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(54) **INK TANK FOR PRINTER**

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The ornamental design for an ink tank for printer, as shown and described.

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**DESCRIPTION**

(56) **References Cited**

FIG. 1 is a front view of an ink tank for printer showing our new design;

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FIG. 2 is a rear view thereof;

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FIG. 3 is a top plan view thereof;

D361,591 S \* 8/1995 Tokuda et al. .... D18/56

FIG. 4 is a bottom plan view thereof;

D383,777 S \* 9/1997 Solero ..... D18/56

FIG. 5 is a left side view thereof;

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FIG. 6 is a right side view thereof; and,

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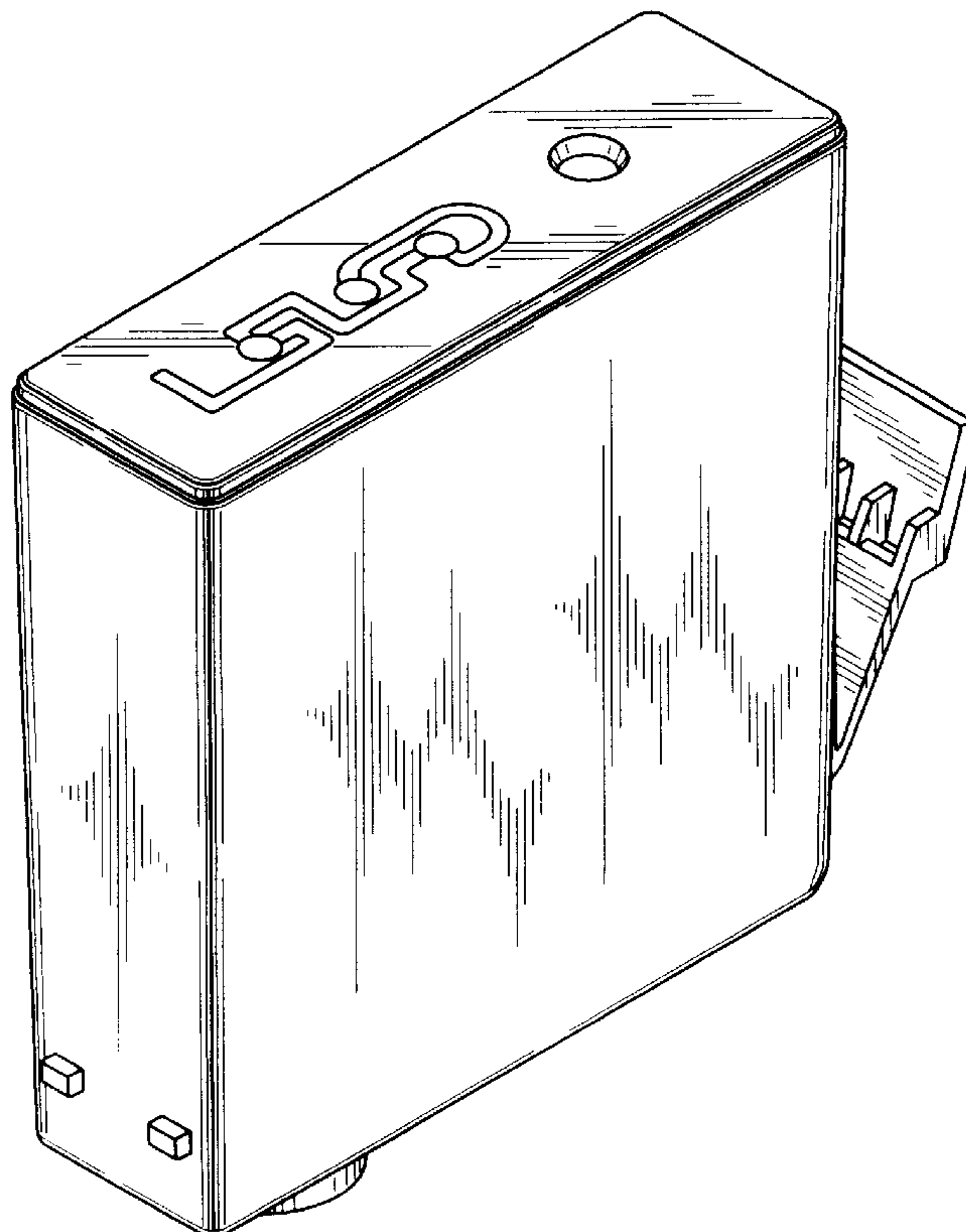
FIG. 7 is a perspective view thereof.

