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(54) **KNIFE HOLDER FOR TOOL BELT**

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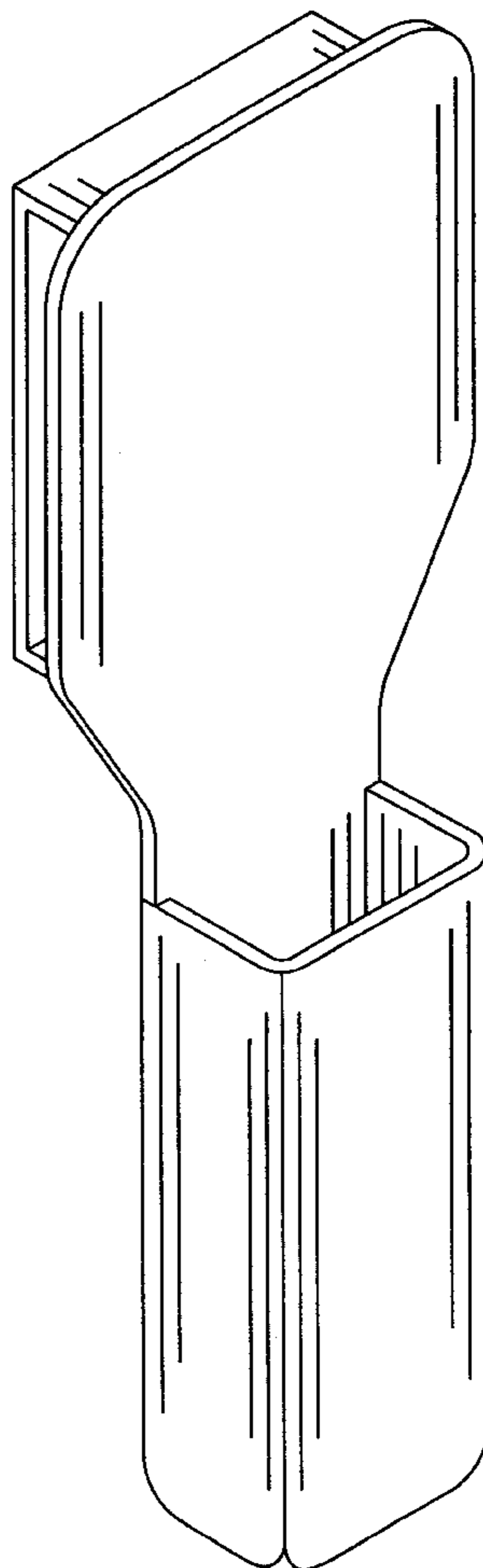
(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a knife holder for a tool belt, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a front perspective view of a knife holder, showing my new design;  
FIG. 2 is a front perspective view of a knife holder, showing my new design;  
FIG. 3 is a front elevational view thereof;  
FIG. 4 is a right side elevational view thereof, the left side elevational view being a mirror image thereof;  
FIG. 5 is a rear elevational view thereof;  
FIG. 6 is a top plan view thereof; and,  
FIG. 7 is a bottom plan view thereof.  
In FIG. 1 of the drawings, the broken line disclosure of a tool belt and putty knife is for illustrative purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design.

