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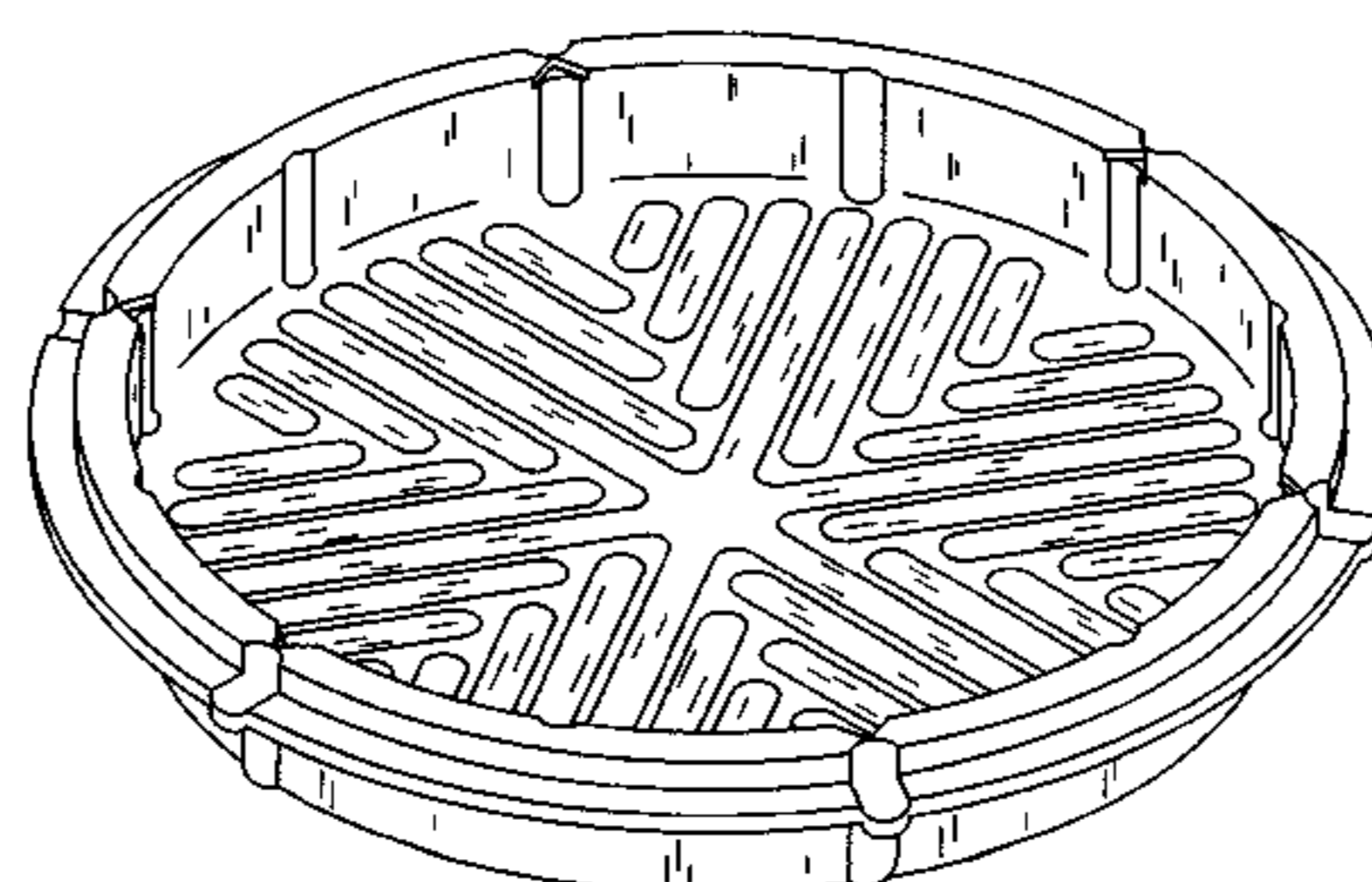
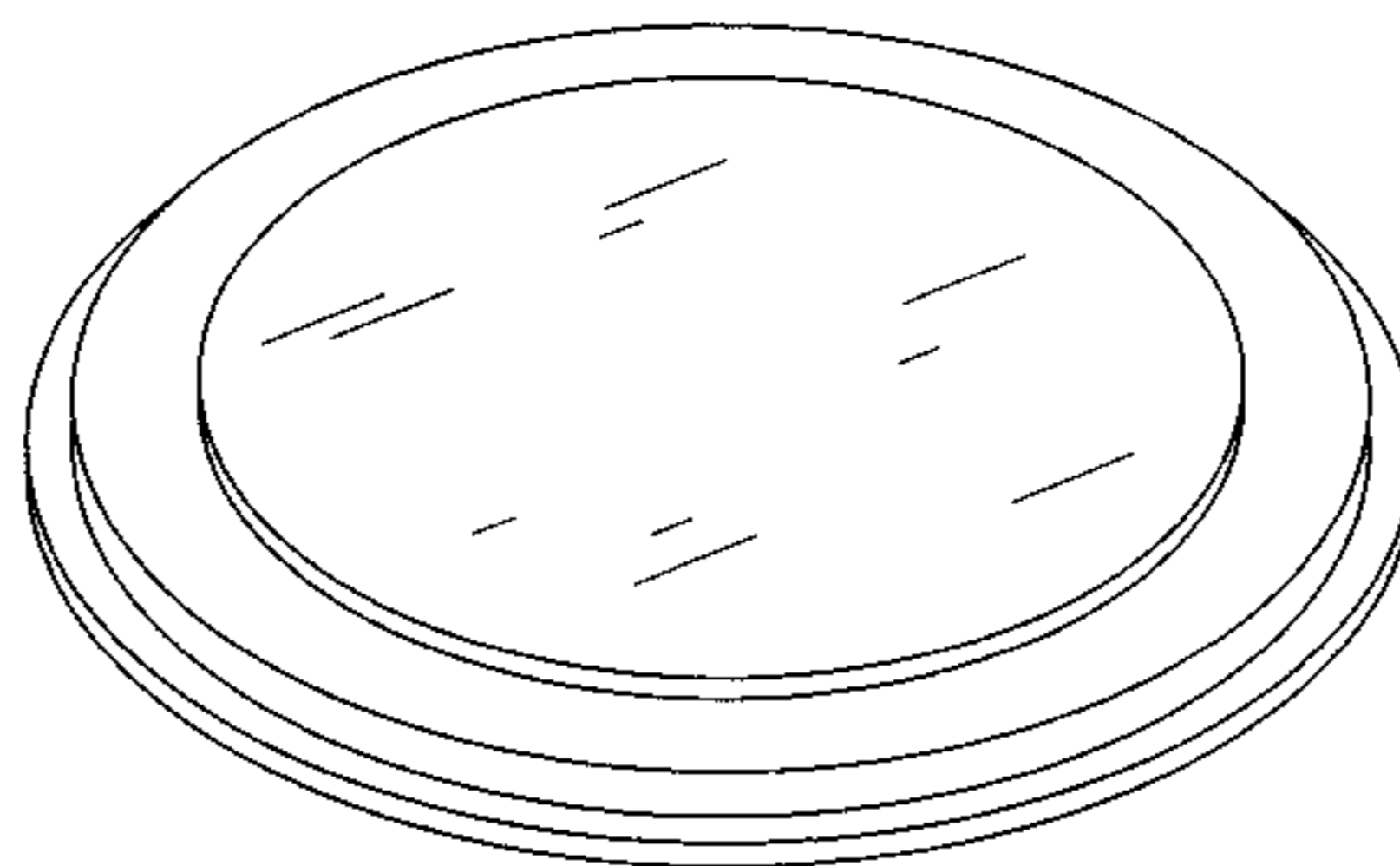
(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a microwave cooking tray, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is an exploded perspective view of a microwave cooking tray;
 FIG. 2 is a top plan view of the lid shown separately for ease of illustration;
 FIG. 3 is a top plan view of the cooking tray shown separately for ease of illustration; and,
 FIG. 4 is a side elevation view of the microwave cooking tray with the lid closed over the main tray portion. The other side views are identical.

