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(54) **DOWNDRAFT GRILL FOR A COOKING APPLIANCE**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a downdraft grill for a cooking appliance, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a top right perspective view of our new downdraft grill design for a cooking appliance;

FIG. 2 is an enlarged upper right perspective view of the downdraft grill of FIG. 1 positioned upon a cooktop of a cooking appliance;

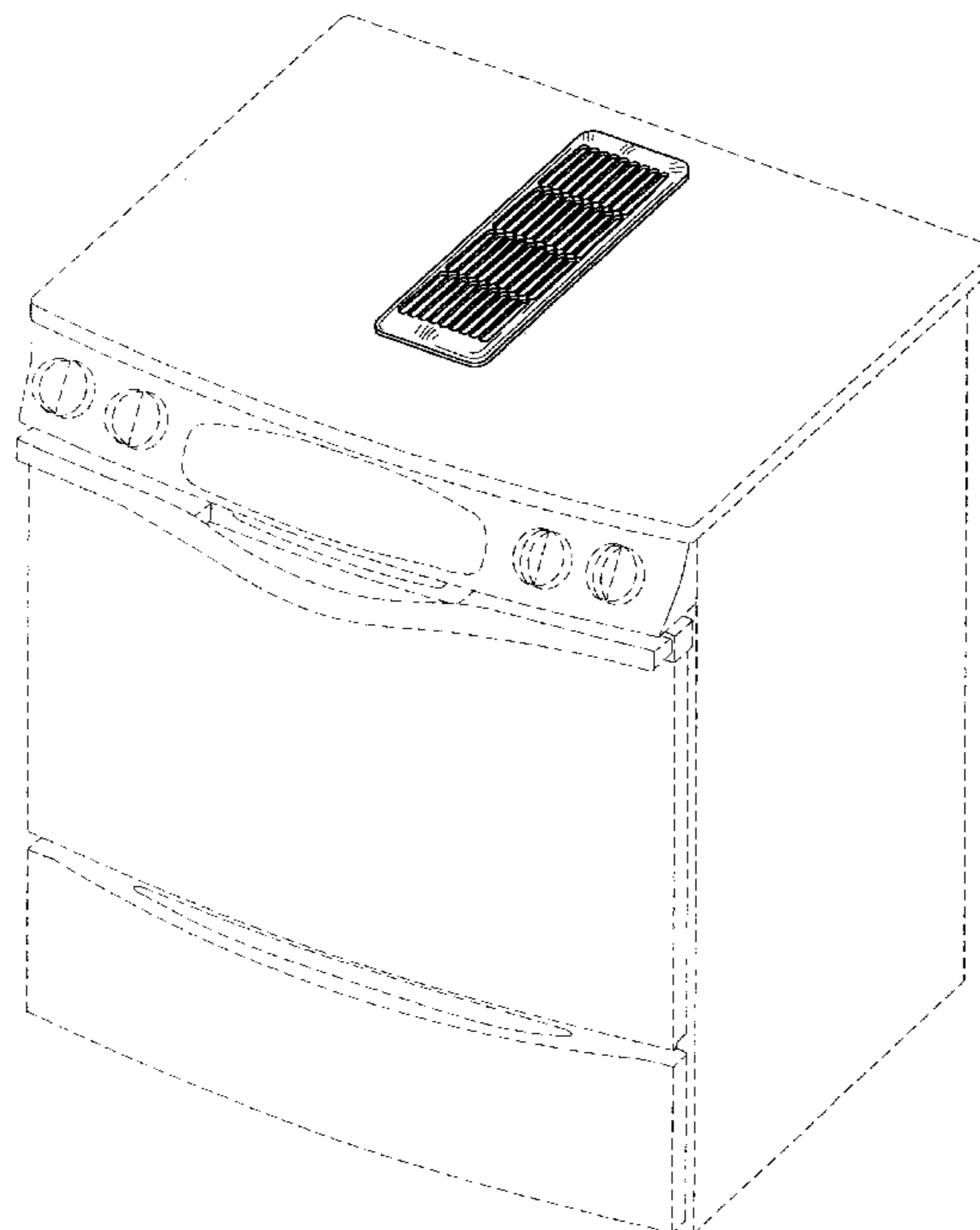
FIG. 3 is a top plan view of the downdraft grill of FIGS. 1 and 2;

