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(54) **GOLF CLUB HEAD CONNECTION ELEMENT**

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(57) **CLAIM**

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The ornamental design for a golf club head connection element, as shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

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FIG. 1 is a perspective drawing of the golf club head connection element having features of the invention;

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FIG. 2 is a reduced top perspective view thereof, the broken line showing of the golf clubs is for illustrative purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design;

(58) **Field of Search** D21/733, 752, D21/759; 473/305, 307, 308, 343–345

FIG. 3 is a enlarged top perspective view illustrated in FIG. 2;

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FIG. 4 is a first side view of the golf club head connection element illustrated in FIG. 1;

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FIG. 5 is a second side view of the golf club head connection element illustrated in FIG. 1;

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

8 views of a prior art golf club extension element. No date supplied.

FIG. 6 is a first end view of the golf club head connection element illustrated in FIG. 1;

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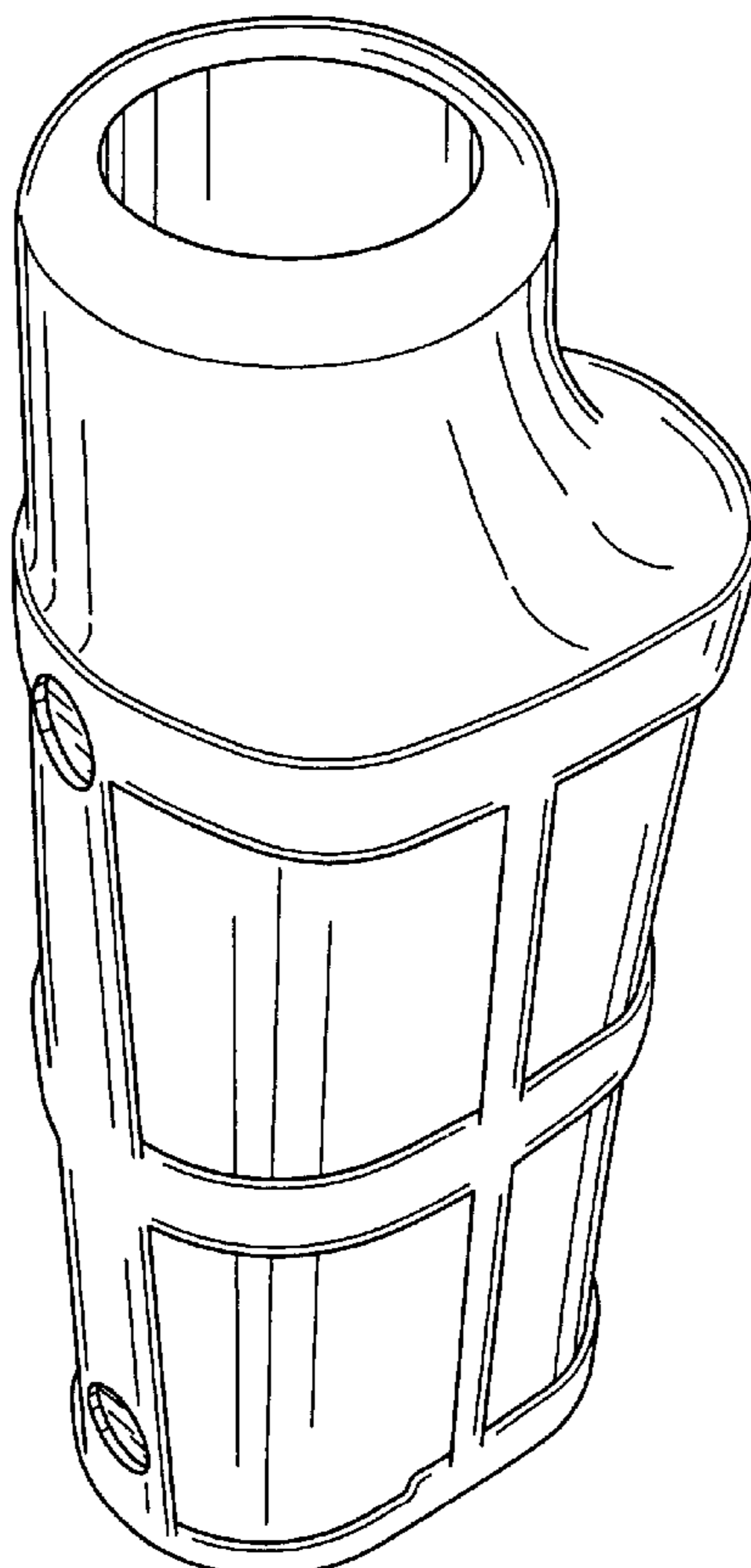
FIG. 7 is a second end view of the golf club head connection element illustrated in FIG. 1;