**1 Claim, 4 Drawing Sheets**



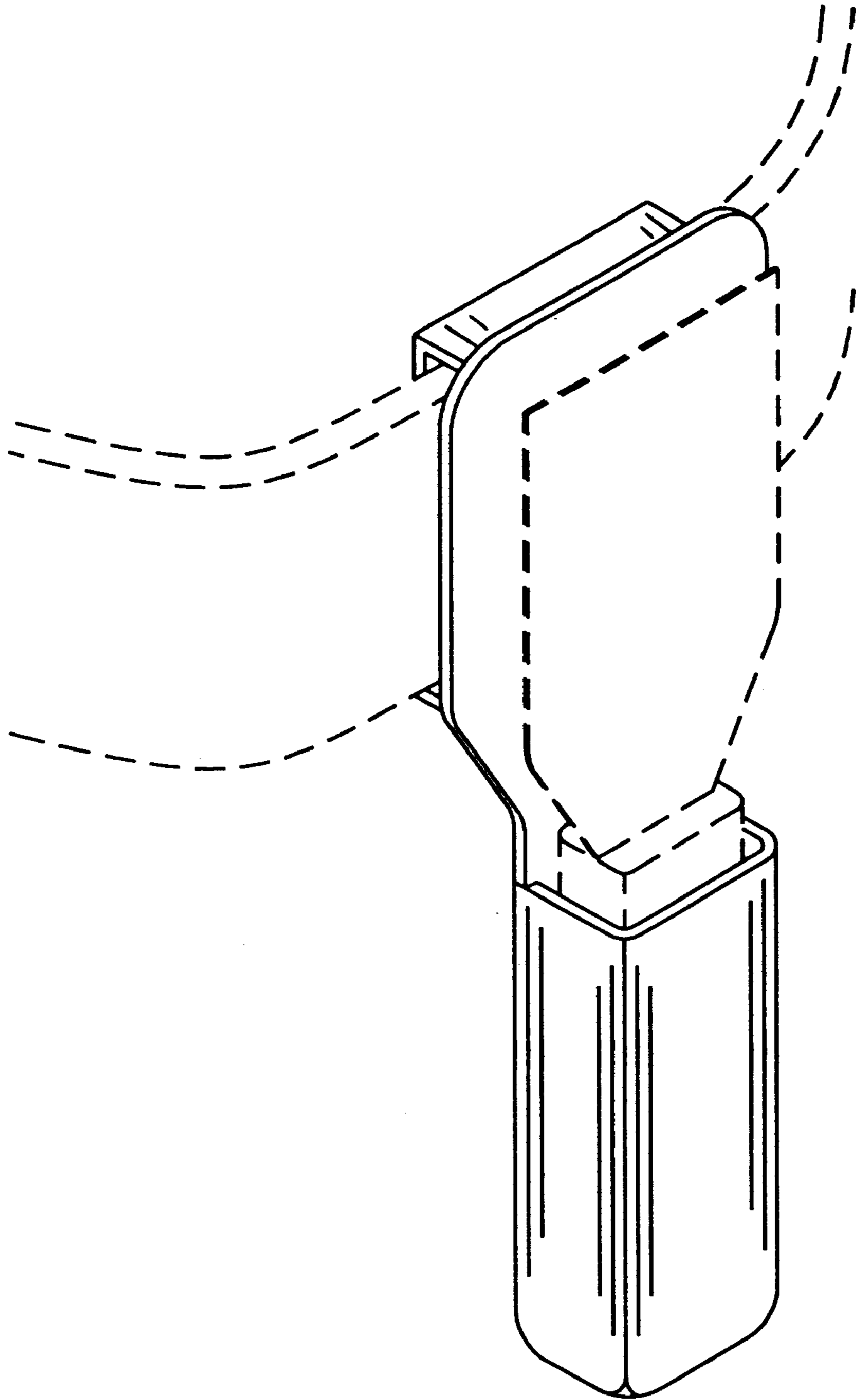


FIG. 1

