



US00D454611S

(12) **United States Design Patent**  
**Veltz et al.**

(10) **Patent No.:** **US D454,611 S**

(45) **Date of Patent:** **\*\* Mar. 19, 2002**

(54) **KNIFE HANDLE**

D435,776 S \* 1/2001 Veltz et al. .... D8/99  
6,249,975 B1 \* 6/2001 Lin ..... 30/162

(75) Inventors: **Jason D. Veltz**, LaJolla; **Thomas A. Gaboury**, El Cajon; **Stephen J. Hull**, San Diego, all of CA (US)

\* cited by examiner

*Primary Examiner*—Catherine R. Oliver

(74) *Attorney, Agent, or Firm*—Gregory Garmong

(73) Assignee: **Buck Knives, Inc.**, El Cajon, CA (US)

(57) **CLAIM**

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

The ornamental design for a knife handle, as shown and described.

(21) Appl. No.: **29/135,443**

**DESCRIPTION**

(22) Filed: **Jan. 10, 2001**

(51) **LOC (7) Cl.** ..... **22-02**

(52) **U.S. Cl.** ..... **D22/118**

(58) **Field of Search** ..... D22/118, 117;  
30/320, 340, 294.4, 298, 297, 251, 296.01,  
151, 155, 152, 153, 154, 156, 157, 162;  
D8/89, 99, 100

FIG. 1 is a left side elevational view of the knife handle illustrating its relation to a first type of knife blade, the right side being substantially identical;

FIG. 2 is a top plan view of the knife handle;

FIG. 3 is a bottom plan view of the knife handle;

FIG. 4 is a front elevational view of the knife handle;

FIG. 5 is a rear elevational view of the knife handle; and, FIG. 6 is a left side elevational view of the knife handle illustrating its relation to a second type of knife blade.

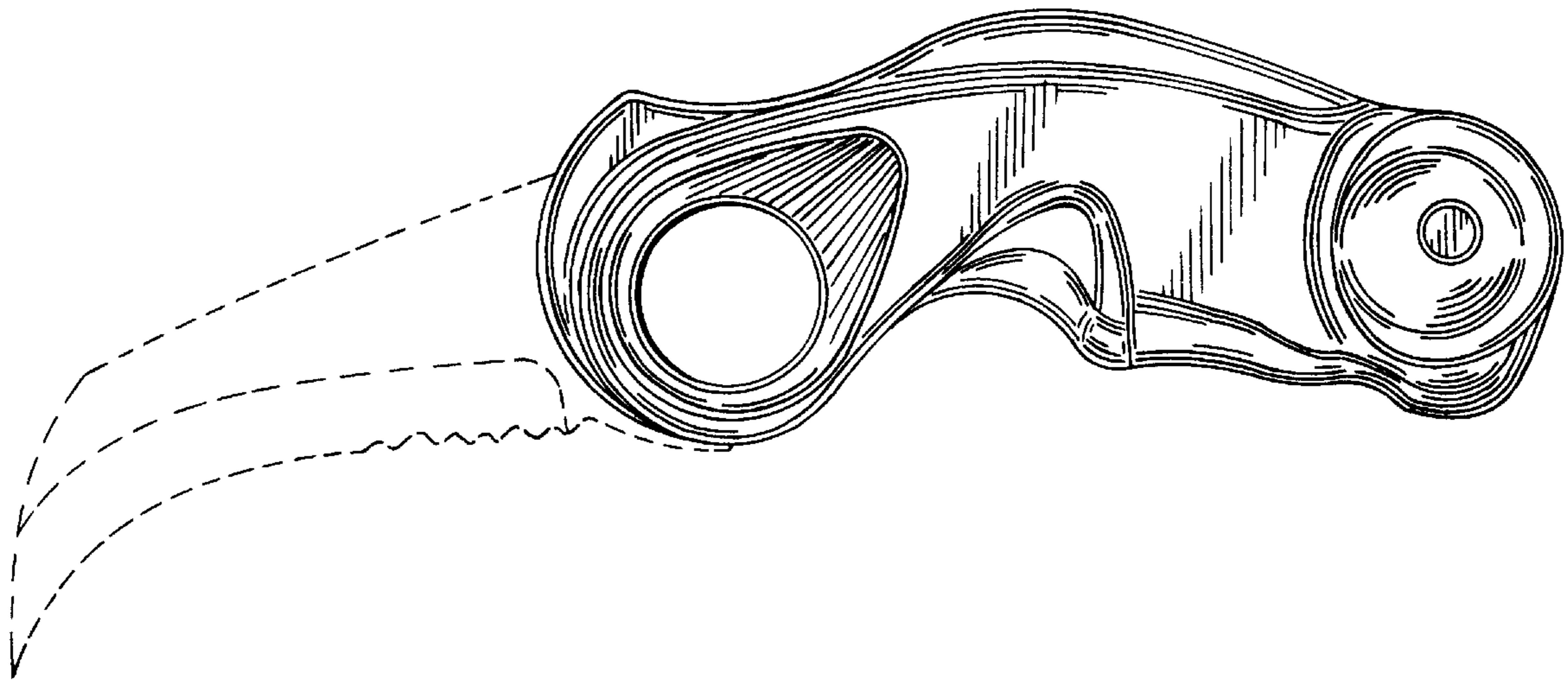
The broken line illustrations in the drawing figures are intended to illustrate the environment of the design sought to be patented and form no part of the design.

