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- (54) **PORTION OF A SHOE SOLE**
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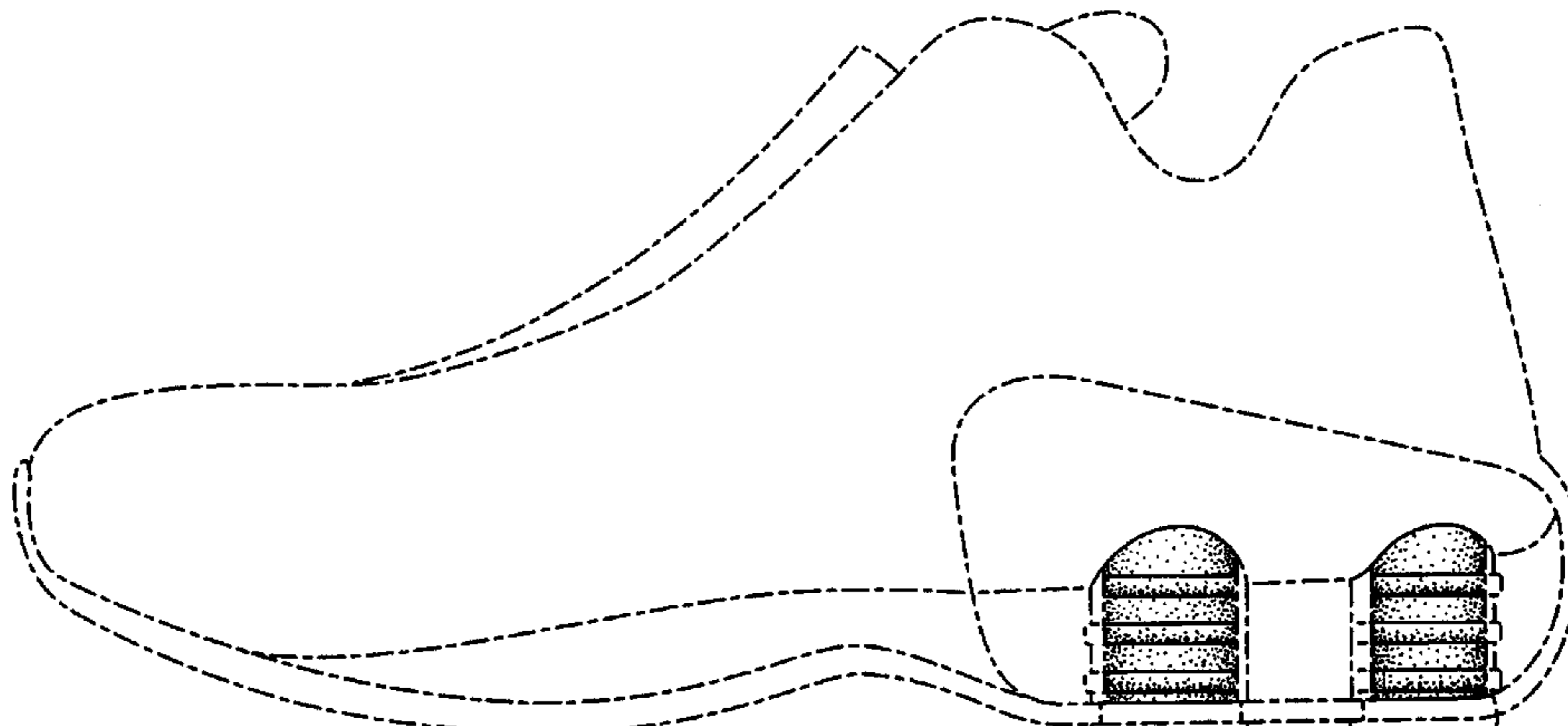
(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a portion of a shoe sole, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a portion of a shoe sole showing my new design;  
FIG. 2 is a left side elevational view thereof;  
FIG. 3 is a top plan view thereof;  
FIG. 4 is a front view thereof; and,  
FIG. 5 is a rear view thereof.  
The uneven broken line showing of the remainder of the shoe is for illustrative purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design.

