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CLAIM

The ornamental design for footwear upper, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of the footwear upper embodying the new design;

FIG. 2 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a right side elevation view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a left side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 5 is a front elevational view thereof; and,

FIG. 6 is a rear elevational view thereof.

FIGS. 1-6 show an outsole in broken lines. The outsole is shown for environmental purposes and does not form any part of the claimed design.

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Fig. 1

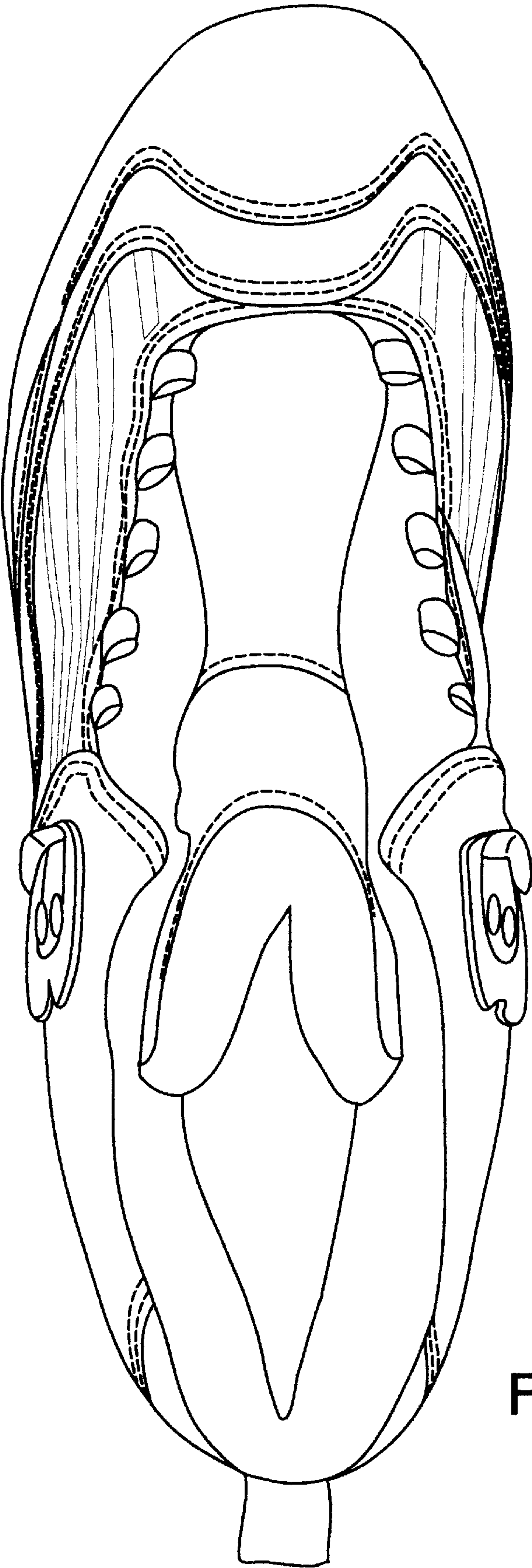


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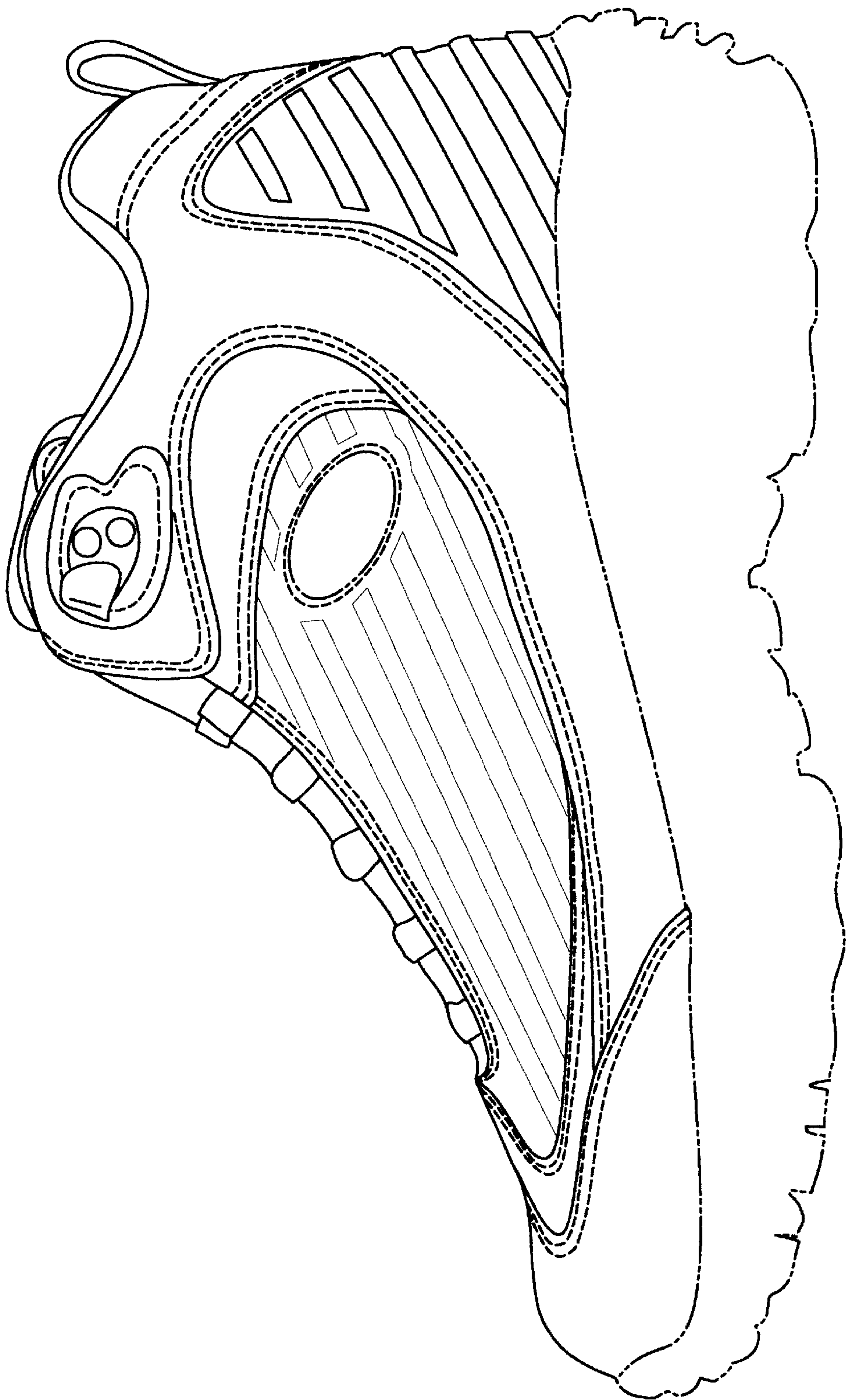