(56) **References Cited**

**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

4,936,014 A \* 6/1990 Shaanan et al. .... 30/162  
D416,973 S \* 11/1999 Ahlund ..... D22/118  
6,029,357 A \* 2/2000 Morton ..... 30/298.4

**1 Claim, 3 Drawing Sheets**



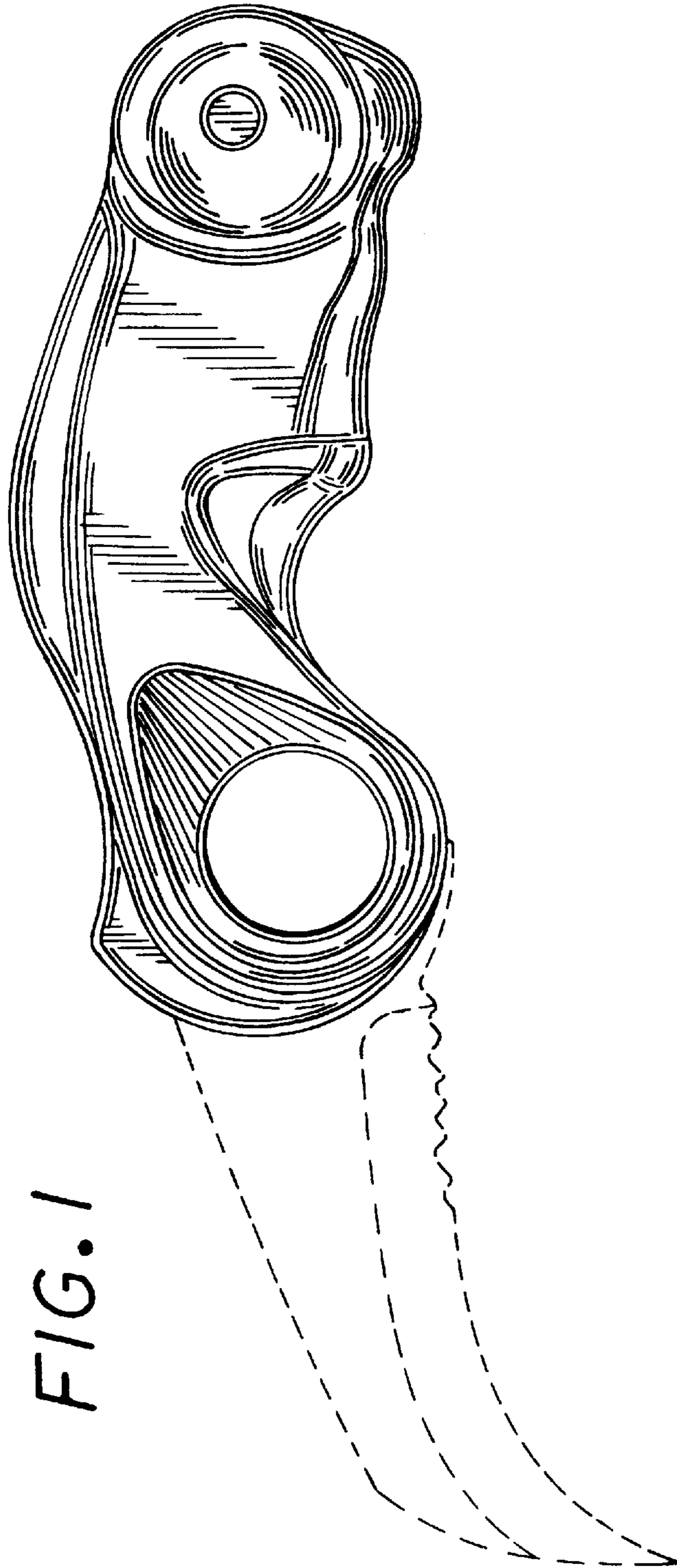


FIG. 1

FIG. 2

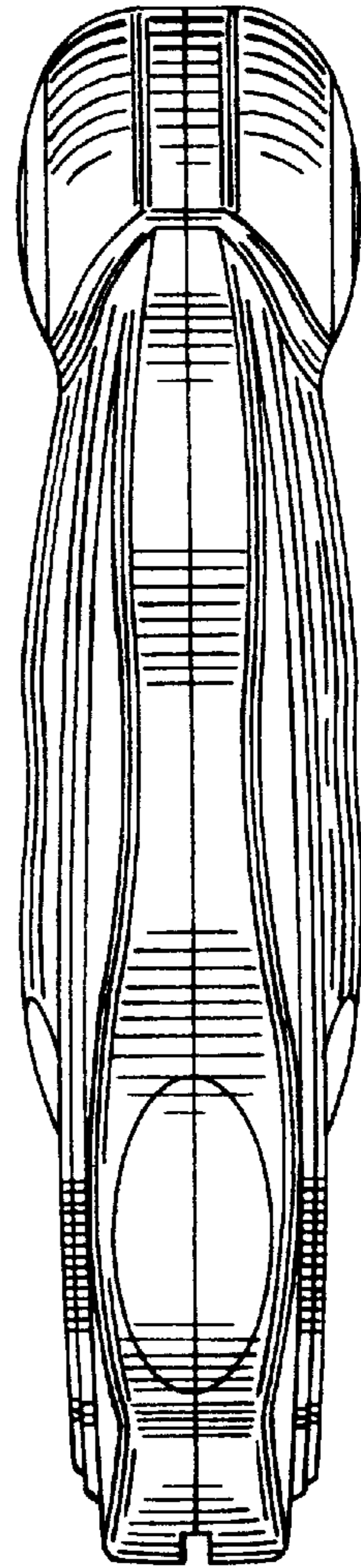


FIG. 3