1 Claim, 3 Drawing Sheets



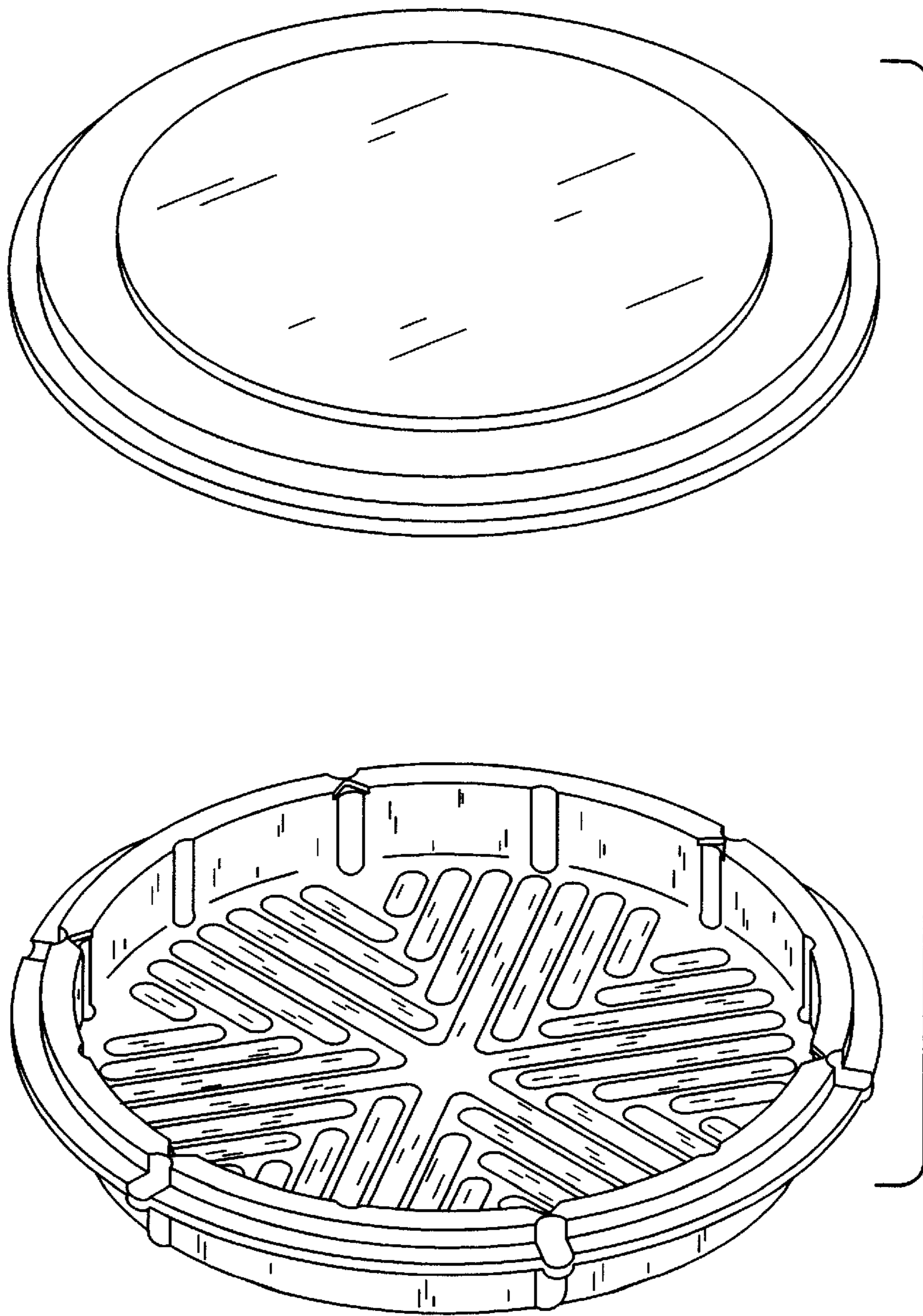


FIG. 1

