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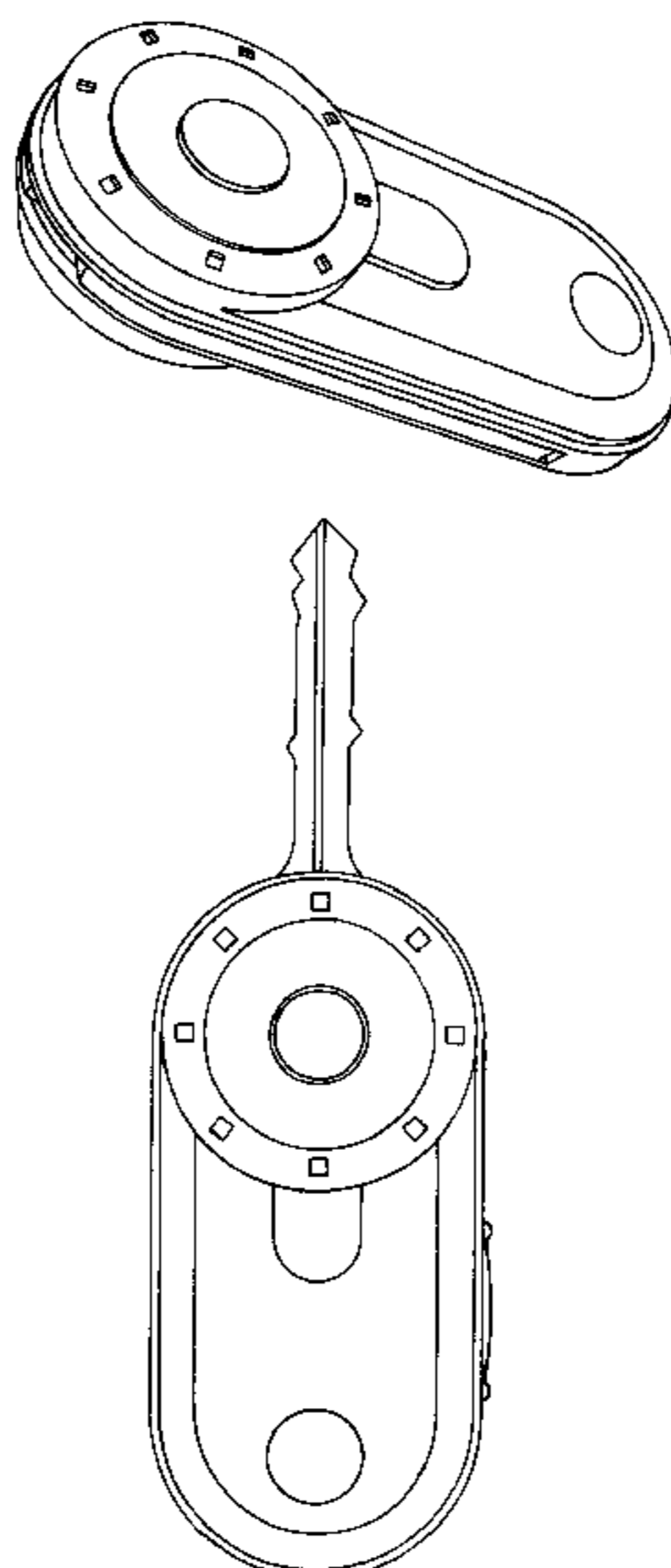
(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for an automotive vehicle key, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of an automotive vehicle key according to our novel design;  
 FIG. 2 is a front view thereof;  
 FIG. 3 is a front view thereof with a key shank extended;  
 FIG. 4 is a bottom view thereof;  
 FIG. 5 is a top view thereof;  
 FIG. 6 is a left side view thereof;  
 FIG. 7 is a back view thereof;  
 FIG. 8 is a right side view thereof; and,  
 FIG. 9 is a cross-sectional view taken along lines 9—9 of FIG. 7.

