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(54) **BATHROOM ARTICLE SUPPORT POST FOR TOWEL BARS AND THE LIKE**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a bathroom article support post for towel bars and the like, as shown and described.

(**) **Term:** **14 Years**

DESCRIPTION

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FIG. 1 is a top, front, and right side perspective view of a bathroom article support post for towel bars and the like showing my new design;

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FIG. 2 is a front elevational view thereof;

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FIG. 3 is a rear elevational view thereof;

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FIG. 4 is a left side elevational view thereof;

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16/110.1, 412, 415; 242/570, 590, 595–598;
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FIG. 5 is a right side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 6 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 7 is a bottom plan view thereof;

FIG. 8 is a top, front, and right side perspective view thereof, with the broken-line disclosure of a towel bar being for illustrative purposes only and forming no part of the claimed design;

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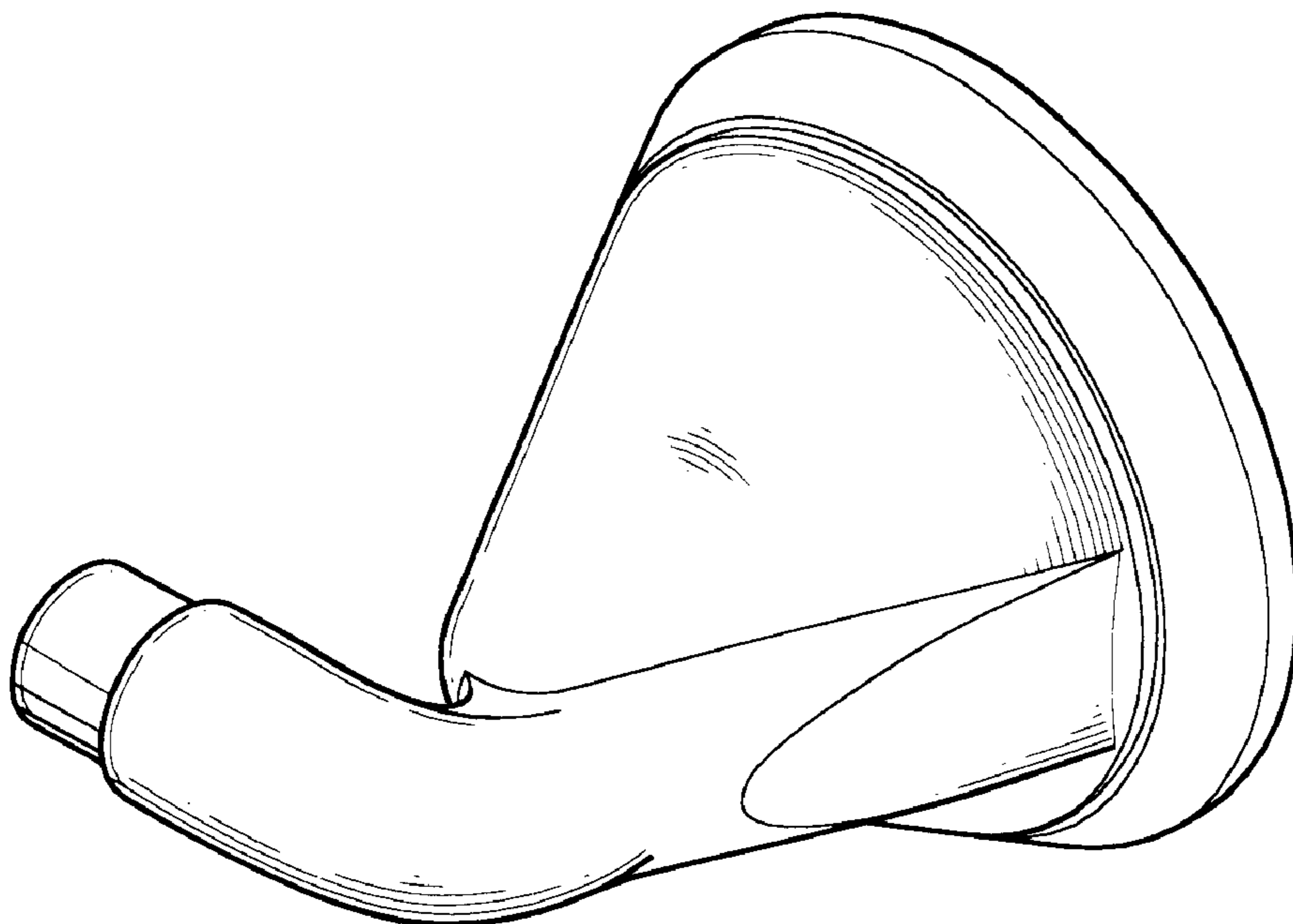
FIG. 9 is a top, front, and right side perspective view thereof, with the broken-line disclosure of a towel bar and display plate being for illustrative purposes only and forming no part of the claimed design;

FIG. 10 is a reduced top, front, and right side perspective view of a second embodiment thereof, with the broken-line disclosure of a towel bar being for illustrative purposes only and forming no part of the claimed design; and,

FIG. 11 is a reduced top, front, and right side perspective view of a third embodiment thereof, with the broken-line disclosure of a display plate being for illustrative purposes only and forming no part of the claimed design.

