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(54) **SURFACE CONFIGURATION OF A FRONT PANEL FOR A VEHICLE**

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(57) **CLAIM**

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The ornamental design for a surface configuration of a front panel for a vehicle, as shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

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FIG. 1 is a front view of a surface configuration of a front panel for a vehicle according to my novel design;
FIG. 2 is a right side view of a surface configuration of a front panel for a vehicle according to my novel design, the left side view being mirror symmetrical;
FIG. 3 is a top view of a surface configuration of a front panel for a vehicle according to my novel design;
FIG. 4 is a bottom view of a surface configuration of a front panel for a vehicle according to my novel design; and,
FIG. 5 is a perspective view from the front left of a surface configuration of a front panel for a vehicle according to my novel design.

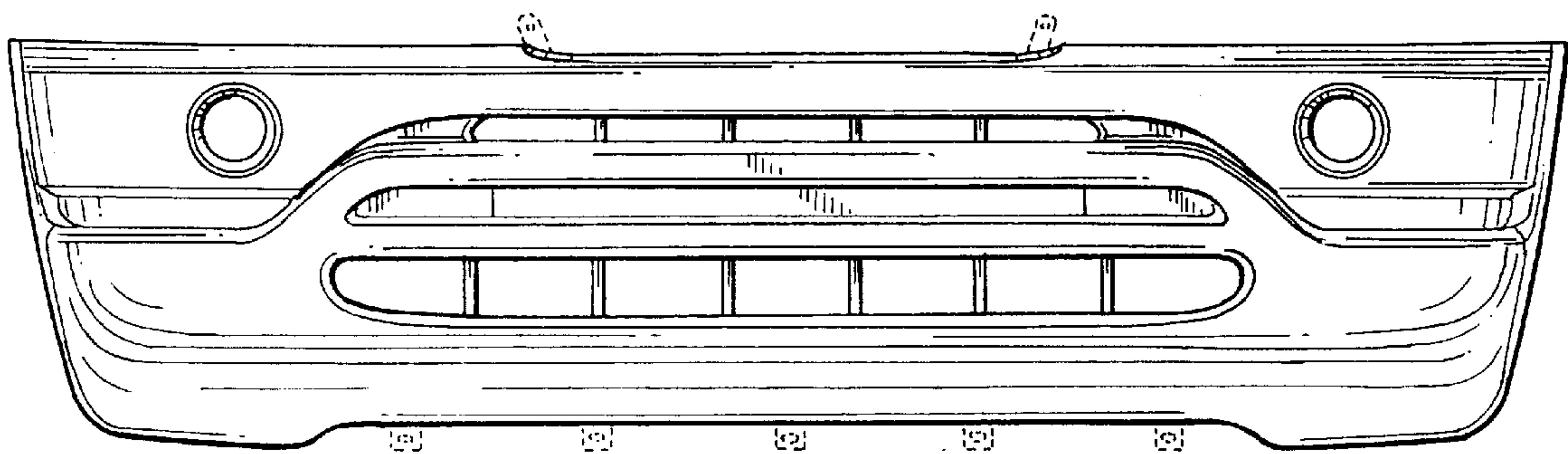
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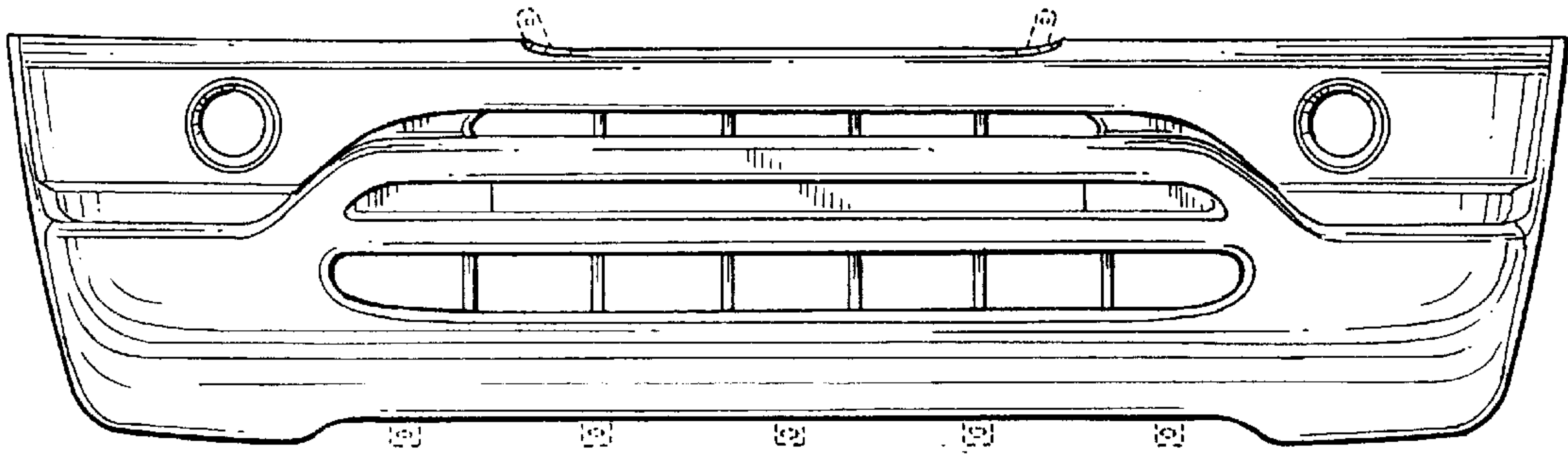


