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(54) **VALVE PORT**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a valve port, as shown and described.

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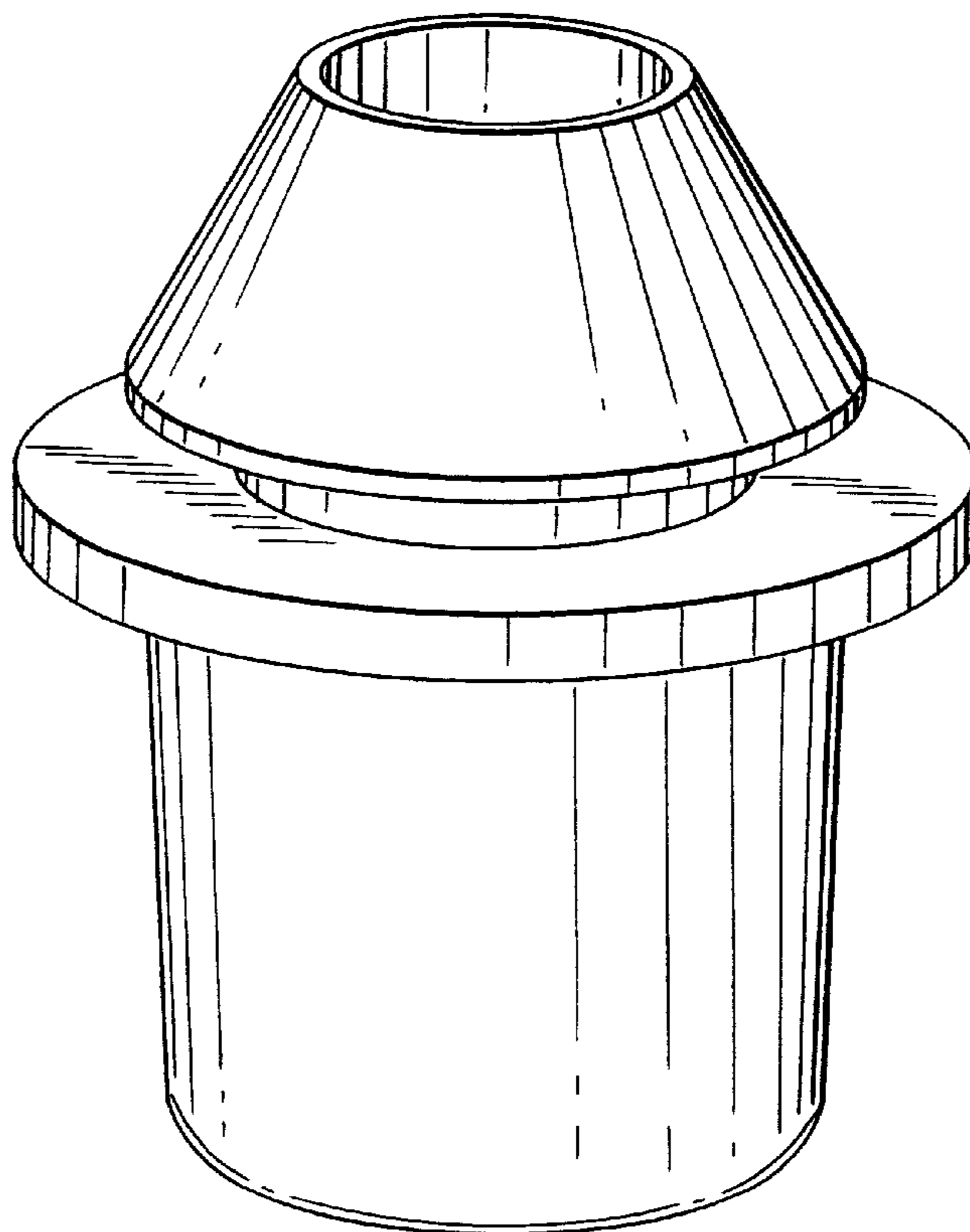
DESCRIPTION

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FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a valve port, showing our design;
FIG. 2 is a top-plan view of the valve port of FIG. 1;
FIG. 3 is a front elevational view of the valve port of FIG. 1, the rear elevational view being a mirror image thereof;
FIG. 4 is a bottom-plan view of the valve port of FIG. 1; and,
FIG. 5 is a cross-sectional view of the valve port of FIG. 3.