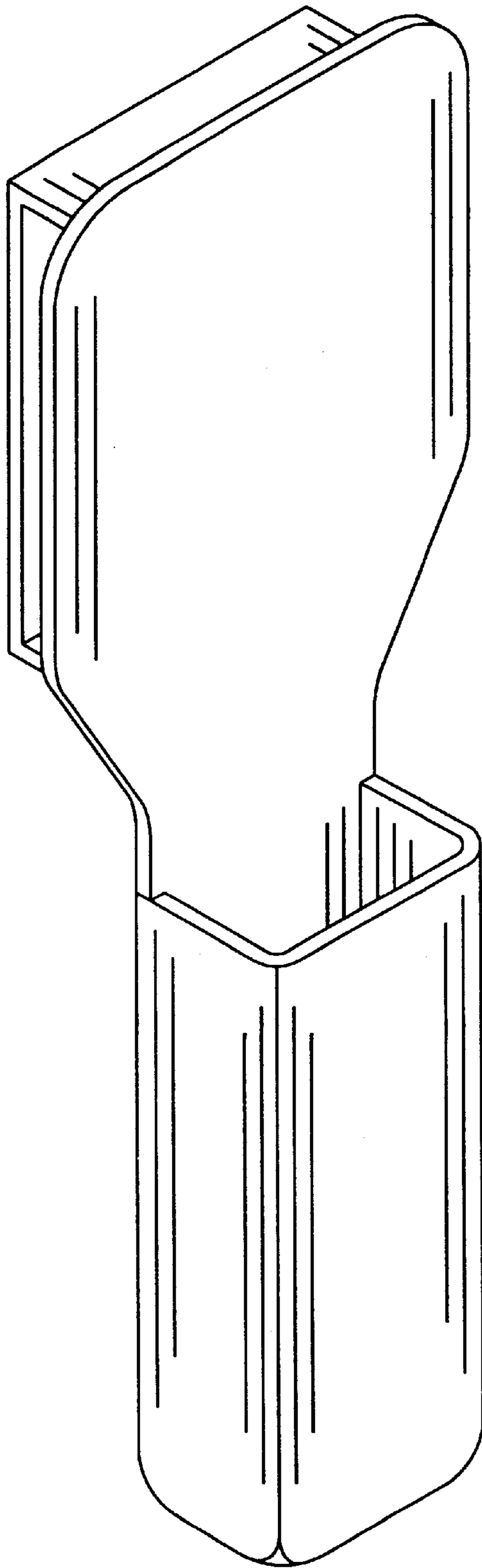


FIG. 2

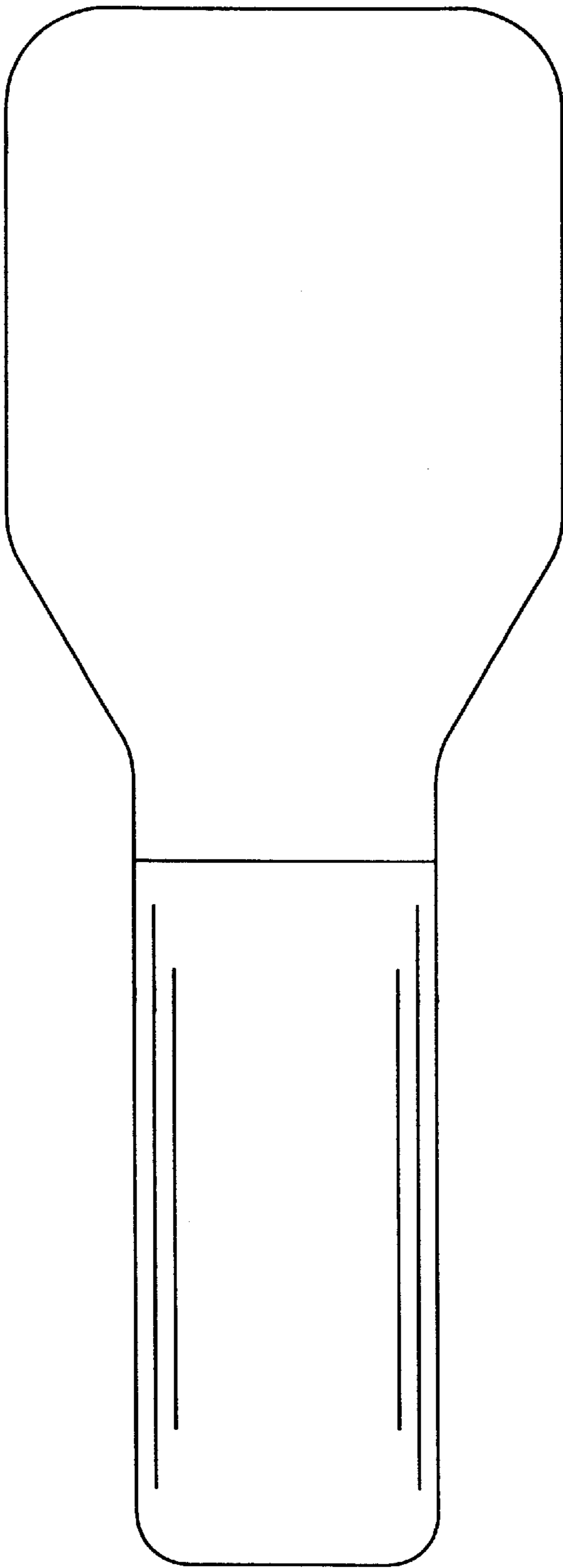


