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(54) **PORTABLE COMMUNICATIONS DEVICE**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a portable communications device, as shown and described.

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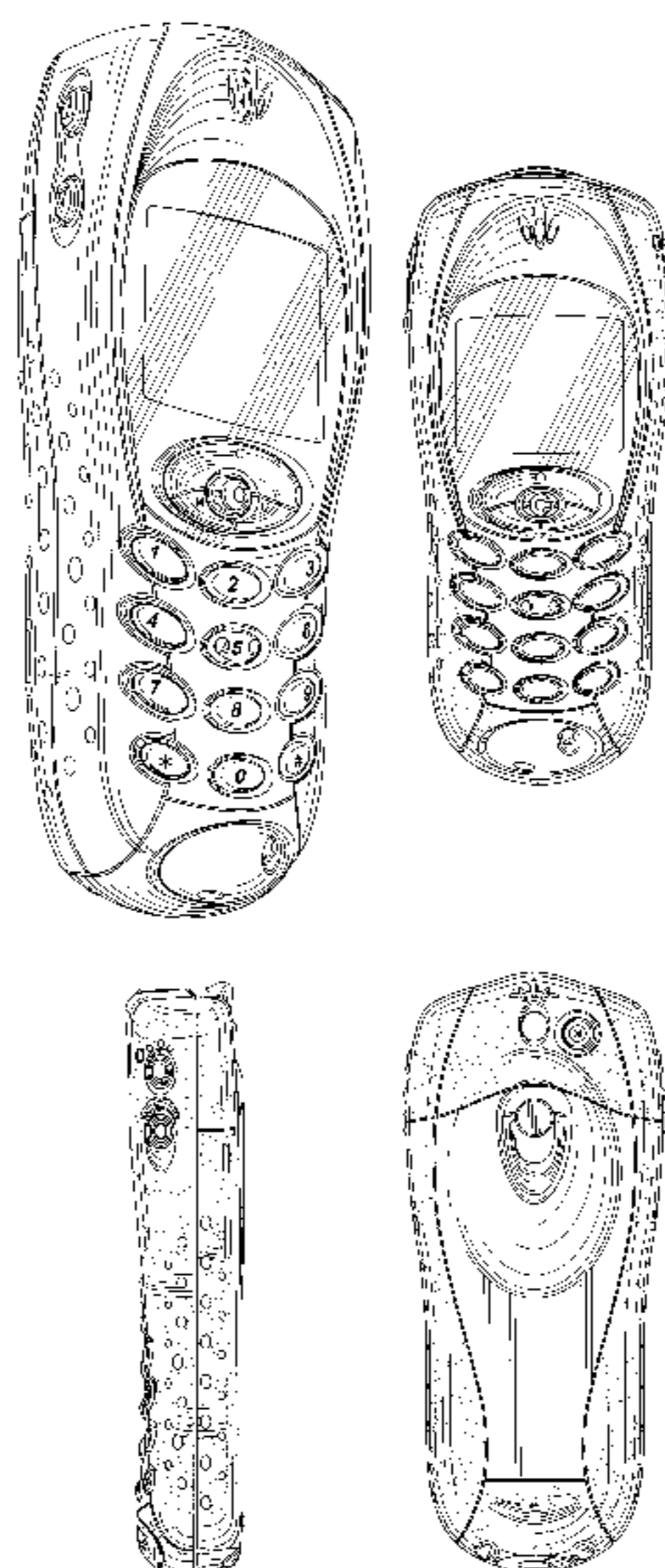
DESCRIPTION

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FIG. 1 is a front perspective view of the portable communications device showing my design;
 FIG. 2 is front view thereof;
 FIG. 3 is a side view thereof;
 FIG. 4 is an opposing side view thereof;
 FIG. 5 is a rear view thereof;
 FIG. 6 is a top view thereof;
 FIG. 7 is a bottom view thereof;
 FIG. 8 is a front perspective view of an alternative embodiment of the portable communications device illustrating my design with exterior surface regions having contrasting materials. As shown by the speckle-shaded portions of the device, portions of the exterior surface are formed of a first material type. The other regions of the device are formed of other materials having different visual and/or tactile characteristics relative to the first material.
 FIG. 9 is front view thereof;
 FIG. 10 is a side view thereof;
 FIG. 11 is an opposing side view thereof;
 FIG. 12 is a rear view thereof;
 FIG. 13 is a top view thereof; and,
 FIG. 14 is a bottom view thereof.