**1 Claim, 2 Drawing Sheets**



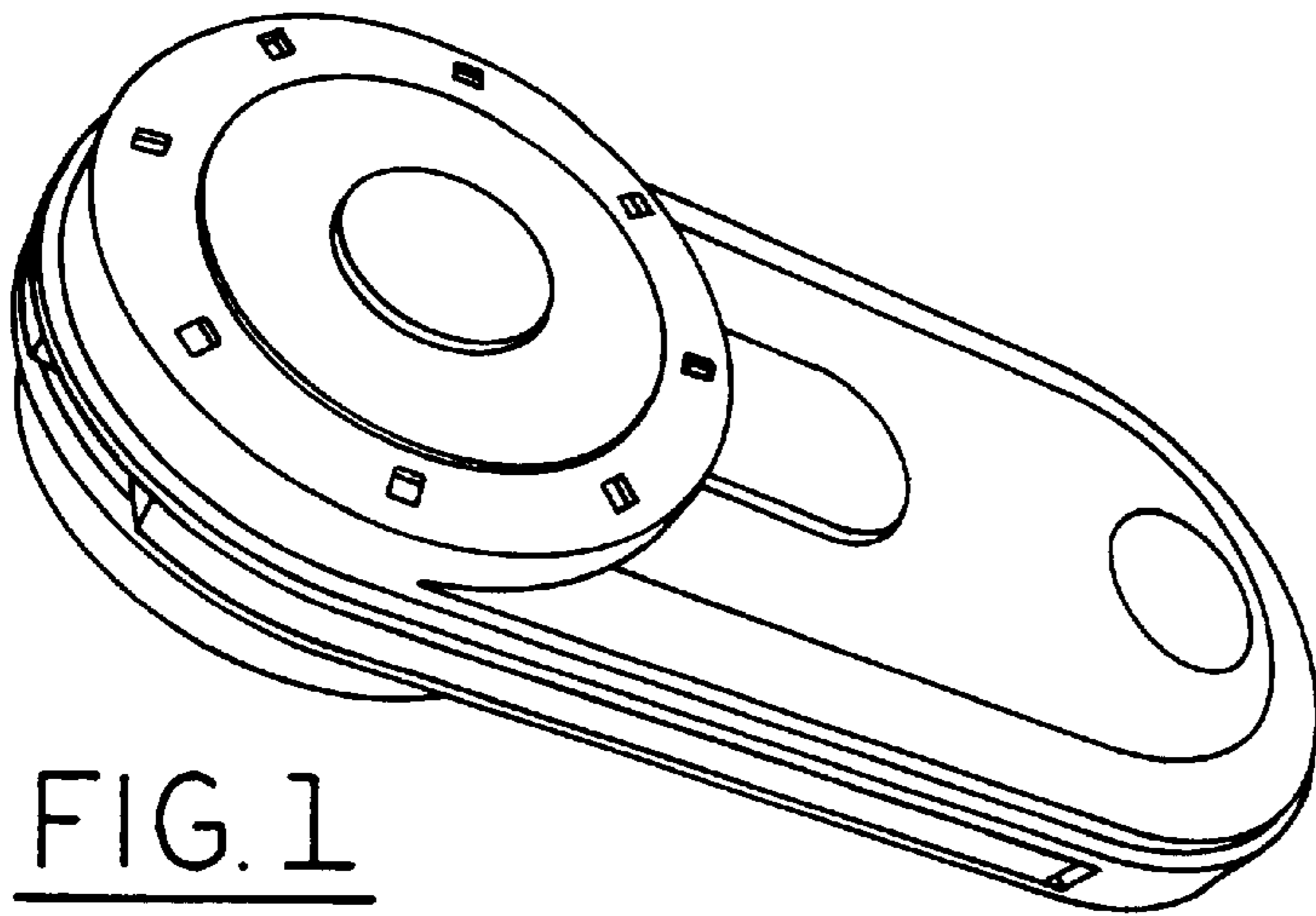


FIG. 1