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1 Claim, 8 Drawing Sheets



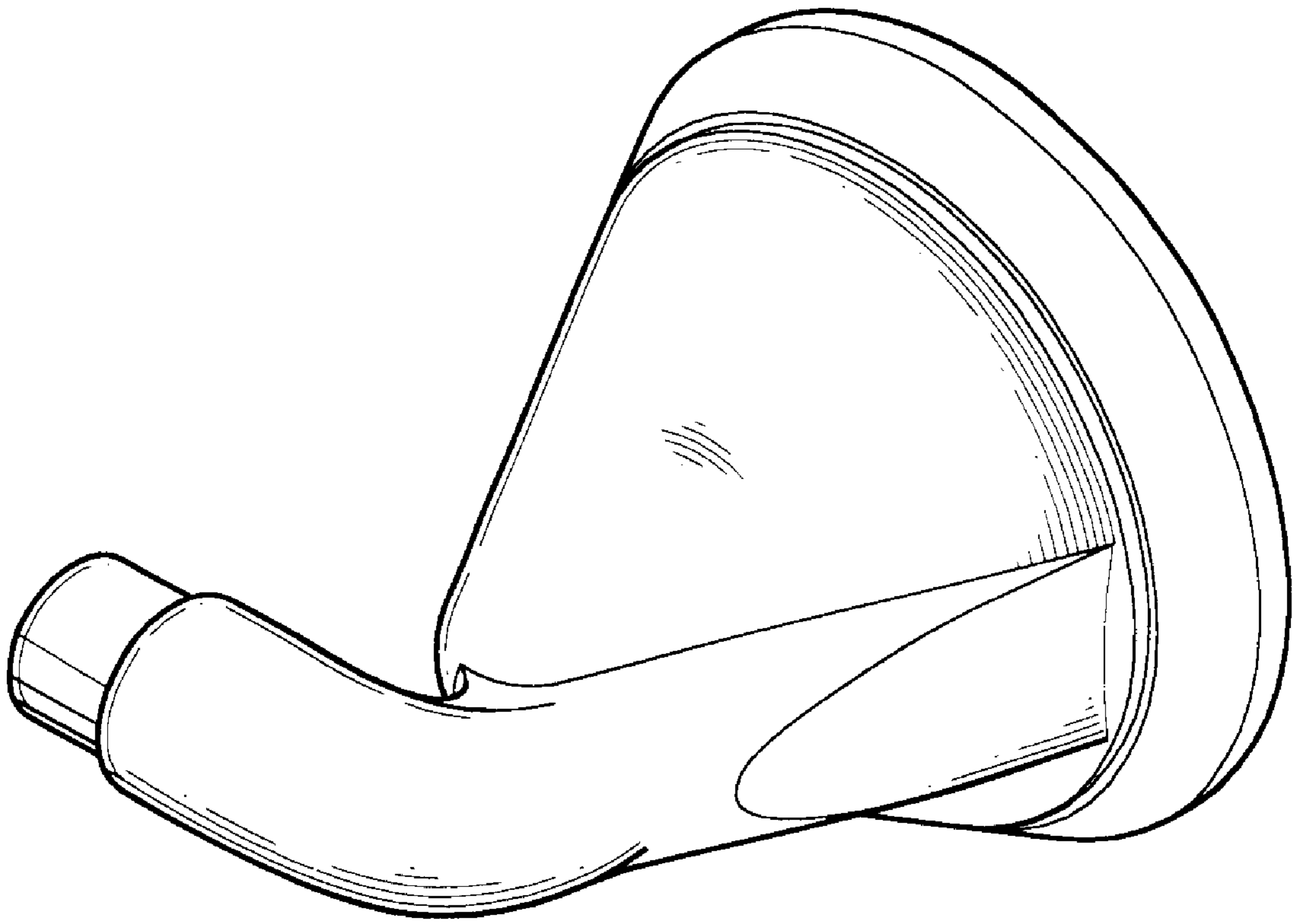


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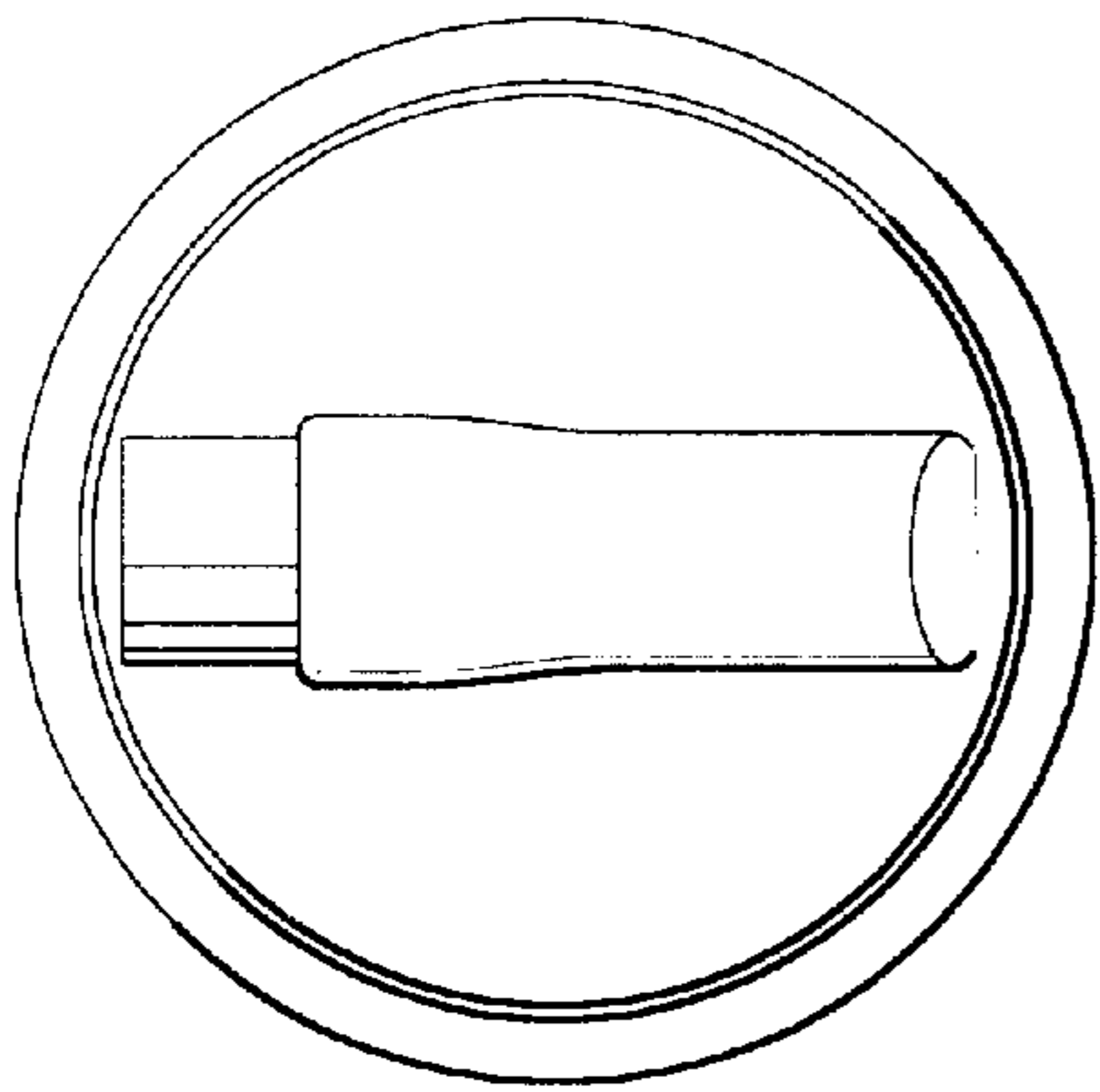