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FIG. 8 is a top view of the golf club head connection element illustrated in FIG. 1; and,

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FIG. 9 is a bottom view of the golf club head connection element illustrated in FIG. 1.



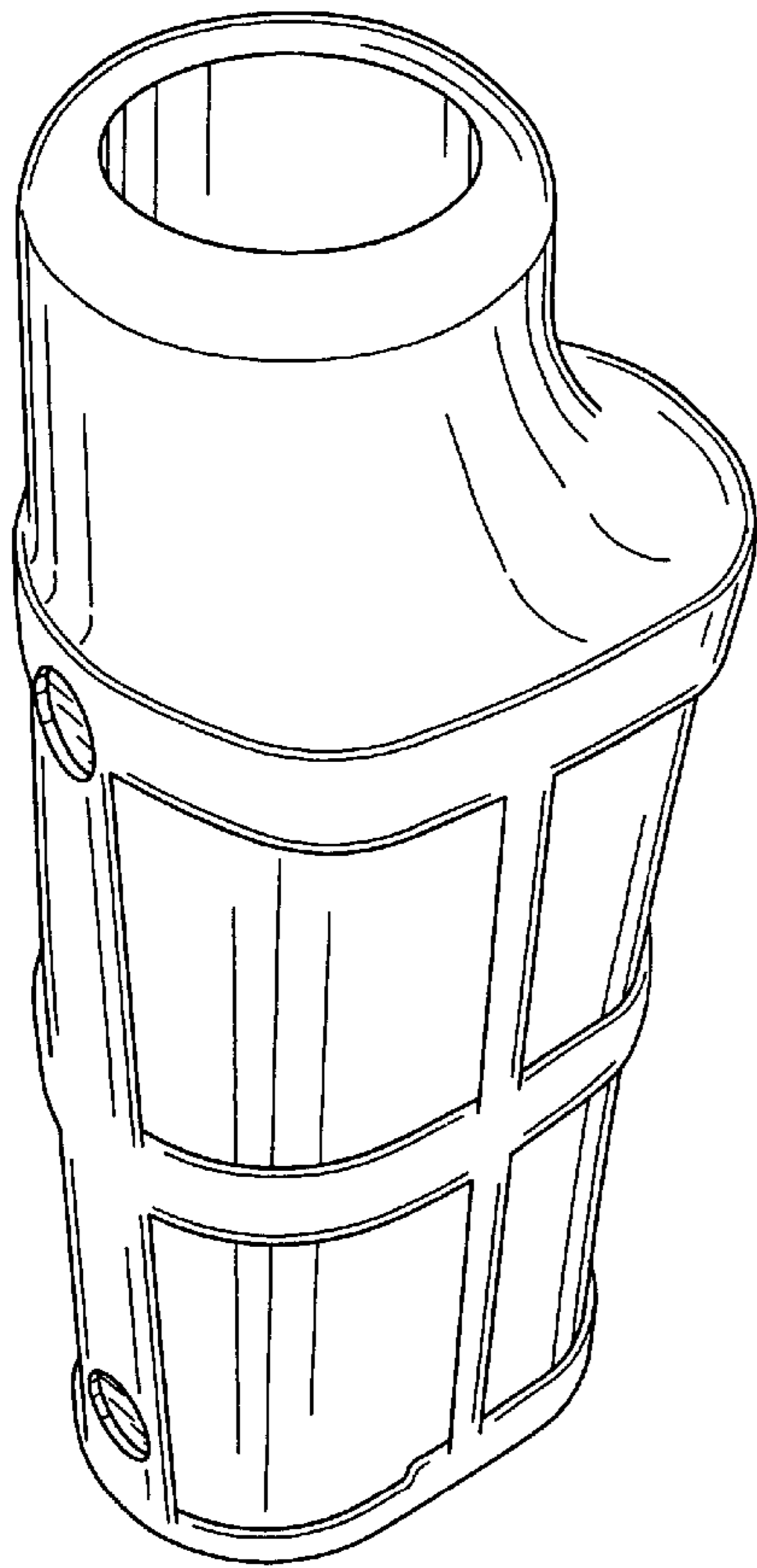


FIG. 1

FIG. 2

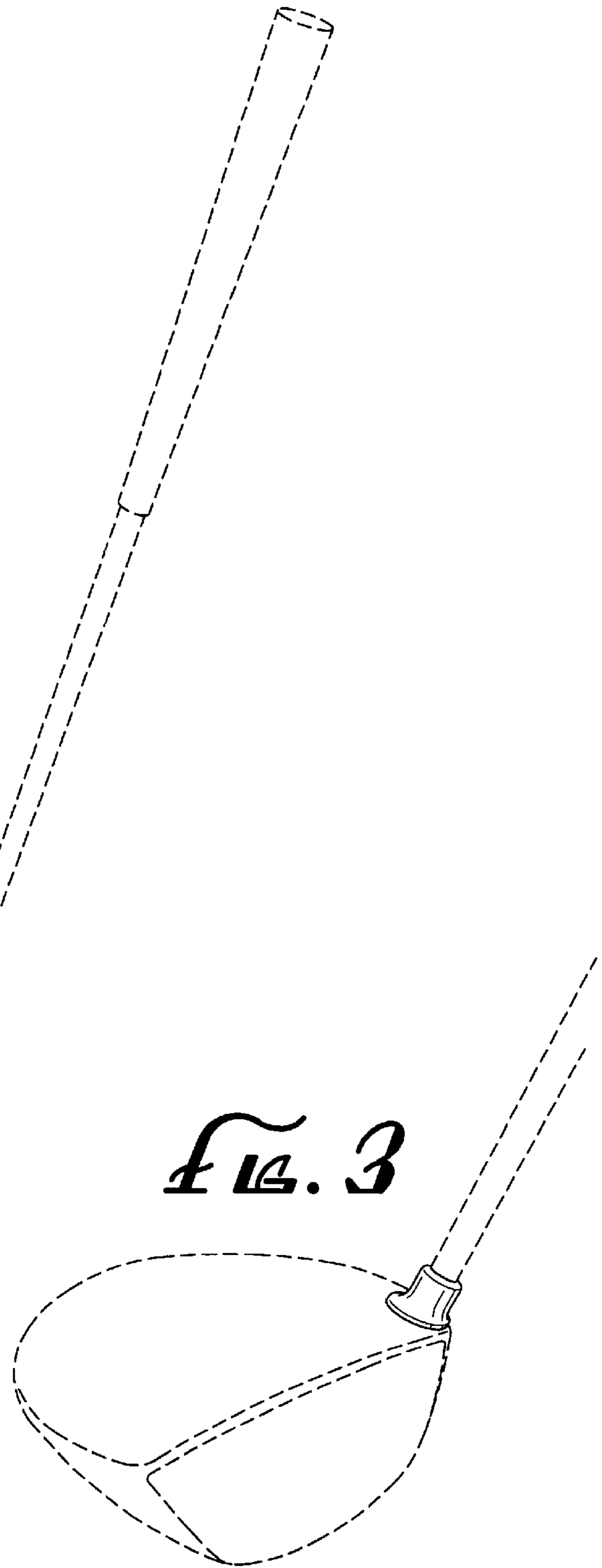
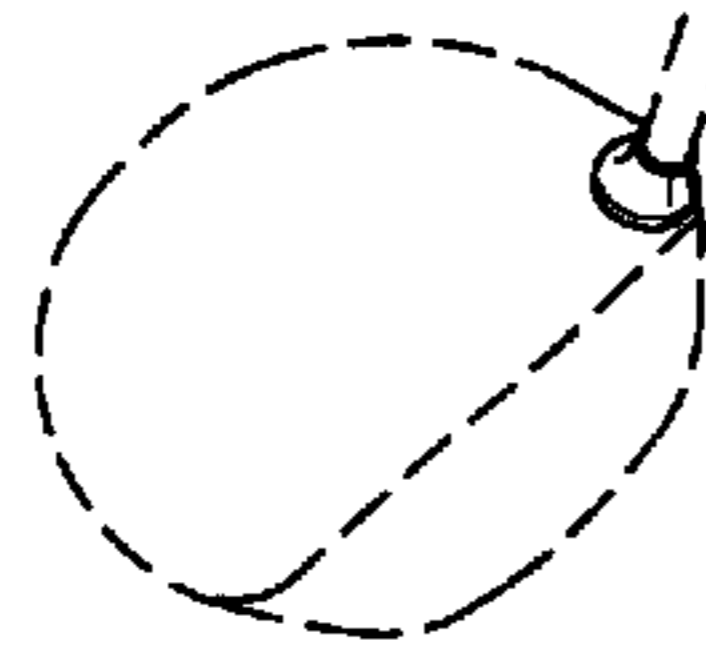


