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(54) **GATE VALVE**

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(57) **CLAIM**

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

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**DESCRIPTION**

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FIG. 1 is a perspective view of the gate valve showing our new design;

FIG. 2 is a front elevational view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a back elevational view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a left side elevational view thereof, the right side elevational view being substantially a mirror image of the left side elevational view;

FIG. 5 is a top plan view thereof; and,

FIG. 6 is a bottom plan view thereof.

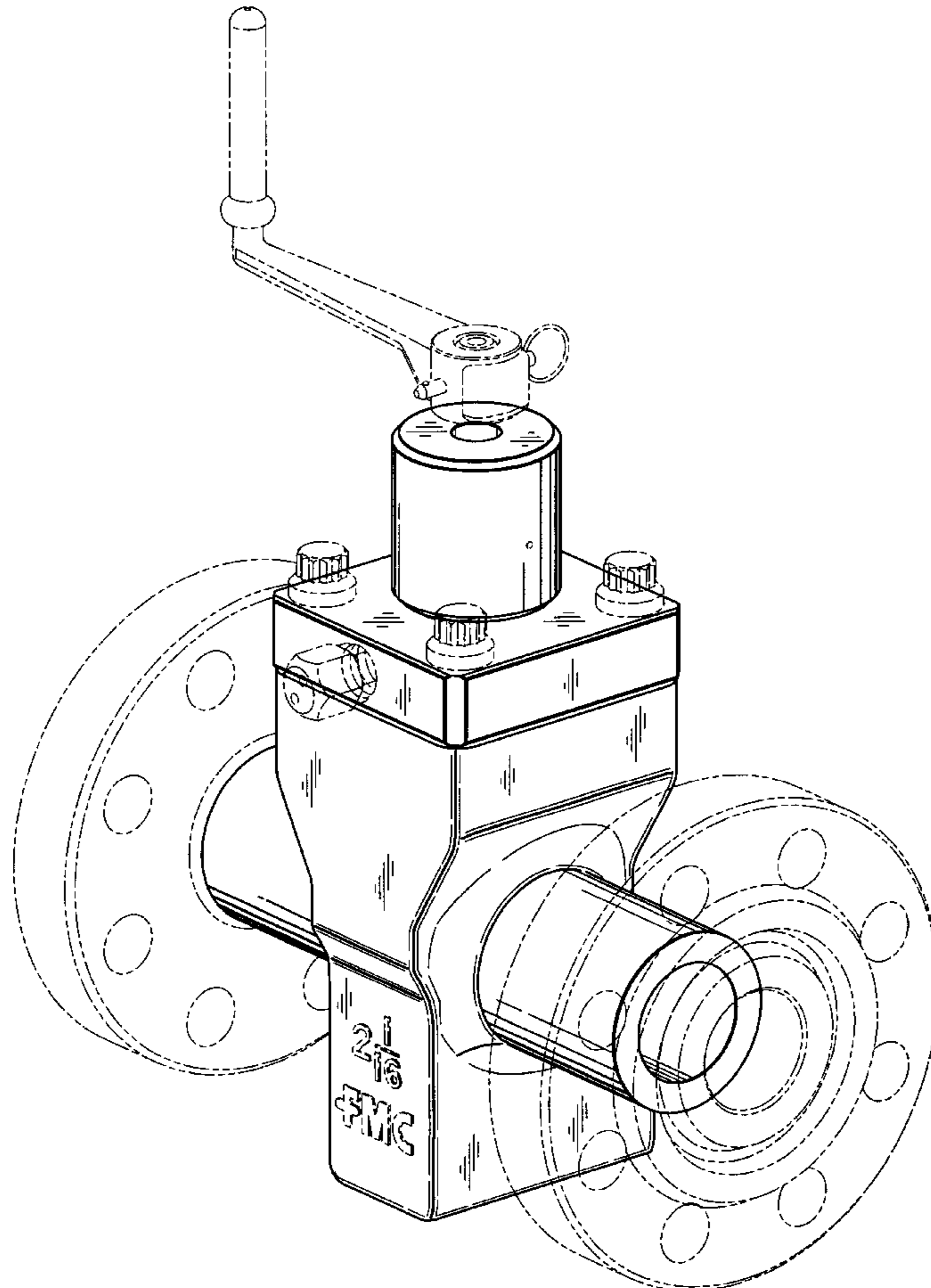
The components shown in broken lines are for illustrative purposes only and form no part of the claimed design.