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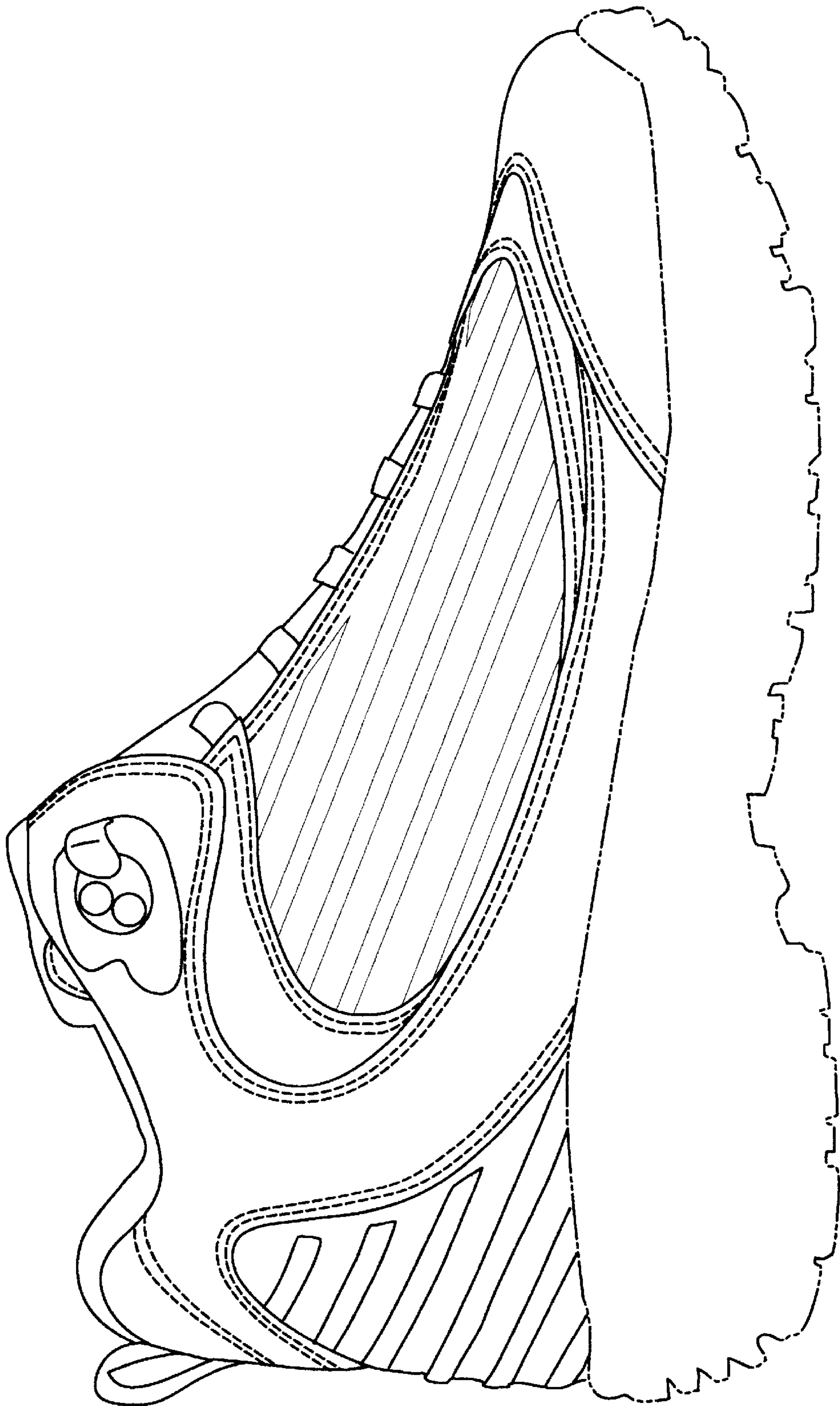