1 Claim, 2 Drawing Sheets



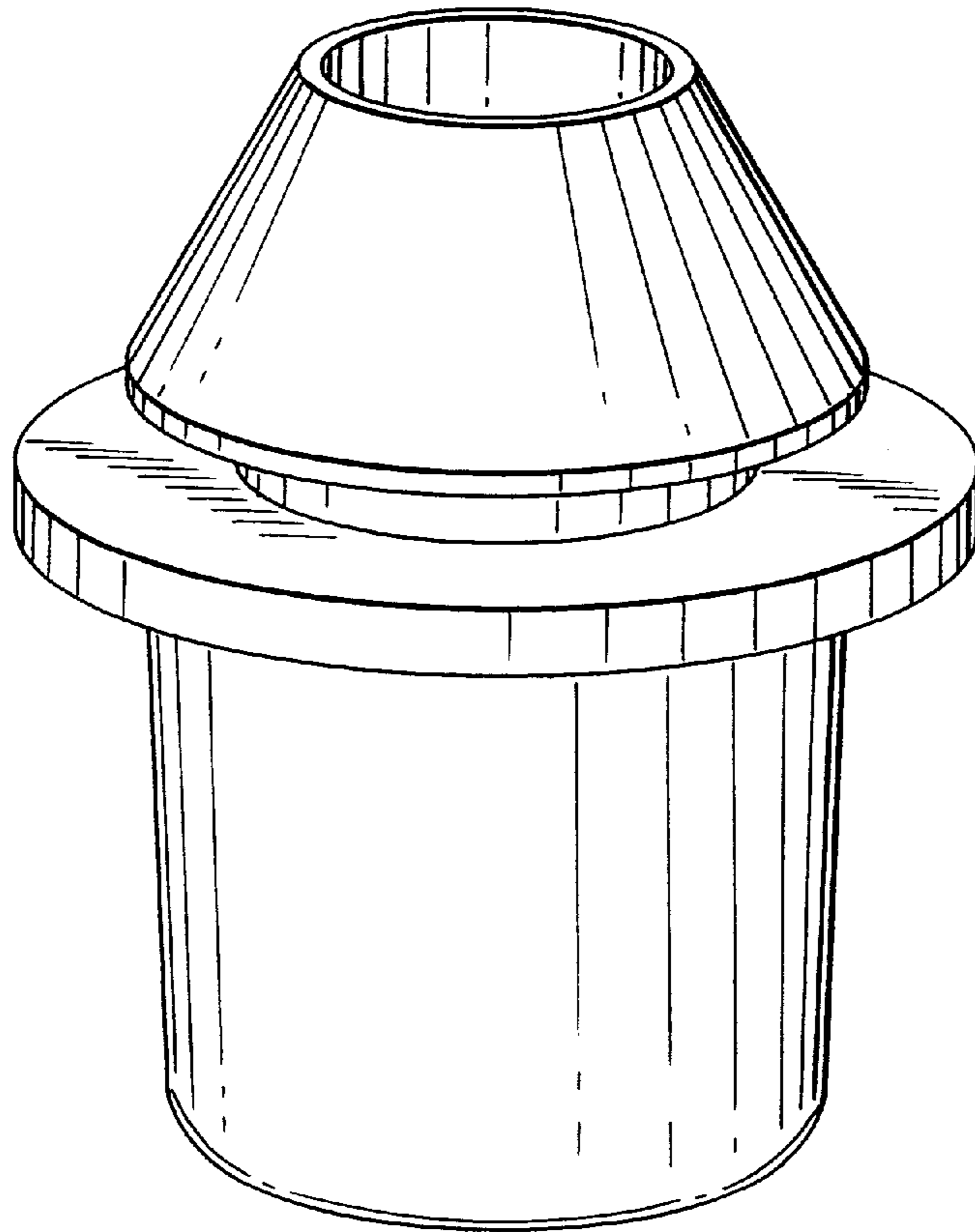