FIG. 1

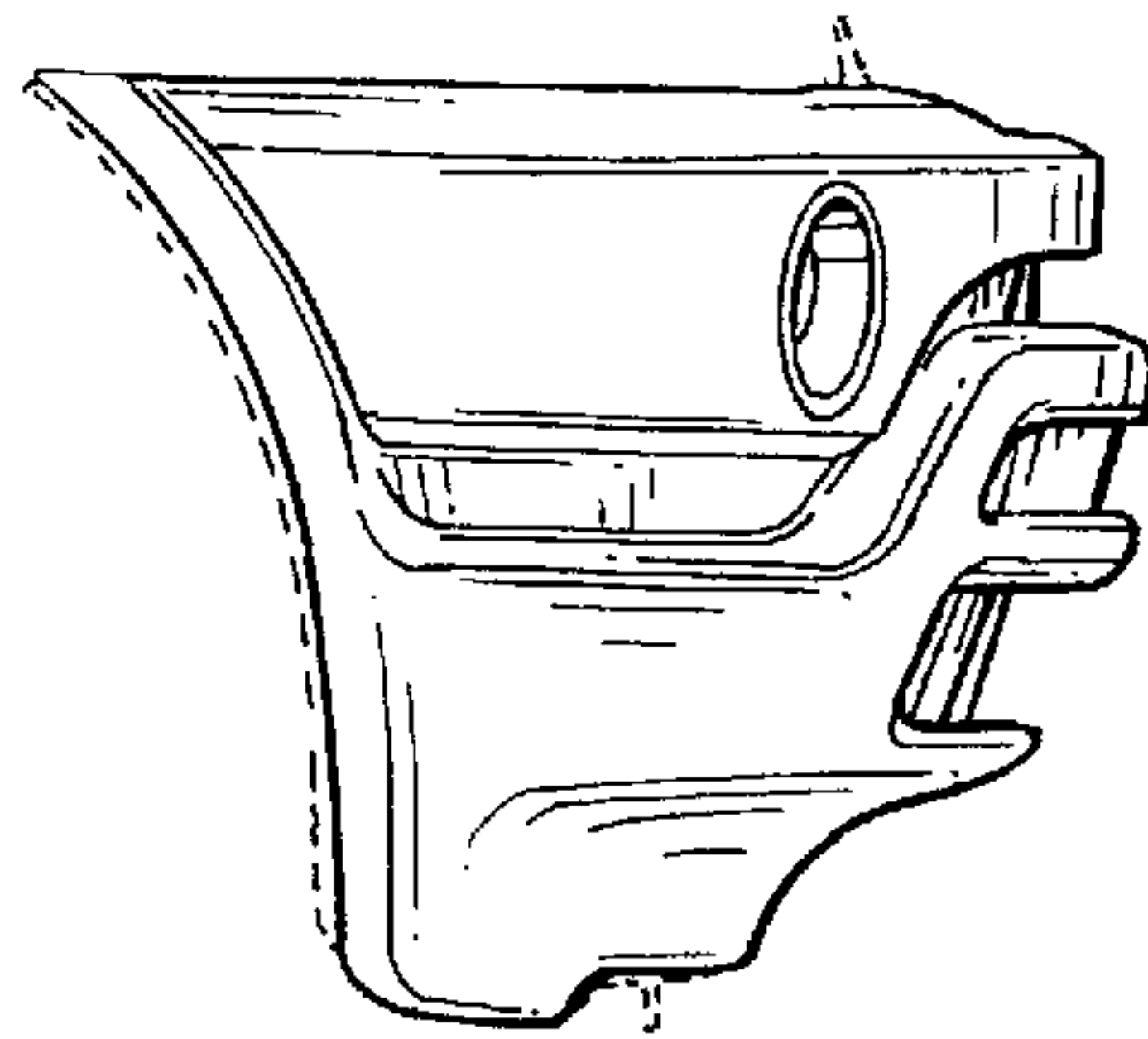


FIG. 2

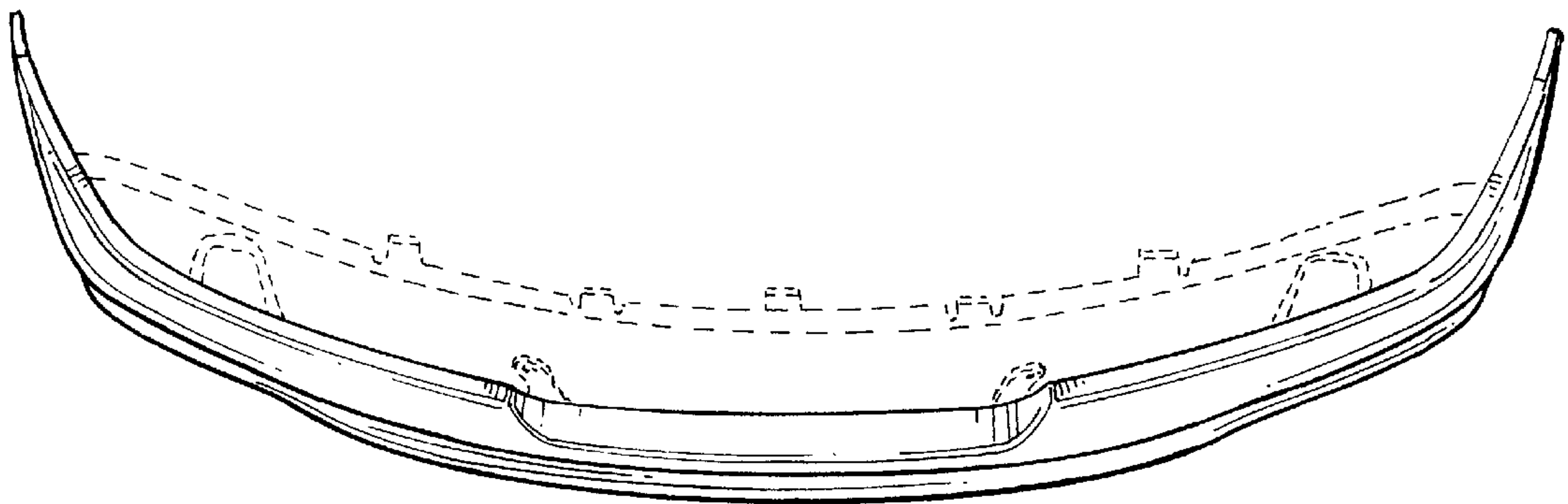