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**1 Claim, 6 Drawing Sheets**



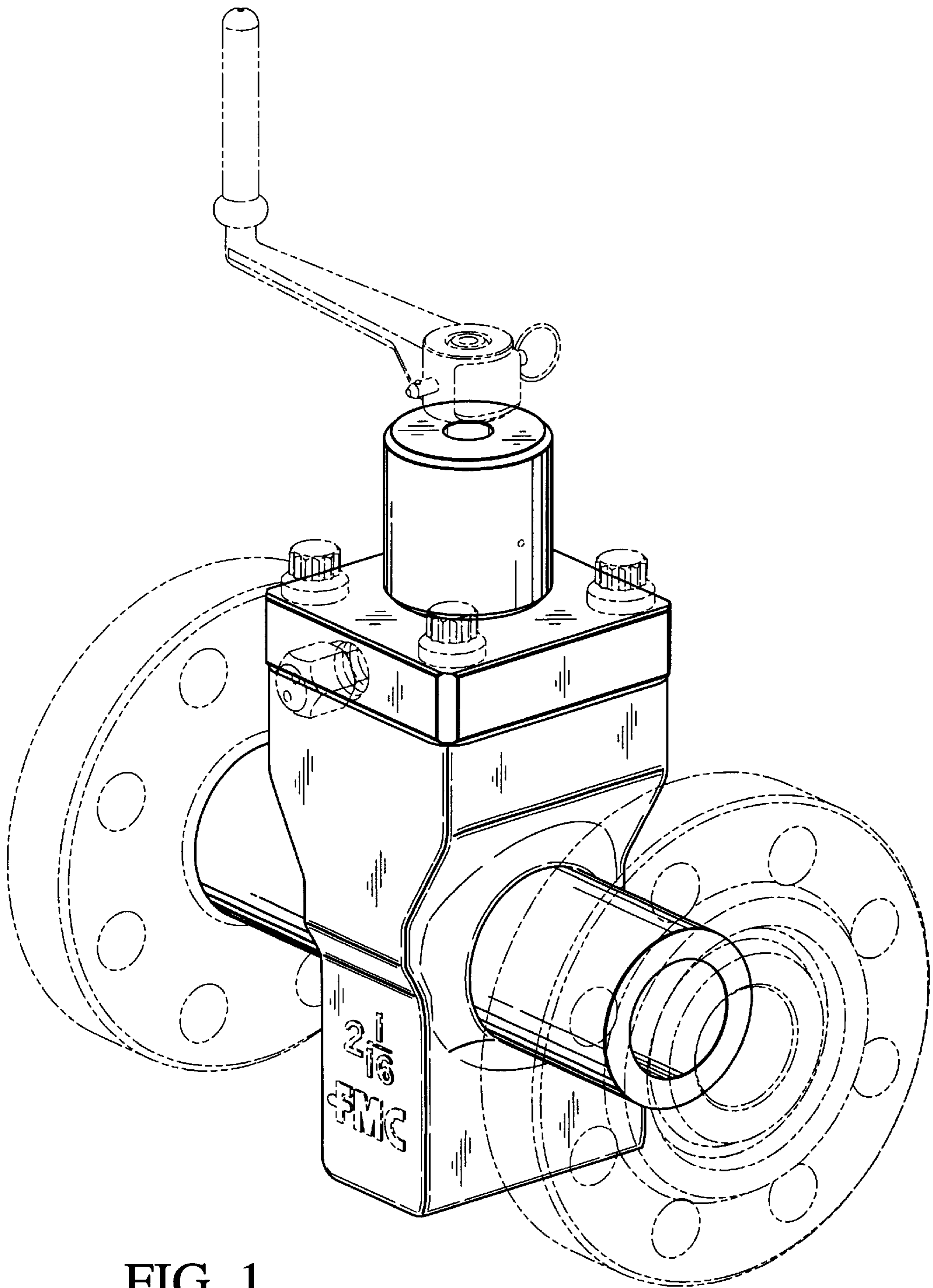


FIG. 1