**1 Claim, 4 Drawing Sheets**



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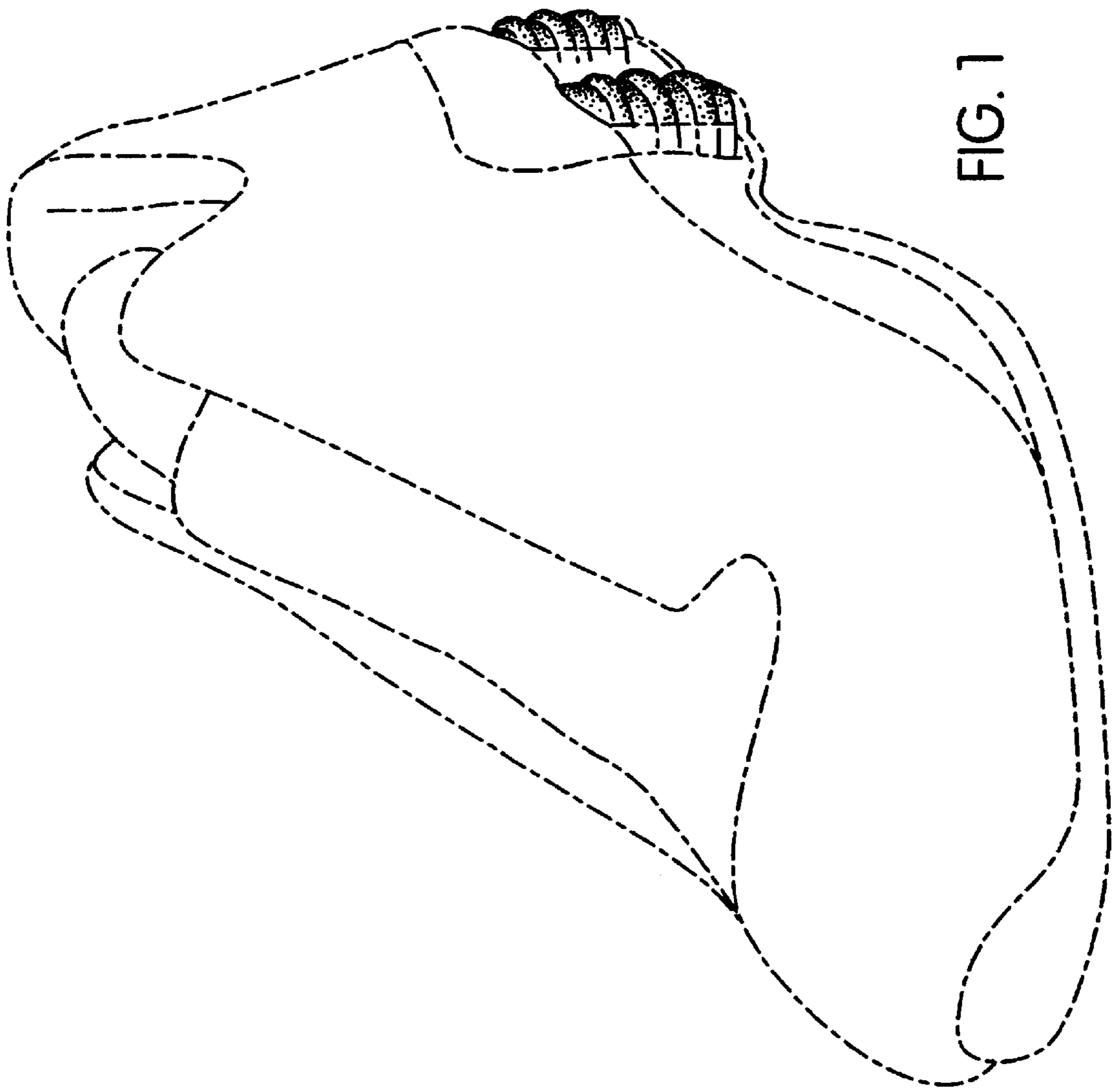