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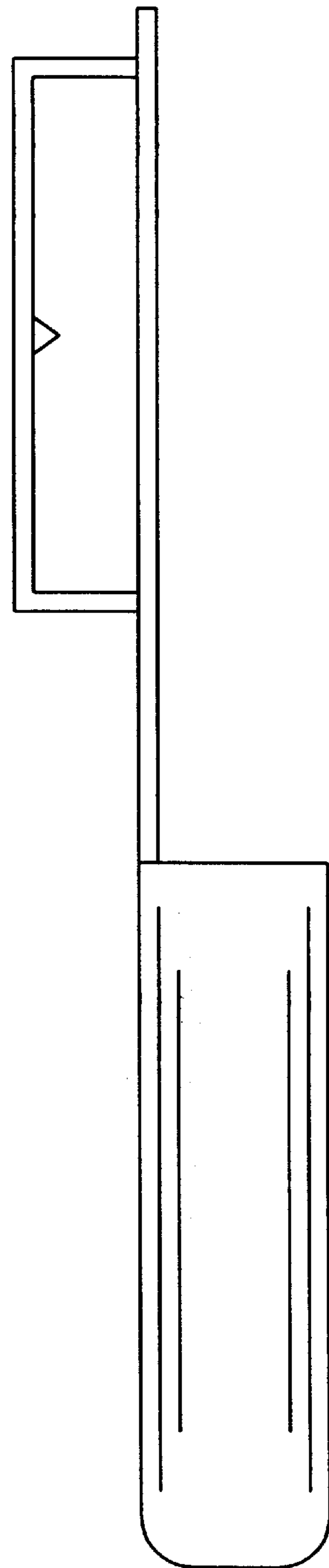