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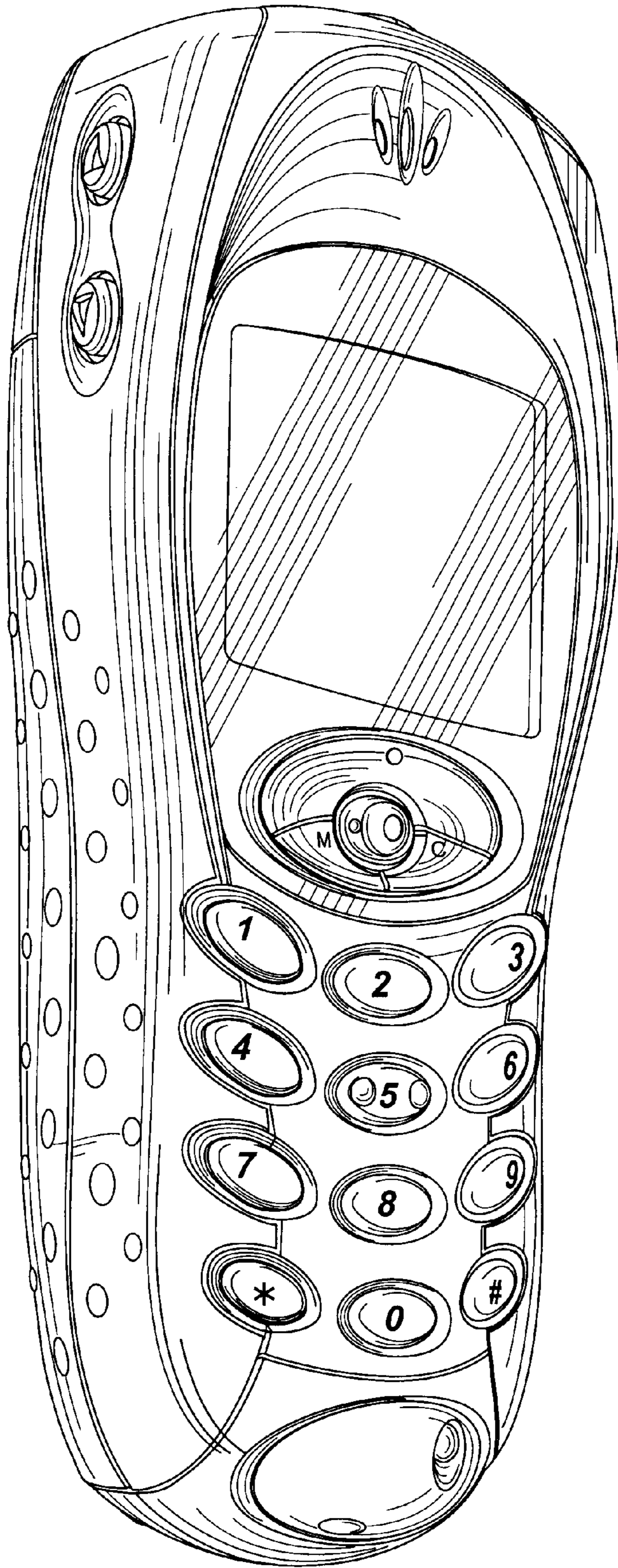


FIG. 1.