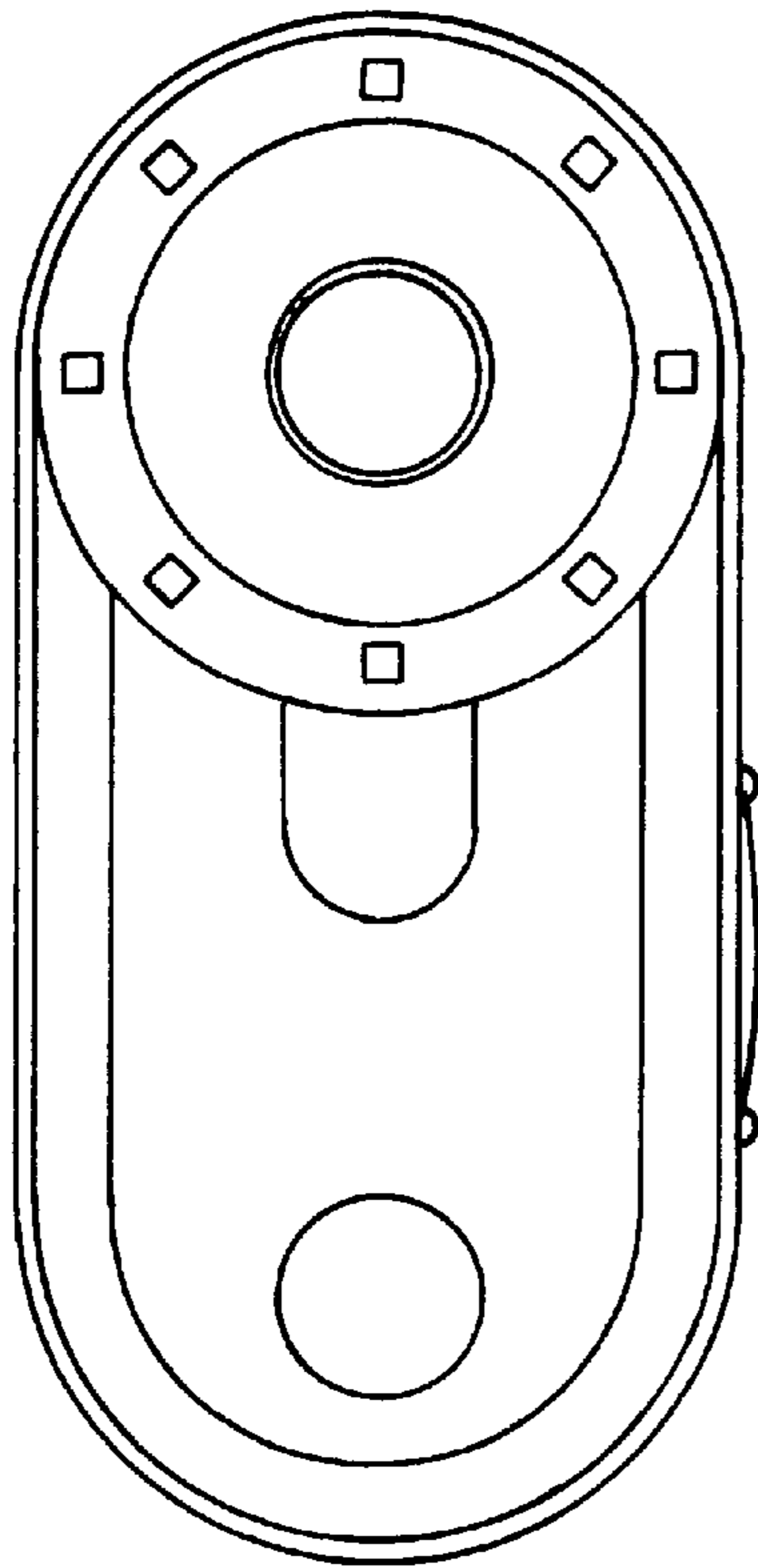


FIG. 2

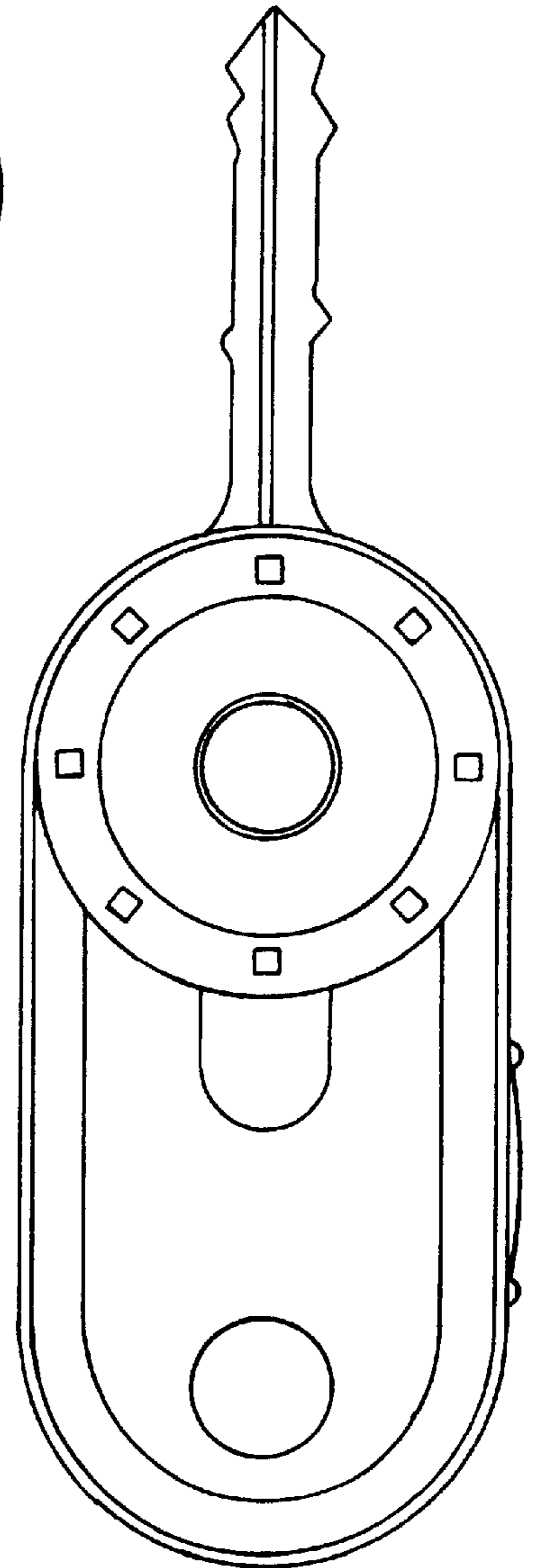