FIG. 4

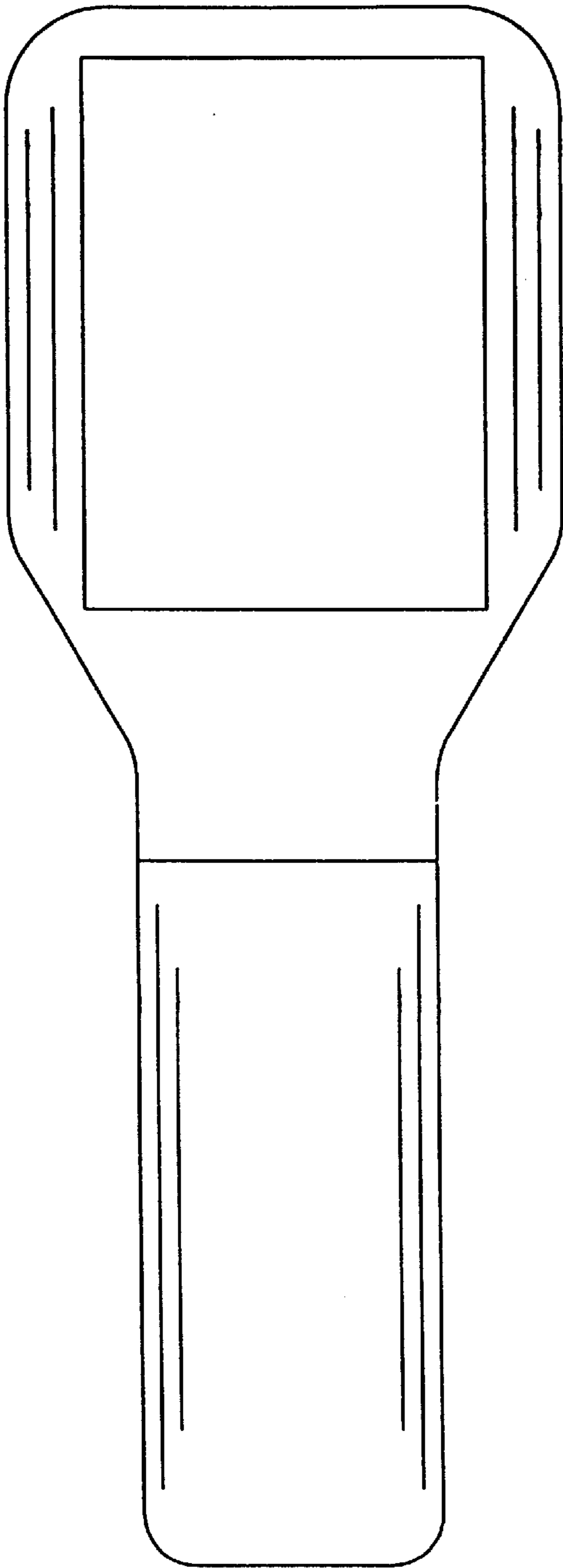


FIG. 5

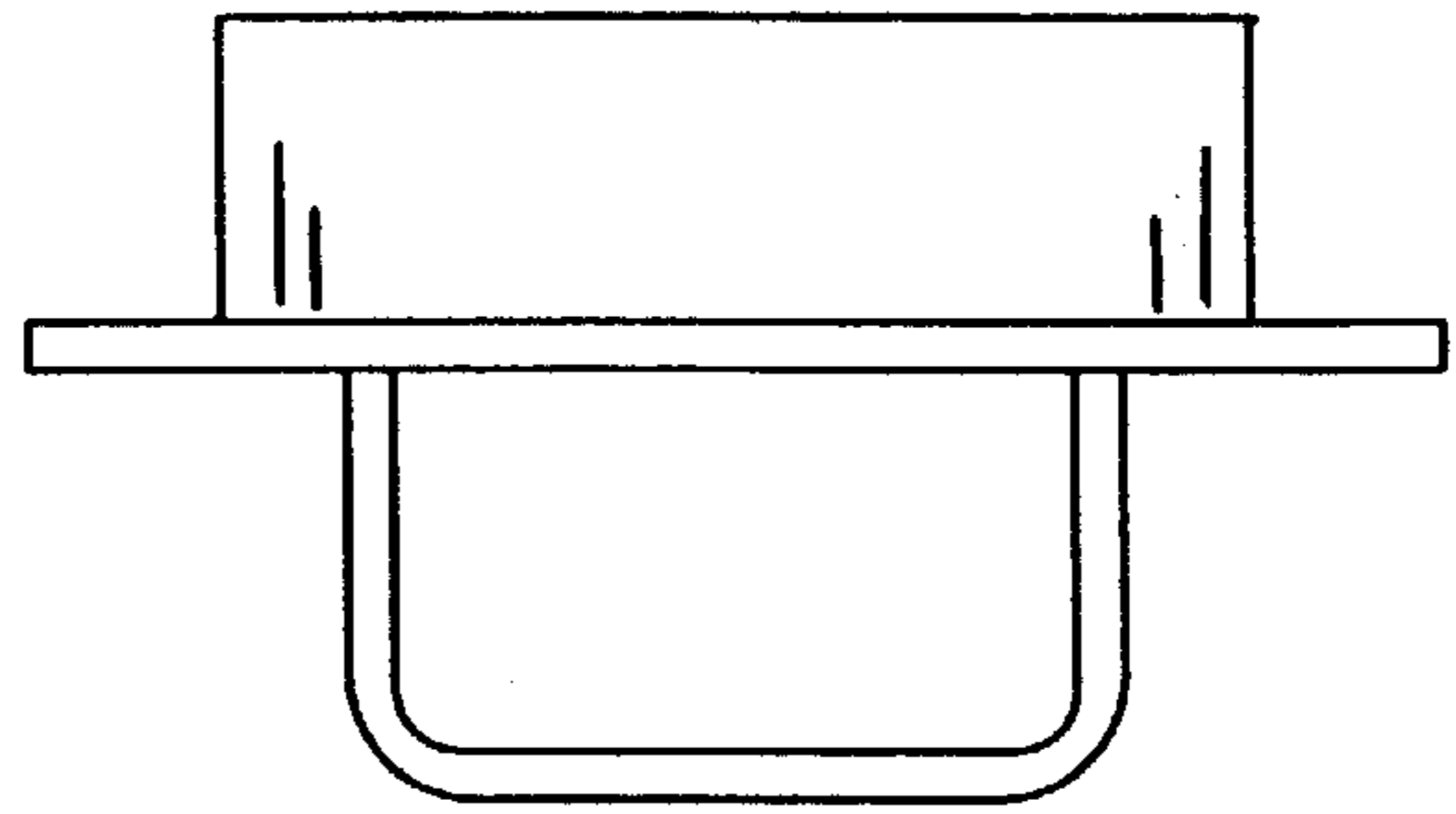