FIG. 1

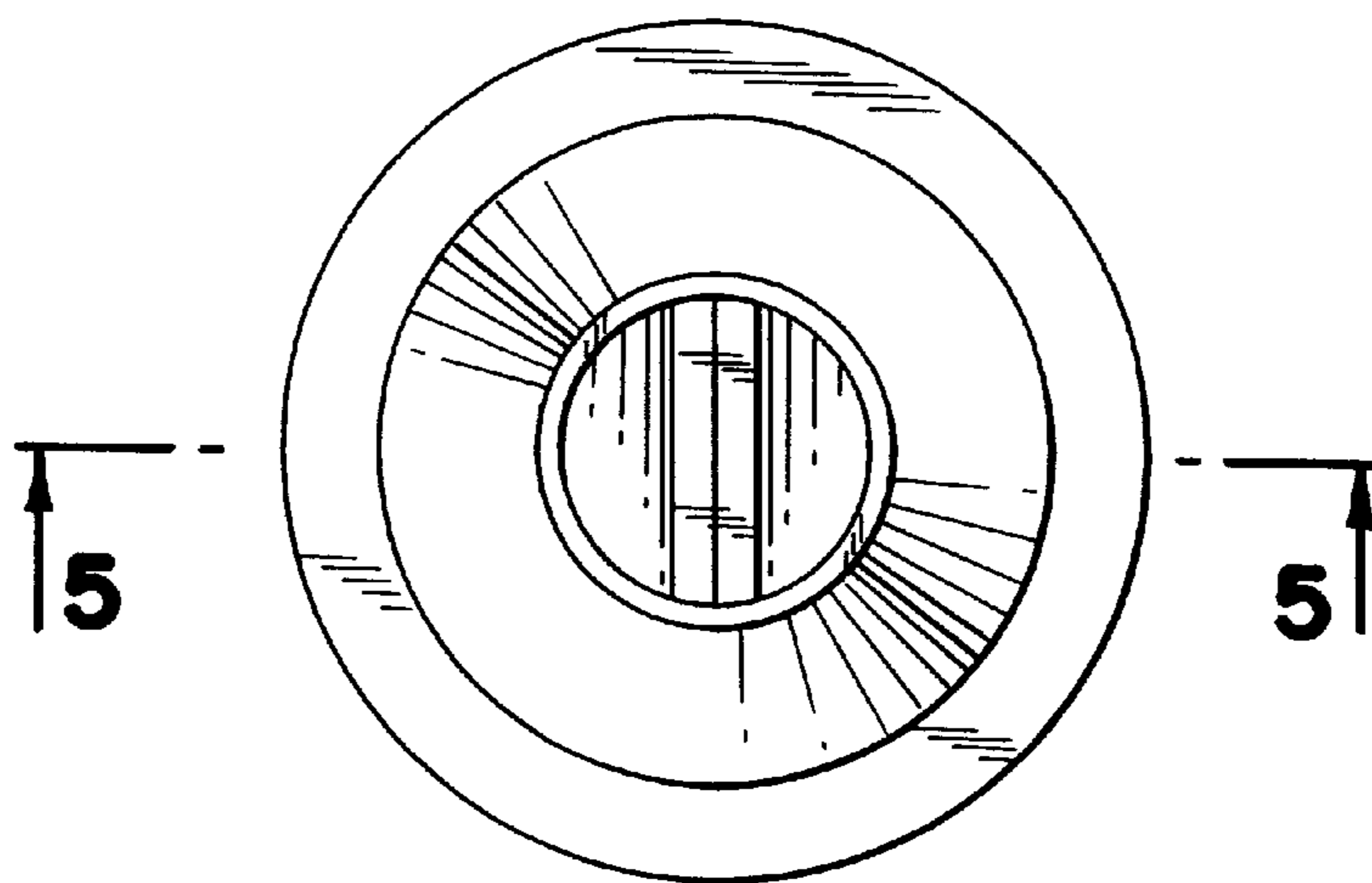


