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(54) **CONTROLLER FOR VIDEO GAMES**

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The ornamental design for the controller for video games, as shown and described.

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**DESCRIPTION**

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FIG. 1 is a top plan view of a controller for video games. FIG. 2 is a front elevation view thereof; the rear elevation view is identical with the front elevation view.

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FIG. 3 is a bottom plan view thereof.

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FIG. 4 is a left side elevational view thereof.

FIG. 5 is a right side elevation view thereof.

FIG. 6 is a cross sectional view taken along line 6-6 of FIG. 1 showing the horizontal cross section of the top plan view. FIG. 7 is a referential view showing the controller attached to the analogue keys.

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FIG. 8 is a referential view showing the controller sliding in the direction the arrow indicates; and,

FIG. 9 is a referential view showing the hinges being twisted.

The broken lines are for illustrative purpose only and forms no part of the claimed design.

**1 Claim, 2 Drawing Sheets**

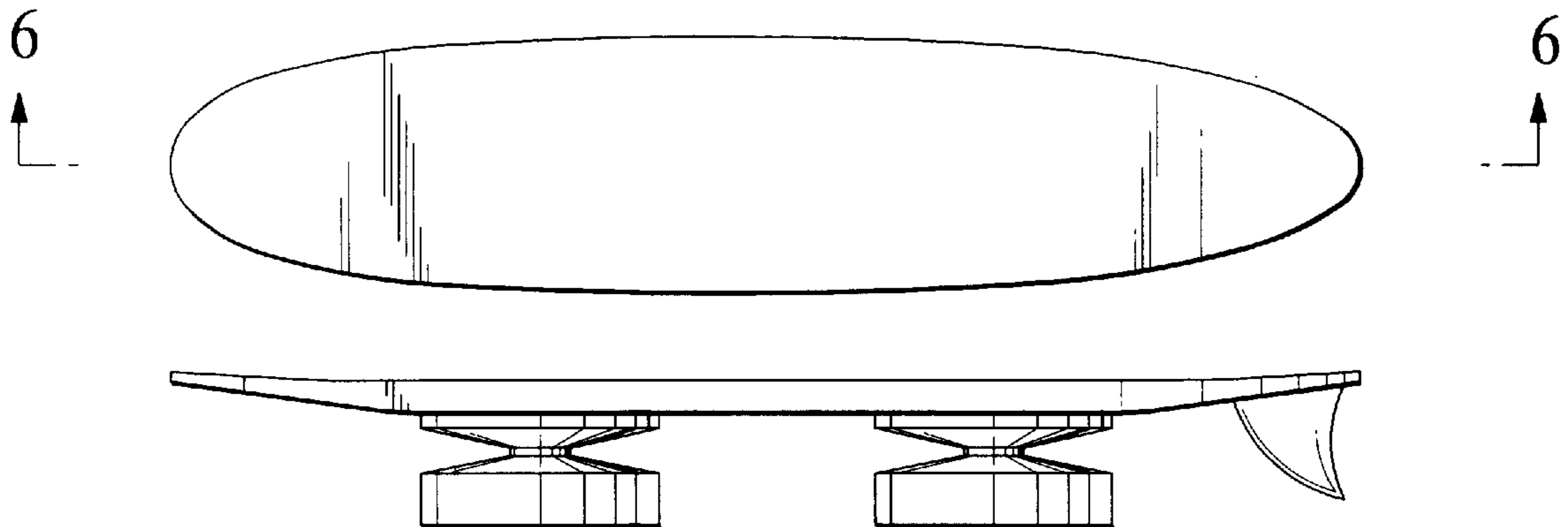


FIG. 1

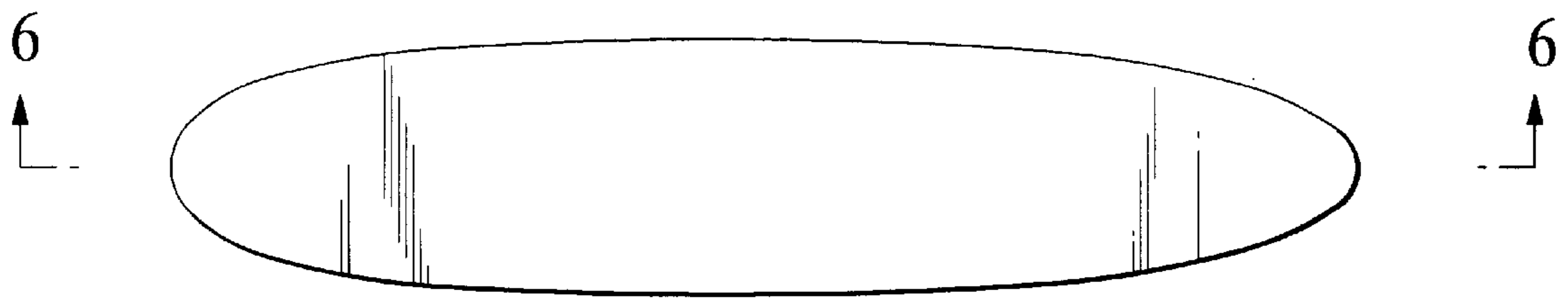


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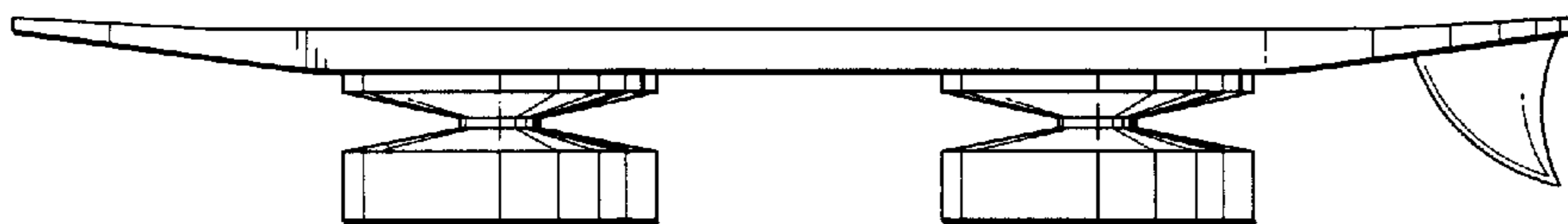


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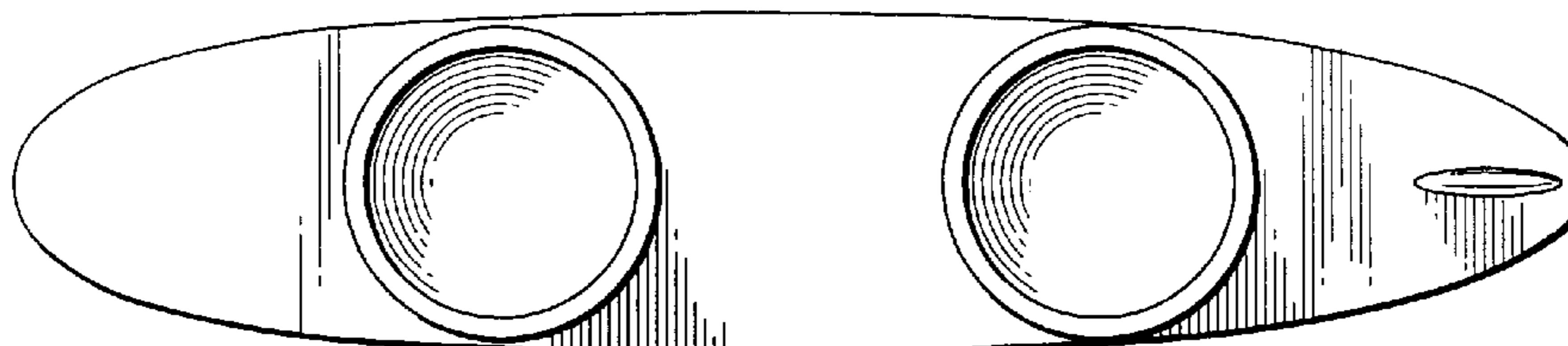