FIG. 6

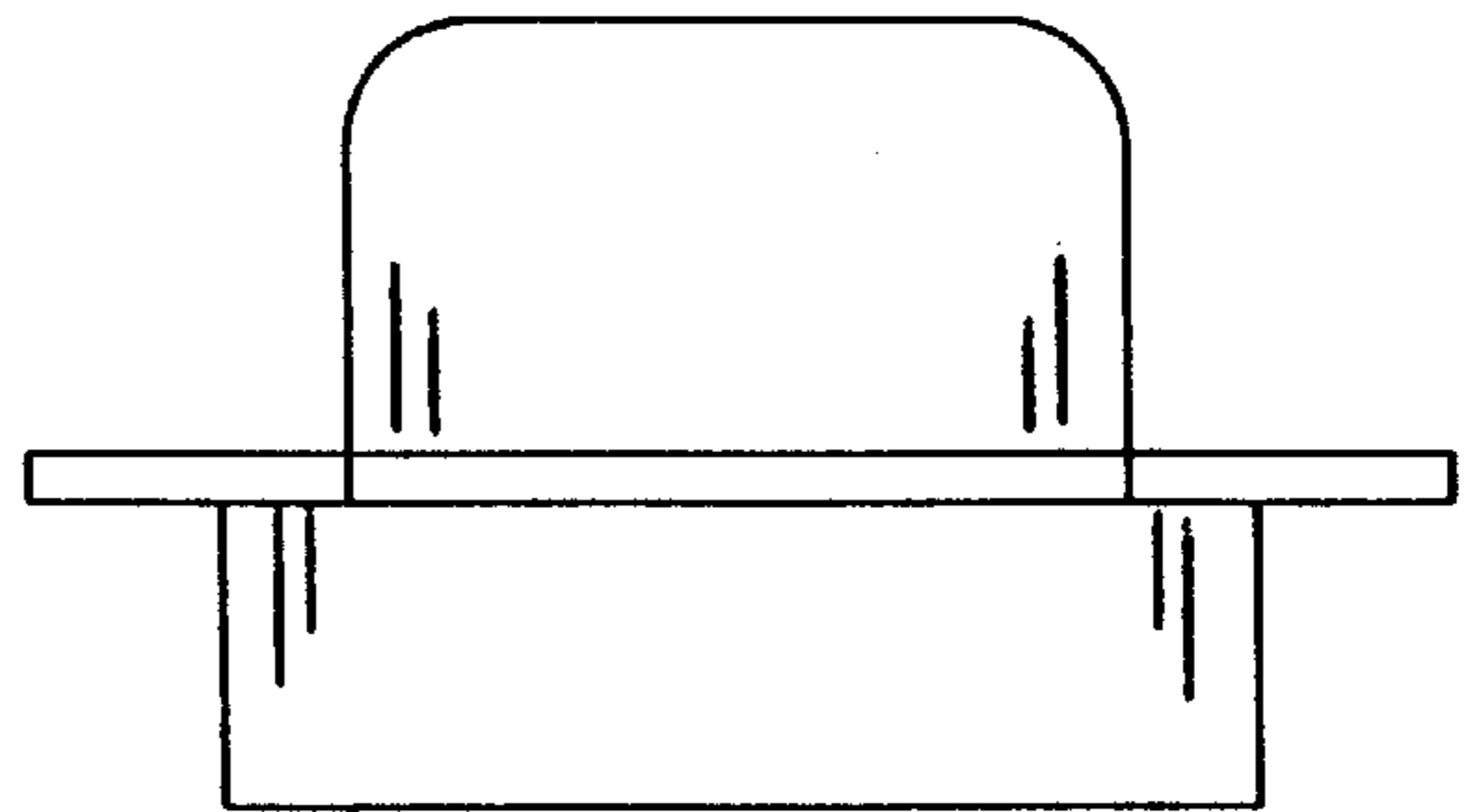


FIG. 7