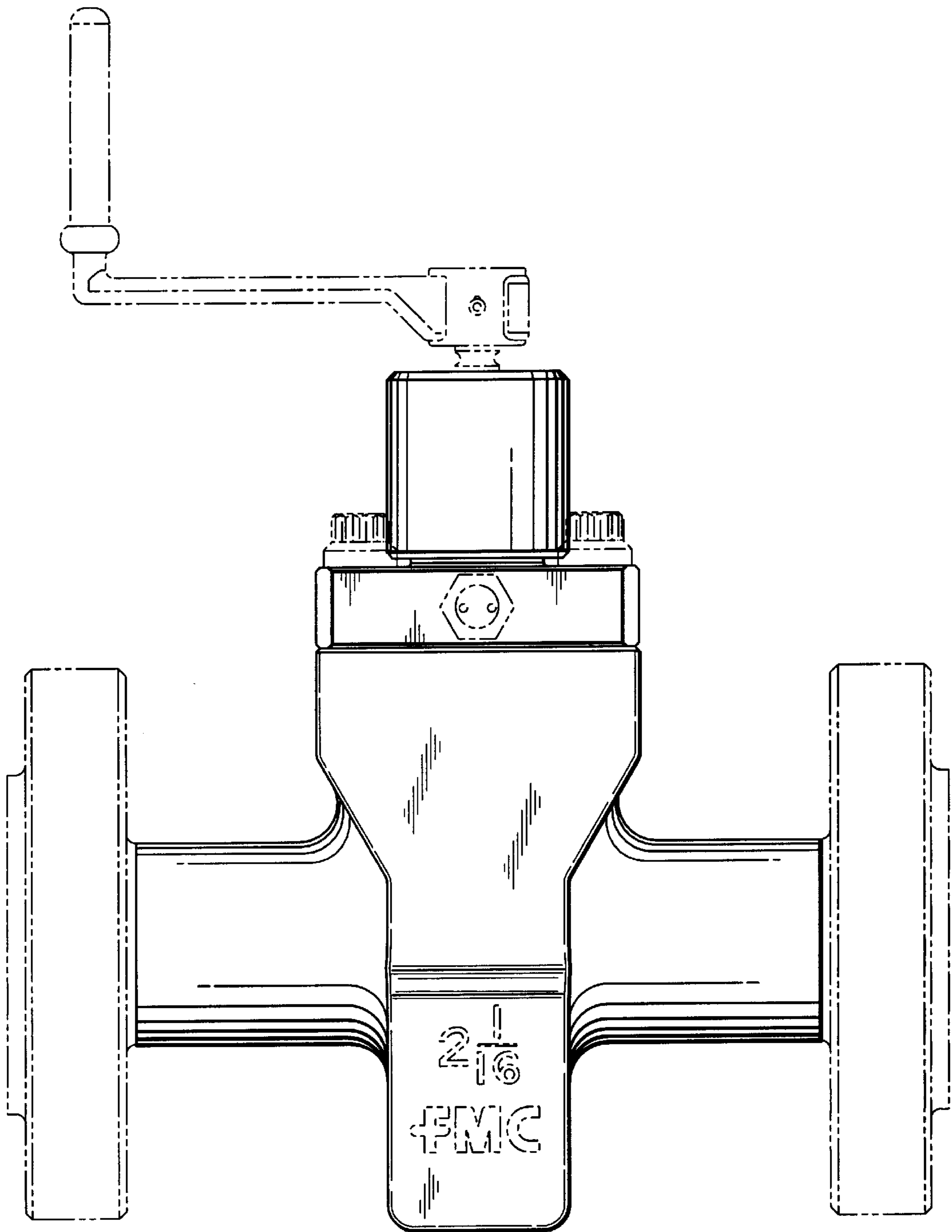


FIG. 2

FIG. 3