FIG. 1

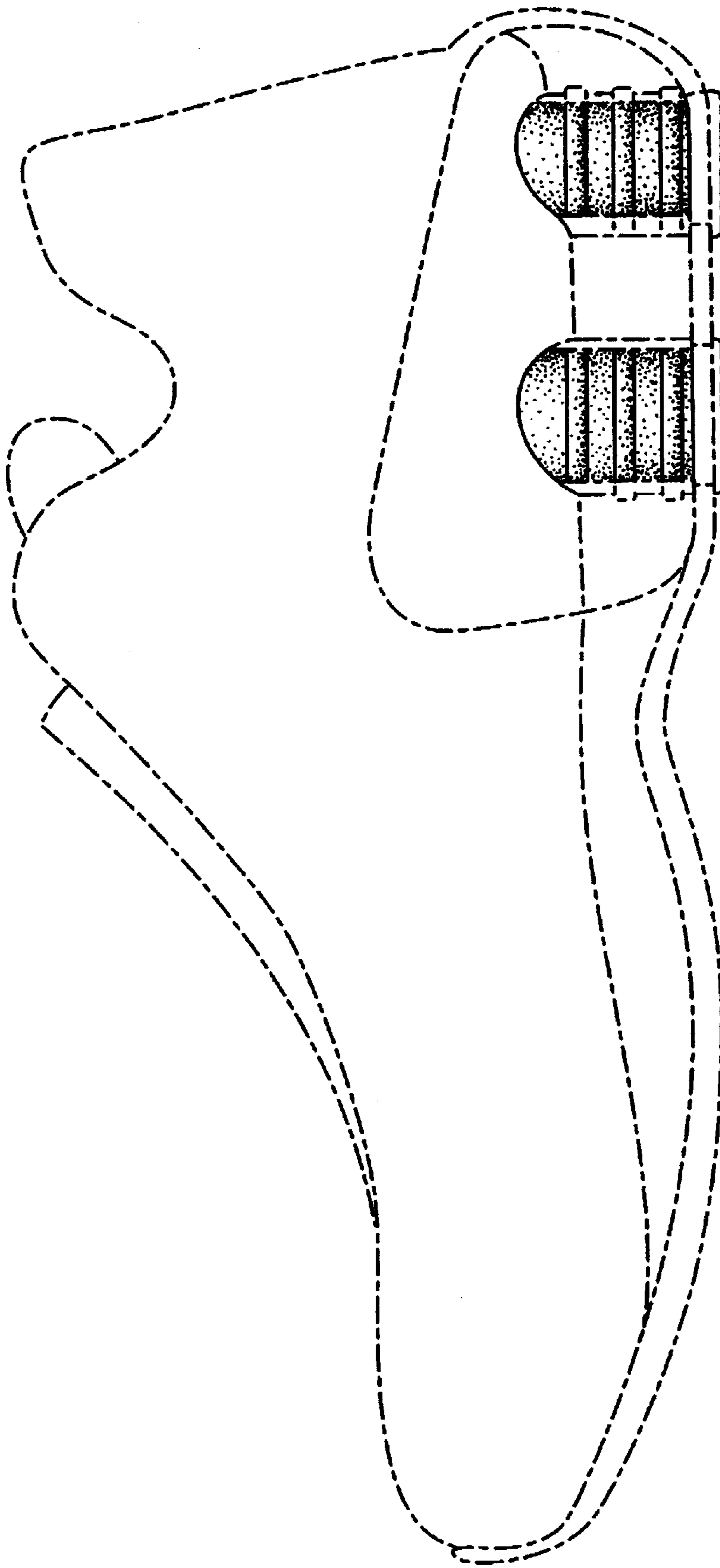


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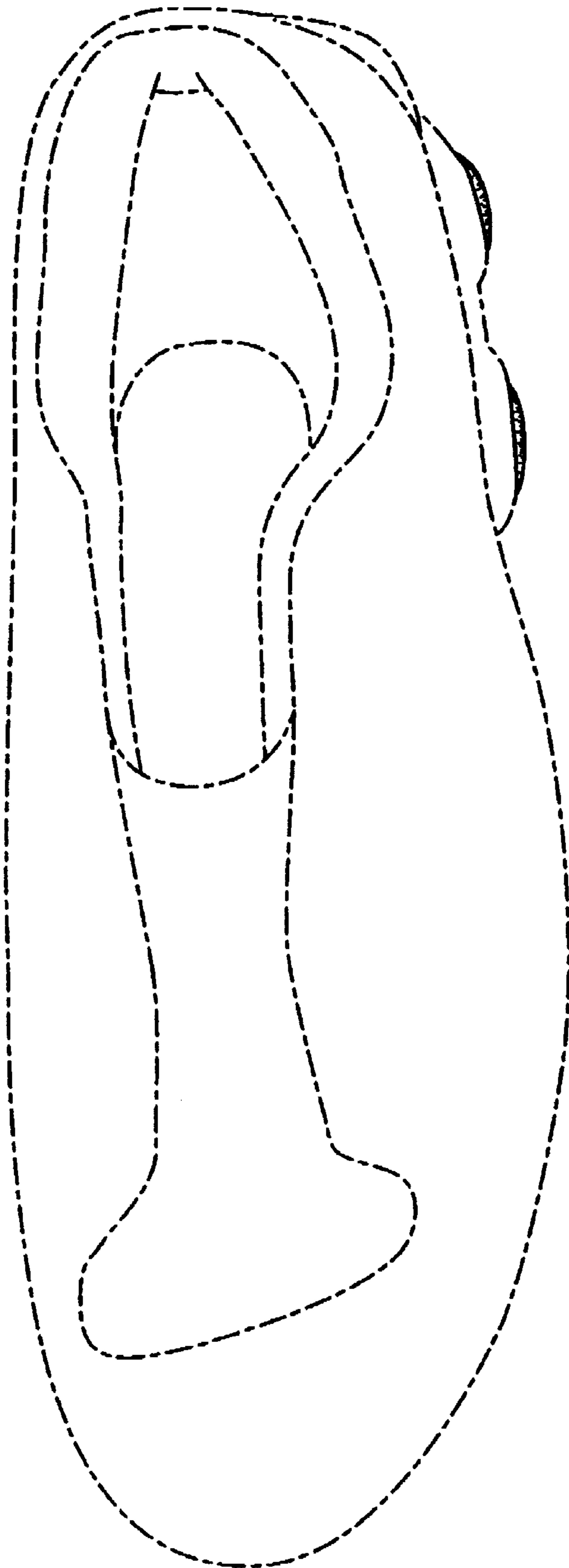