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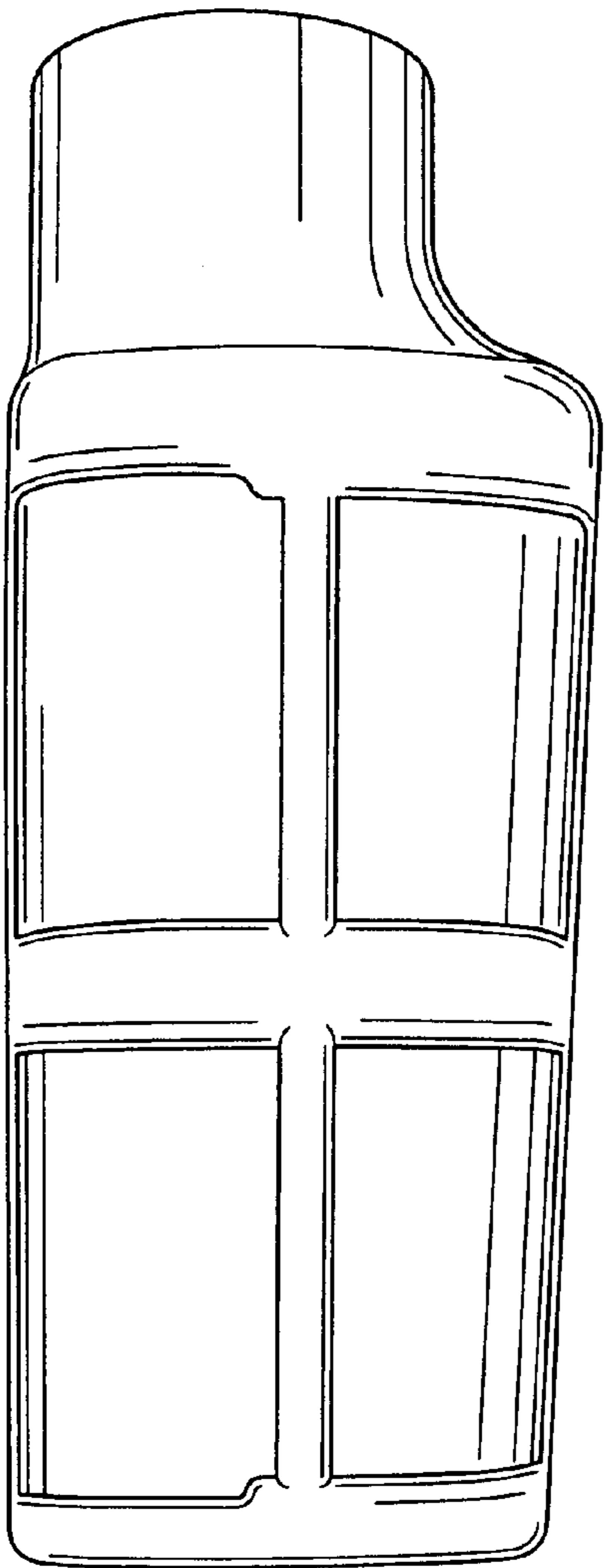