FIG. 2

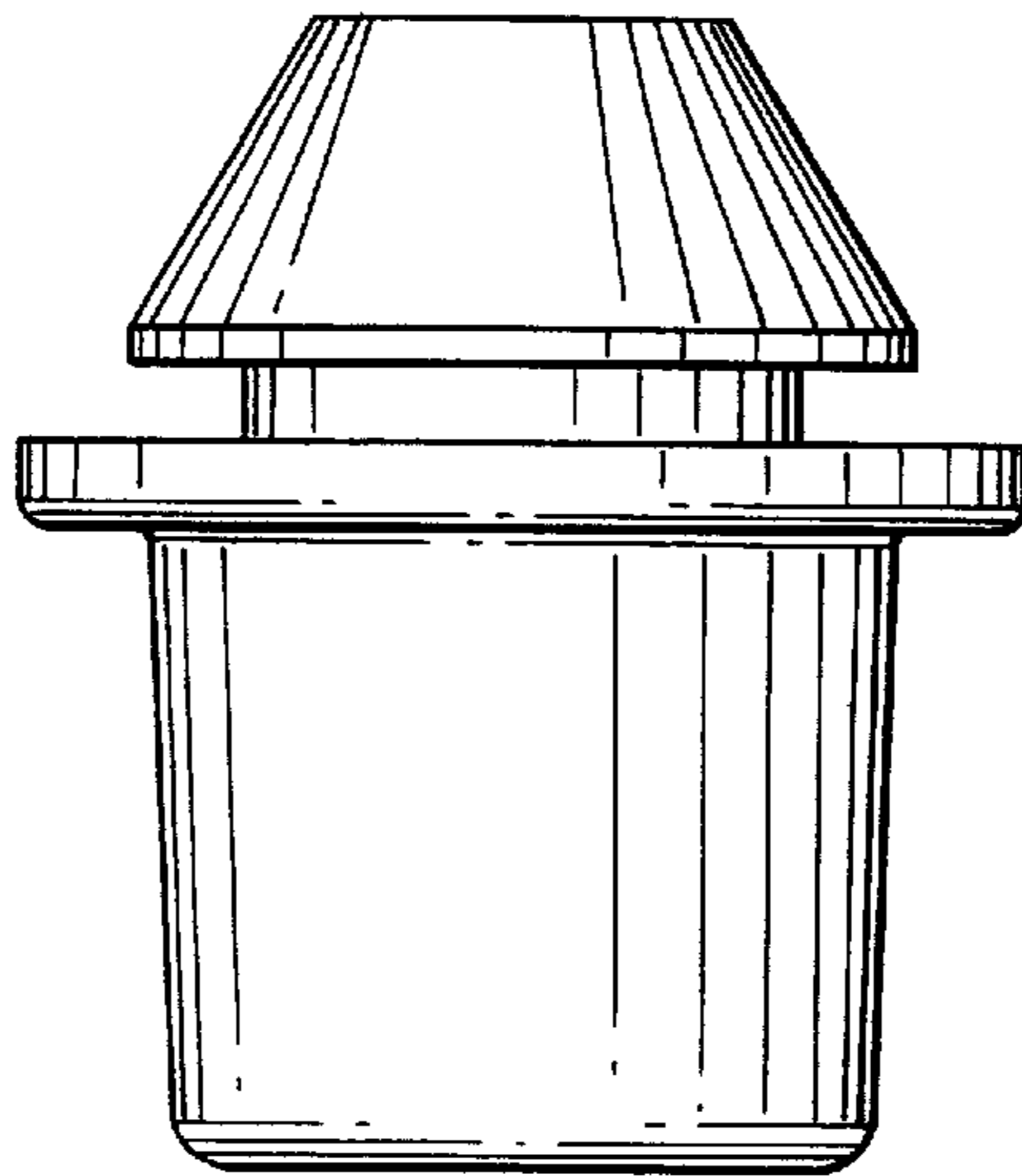