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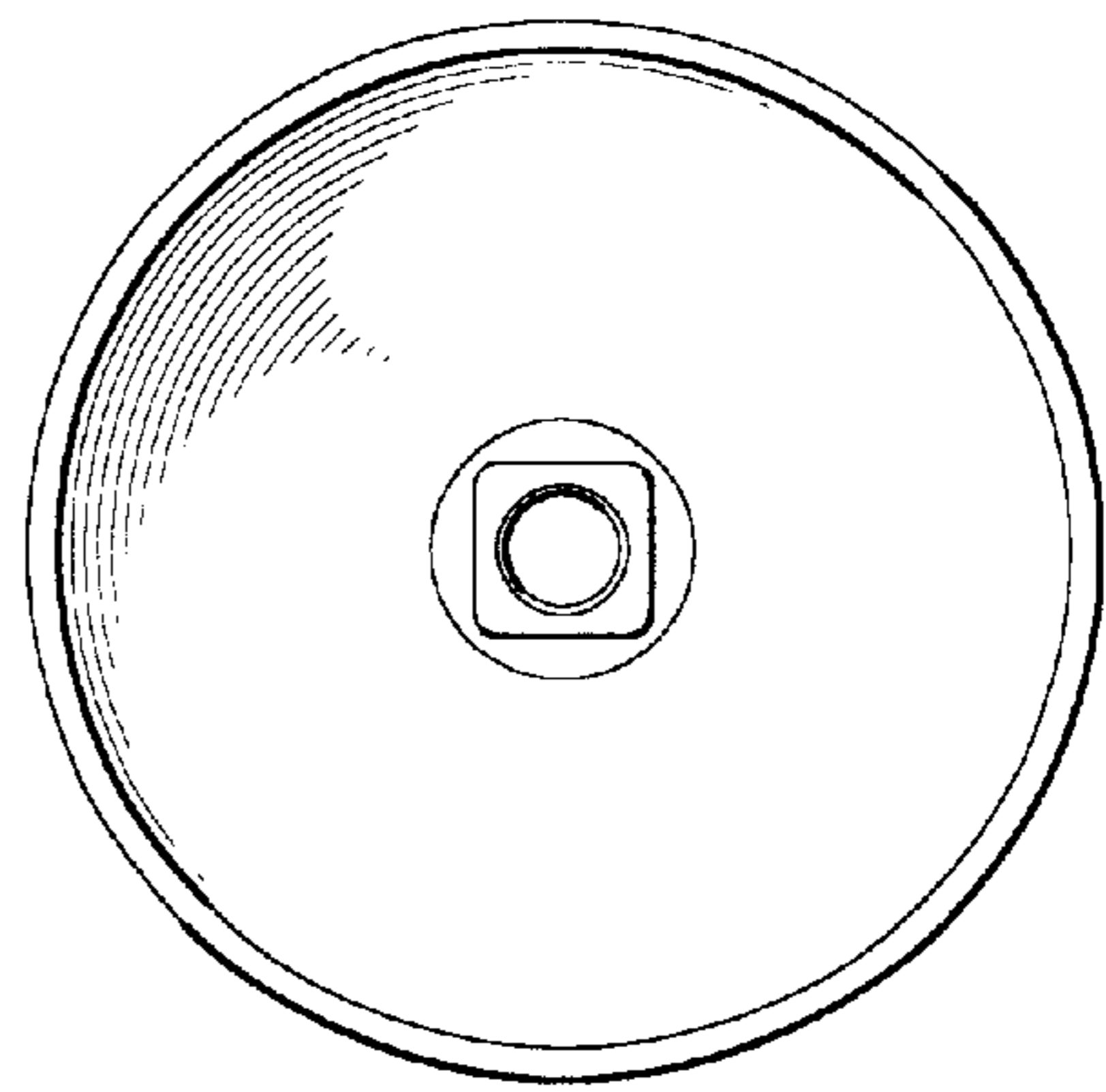