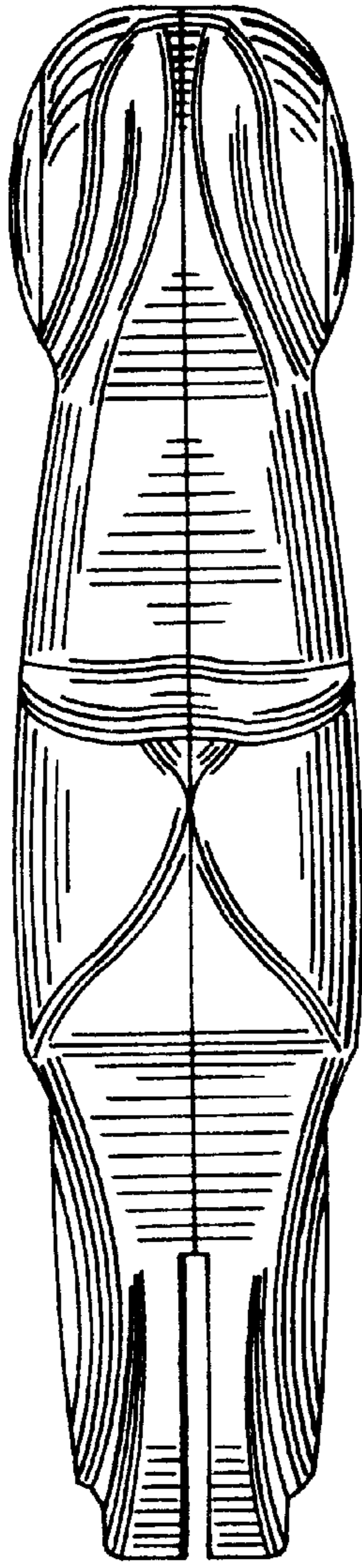


FIG. 4

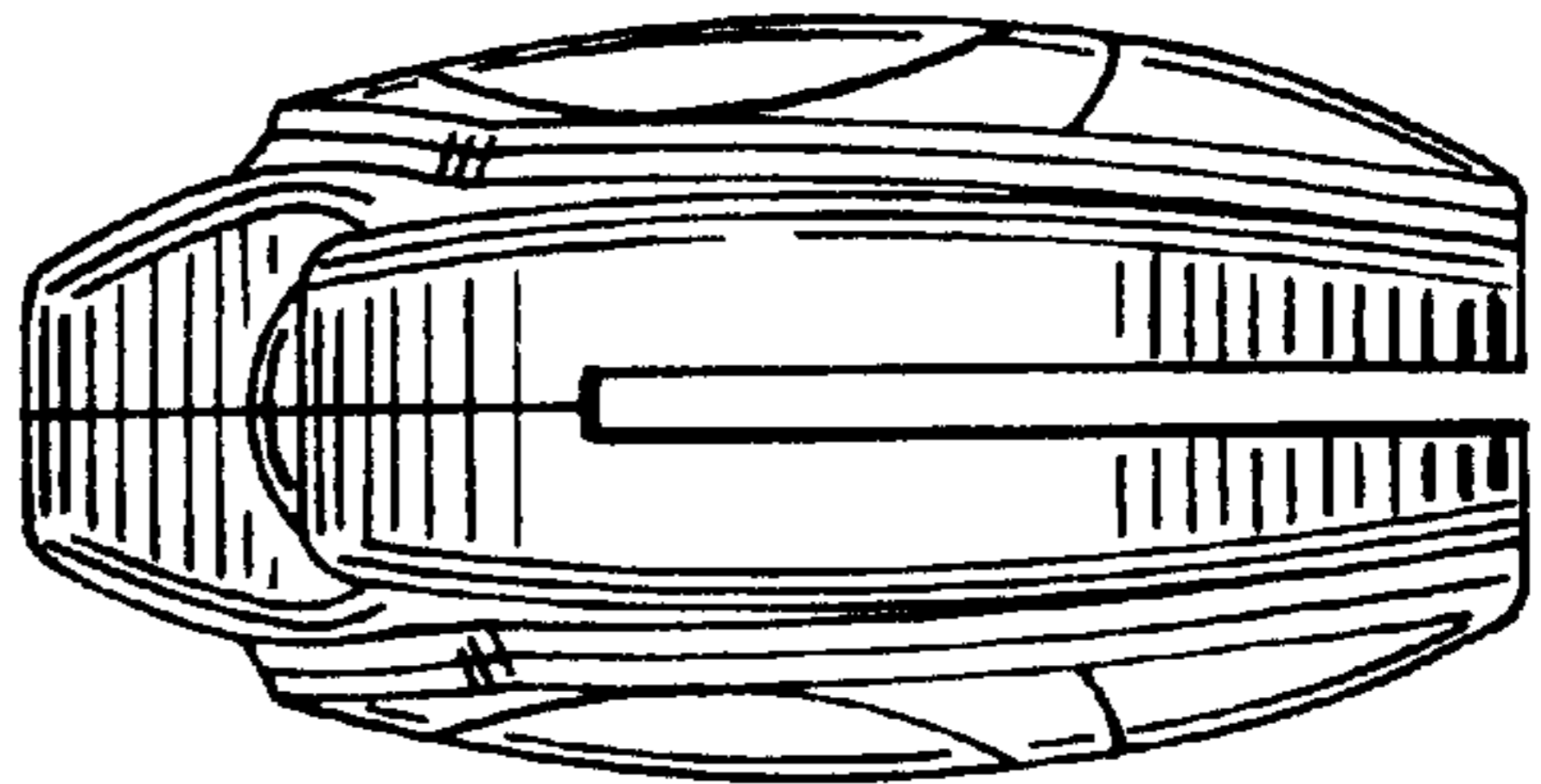
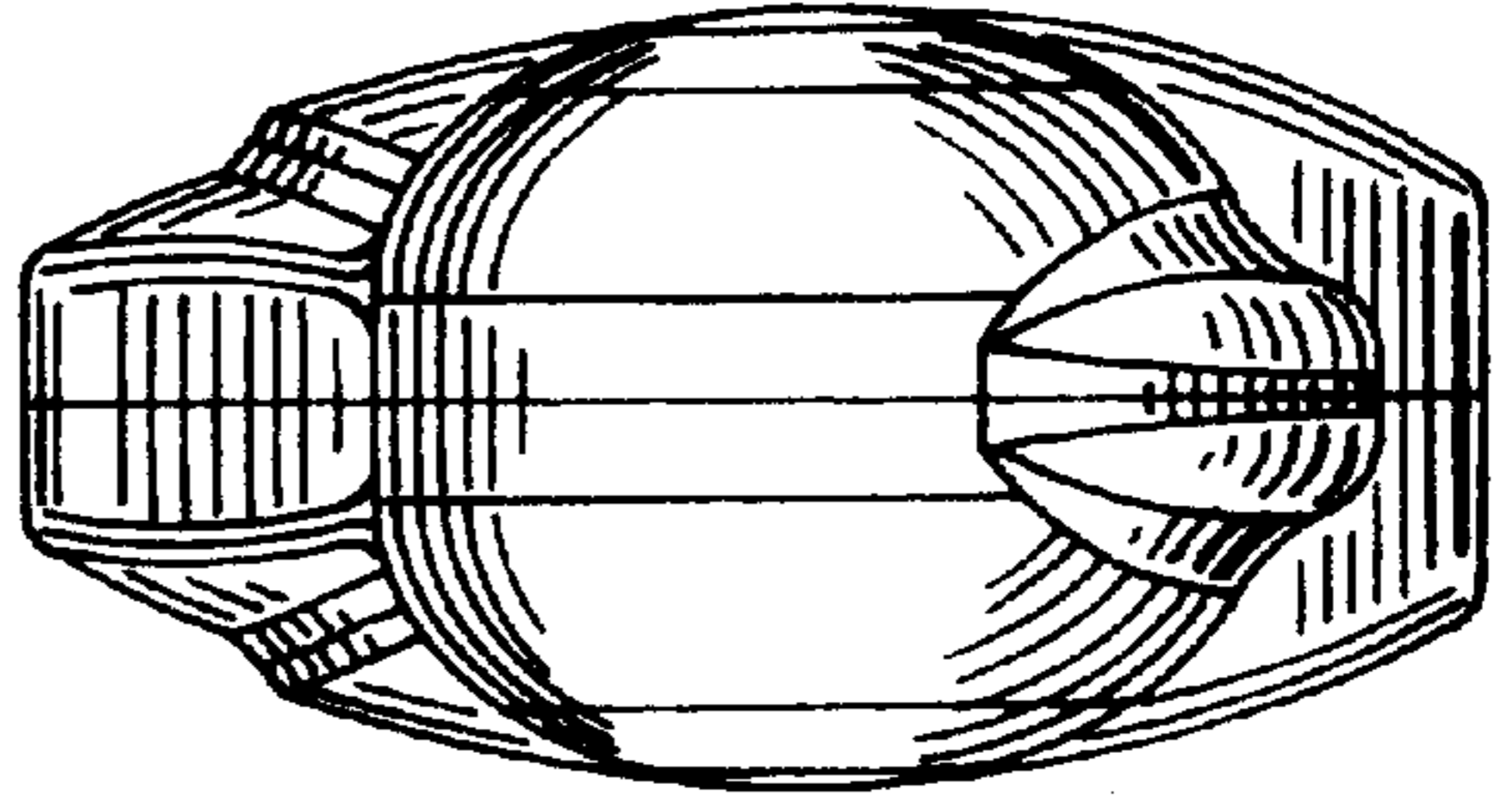


