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(54) **SWIM MASK CONFIGURED AS A SEA CREATURE**

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OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- Page from a catalog containing Side-Window Purge Mask and Foot-Pocket Fins.
- Photo of a package from Speedo Kids Swimming Combo.
- Photo of Speedo swim caps (non-characterized).
- Photos of various latex rubber Halloween masks.

- Masquerade mask from Rio casino advertisement.
- Photo of Calypso mask and snorkel set.
- Photo of Funny Face characterized swim mask with single lens.
- Photo of Aqua Sphere sport water mask.
- Photo of Speedo hologram goggles.
- Photos of various basic swim goggles.
- Front and rear photos of various masks (2 pages).
- Photos of various (Speedo & Coral) swim goggles with character themes.

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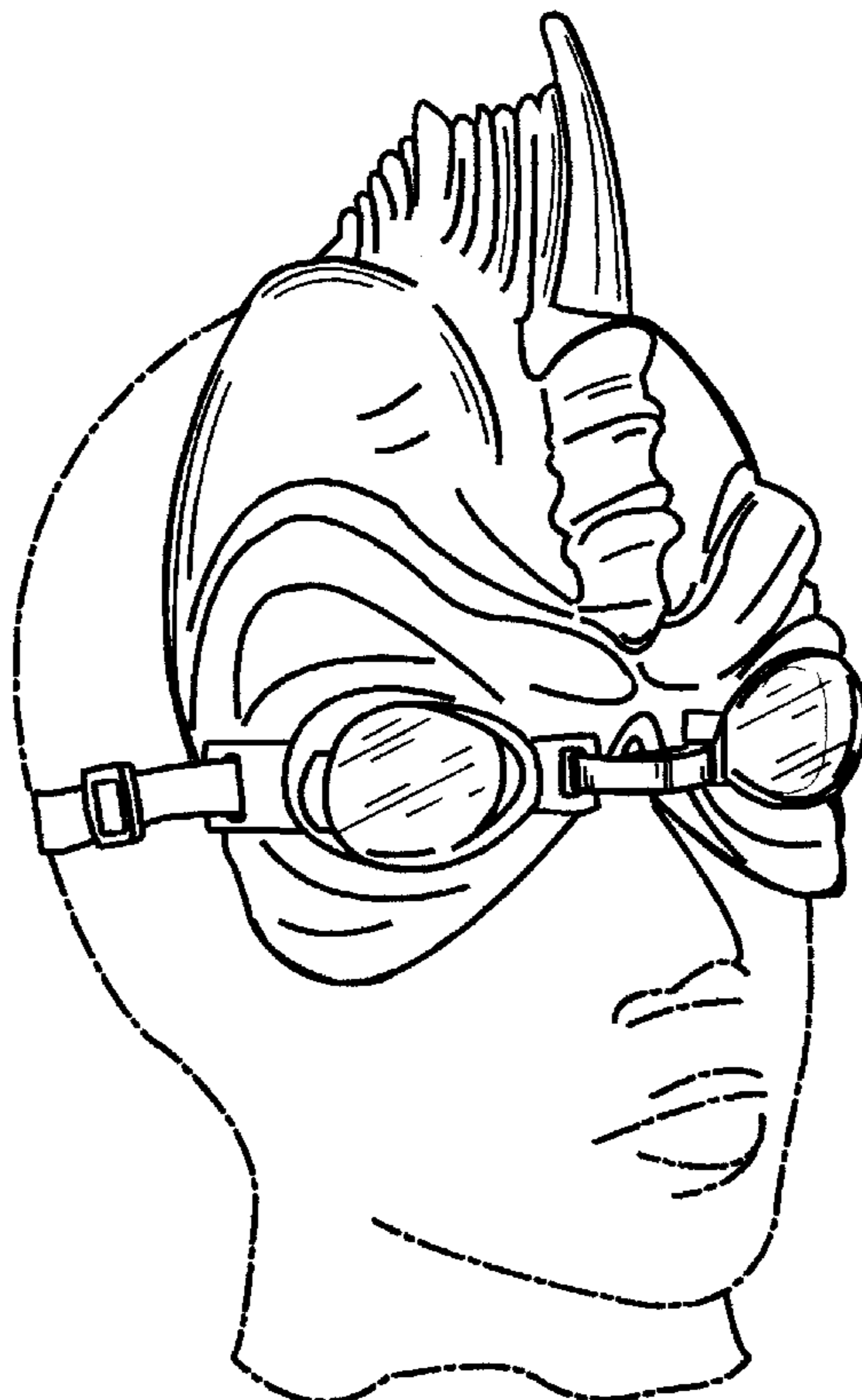
(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for swim mask configured as a sea creature, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a top right side perspective view of a swim mask configured as a sea creature showing my new design. The broken line showing is for illustrative purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design; and, FIG. 2 is a front view of the swim mask of FIG. 1. The surfaces or portions of the article not shown in the drawing or described in the specification forms no part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 1 Drawing Sheet