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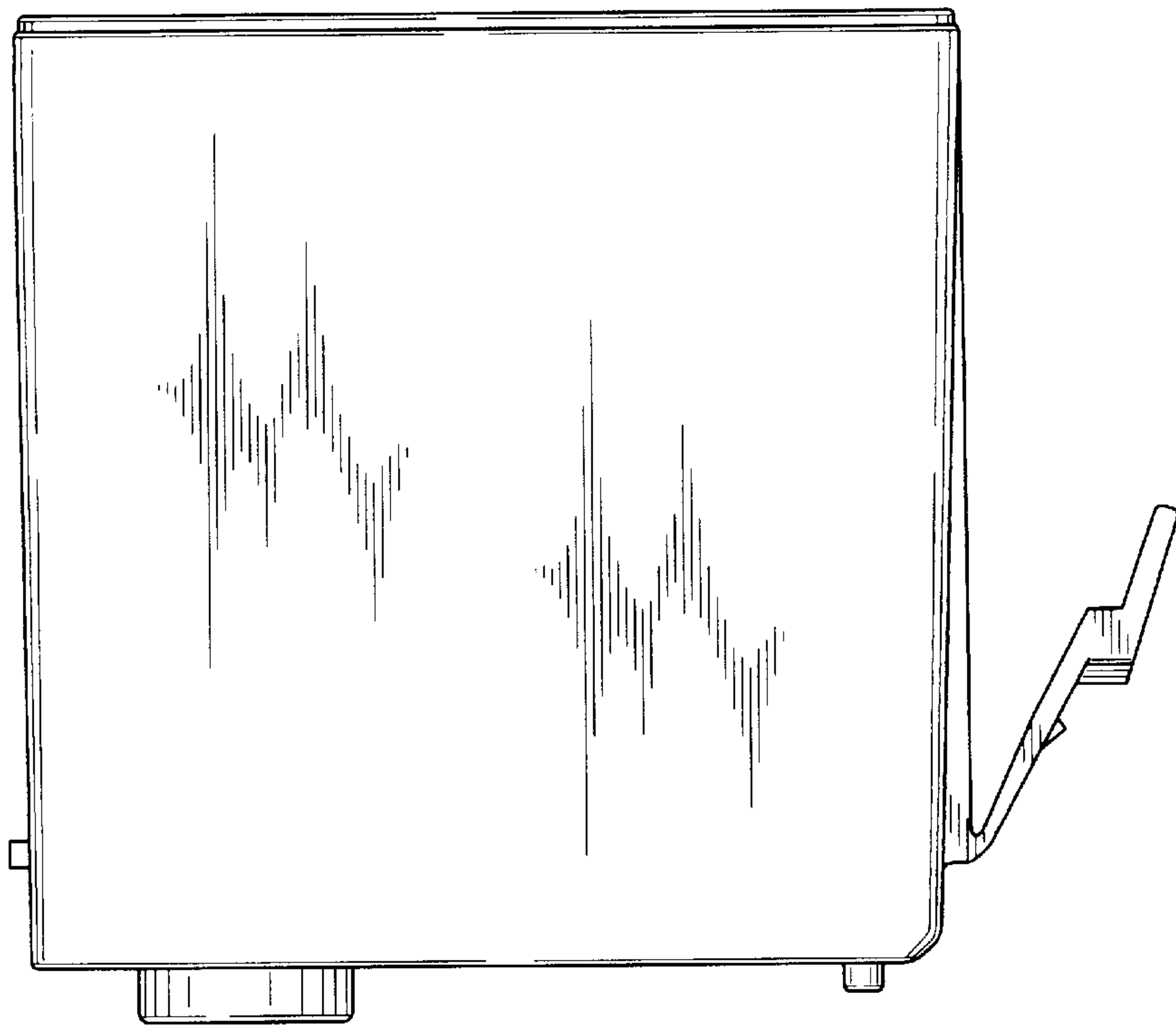
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