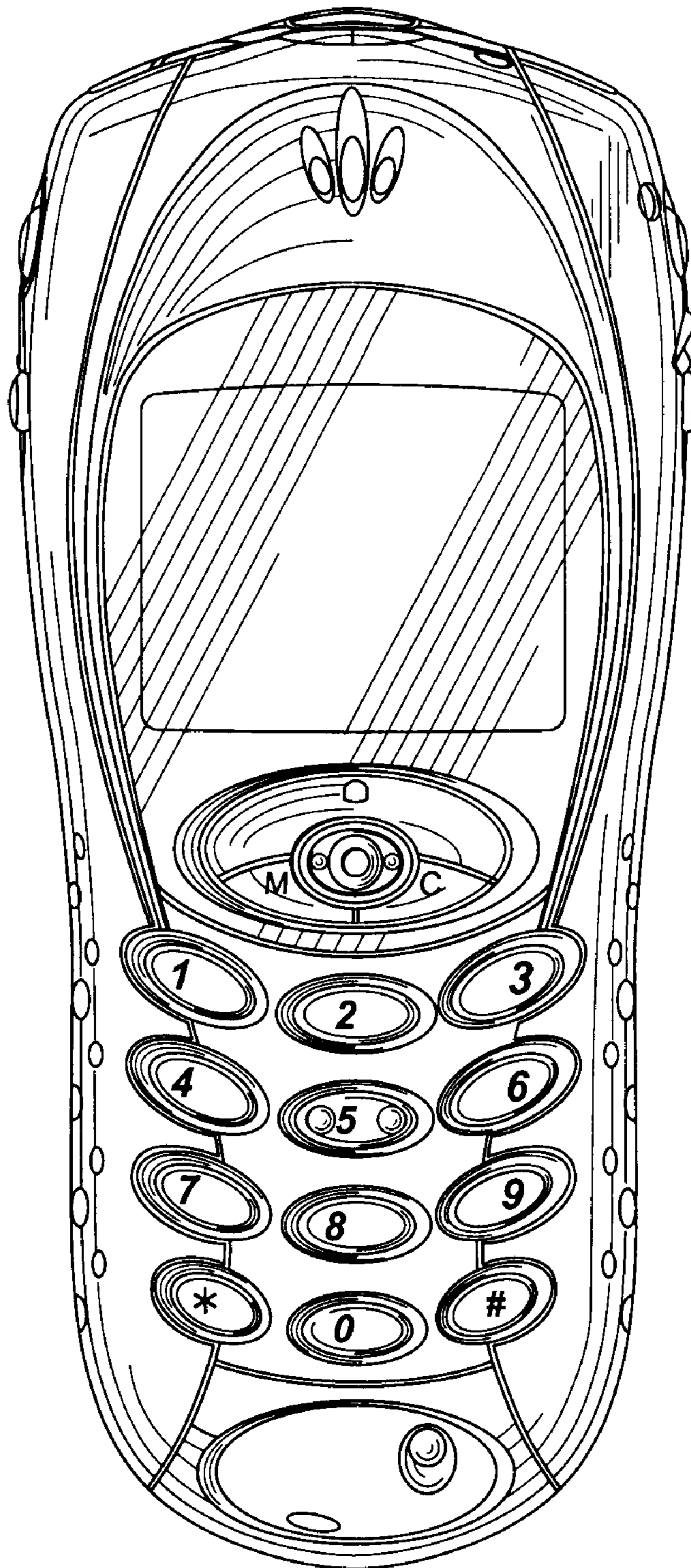


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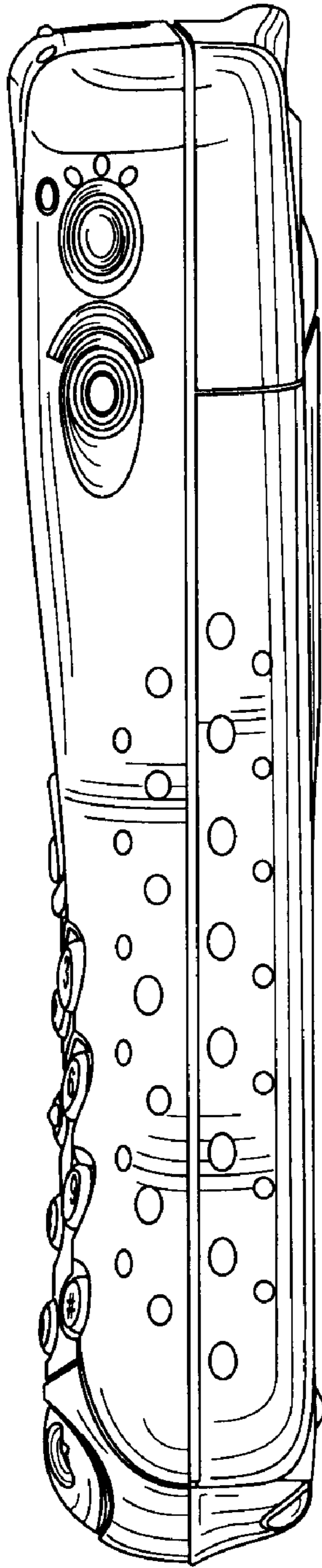


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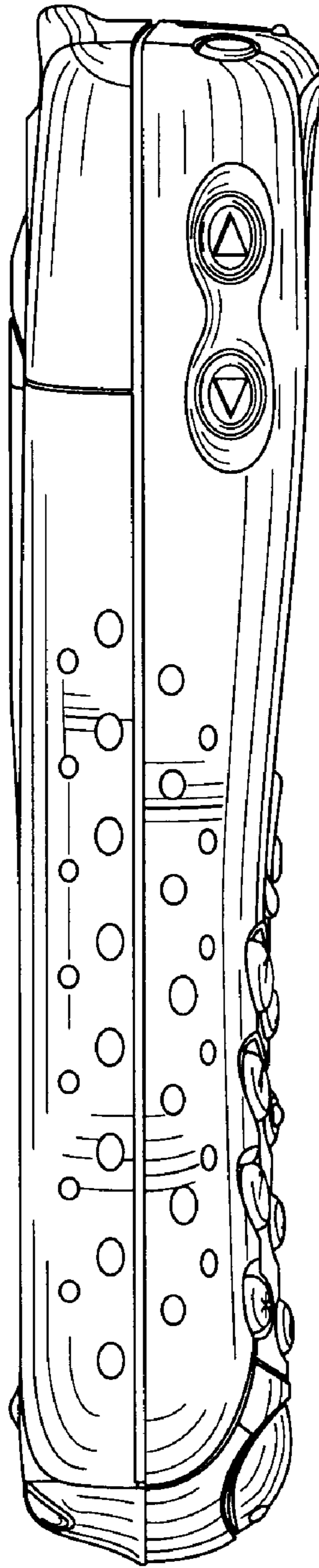


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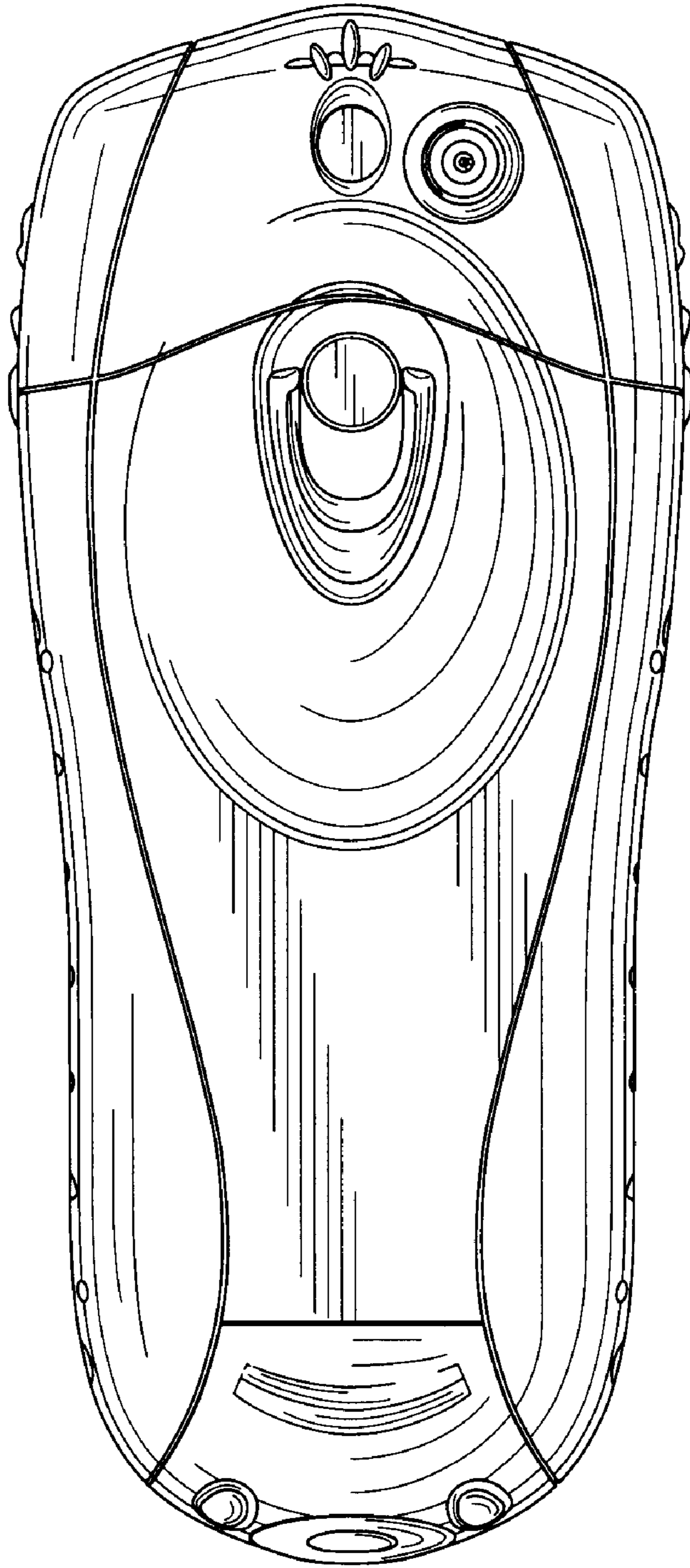