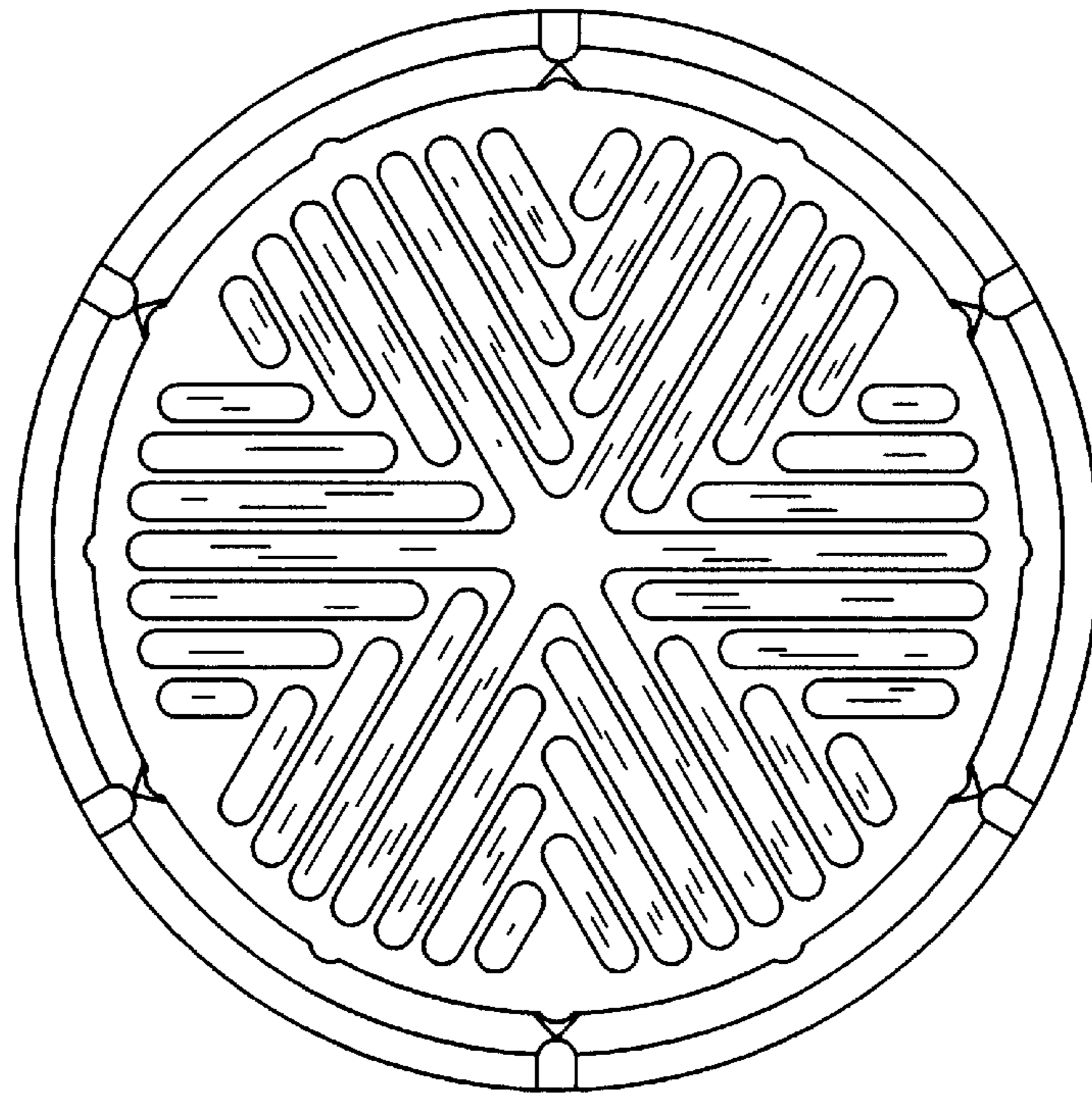


FIG. 3

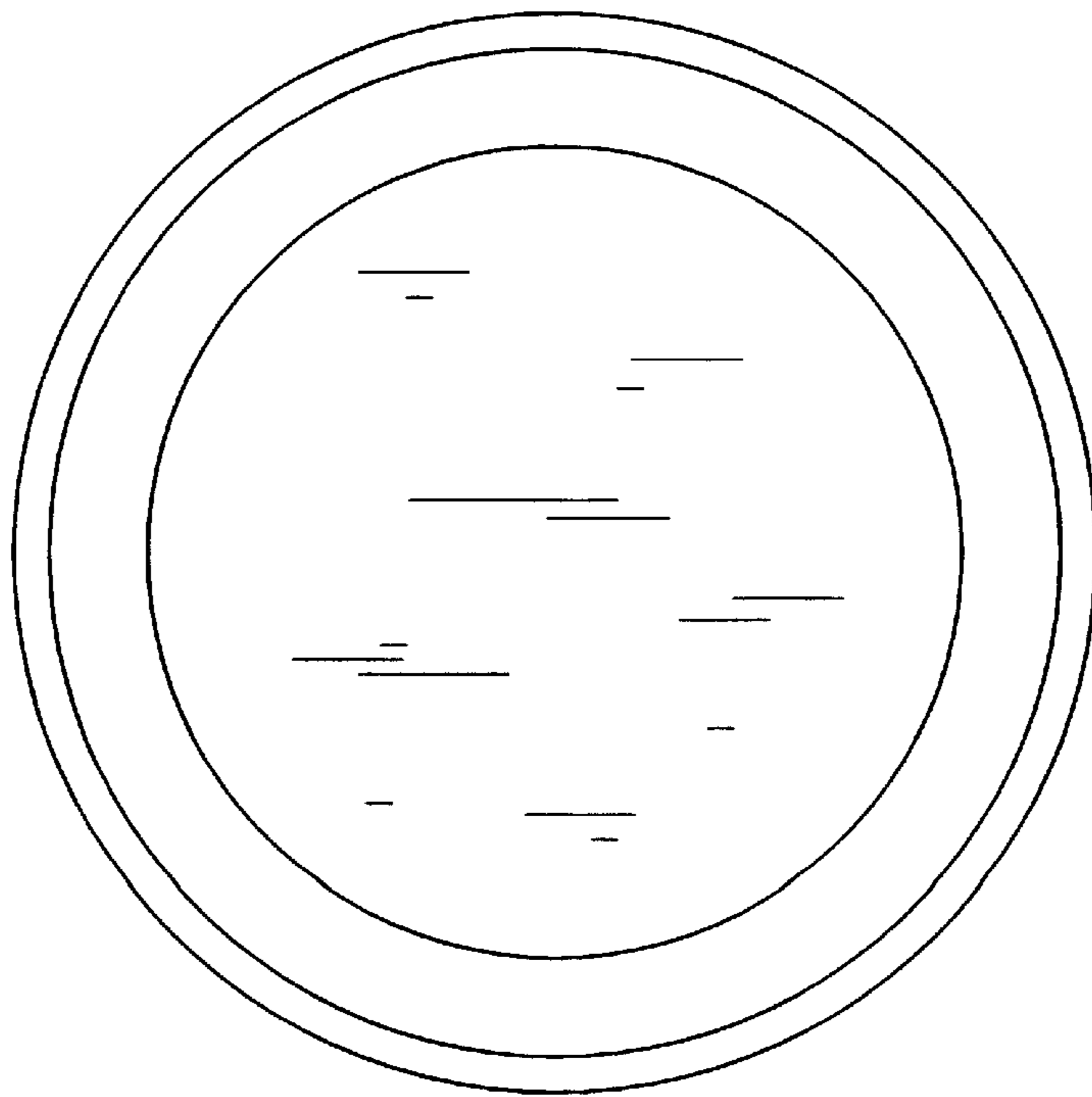