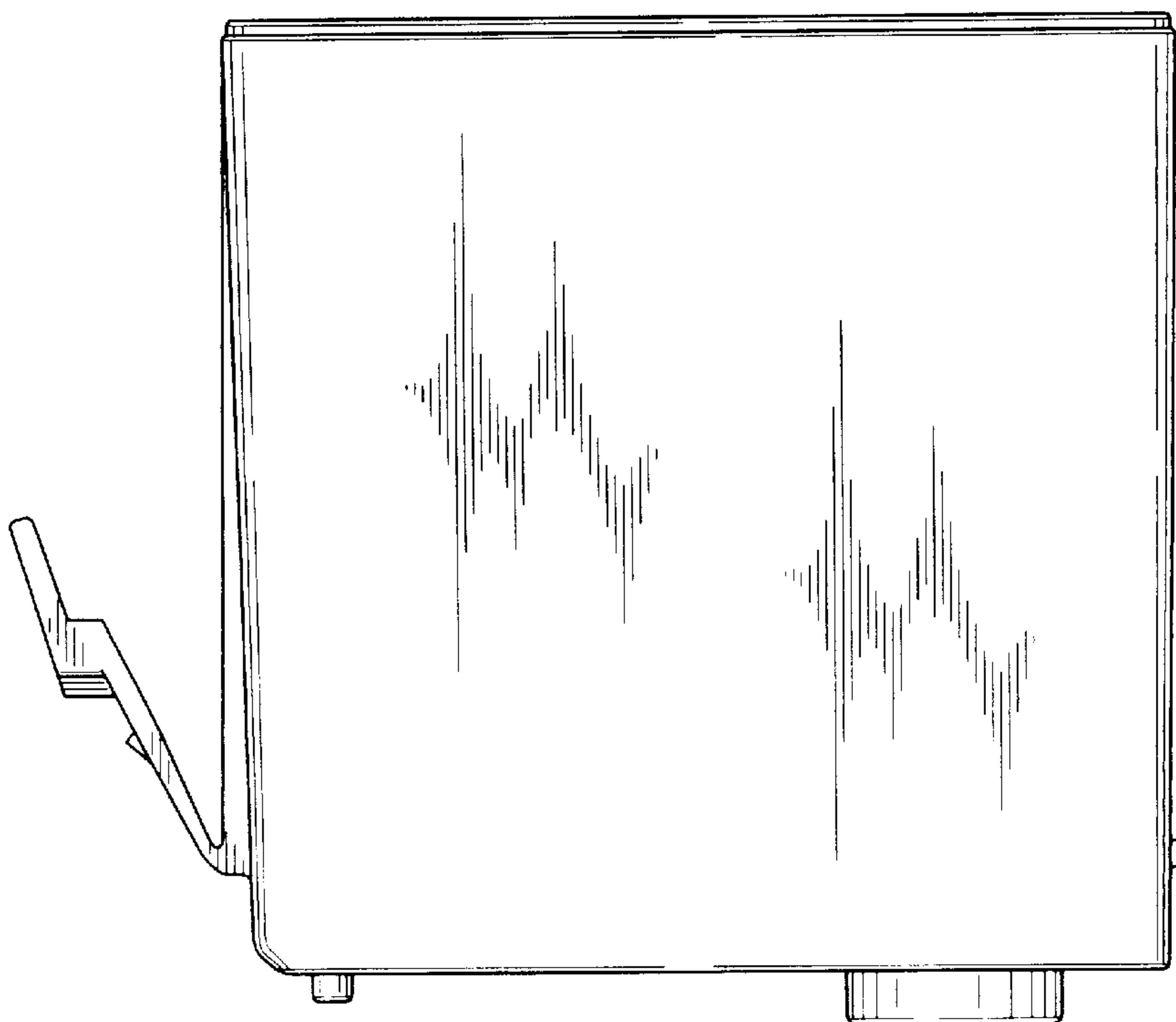
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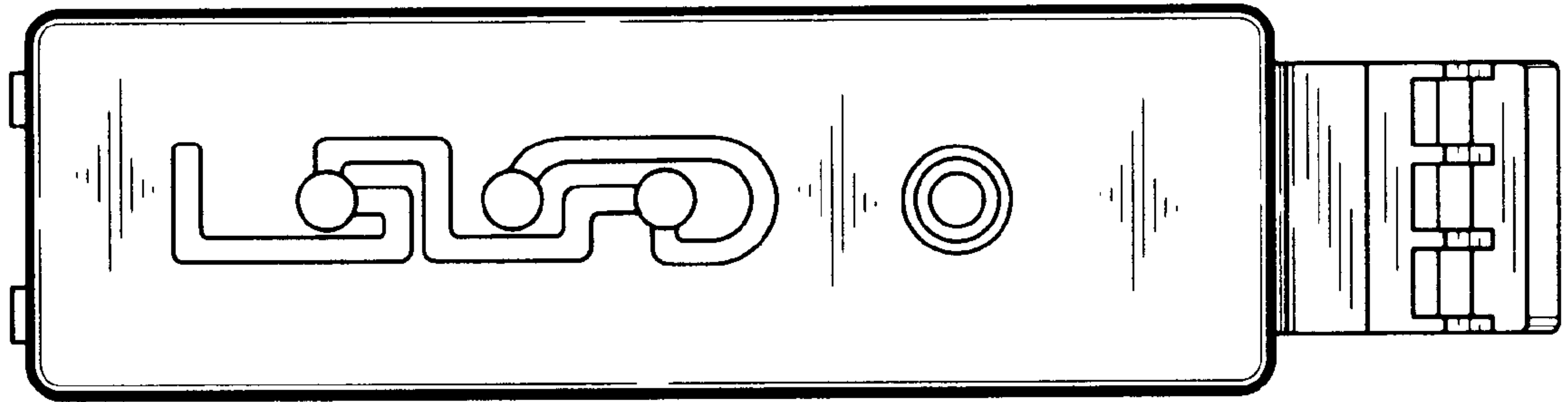
*FIG. 1*