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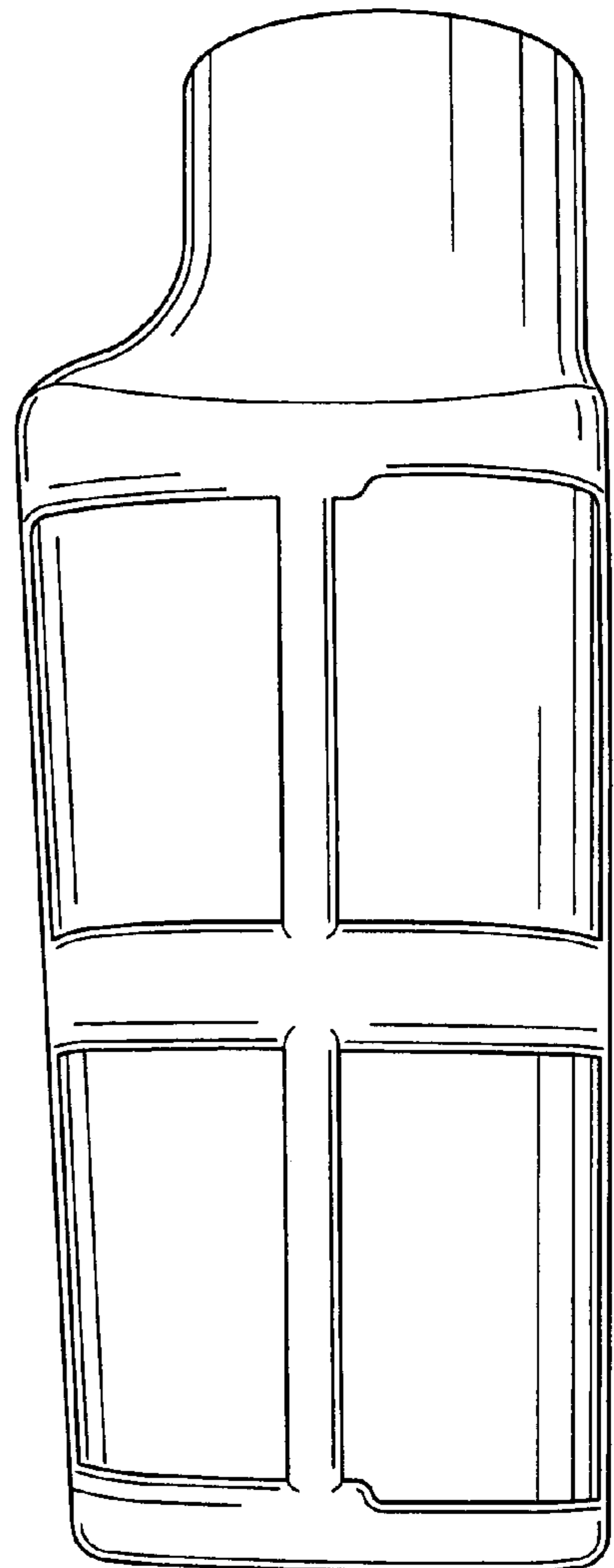


