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(54) **PAINT BRUSH WITH ERGONOMIC HANDLE**

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The ornamental design for a paint brush with ergonomic  
handle, as shown.

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**DESCRIPTION**

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FIG. 1 is a side elevational view of a paint brush with  
ergonomic handle showing our new design.

FIG. 2 is a top plan view thereof; and,

FIG. 3 is a top perspective view thereof.

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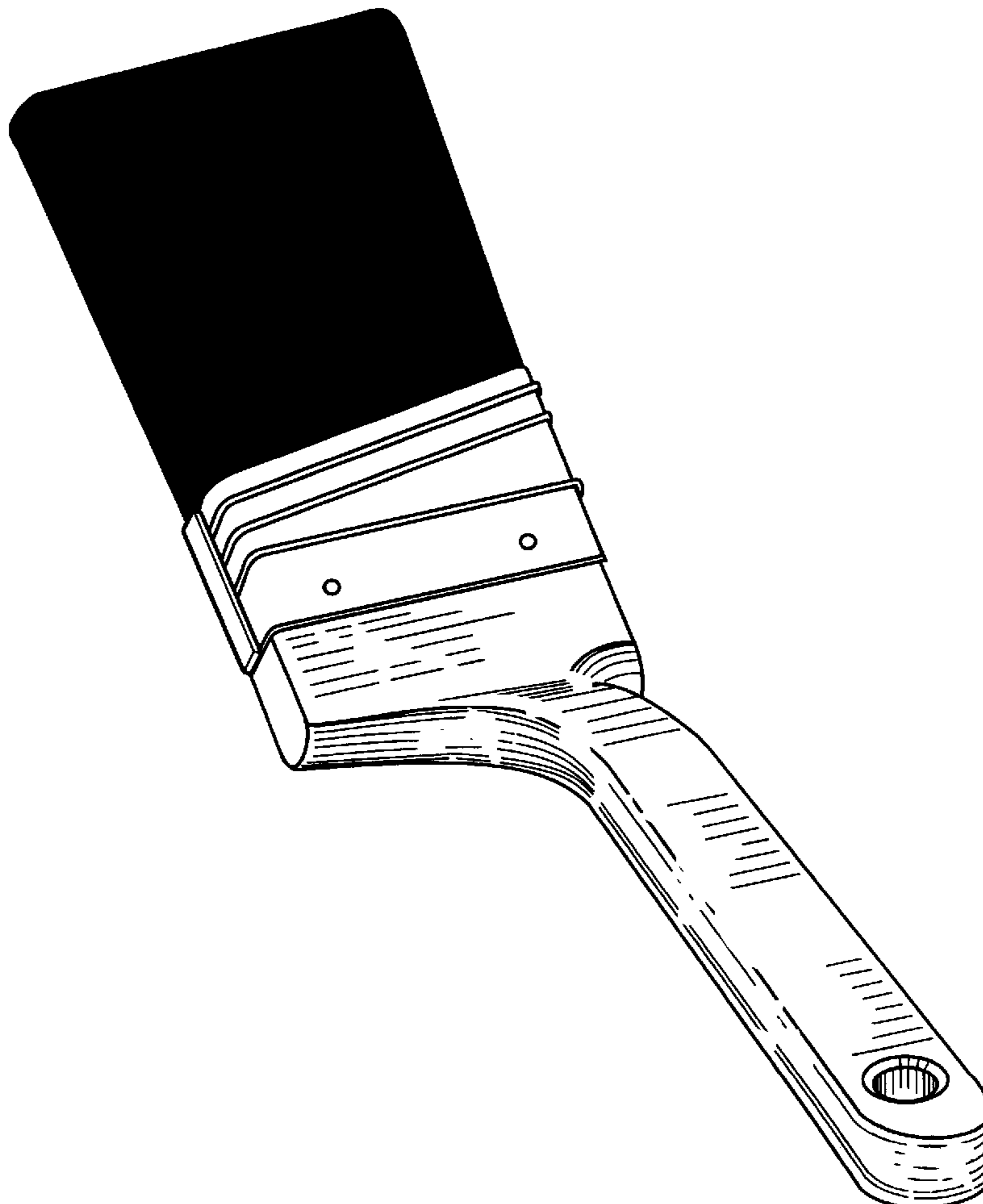