FIG. 3

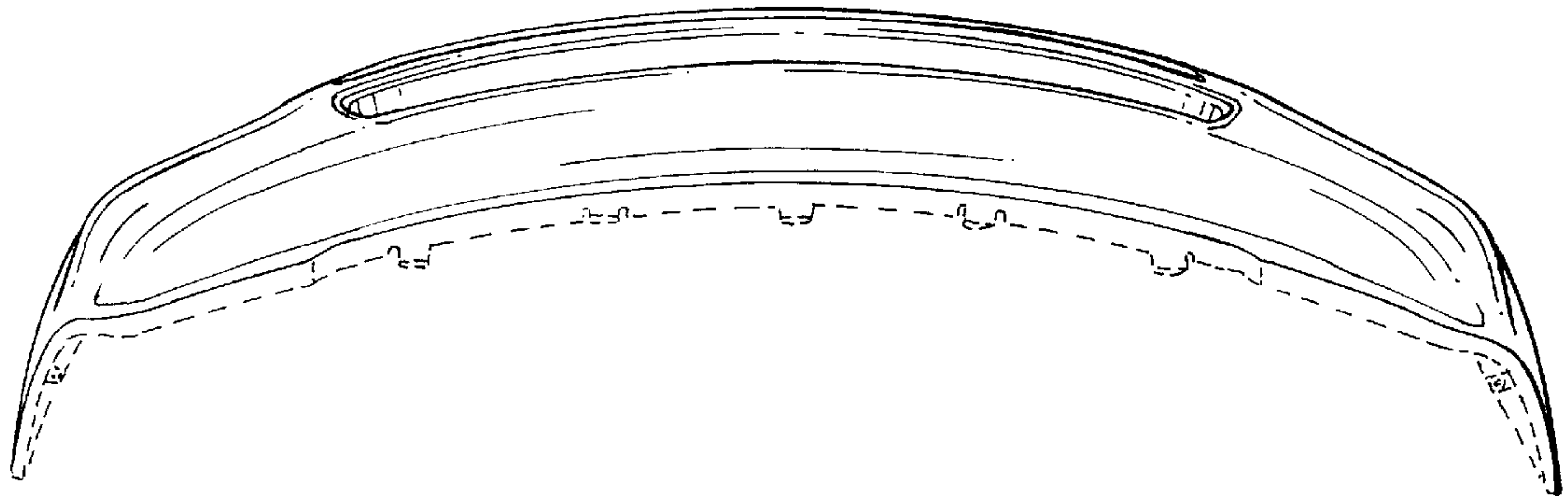


FIG. 4