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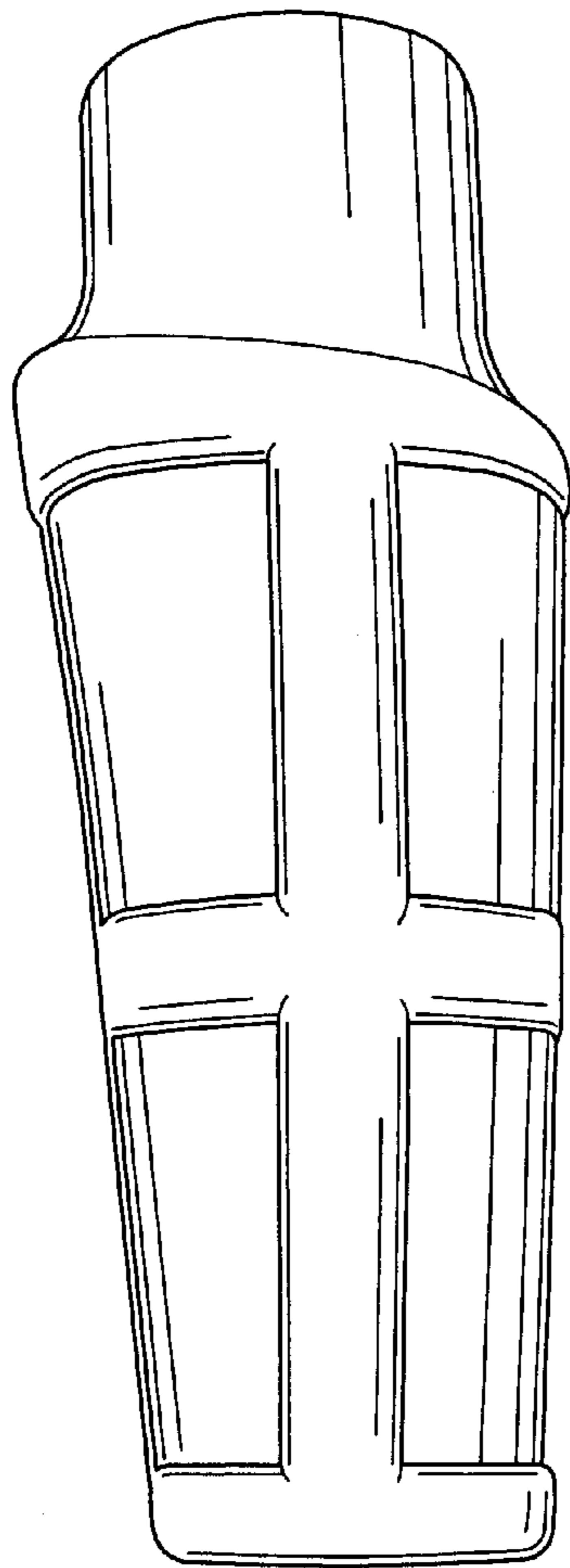


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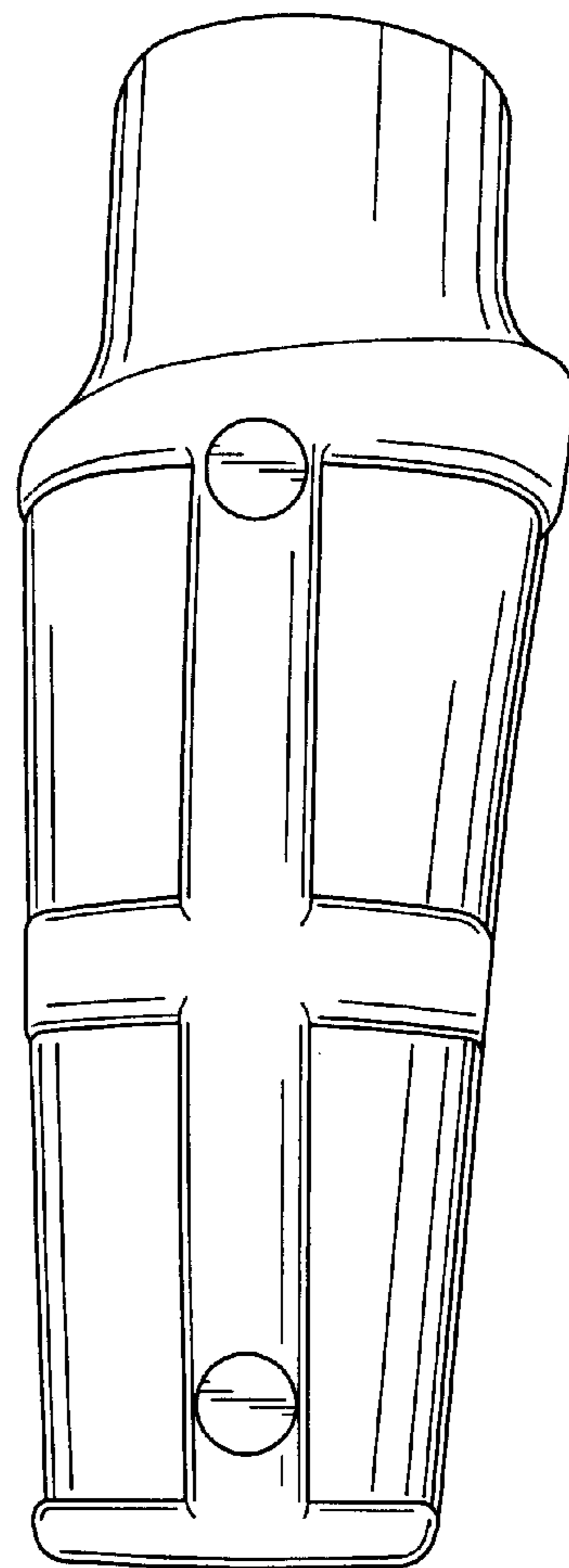