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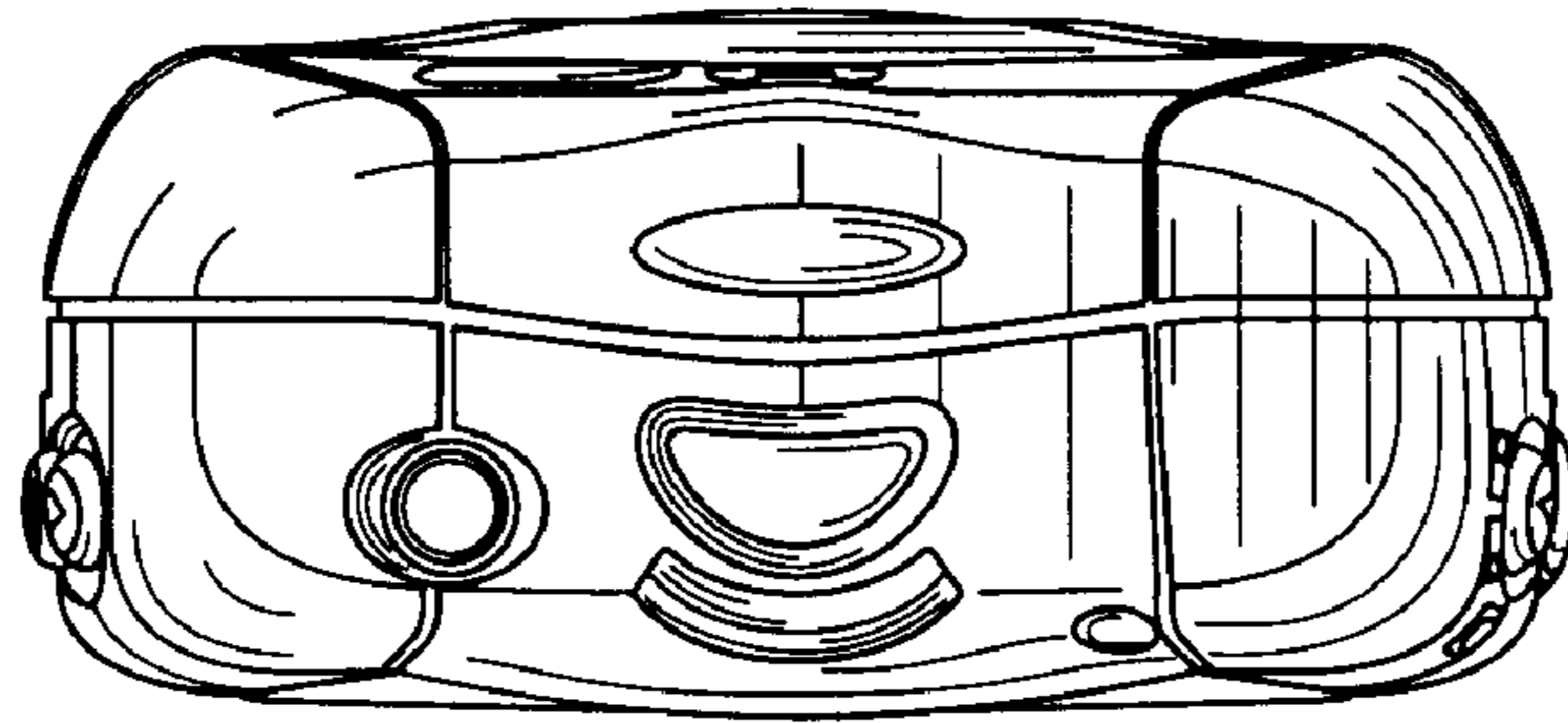