FIG. - 1

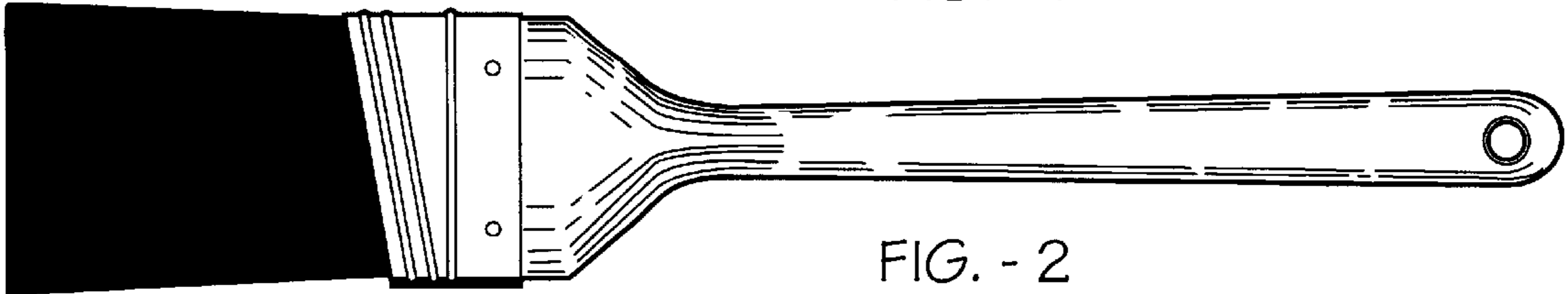


FIG. - 2

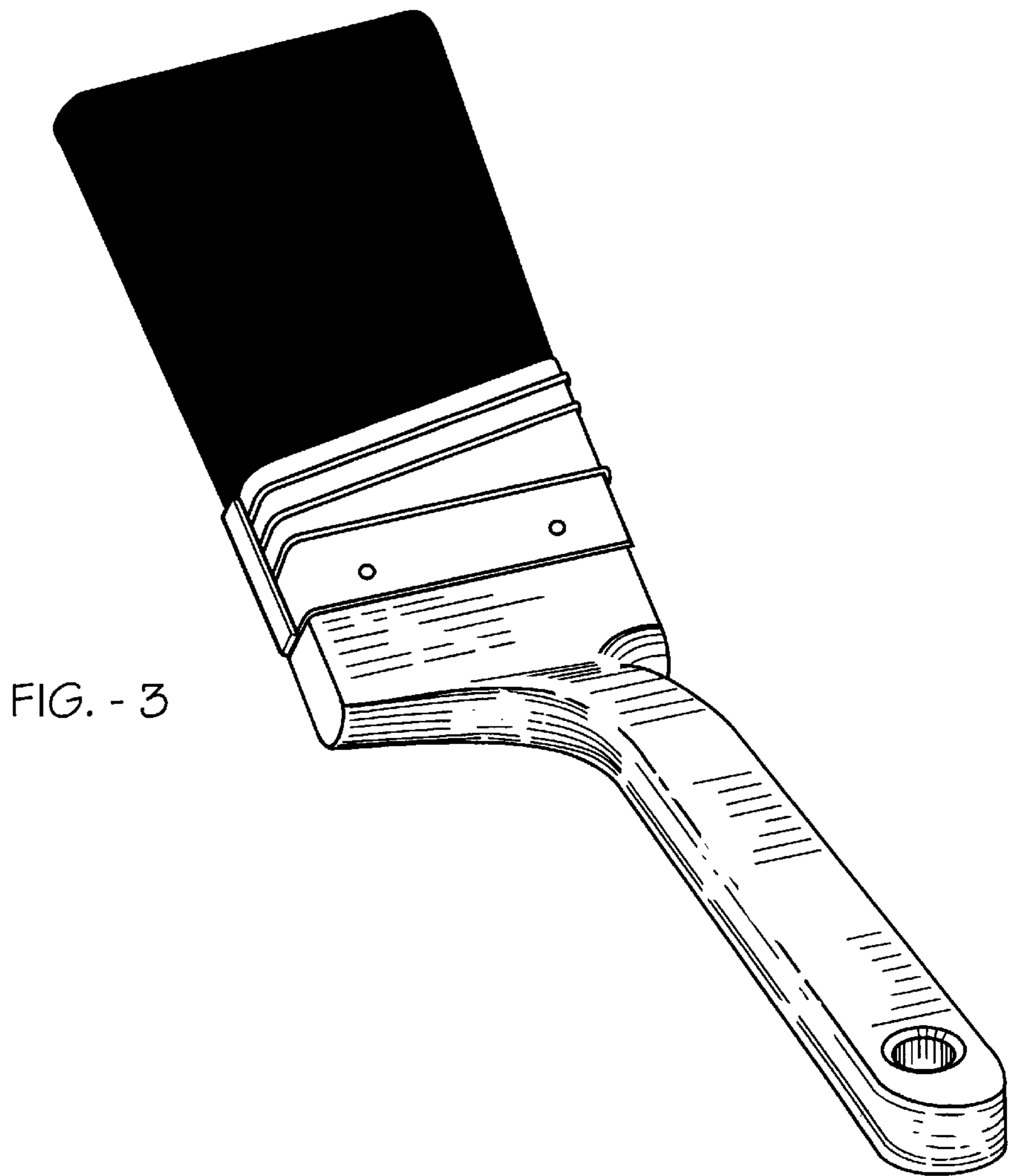


FIG. - 3