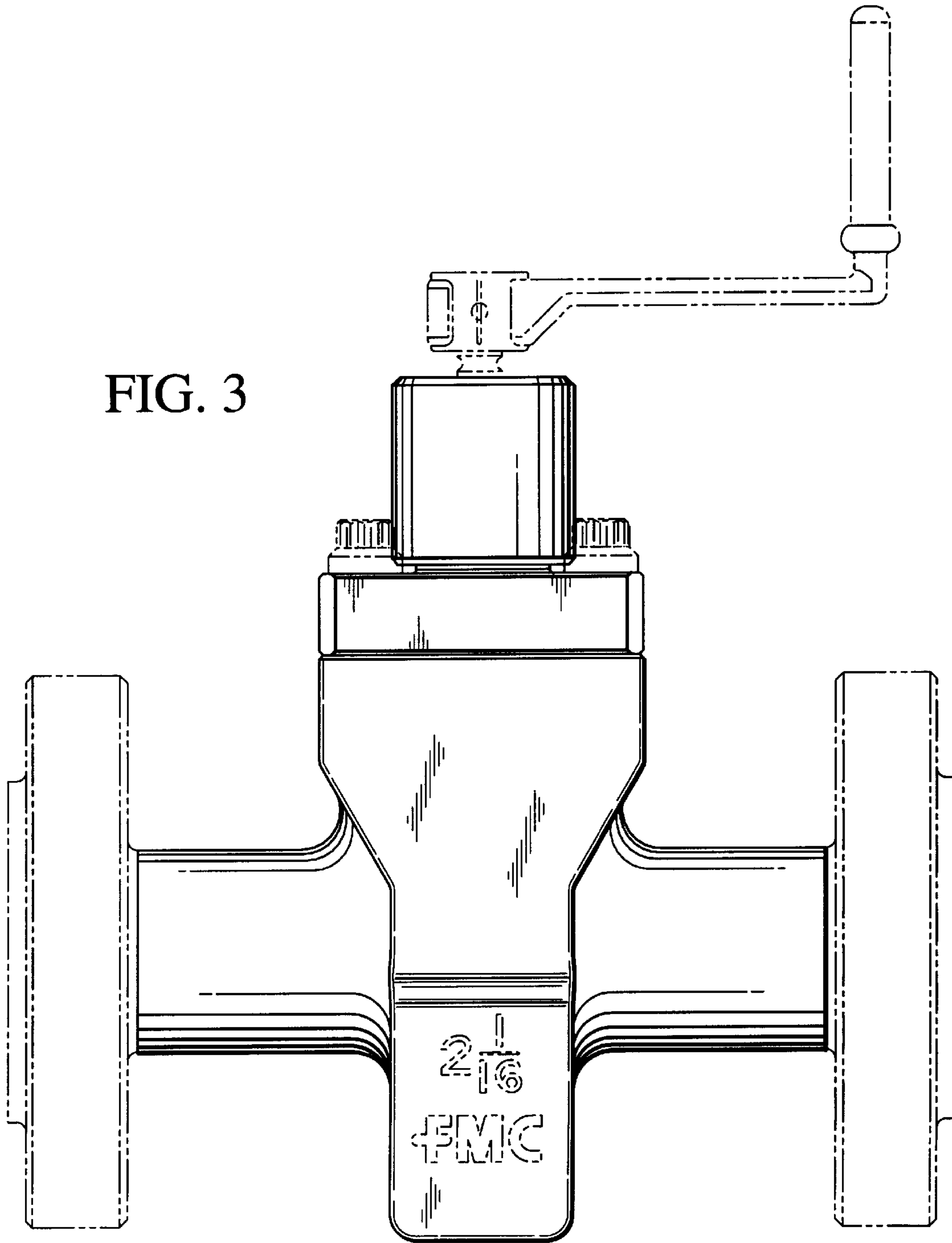
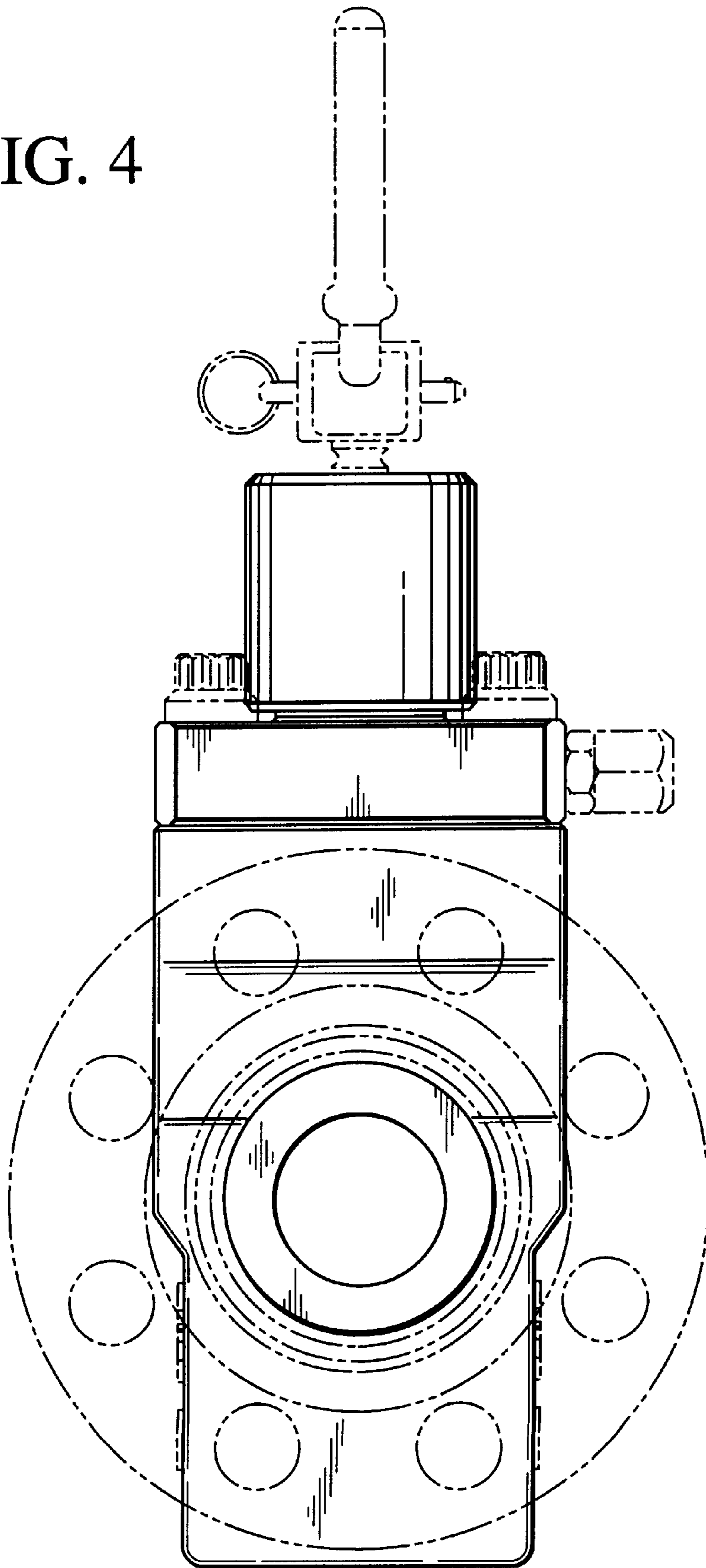


