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(54) **OBOE STAPLE**

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(57) **CLAIM**

I claim the ornamental design for an oboe staple, as shown  
and described.

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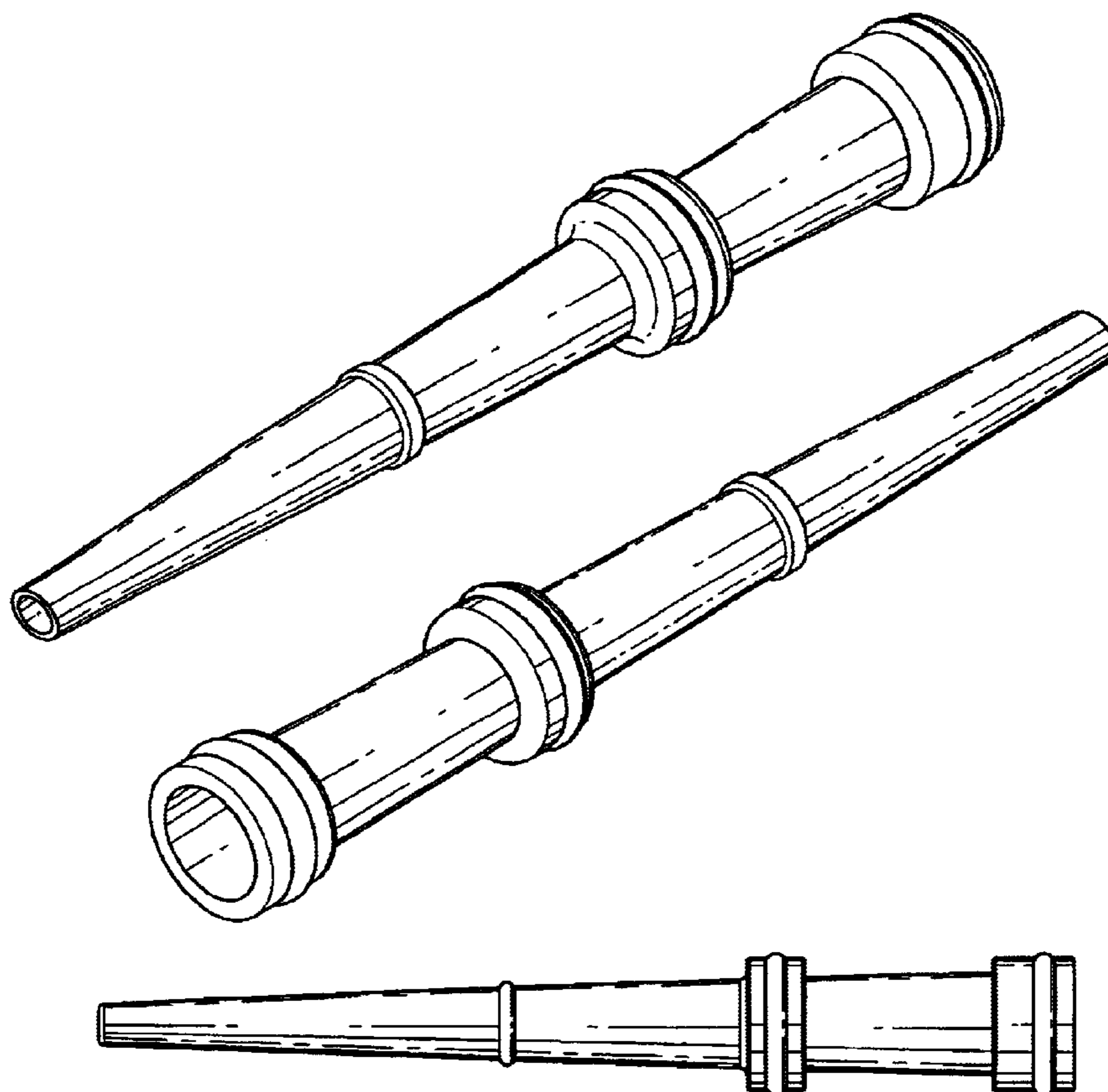
**DESCRIPTION**

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FIG. 1 is a top perspective view of an oboe staple showing  
my new design;  
FIG. 2 is a bottom perspective view thereof;  
FIG. 3 is a right side elevational view thereof, the left side  
being identical;  
FIG. 4 is a front elevational view thereof, the rear view being  
identical;  
FIG. 5 is a top plan view thereof; and,  
FIG. 6 is a bottom plan view thereof.