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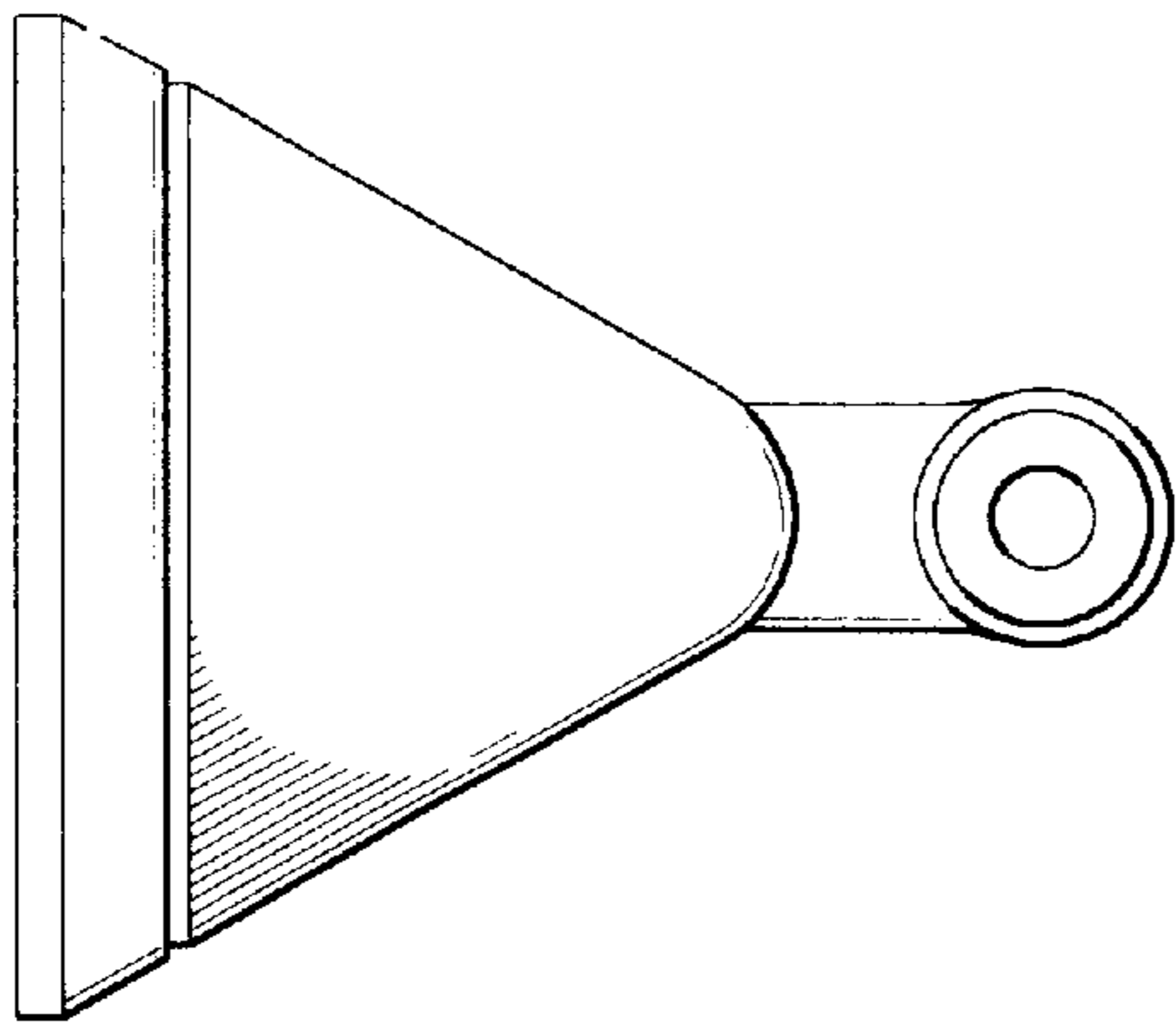


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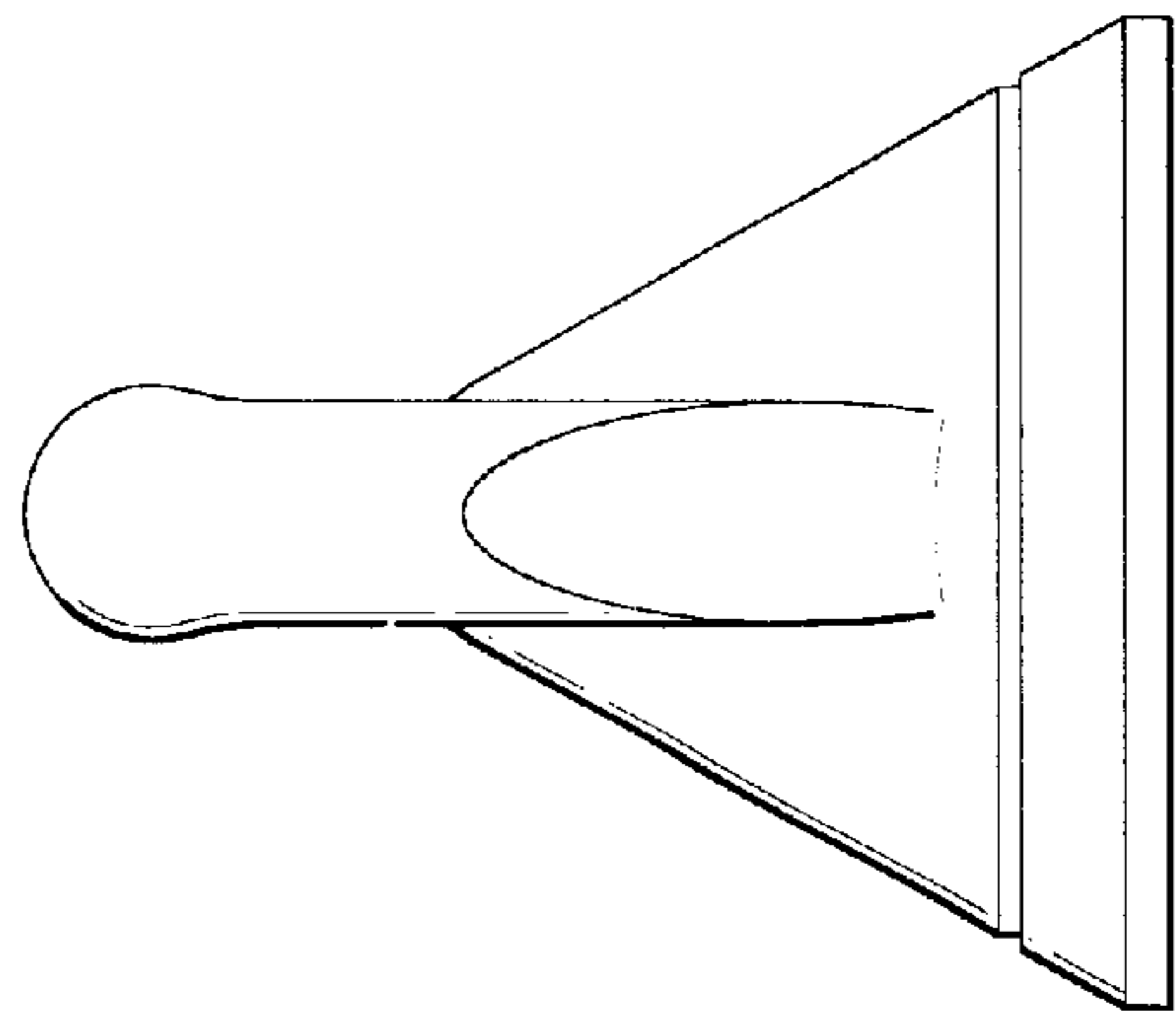


