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(54) **DECORATIVE SURFACE OF A TIRE
SIDEWALL**

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The ornamental design for decorative surface of a tire sidewall, as shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

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FIG. 1 is a perspective view of decorative surface of a tire sidewall;

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FIG. 2 is a front elevational view thereof;

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FIG. 3 is an enlarged front elevational view thereof; and,
FIG. 4 is an enlarged fragmentary front elevational view thereof.

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The broken line showing of a tire is for illustrative purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design.

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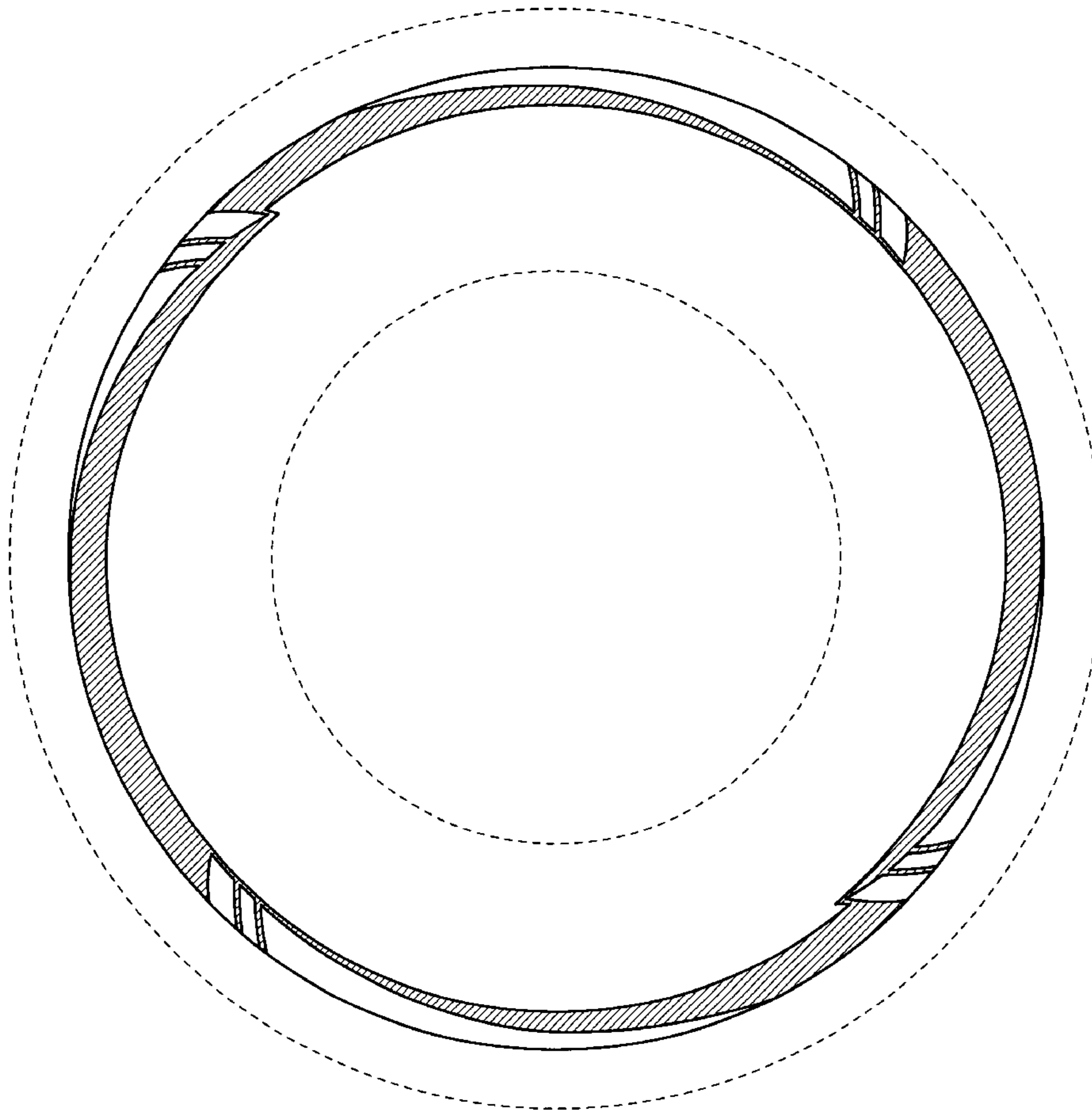