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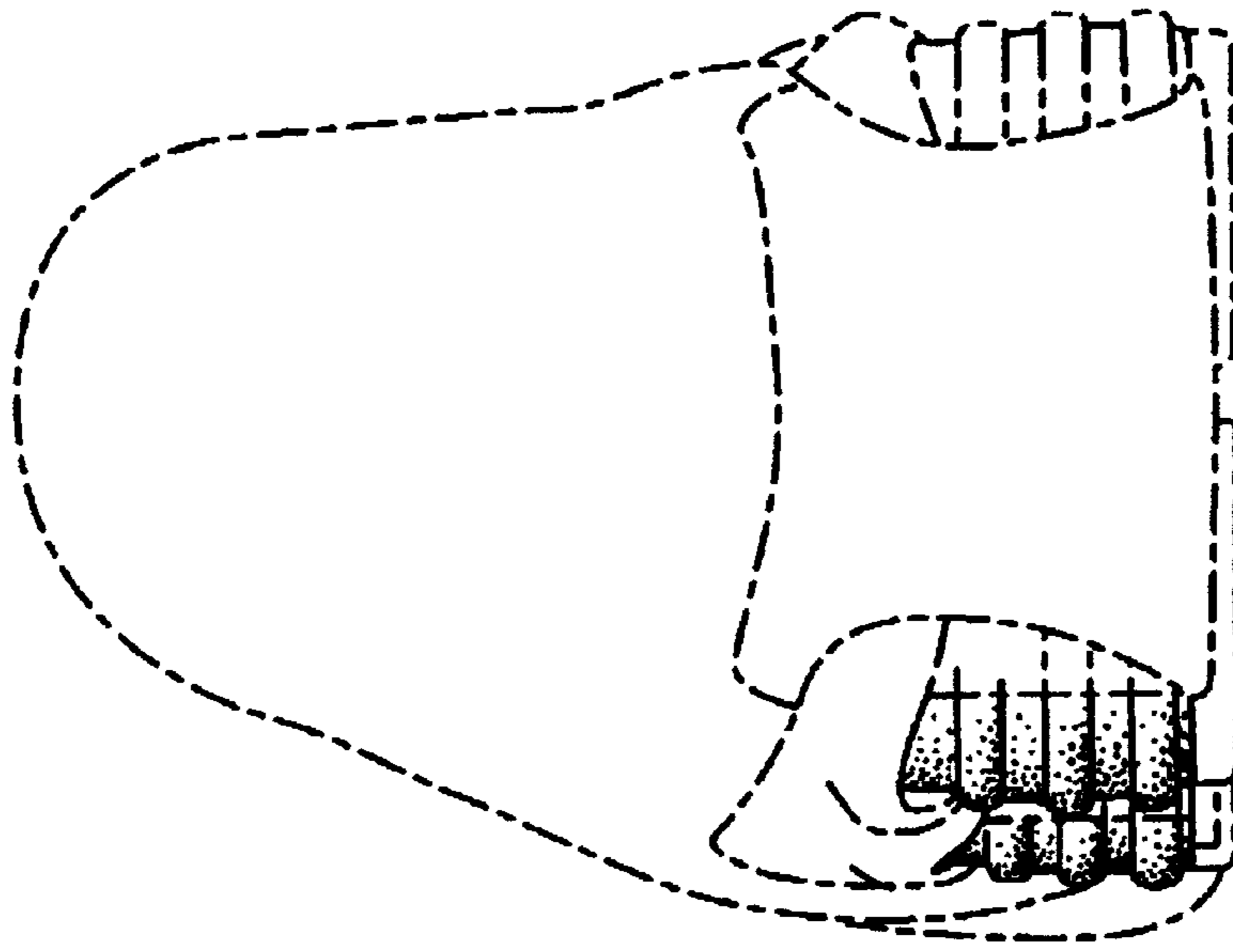