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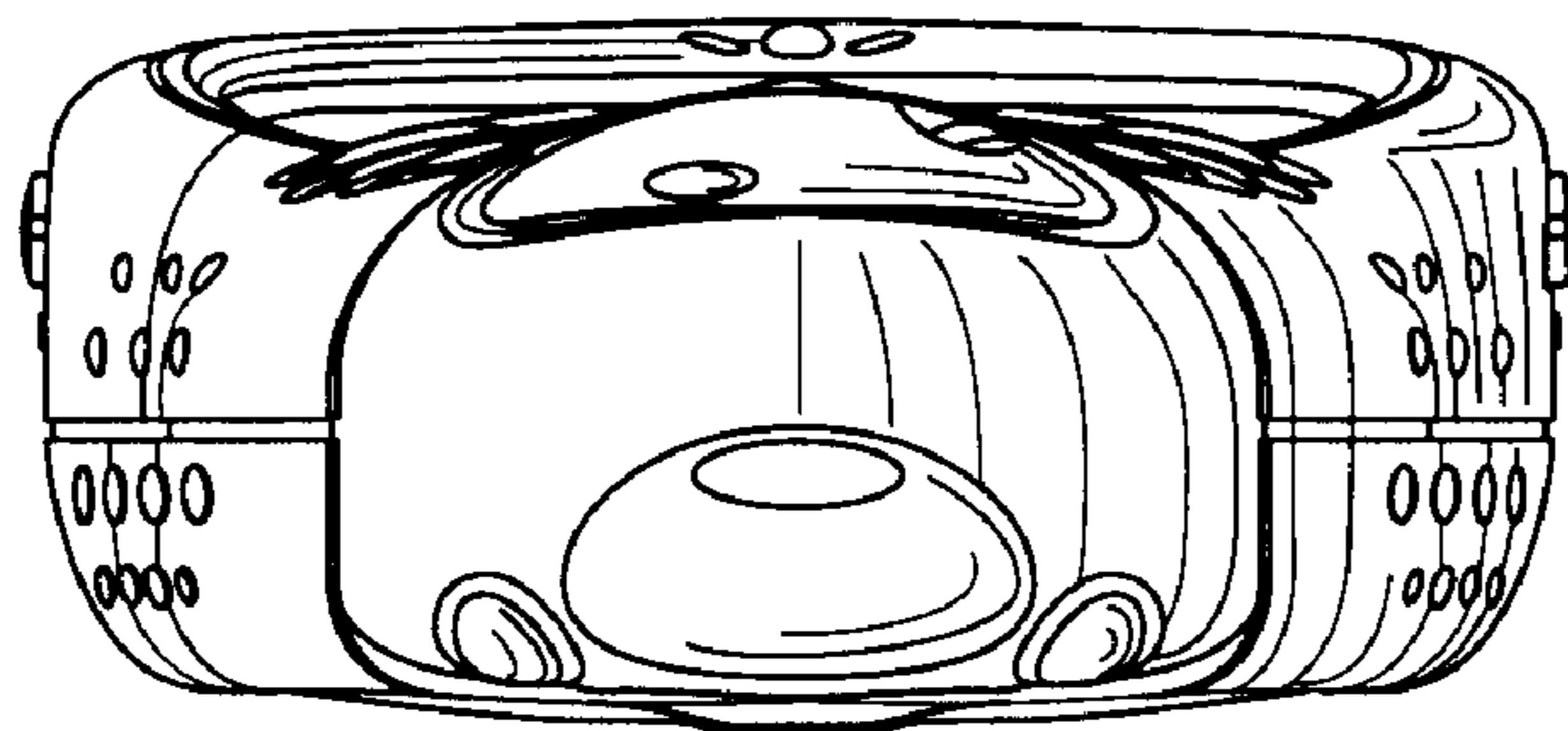


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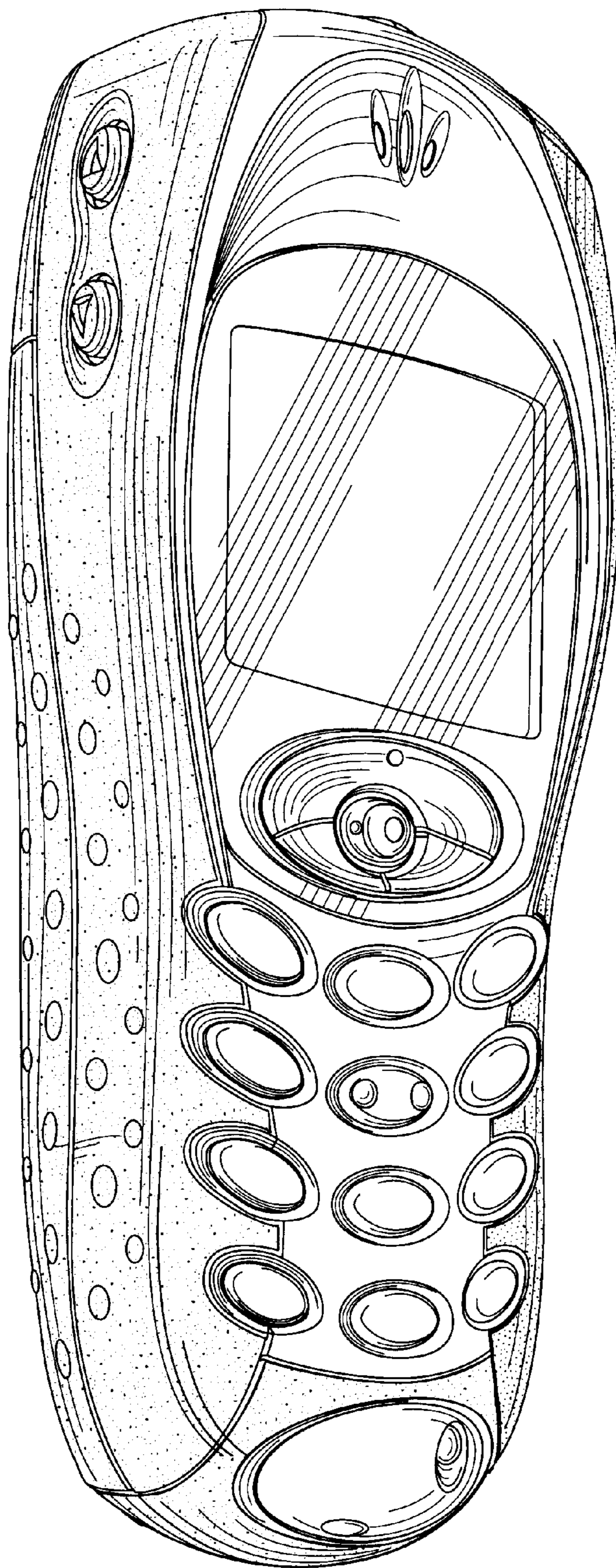