FIG. 1

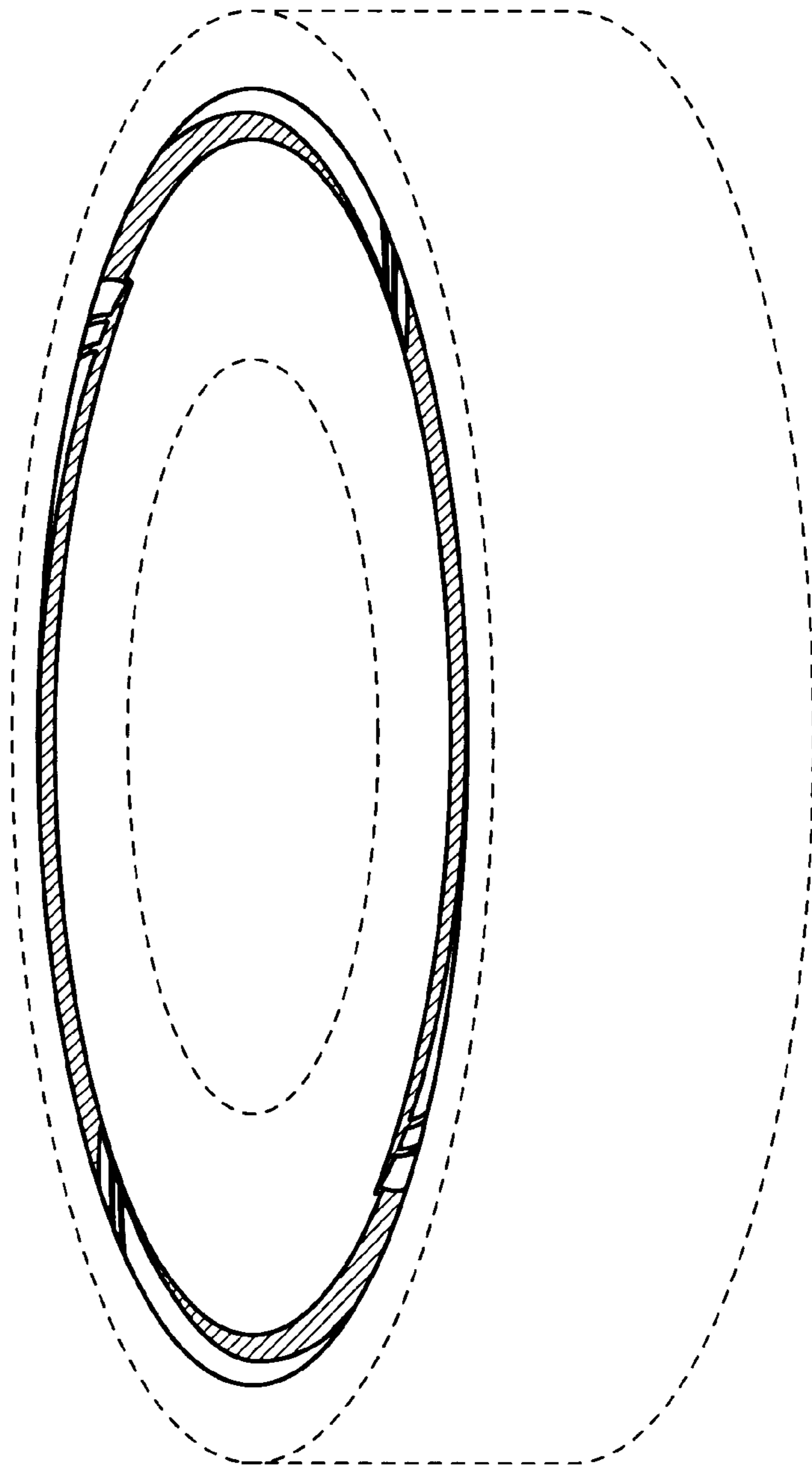


FIG. 2

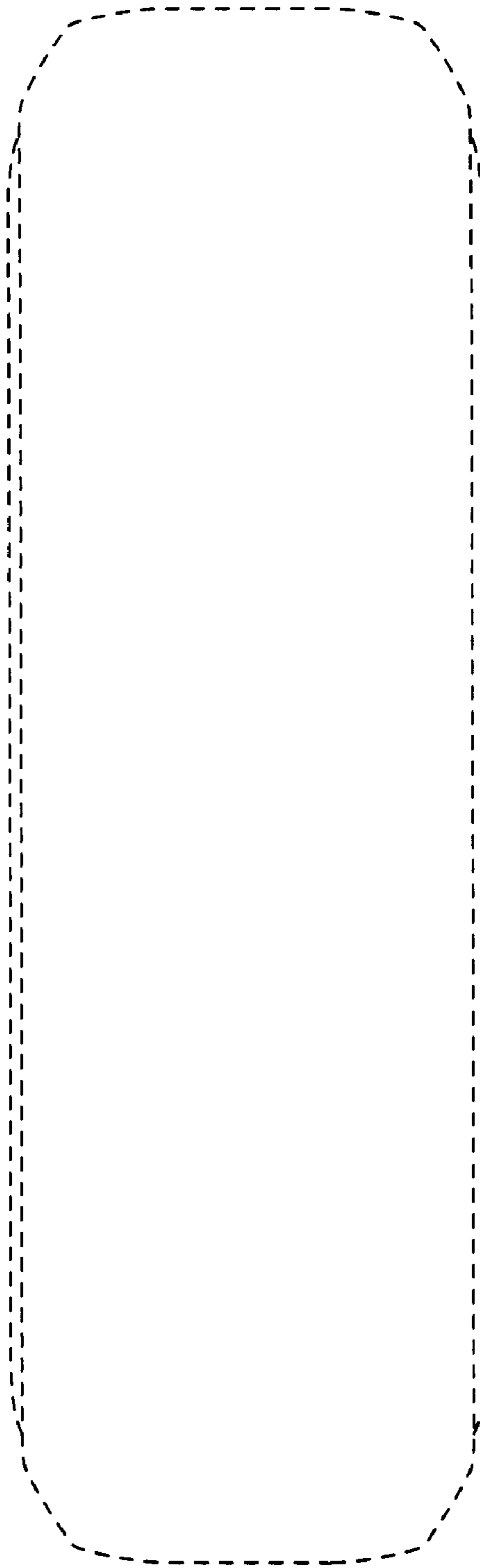