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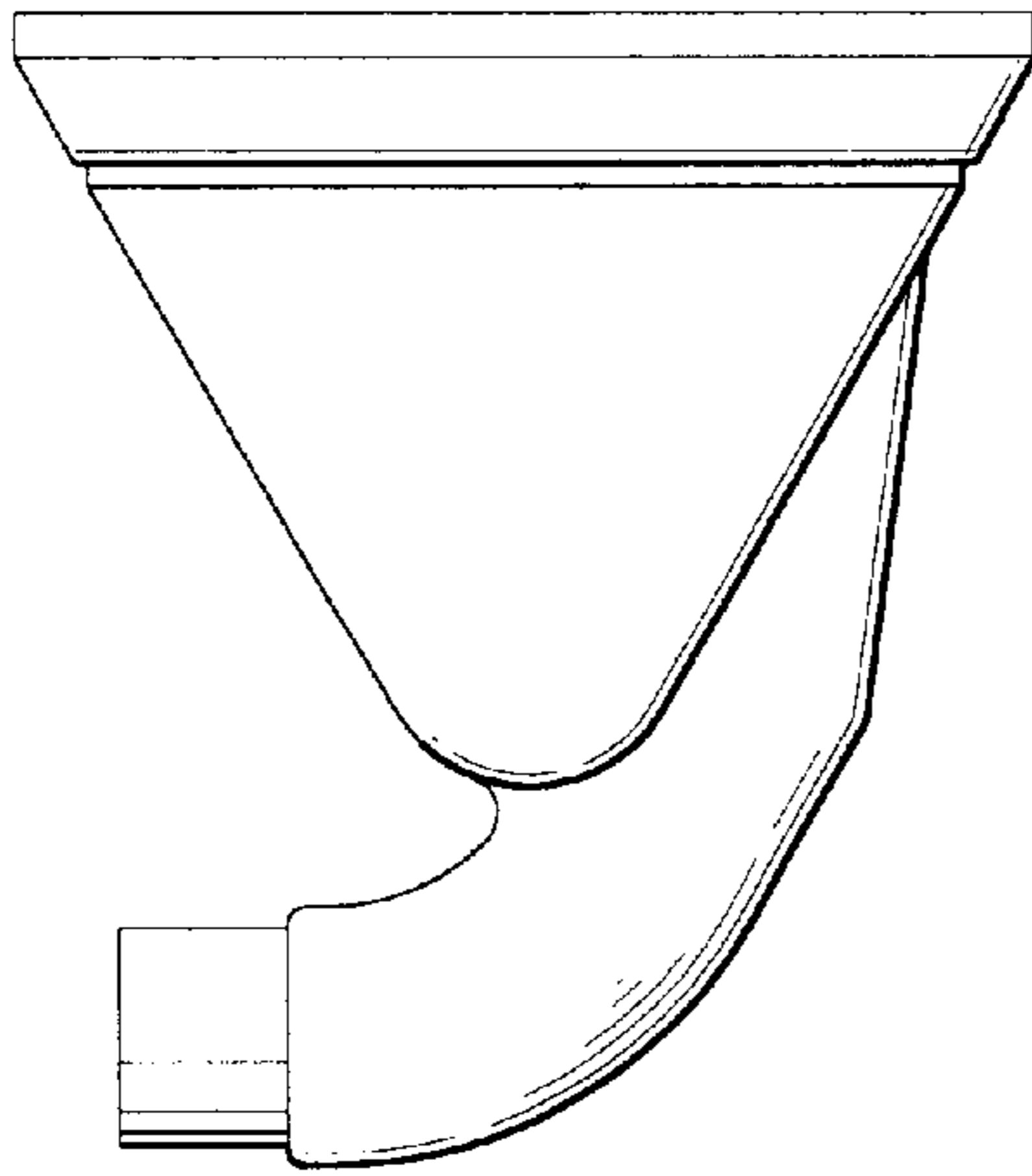