**1 Claim, 1 Drawing Sheet**



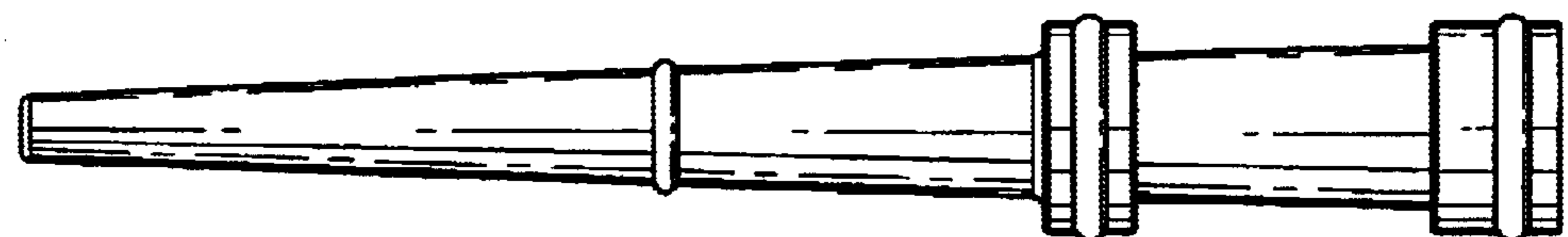
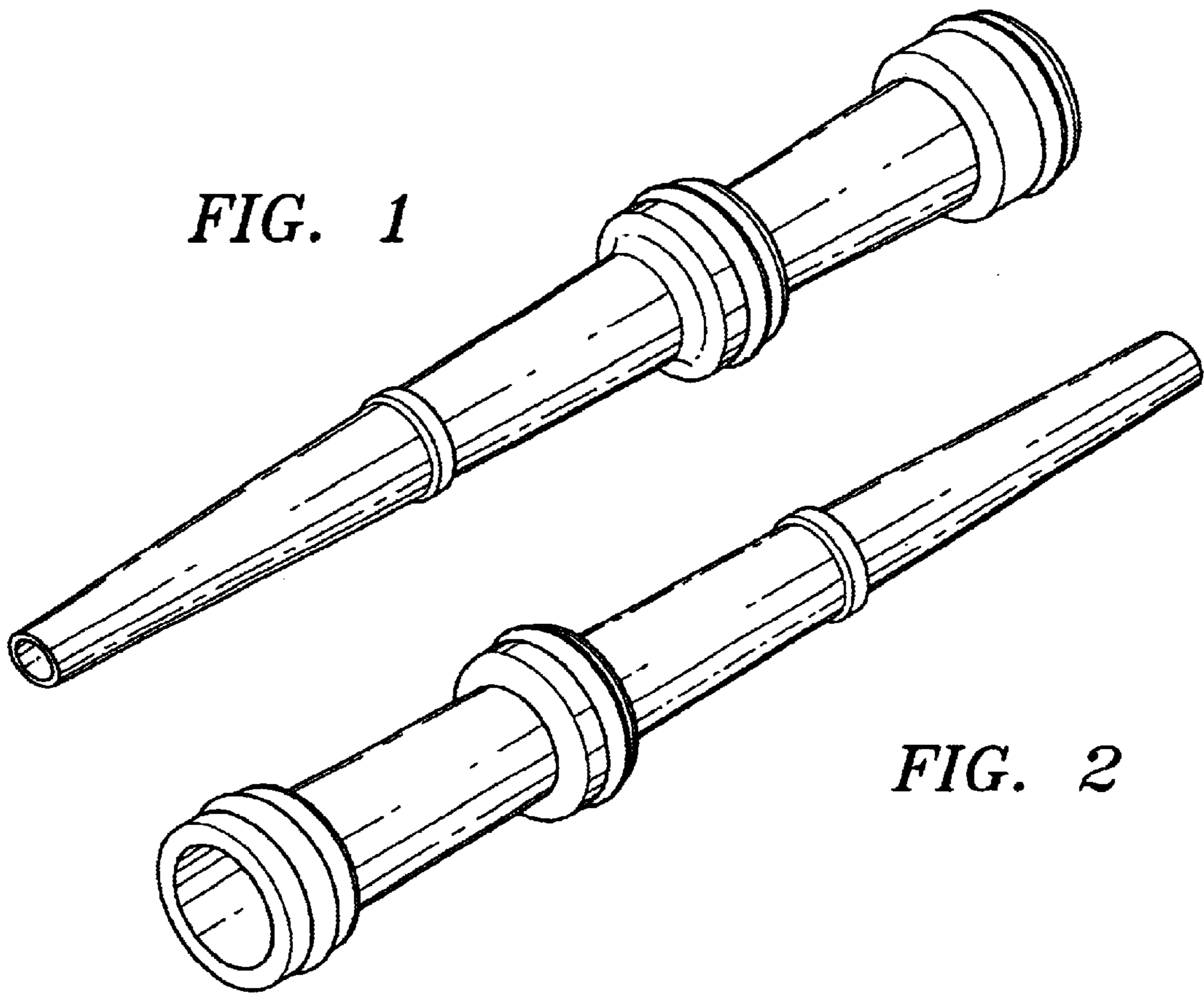