FIG. 4 is a front elevational view of the downdraft grill of FIGS. 1 and 2, with the rear elevational view being a mirror image thereof; and,

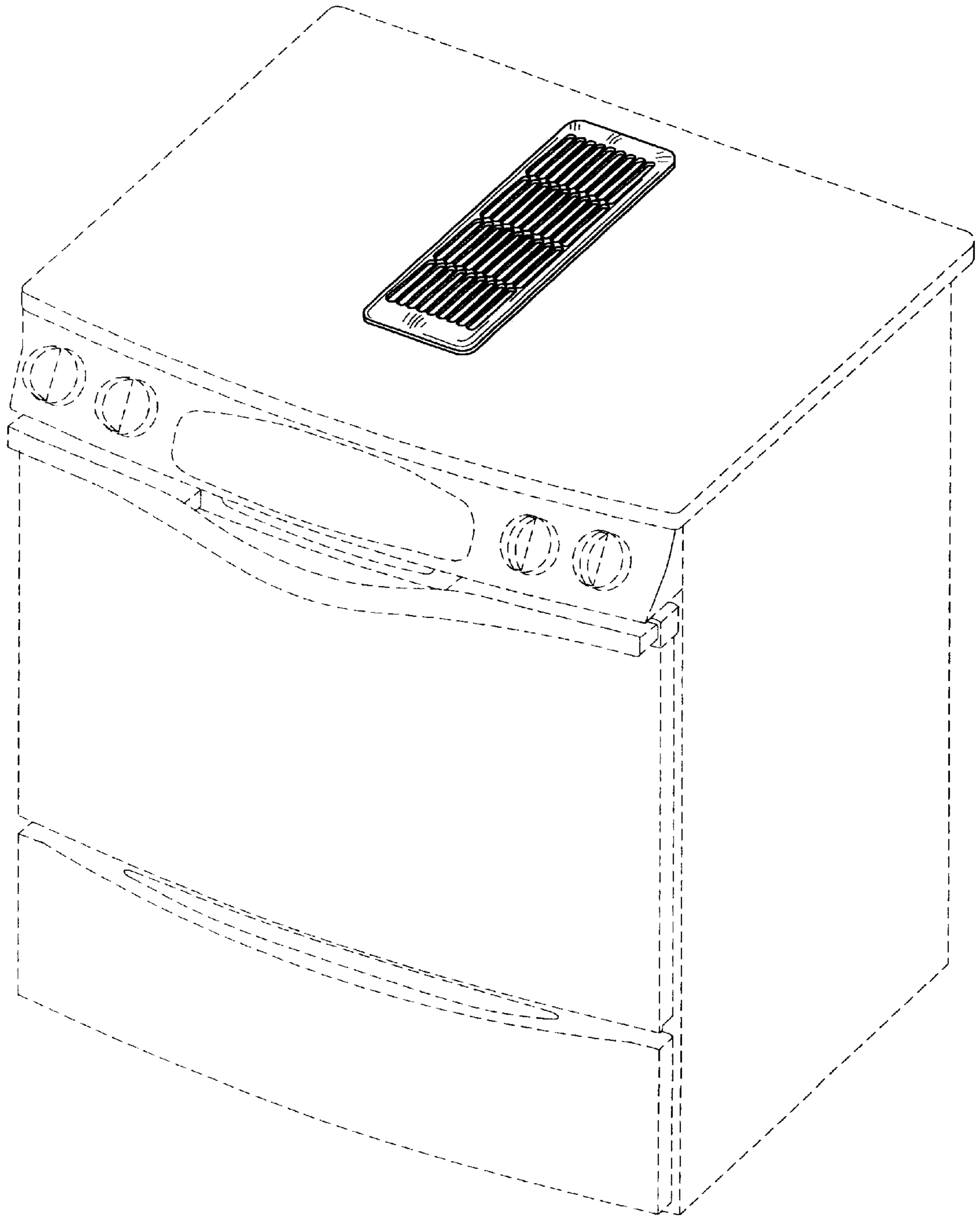
FIG. 5 is a right side elevational view of the downdraft grill of the invention, with the left side elevational view being a mirror image thereof.