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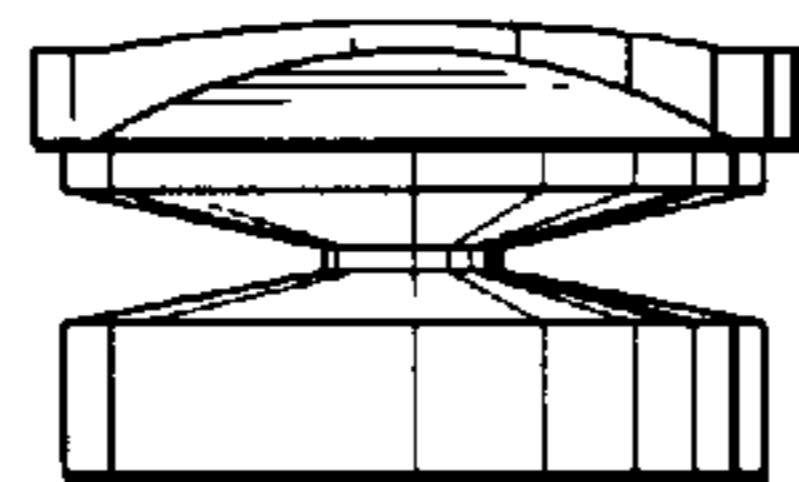


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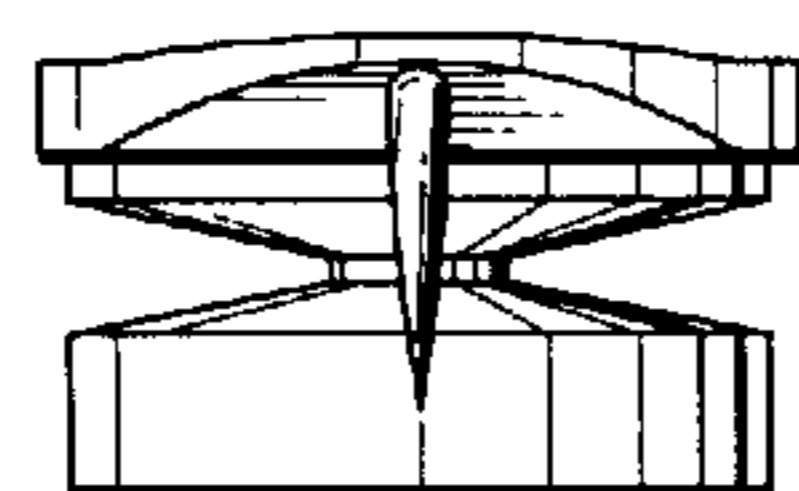


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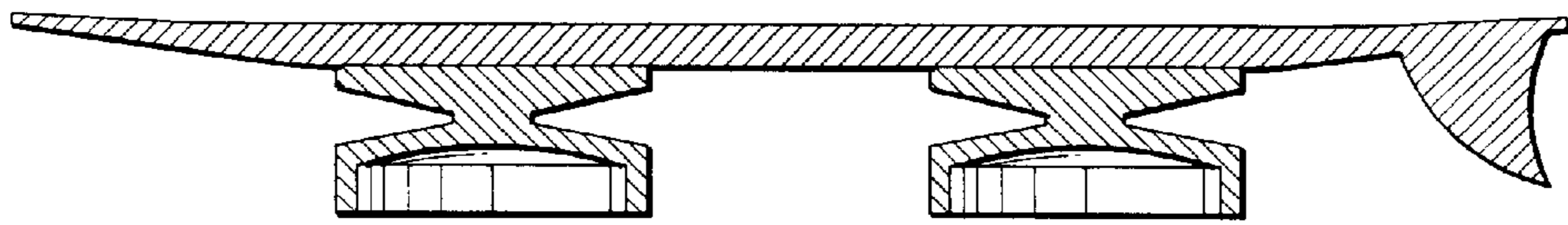