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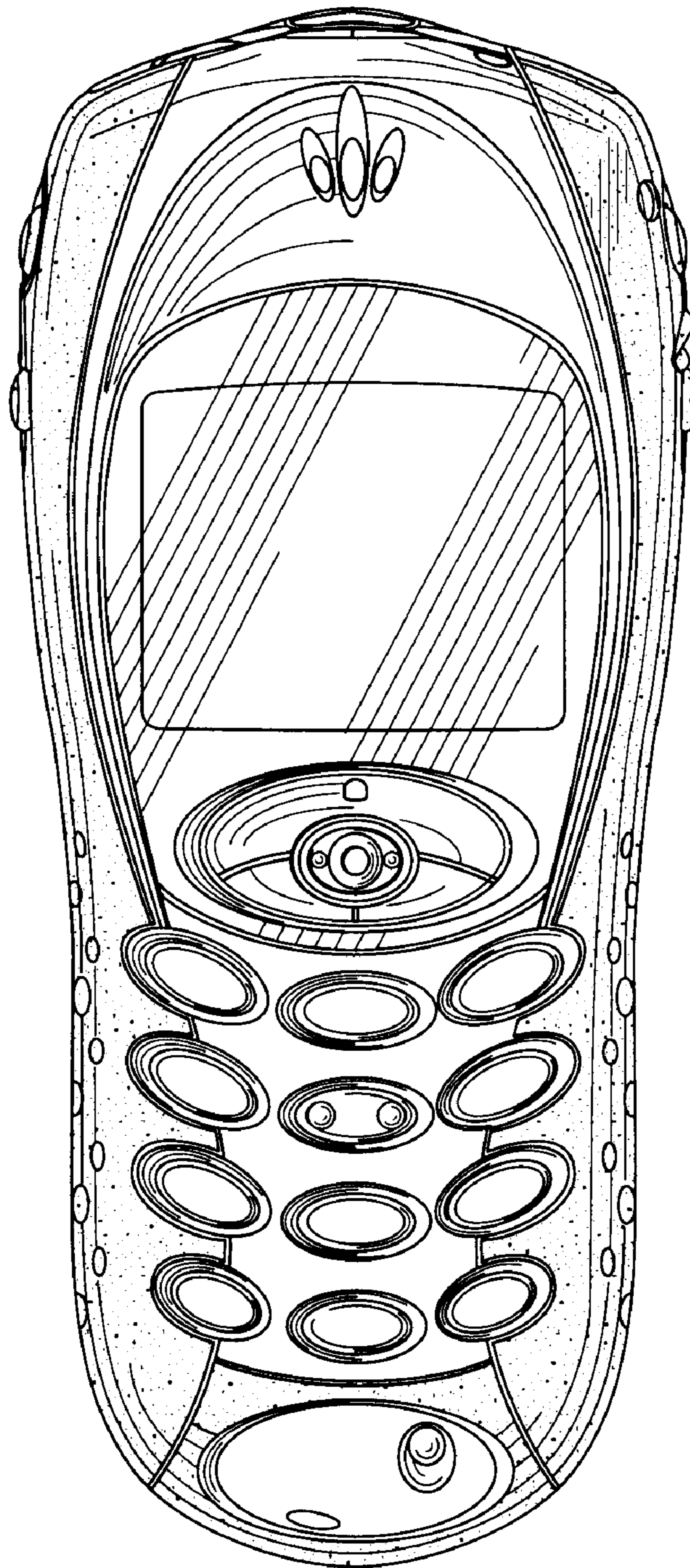


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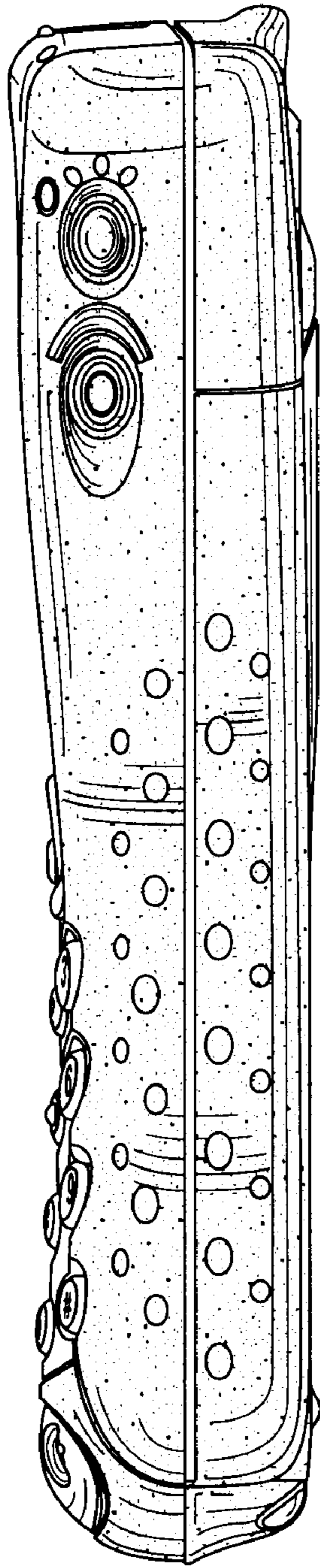


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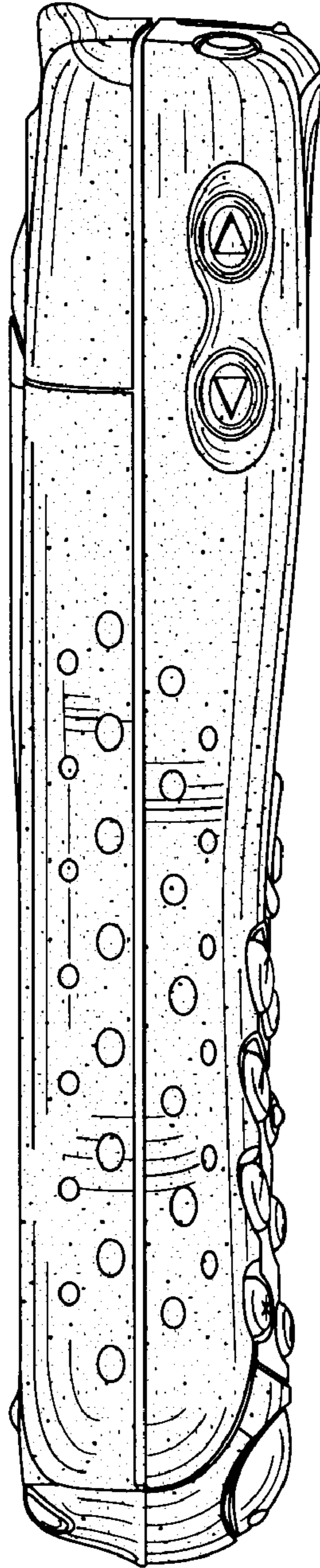