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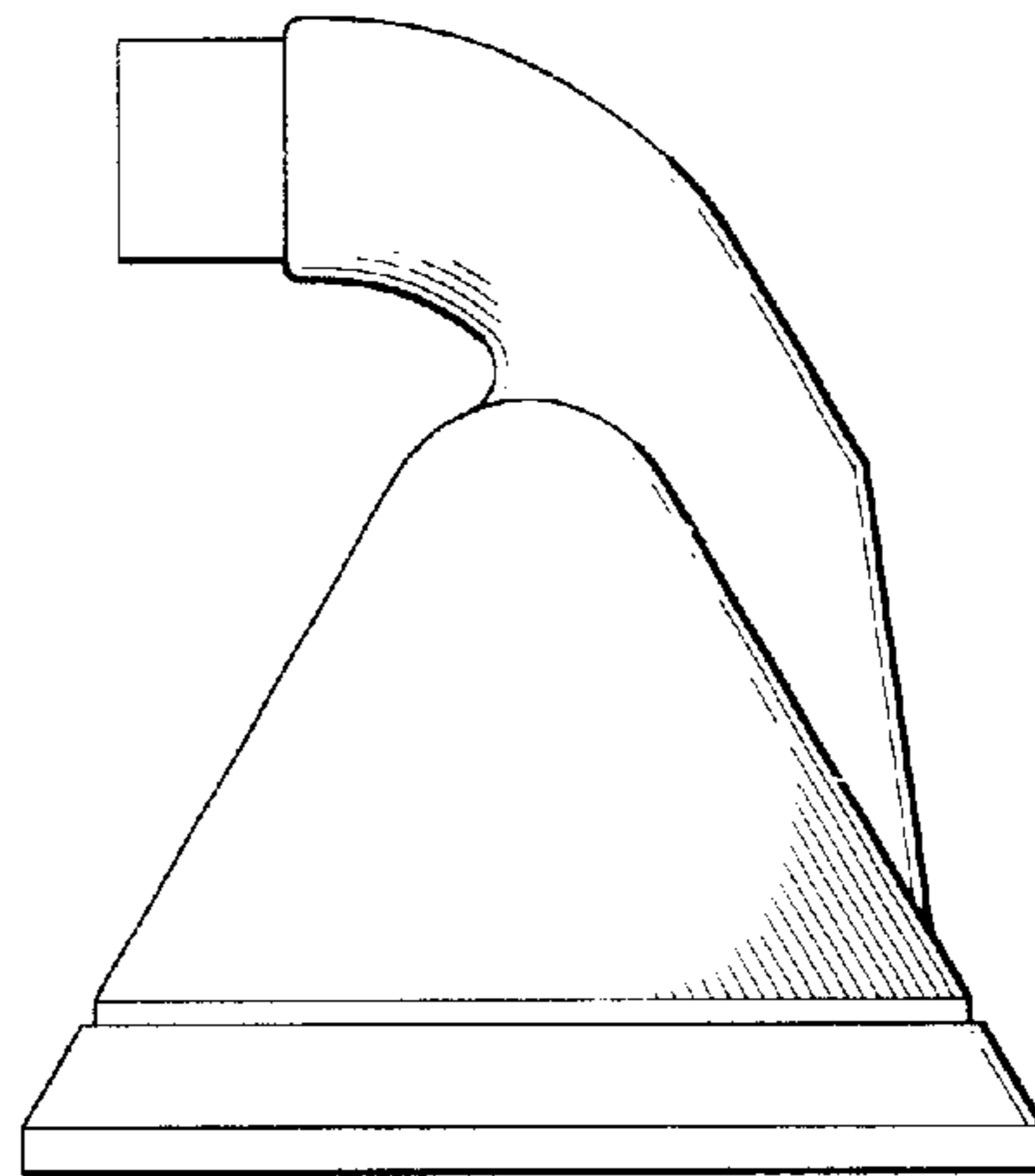


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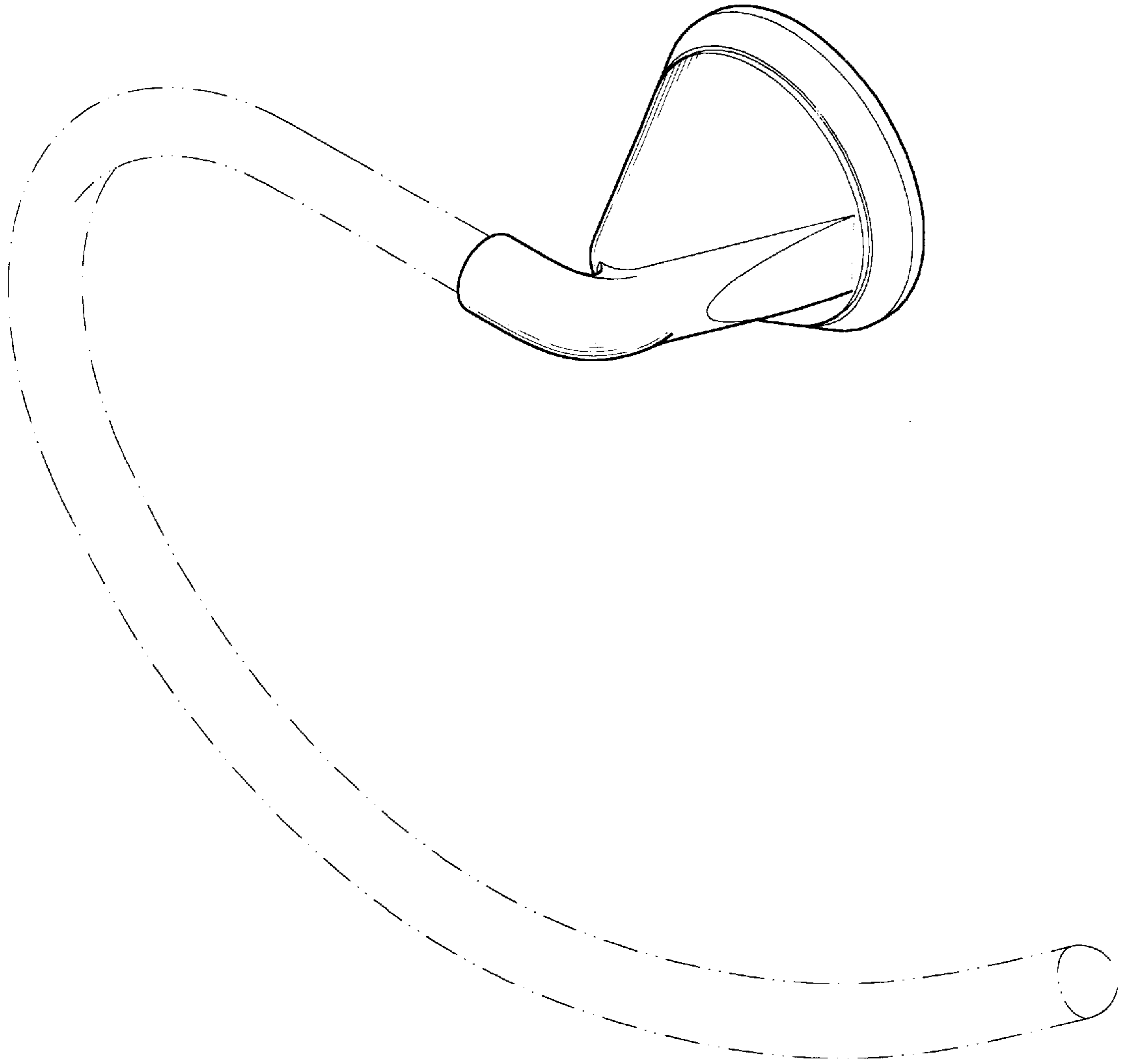