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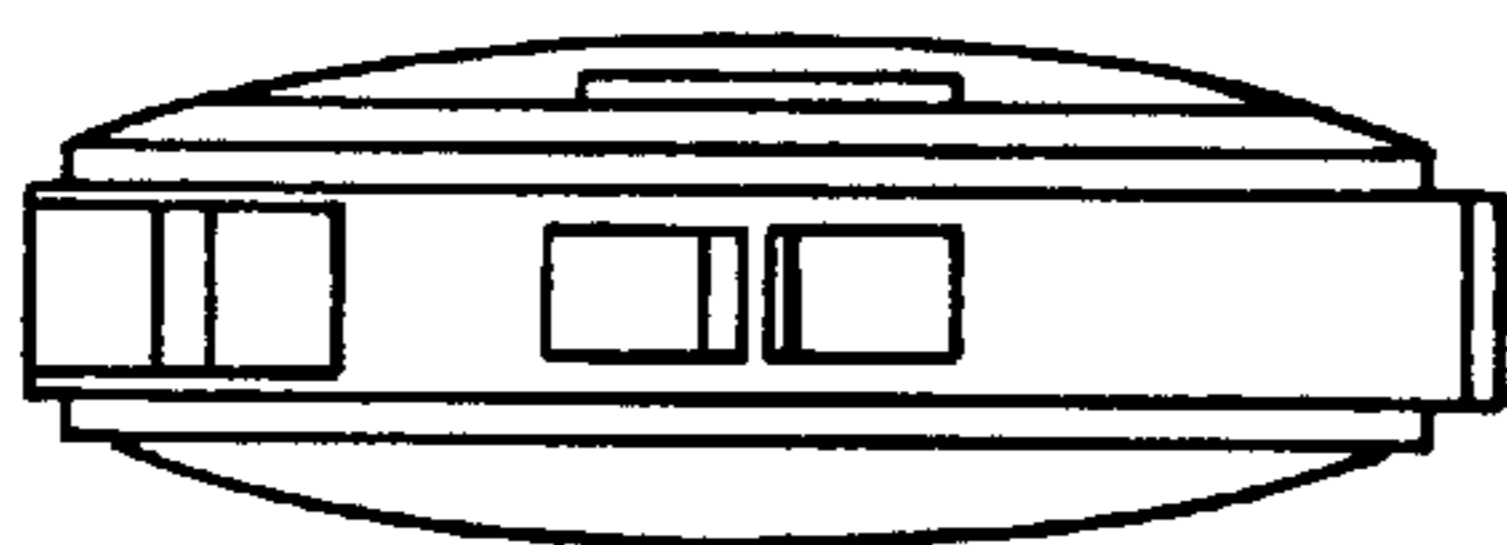