FIG. 3

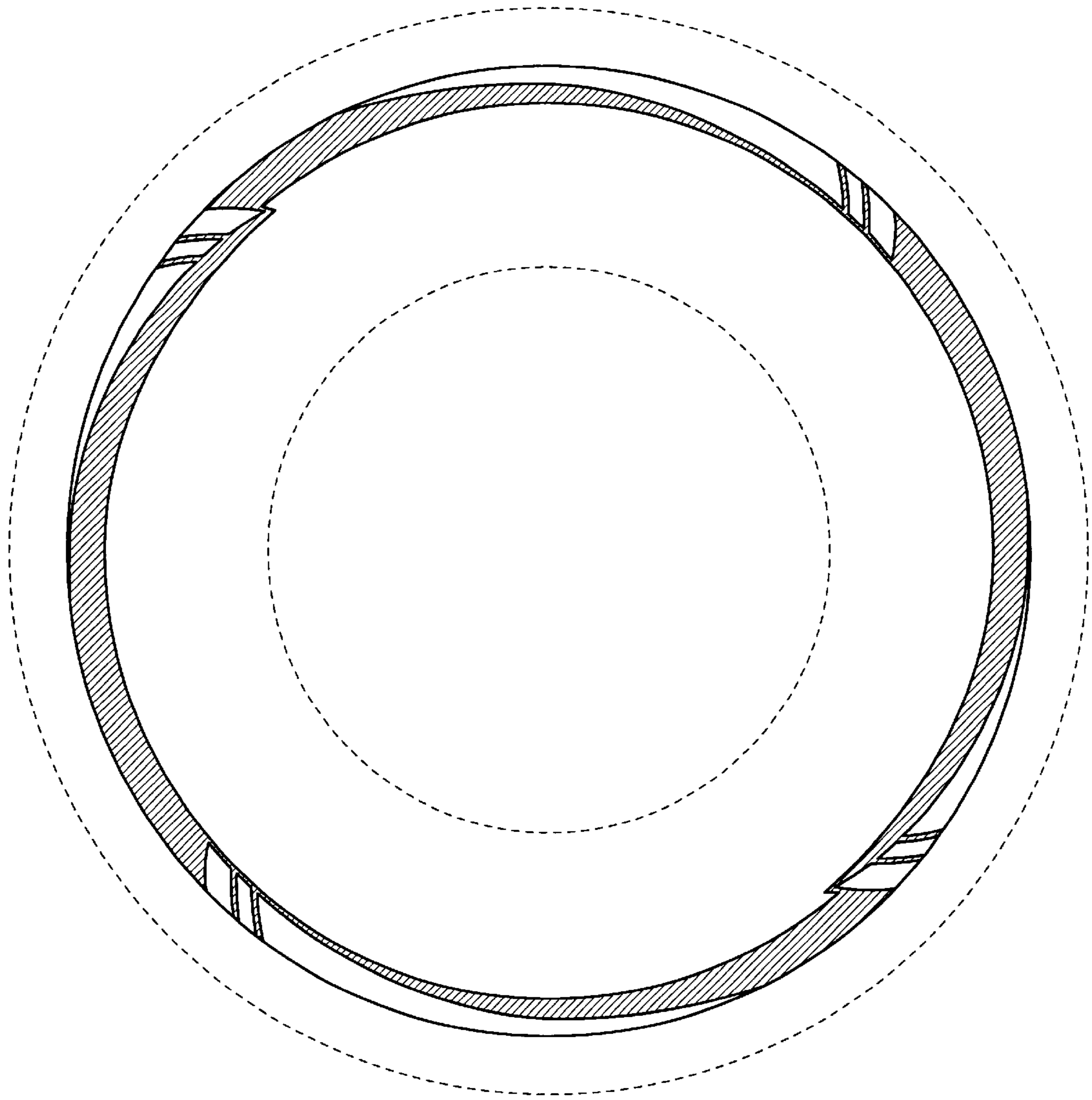


FIG. 4