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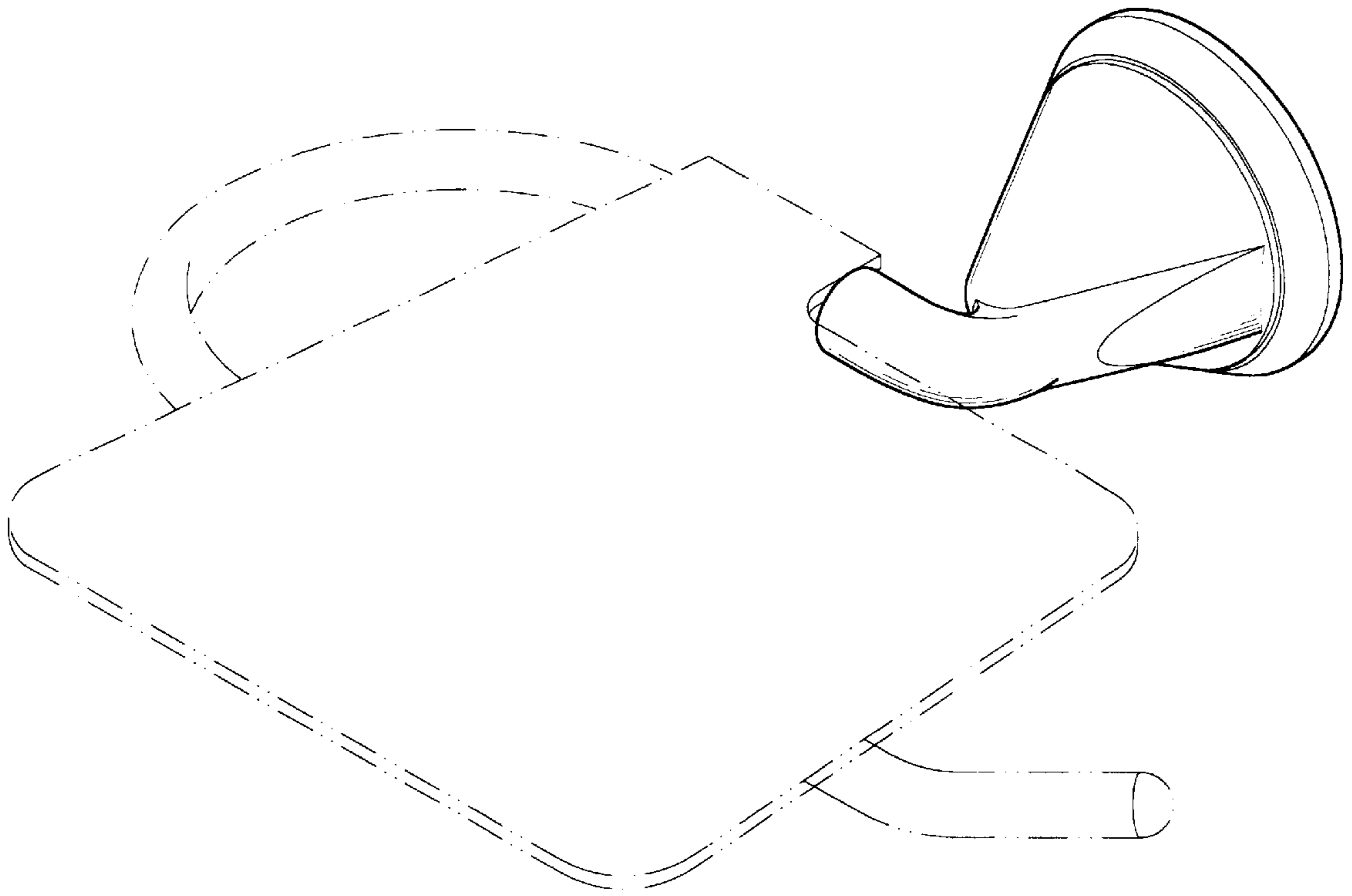