FIG. 2

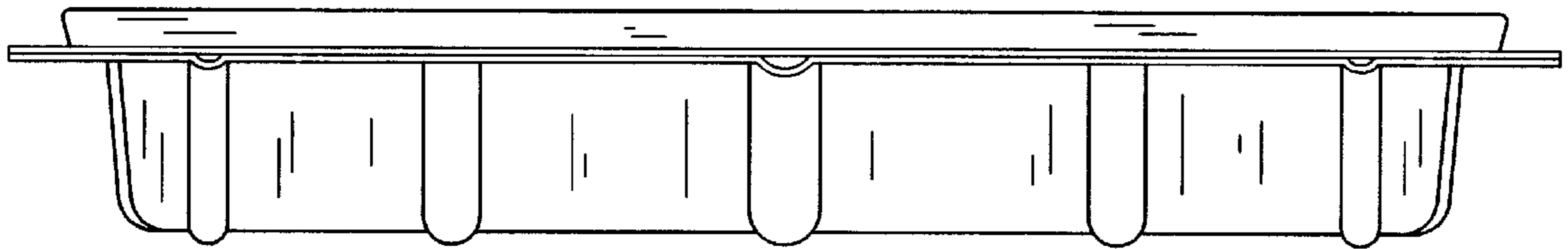


FIG. 4