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(54) **DECORATIVE STENCIL FOR MARKING GOLF BALLS**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a decorative stencil for marking golf balls, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of the decorative stencil for marking golf balls showing my new design; FIG. 2 is a front view thereof; FIG. 3 is a rear view thereof; FIG. 4 is a right side view thereof; FIG. 5 is a left side view thereof; FIG. 6 is a top plan view thereof; and, FIG. 7 is a bottom plan view thereof.

**1 Claim, 1 Drawing Sheet**