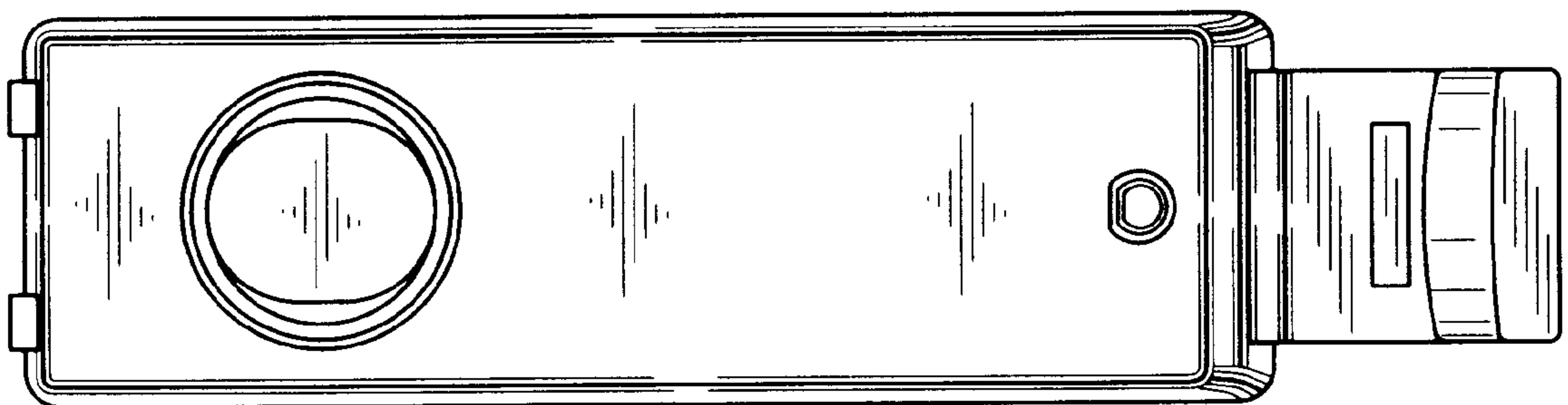
*FIG. 2*



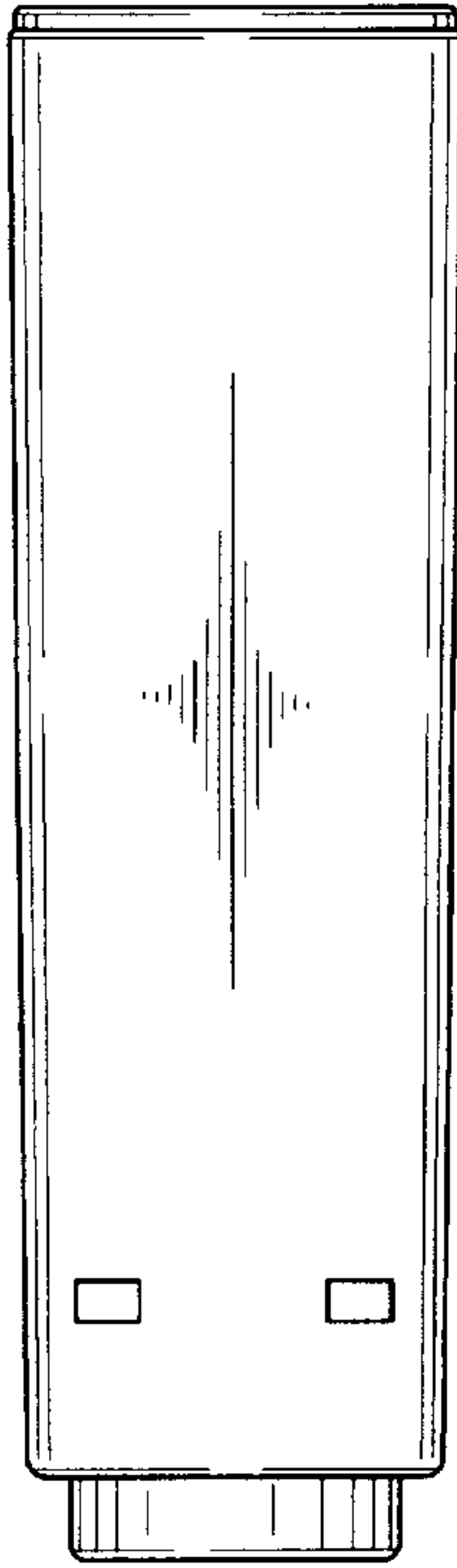