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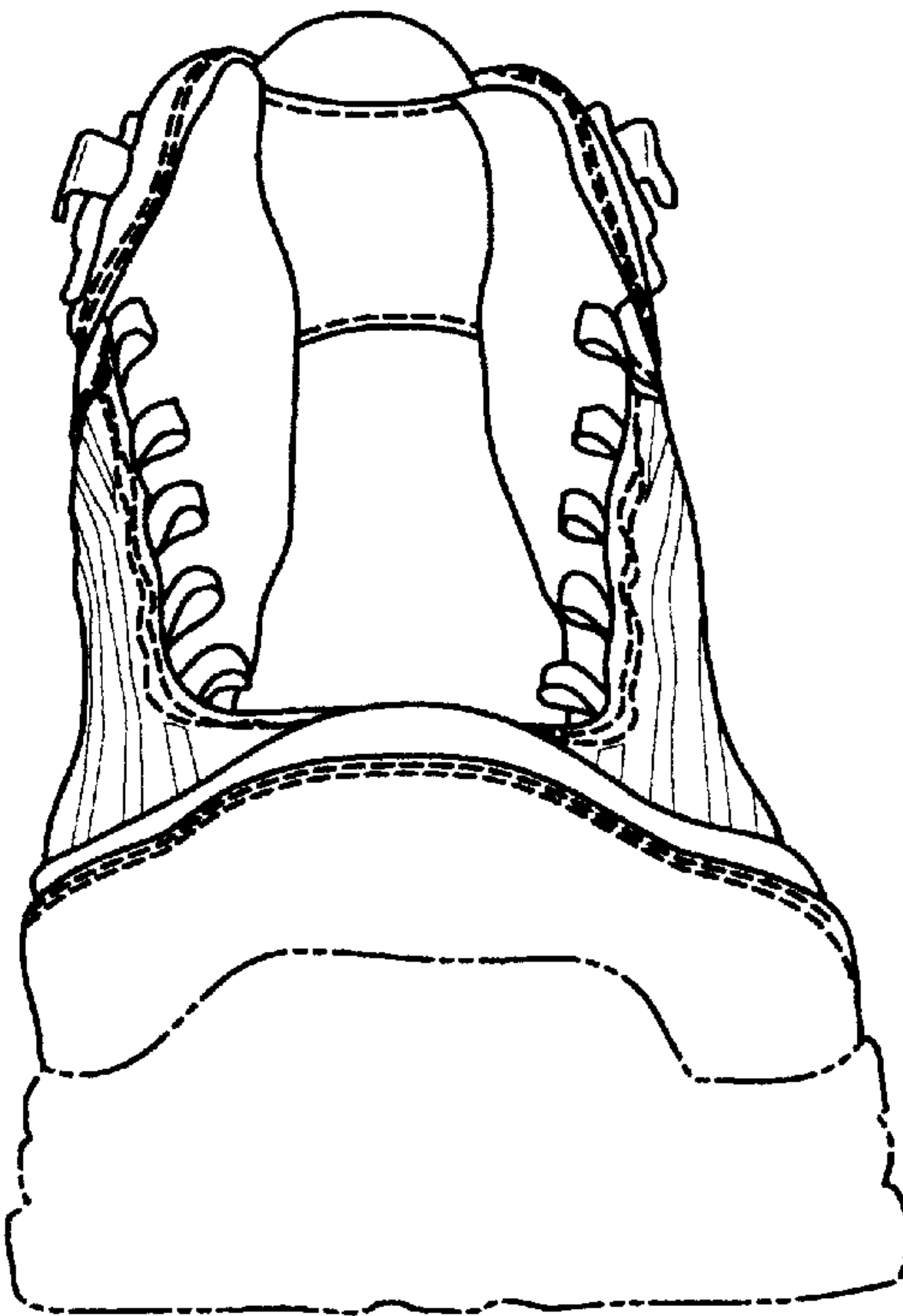