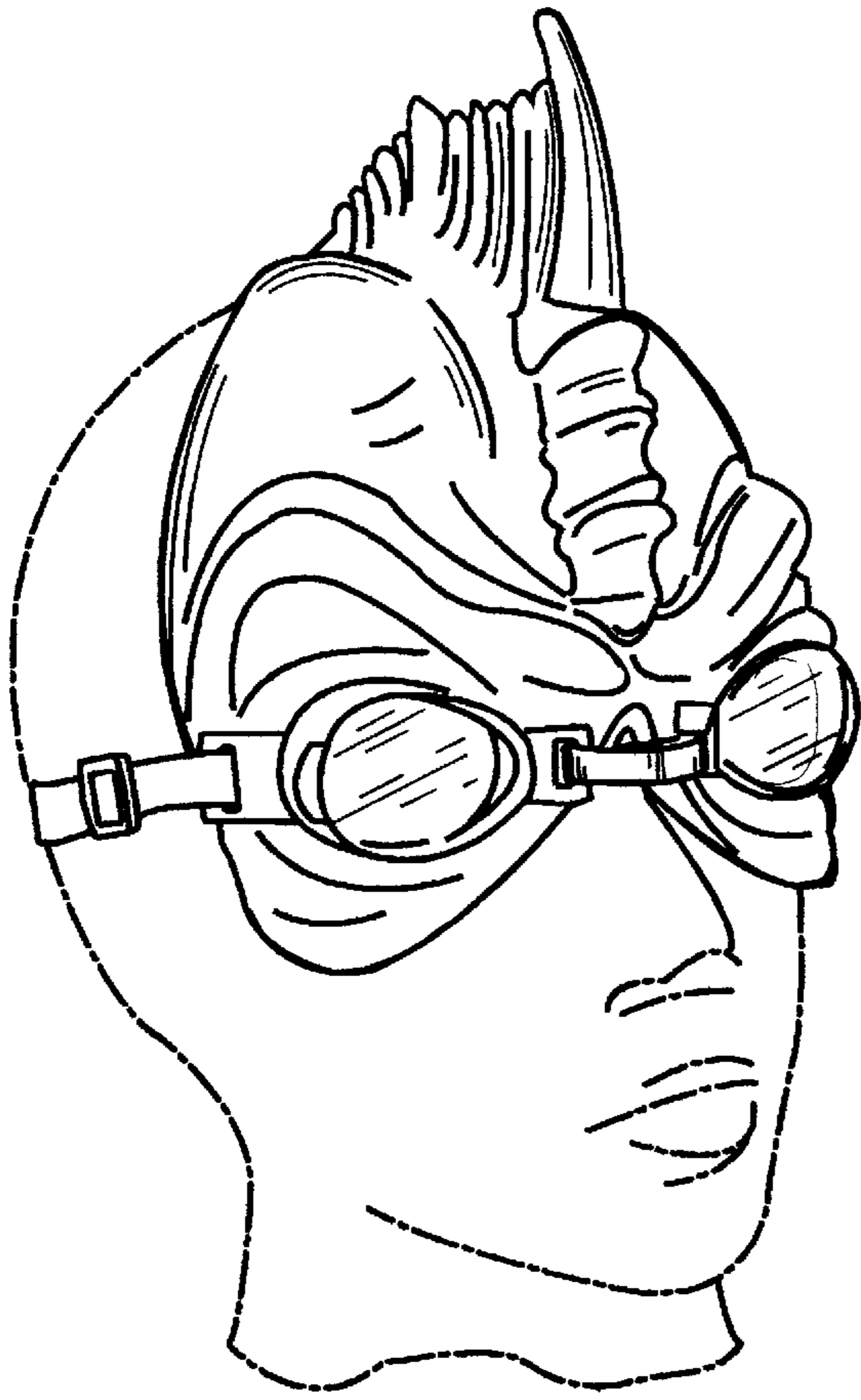


FIG. 1