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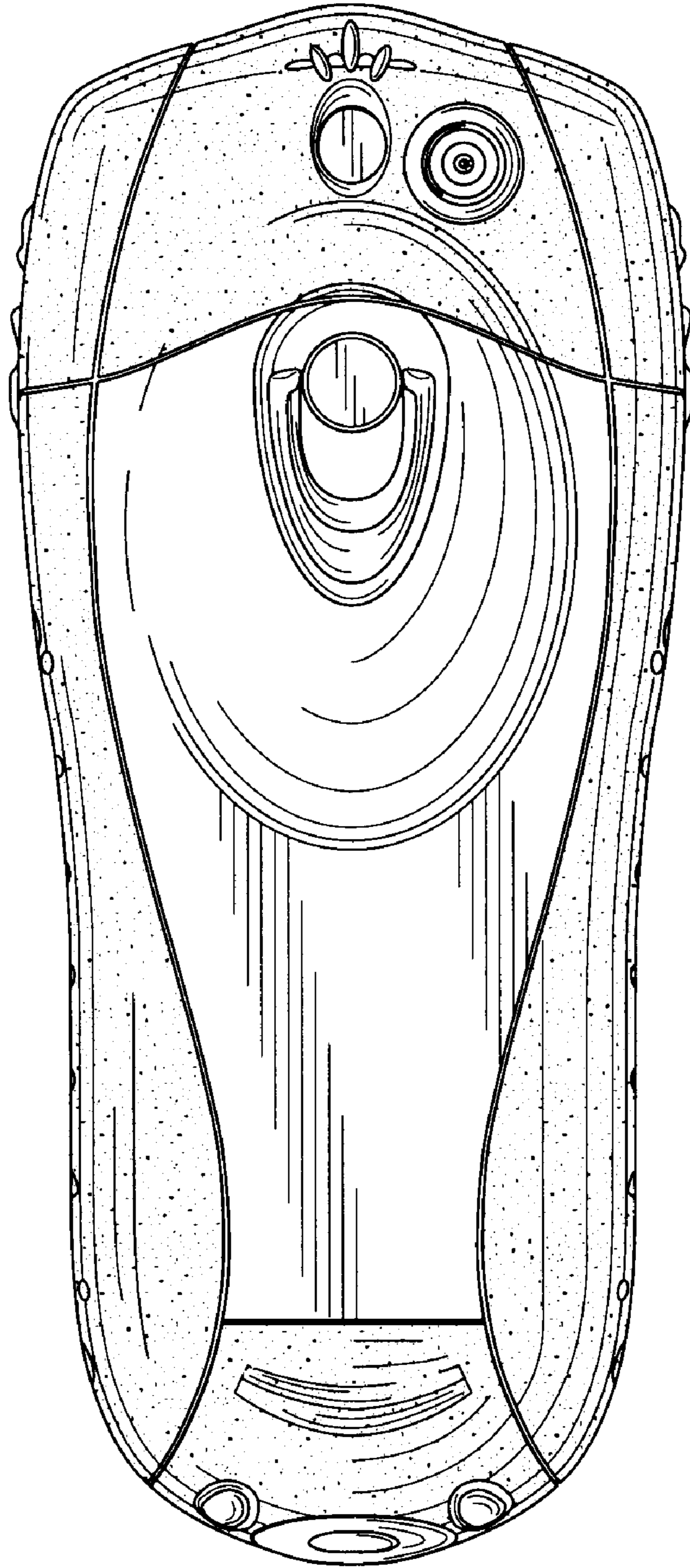