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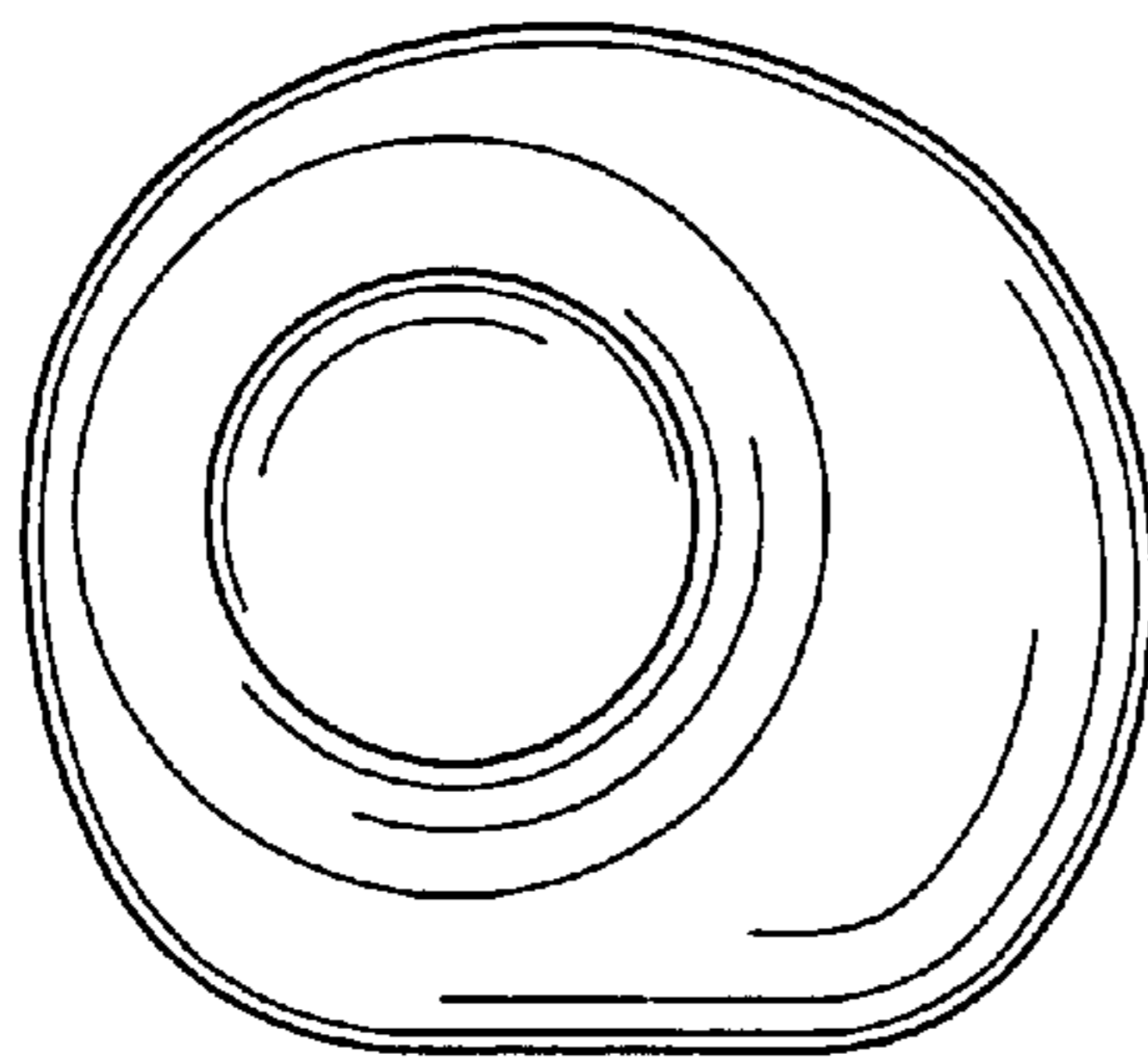