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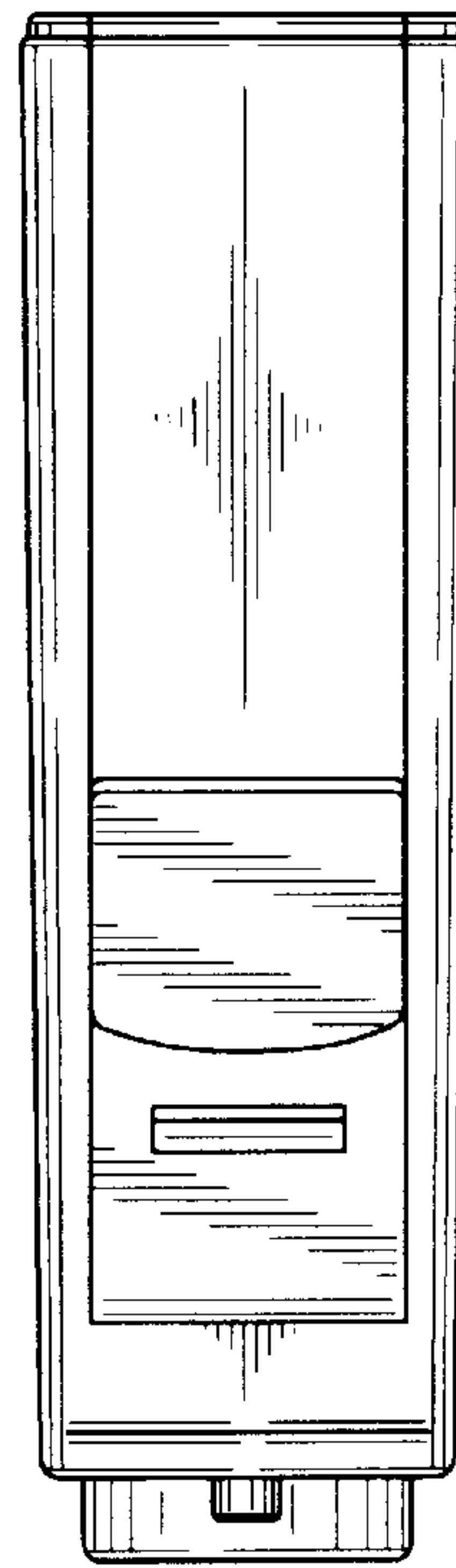
*FIG. 4*



*FIG. 5*



*FIG. 6*



*FIG. 7*