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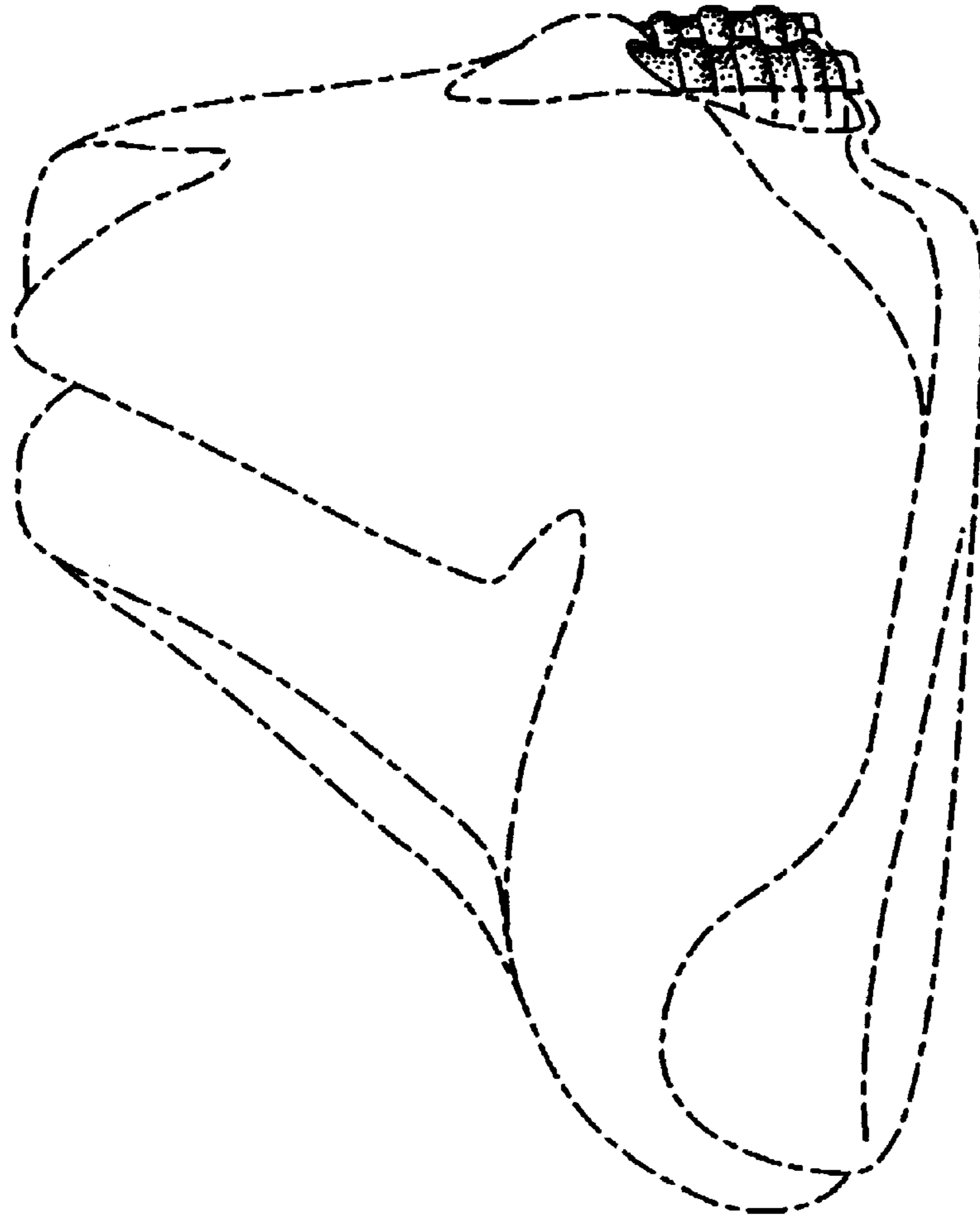


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