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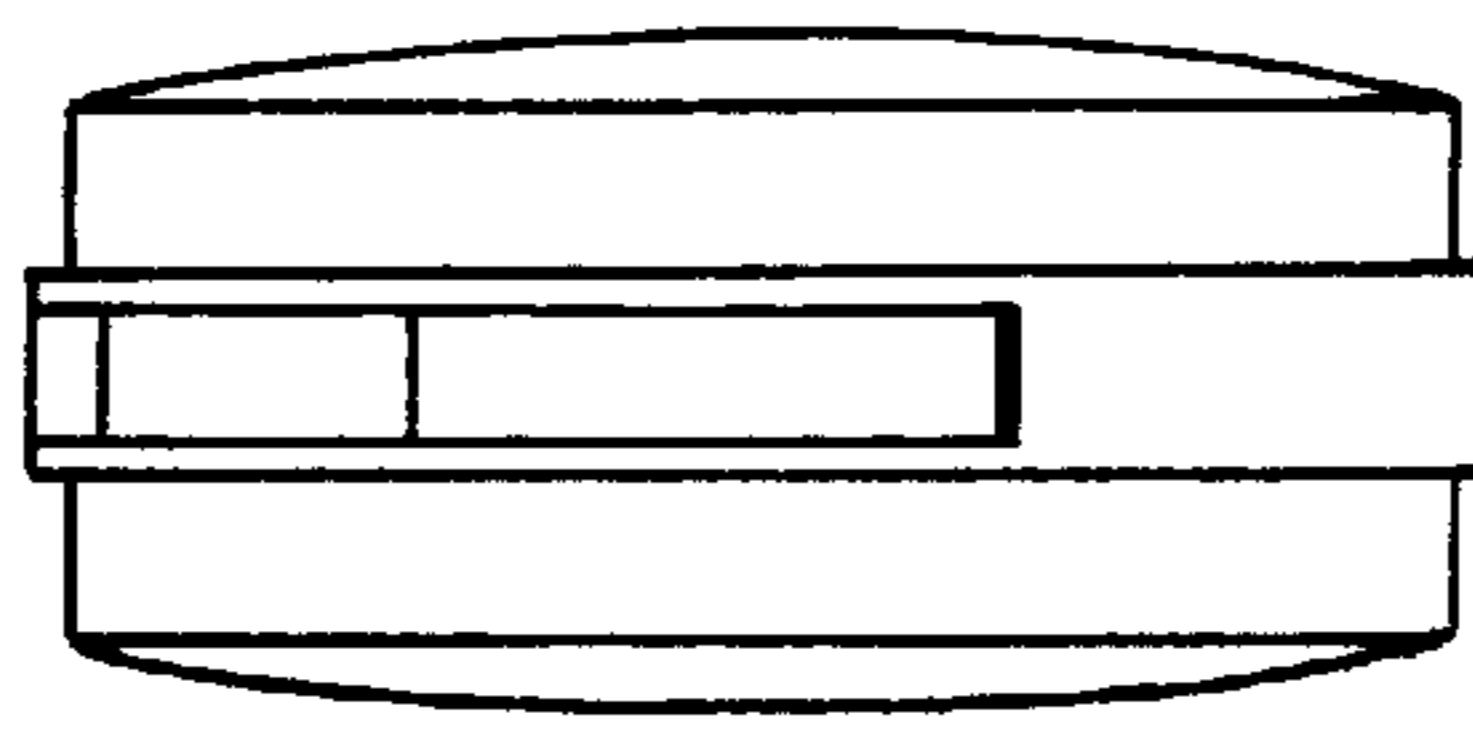