FIG. 4



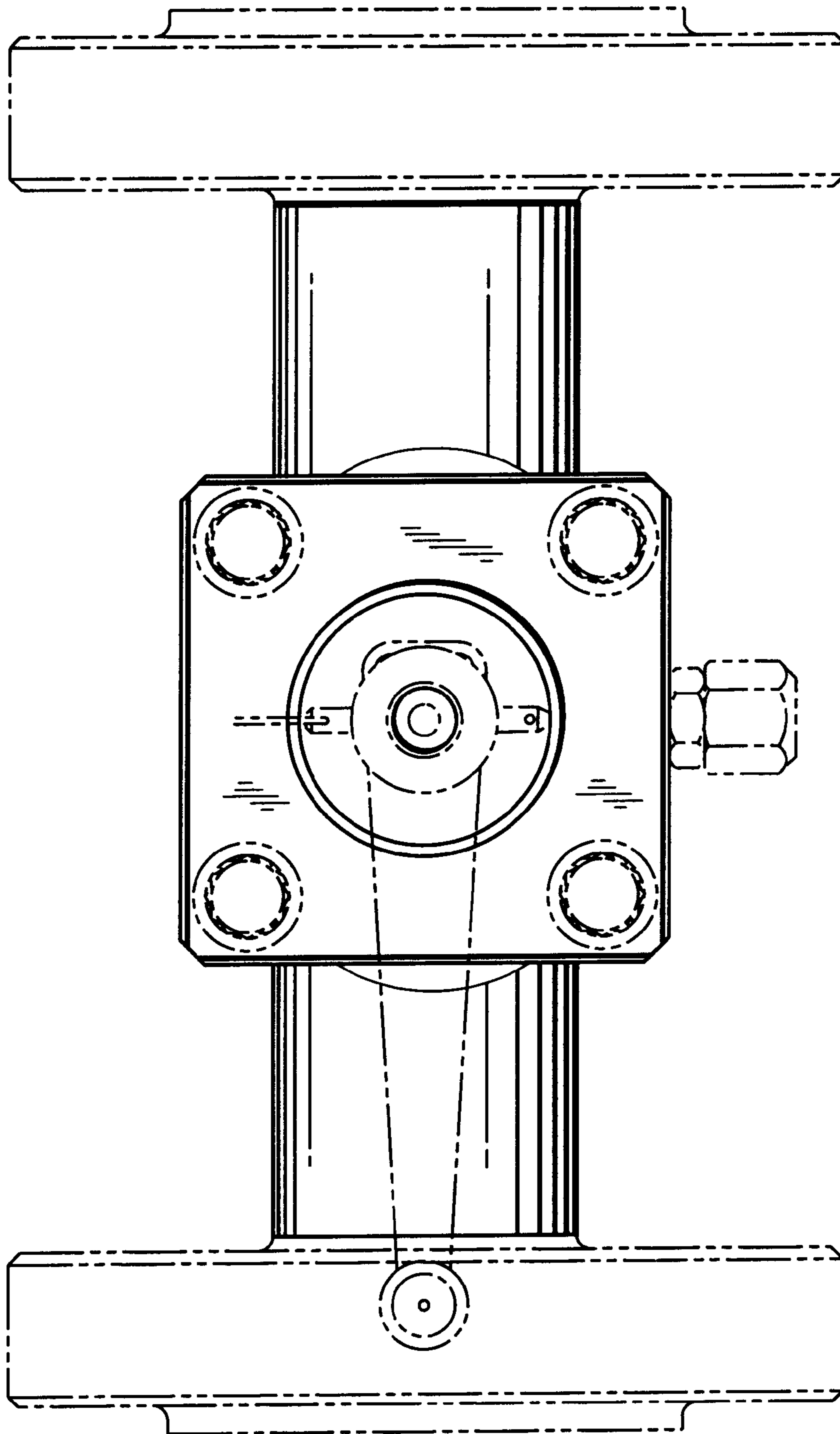