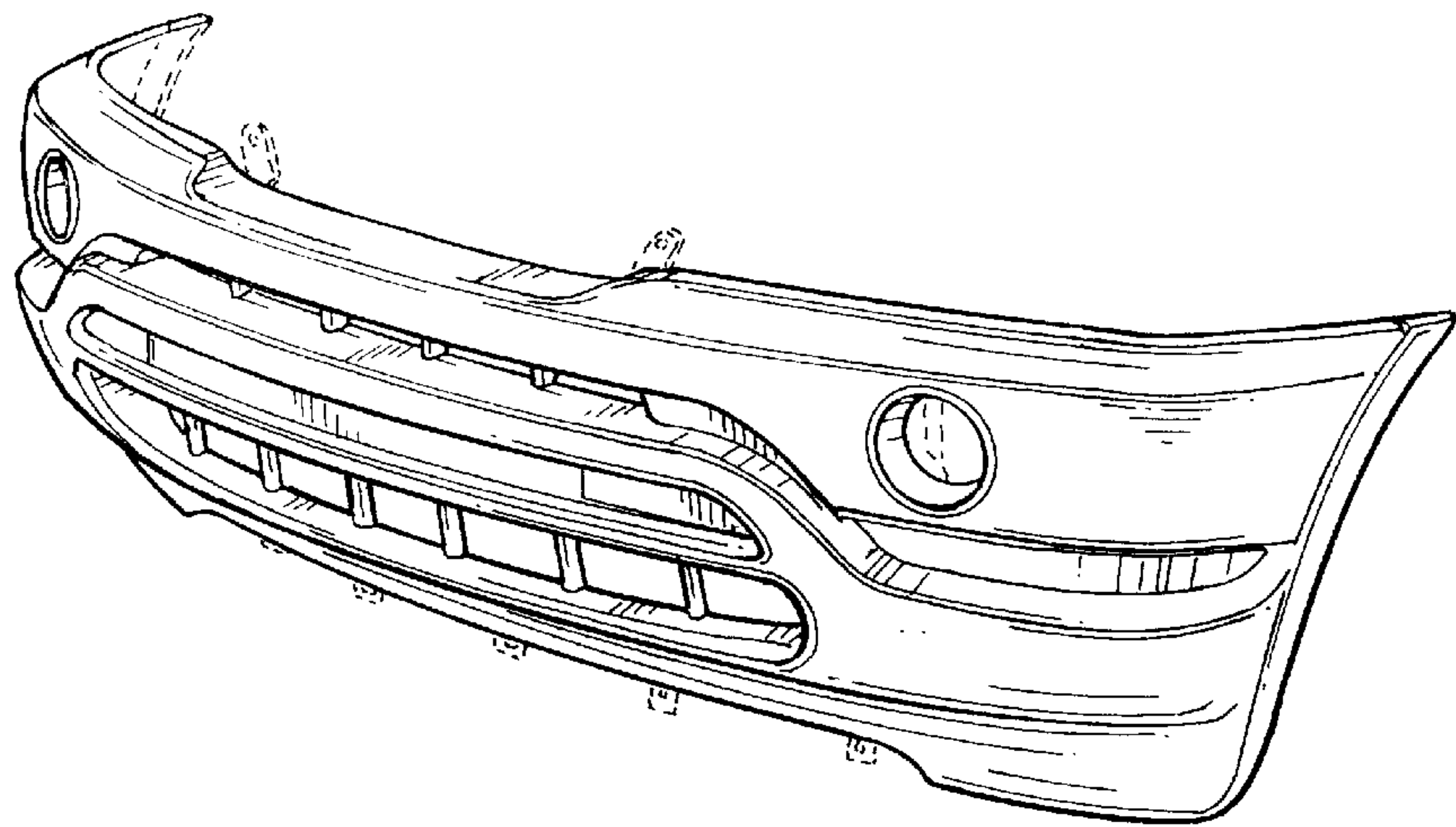


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