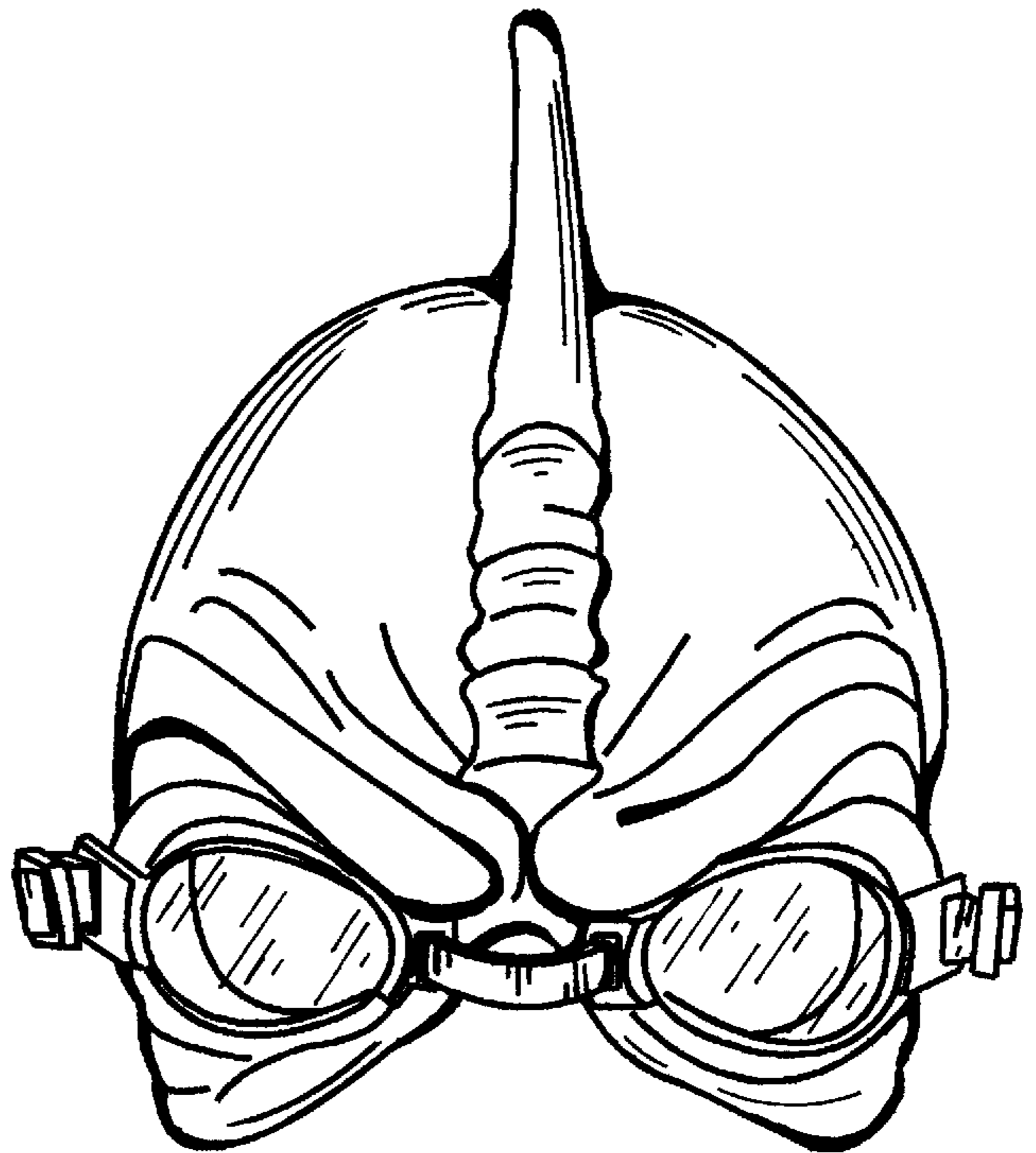


FIG. 2