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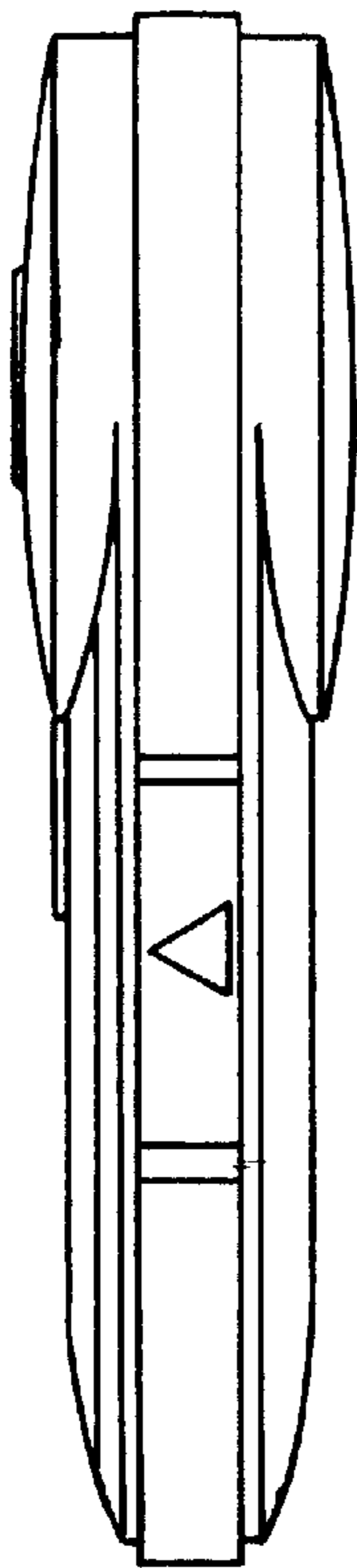


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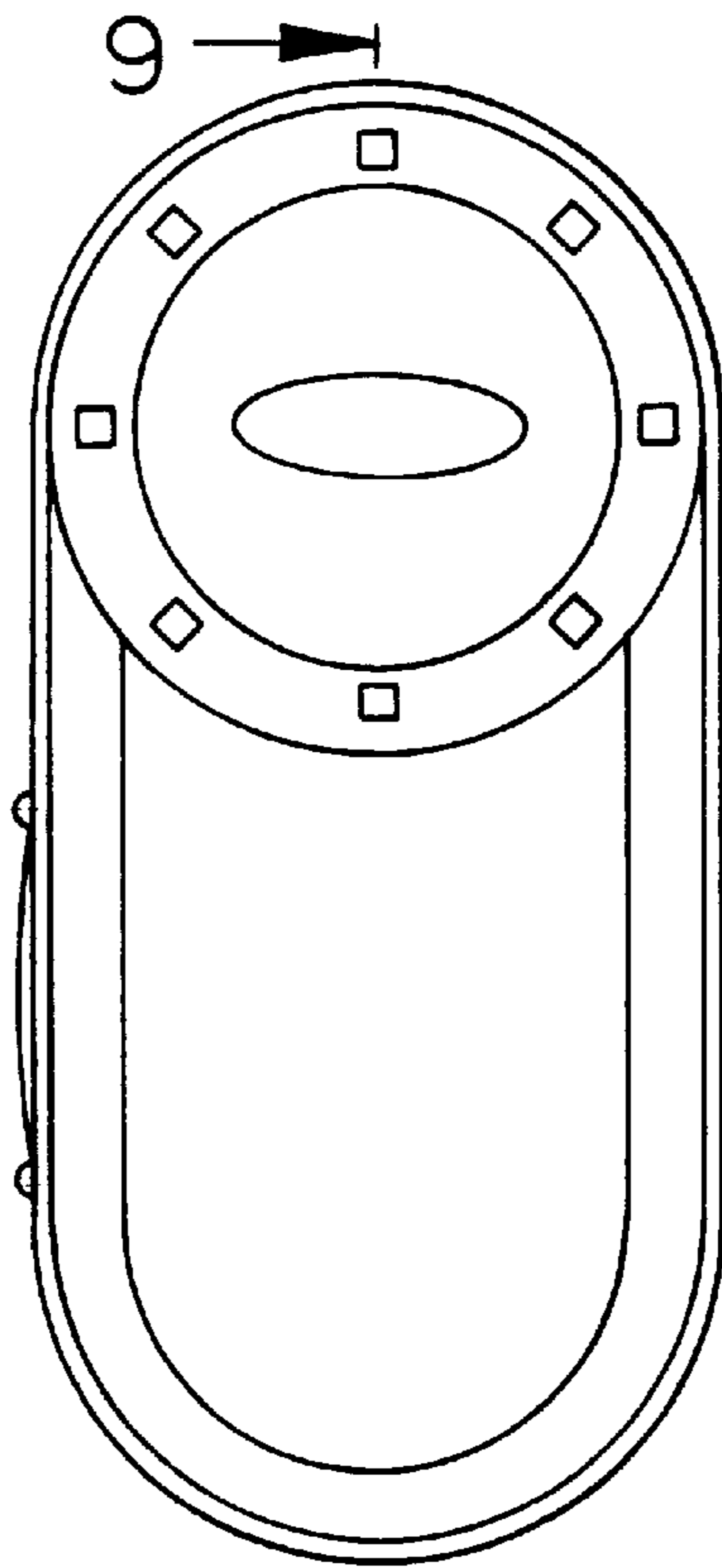