FIG. 5

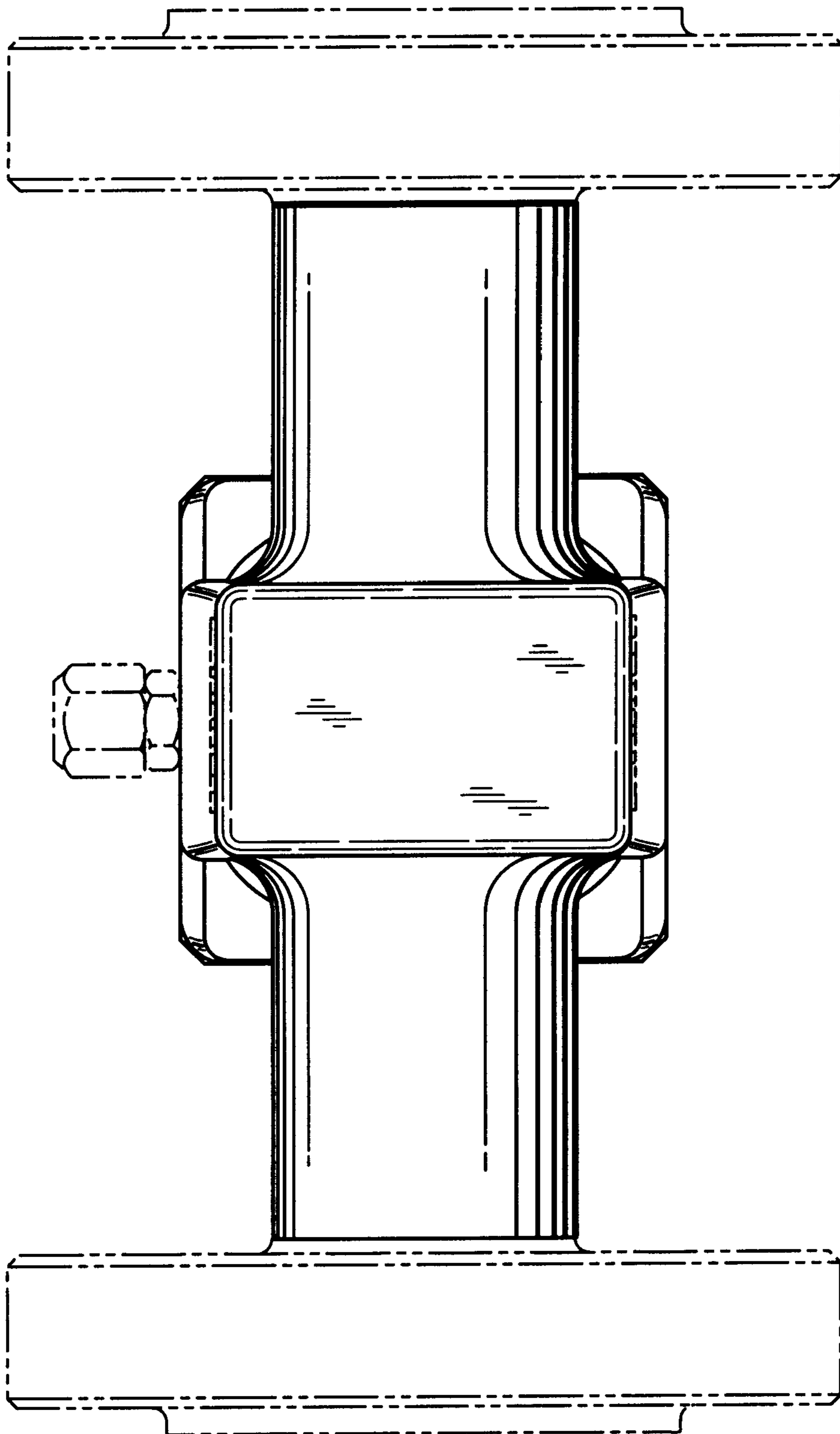


FIG. 6