FIG. 3

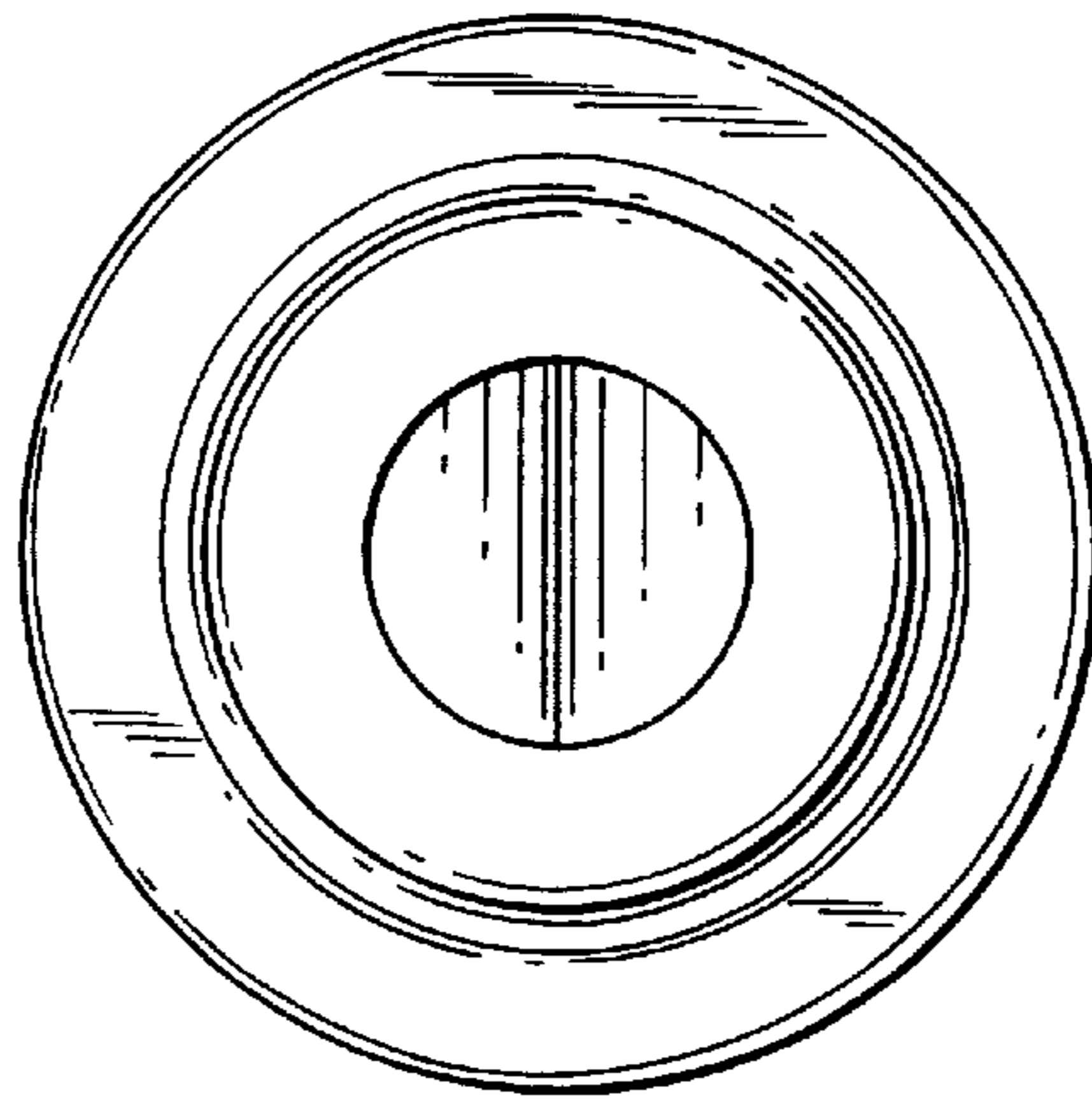