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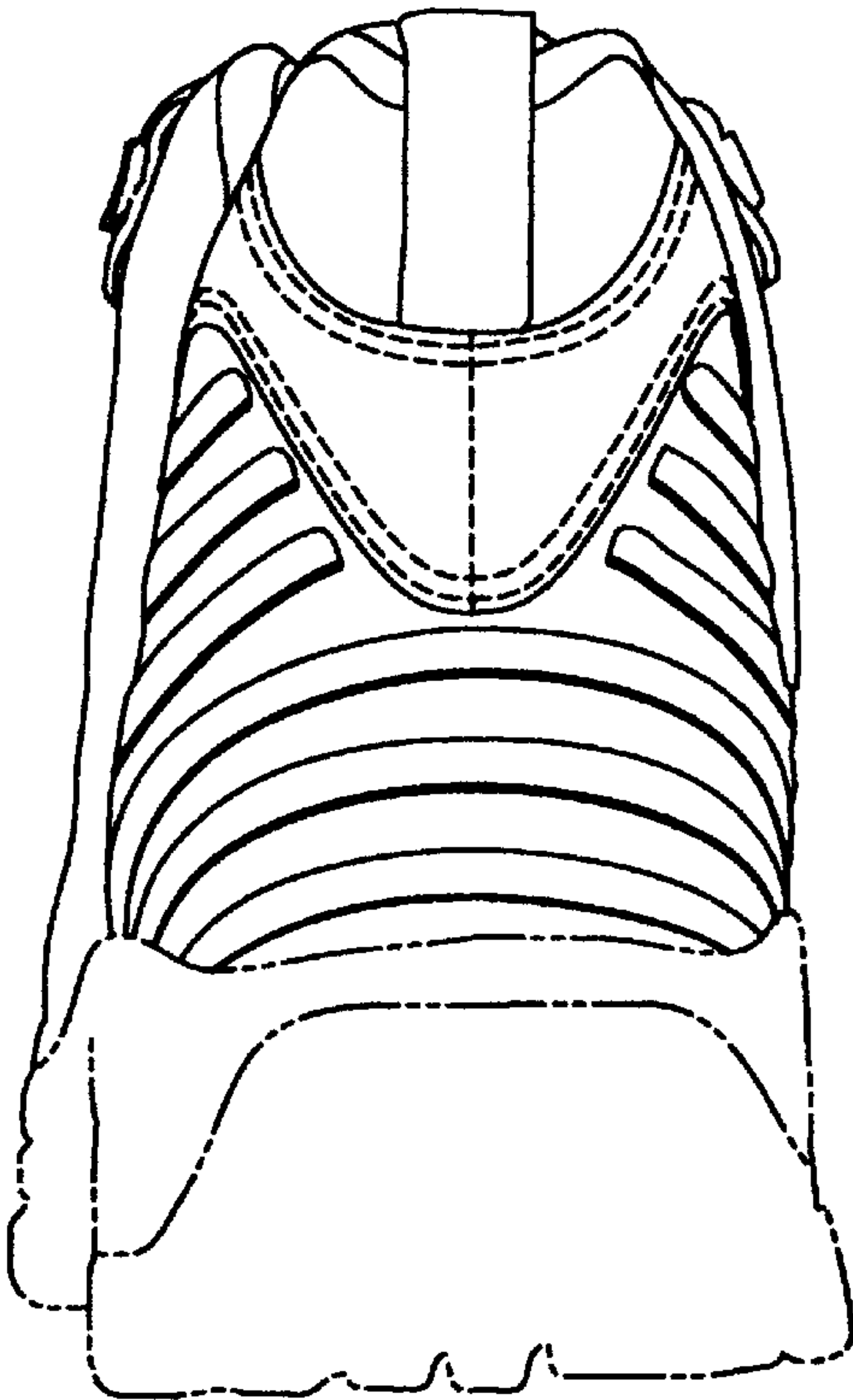