The broken lines showing the overall cabinet, cooktop, control knobs, front control panel, and front door/handle assembly are for illustrative purposes only and form no part of the claimed invention.

**1 Claim, 3 Drawing Sheets**



*FIG. 1*



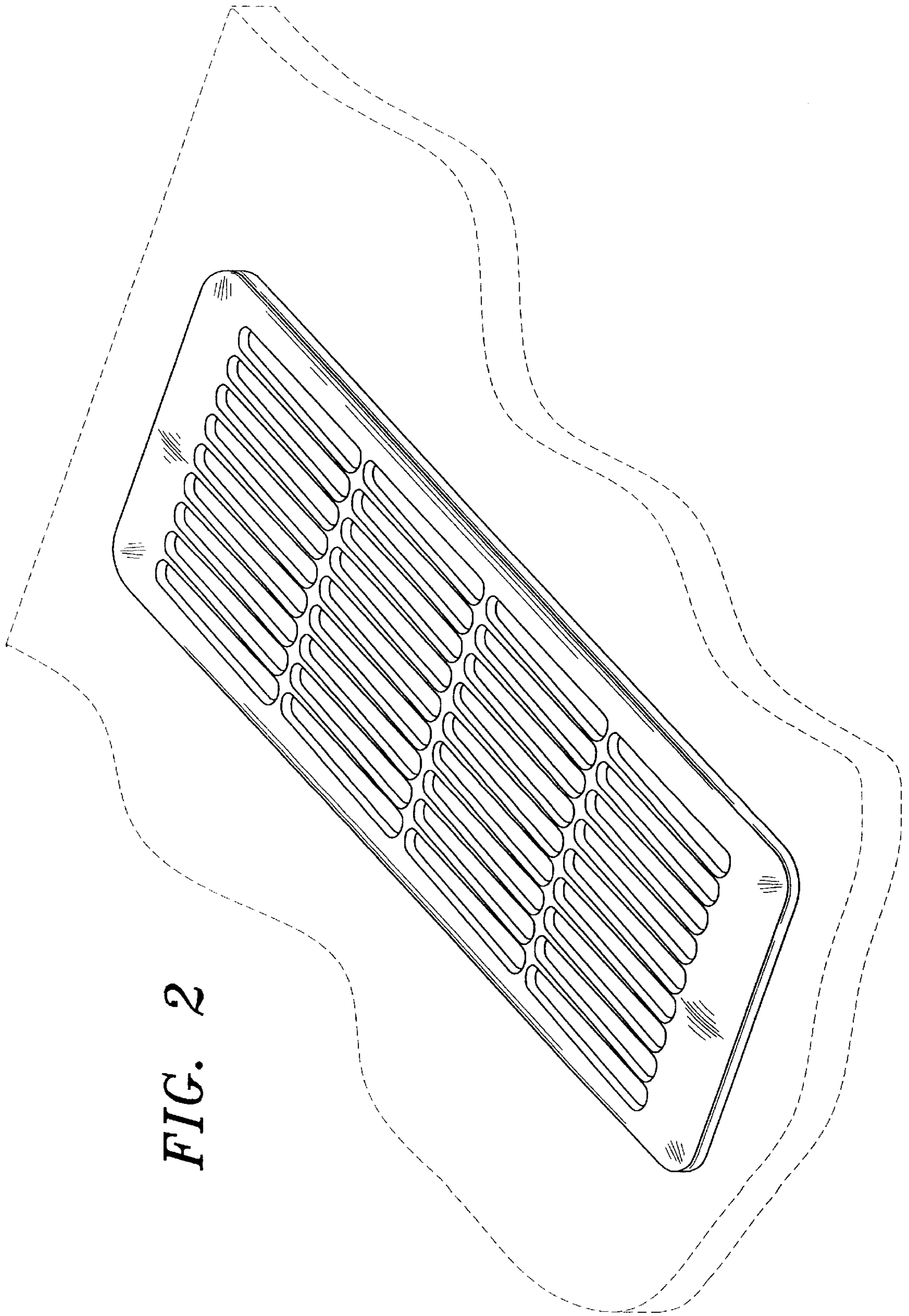
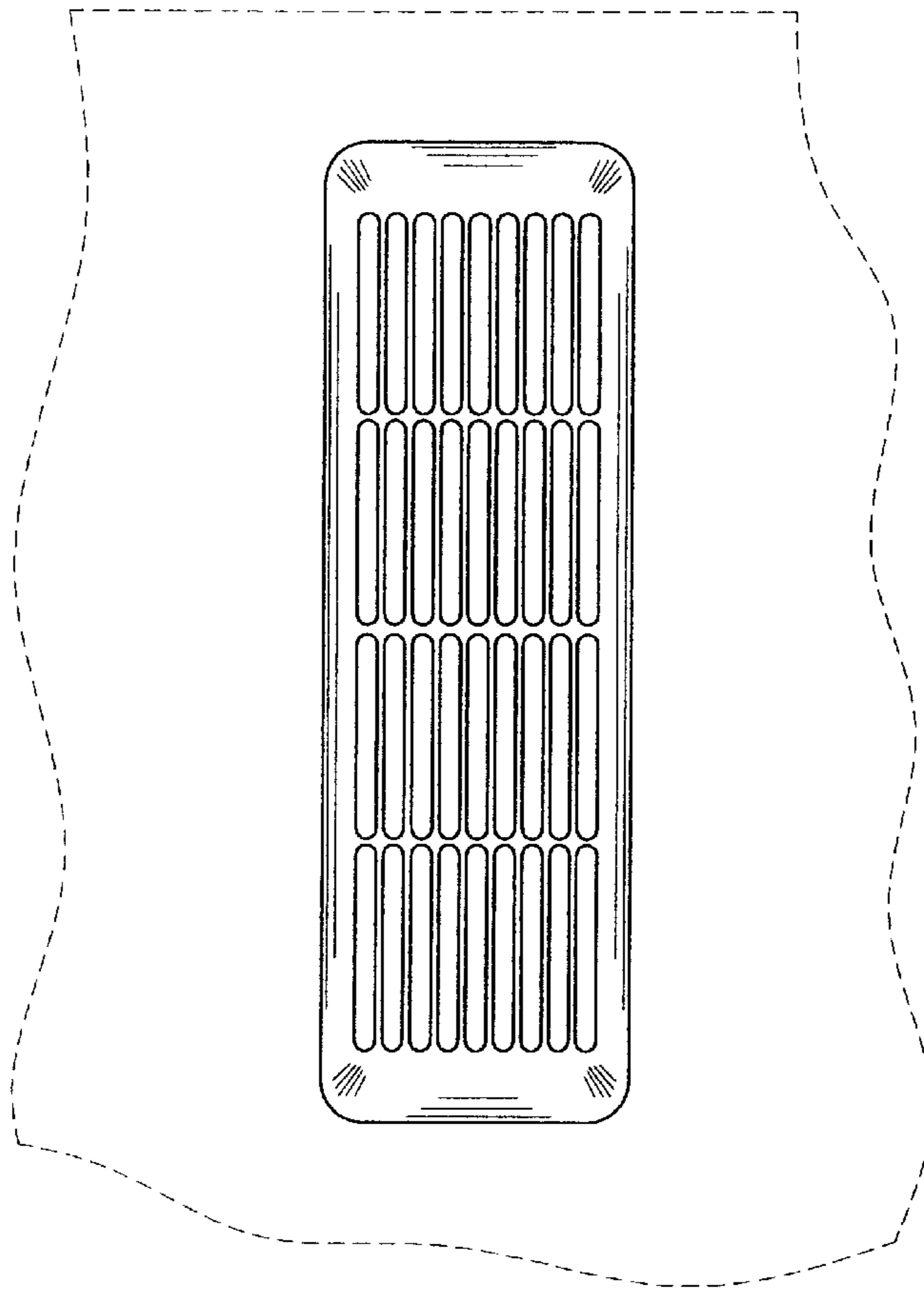


FIG. 2

*FIG. 3*



*FIG. 4*



*FIG. 5*