FIG. 8

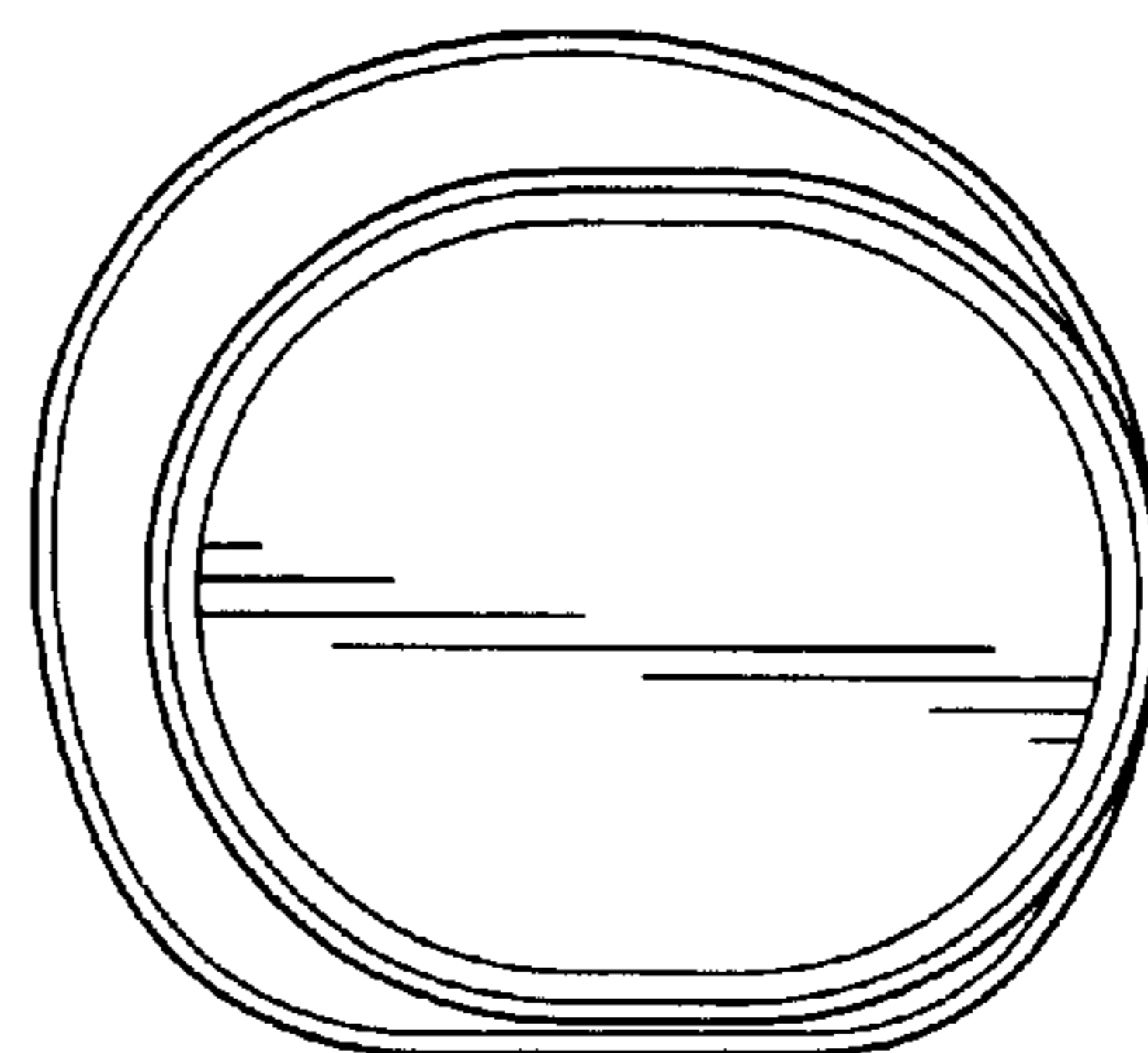


FIG. 9