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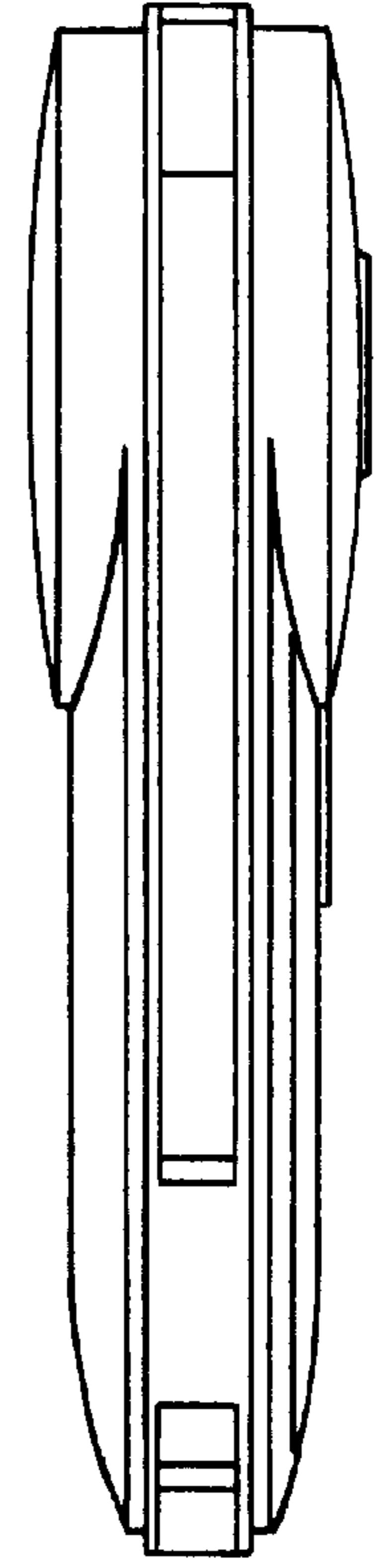


FIG. 8

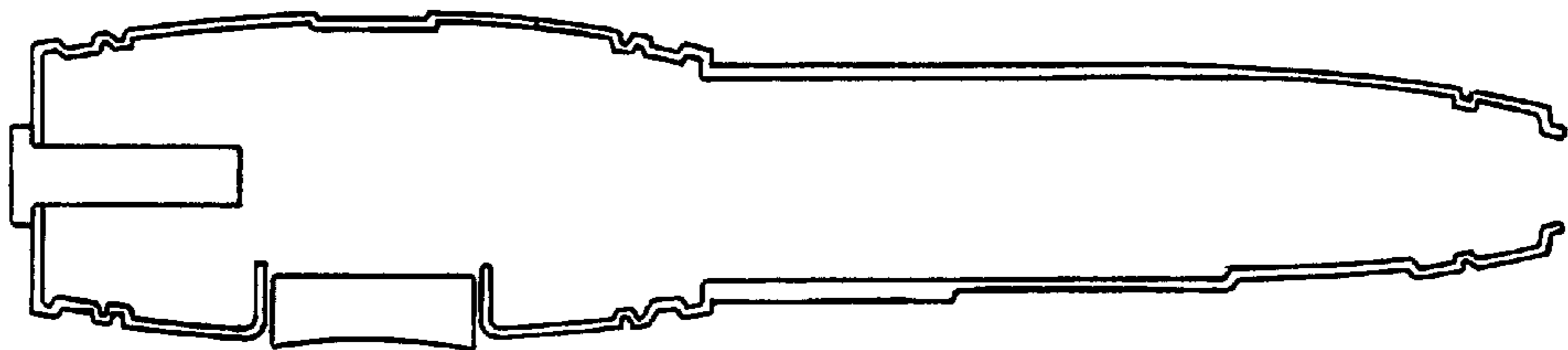


FIG. 9