FIG. 4

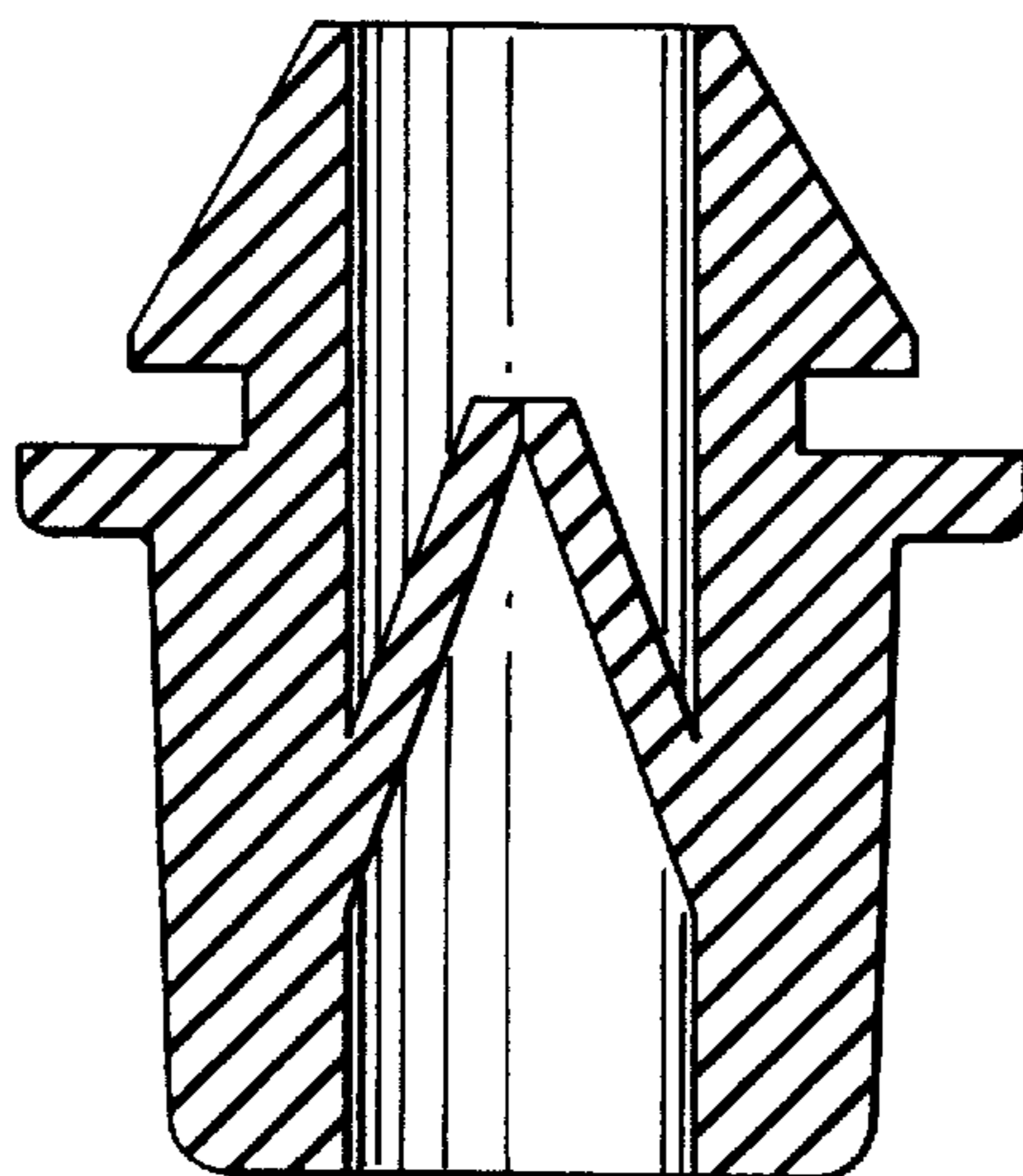


FIG. 5