FIG. 5



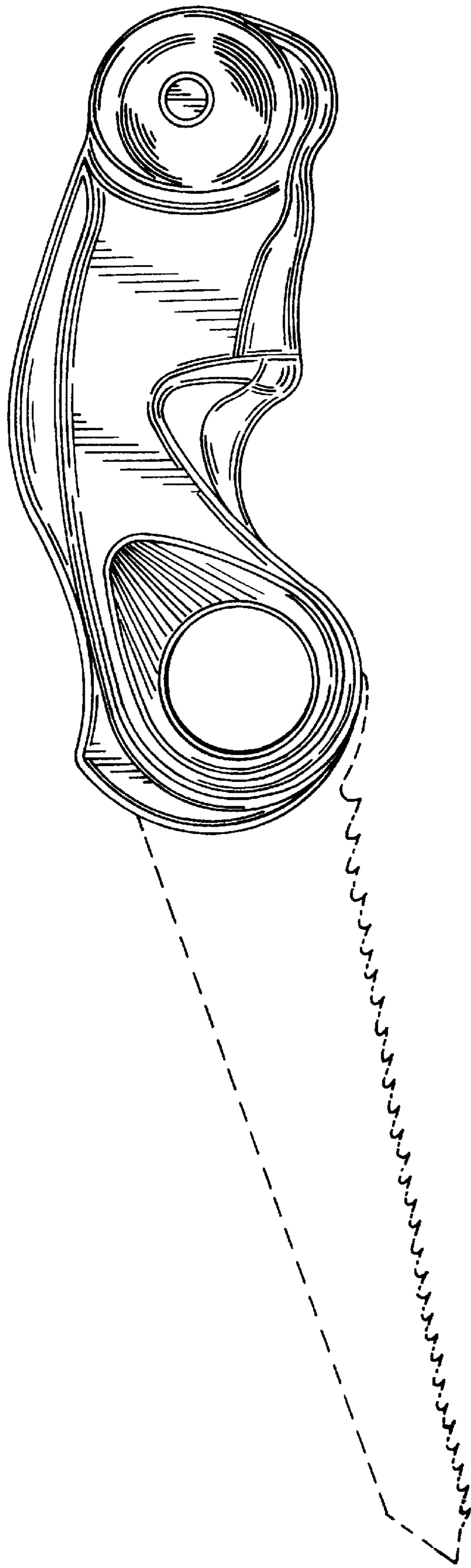


FIG. 6