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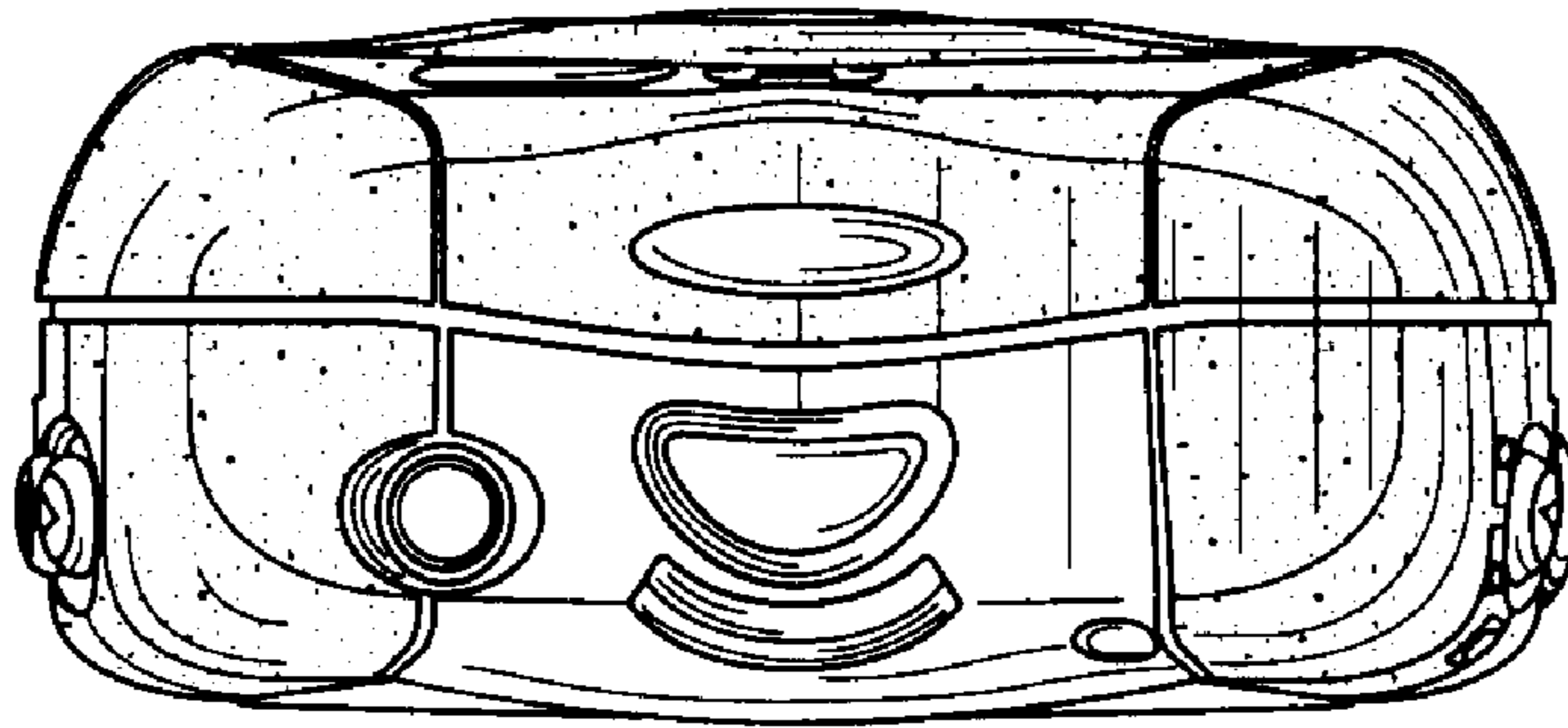


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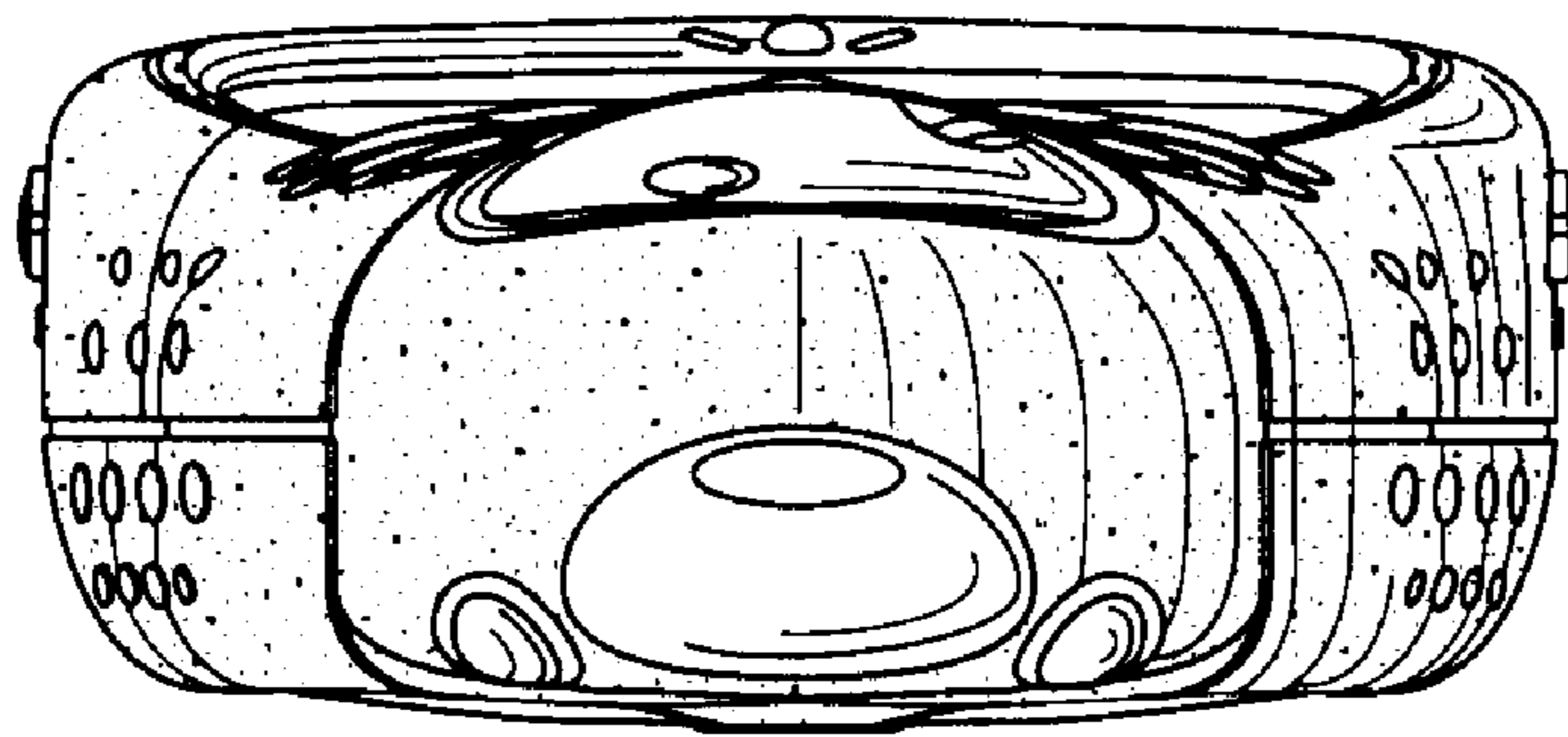


FIG. 14.