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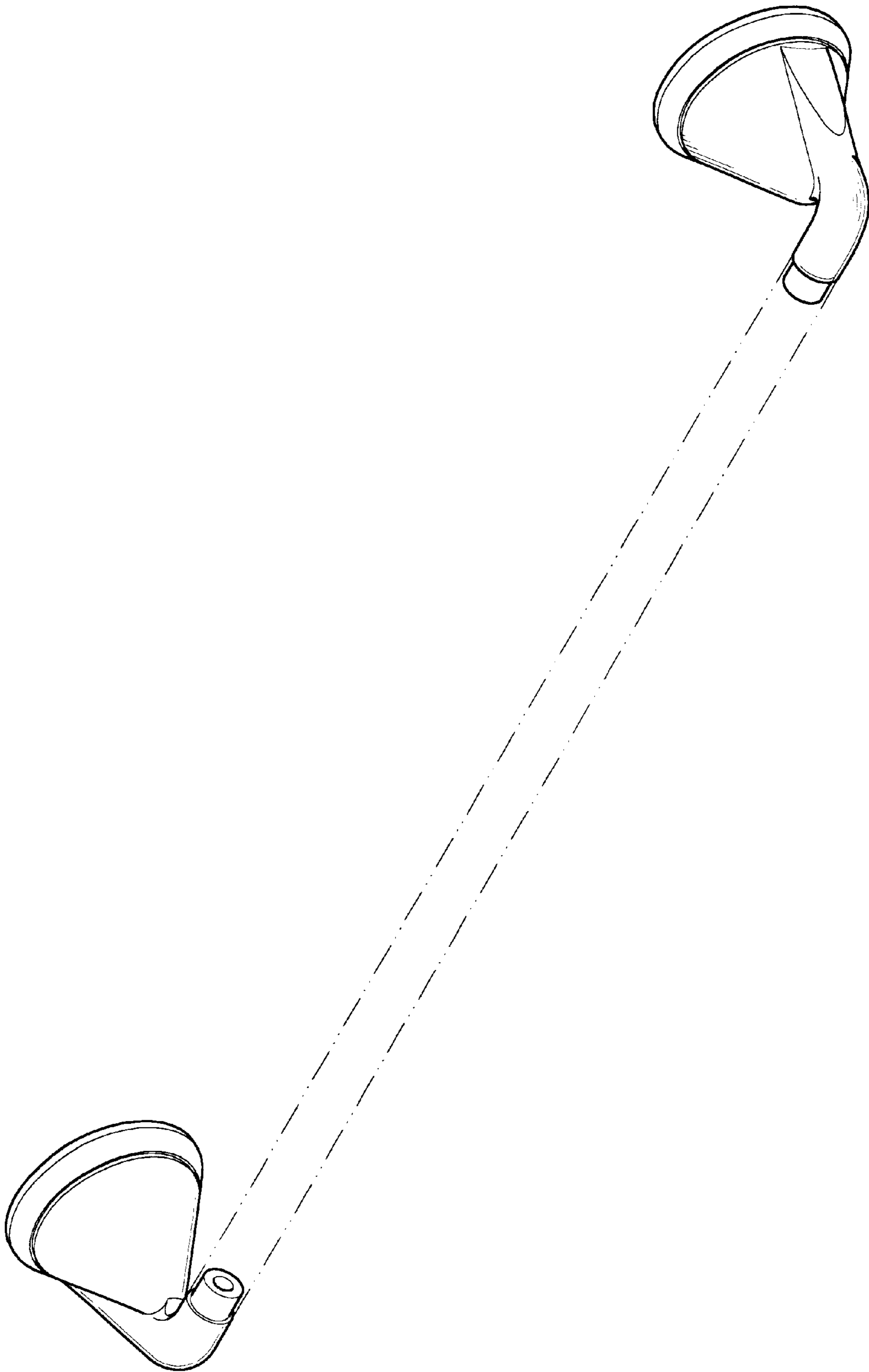


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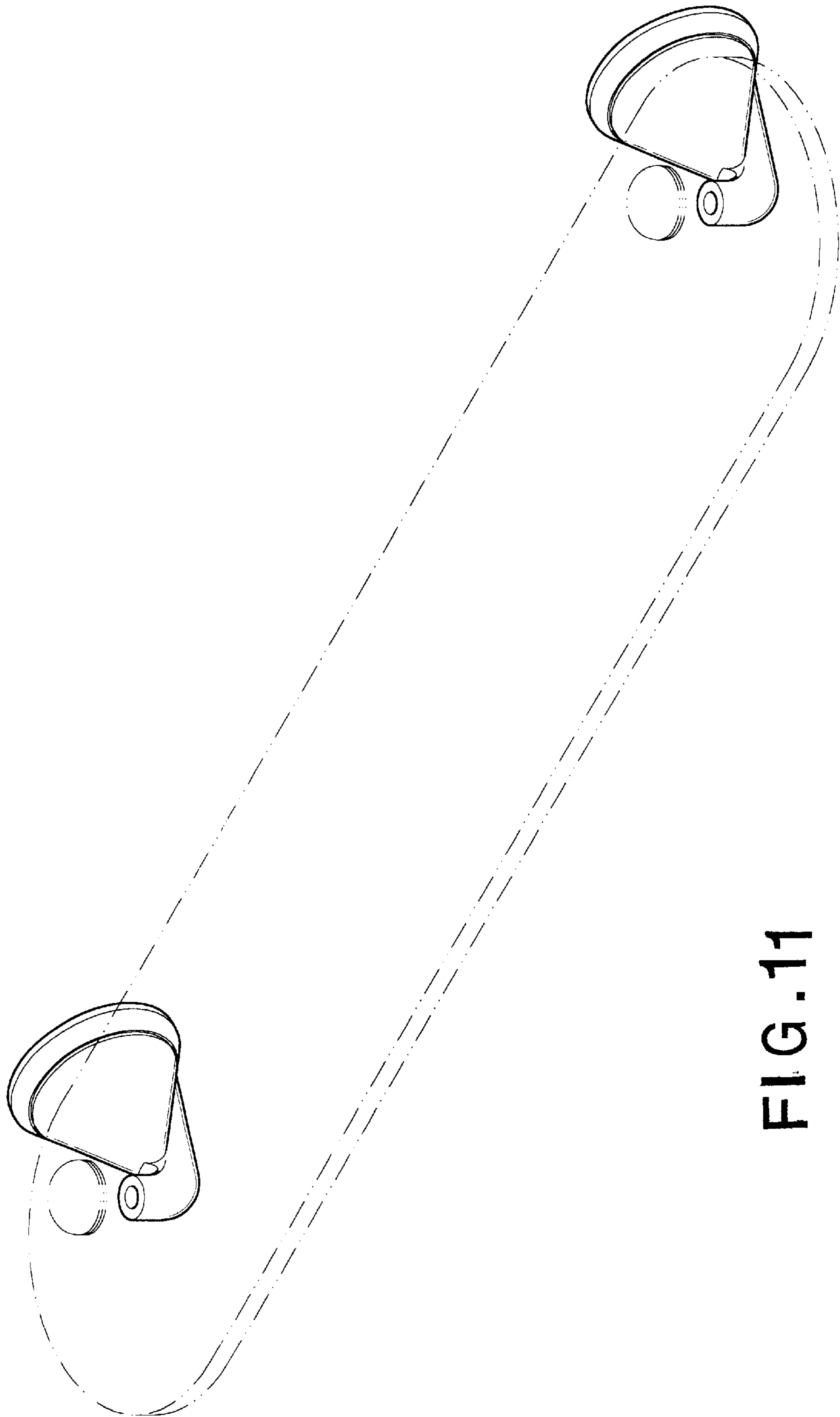


FIG. 11