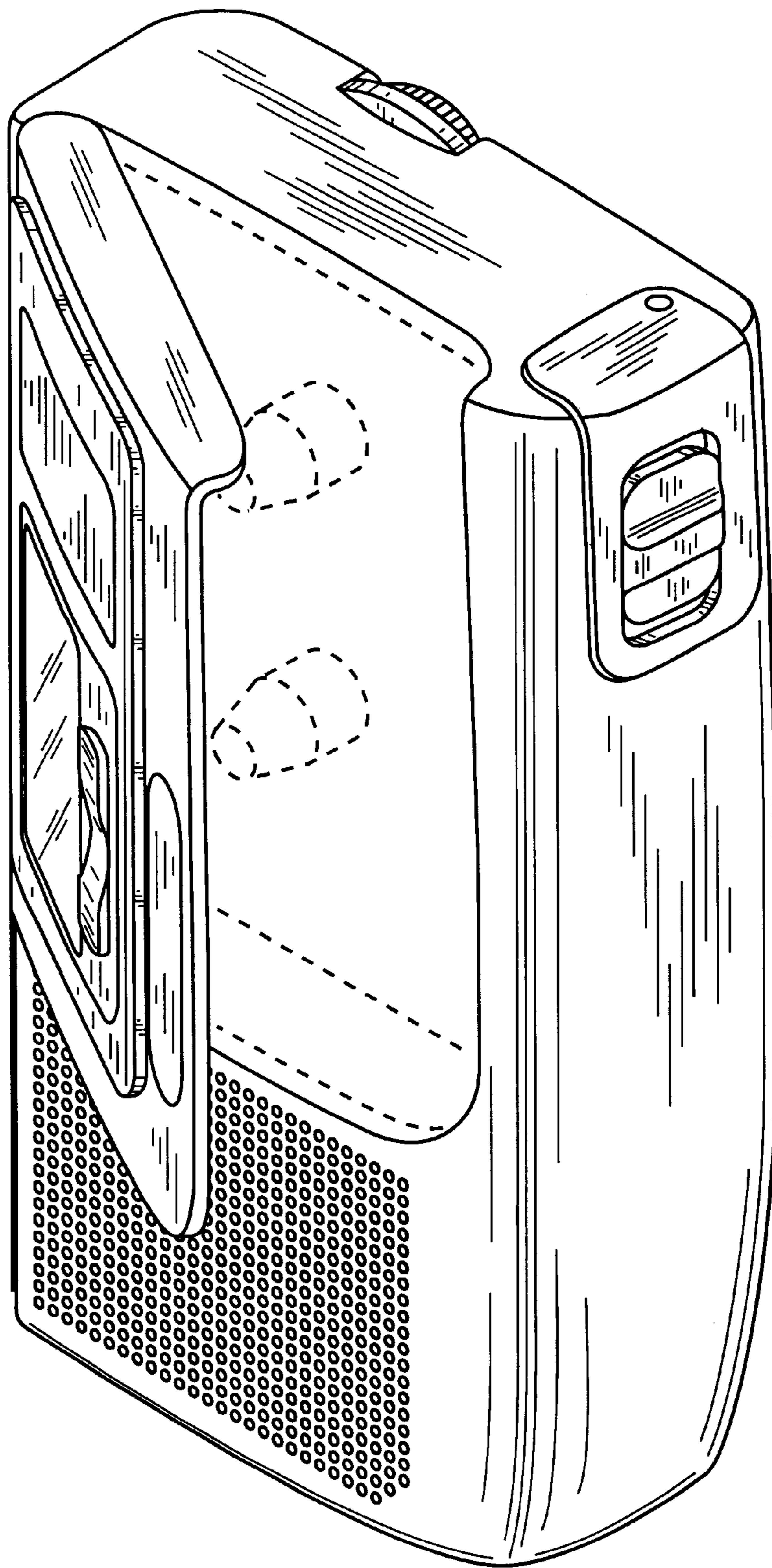
**FIG. 3**



**FIG. 7**



**FIG. 6**



**FIG. 8**