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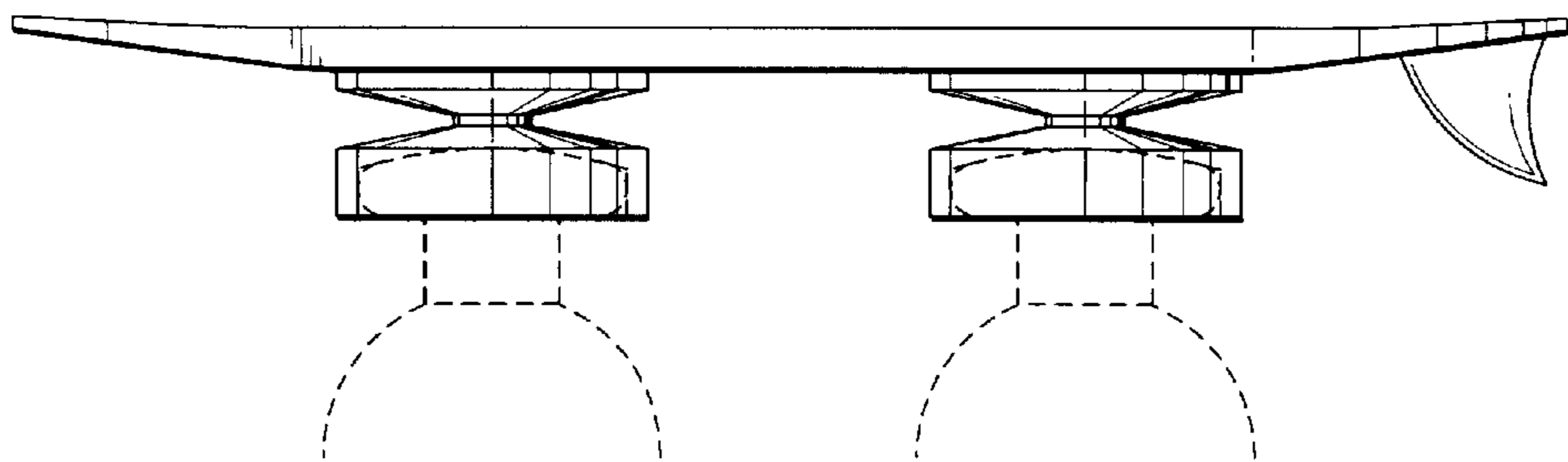


FIG. 8

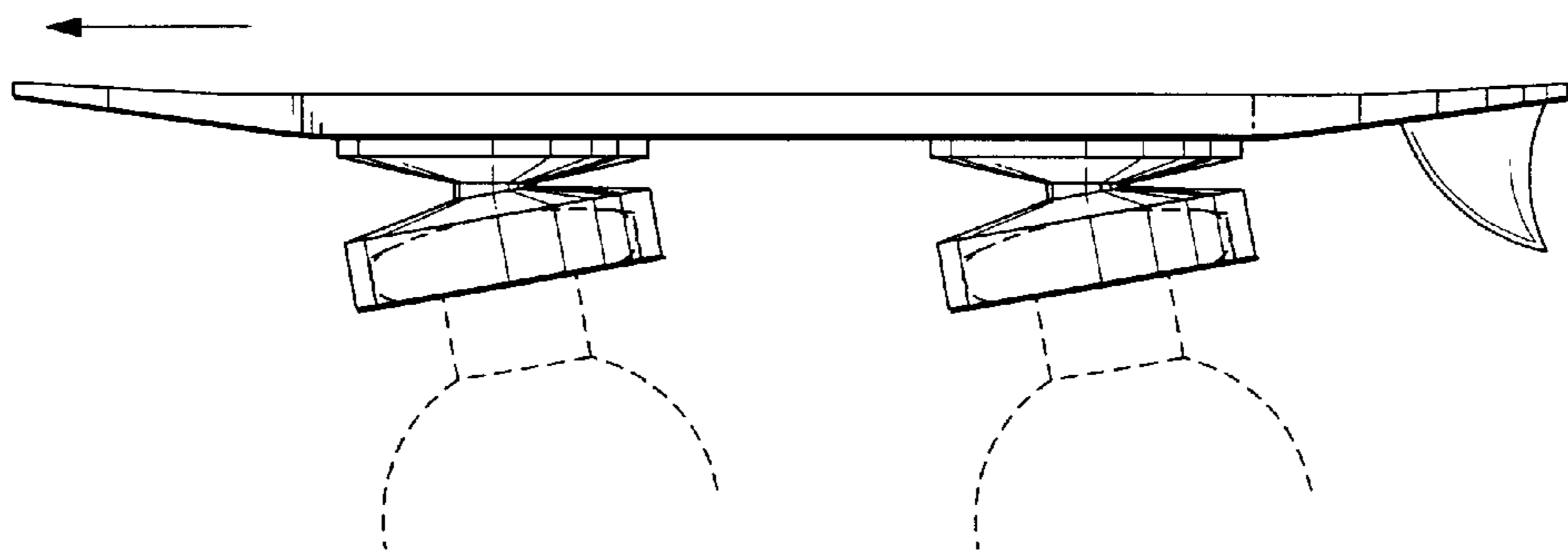


FIG. 9