Fig. 6

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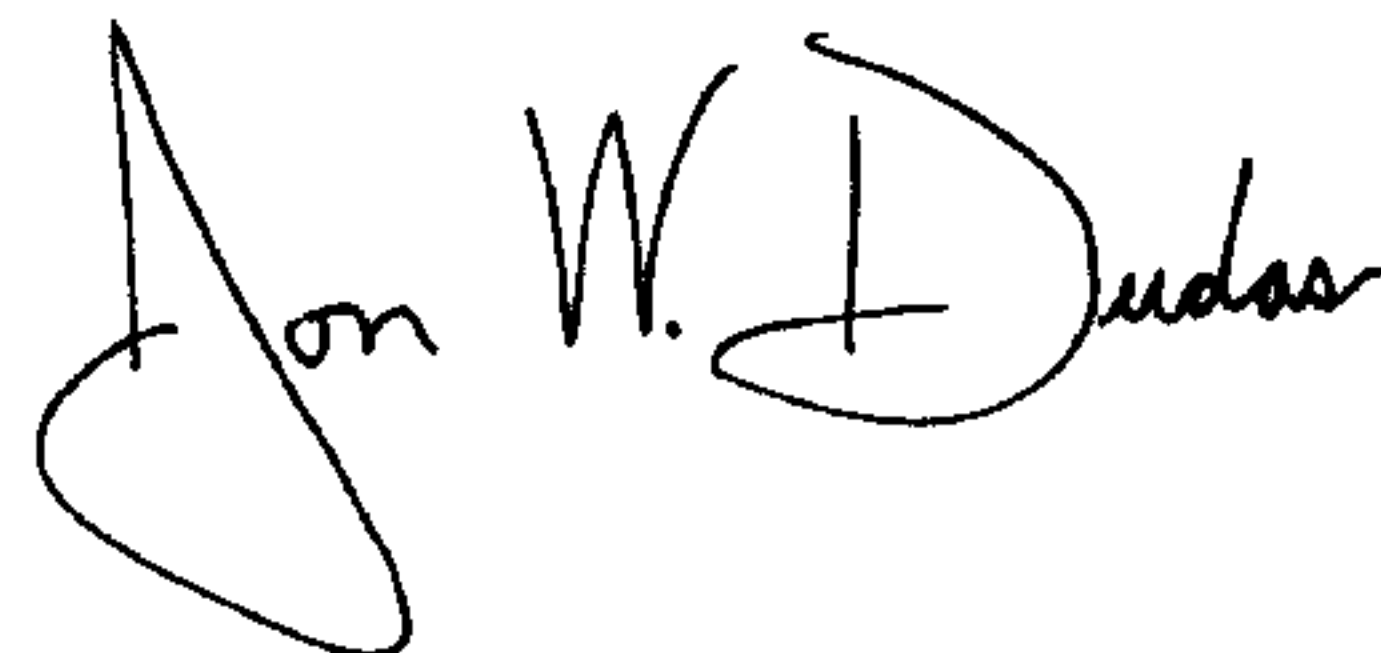
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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

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DESCRIPTION,
Line 4, delete "Elevation" and insert -- Elevational --.

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