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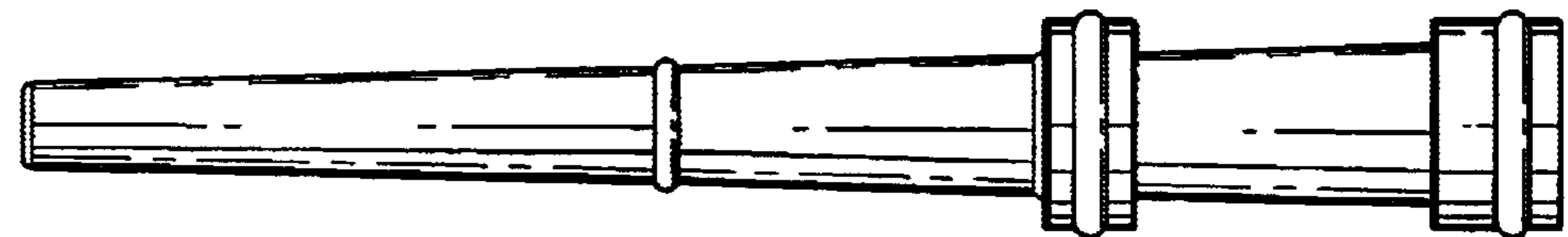


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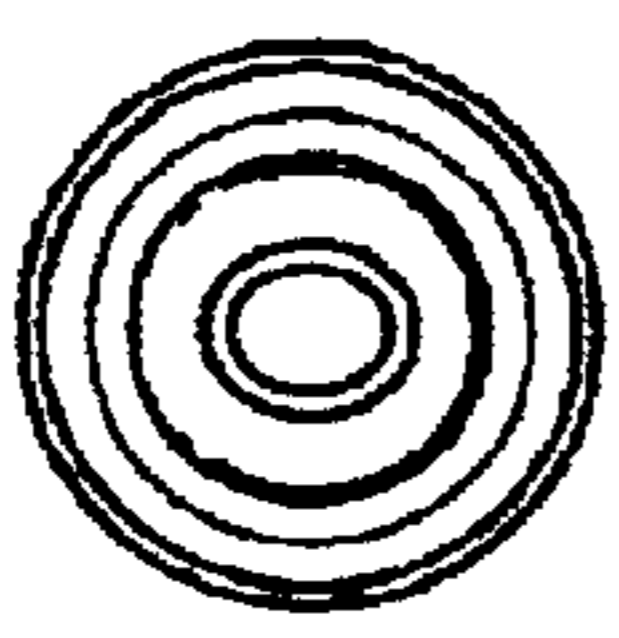


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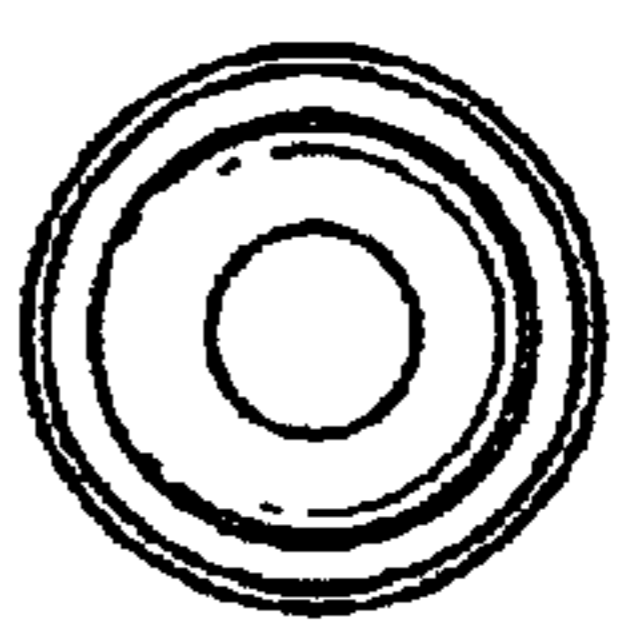


FIG. 6