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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a lighter, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a top, front perspective view of a lighter showing
our new design.

FIG. 2 is a front elevational view thereof.

FIG. 3 is a rear elevational view thereof.

FIG. 4 is a left side elevational view thereof.

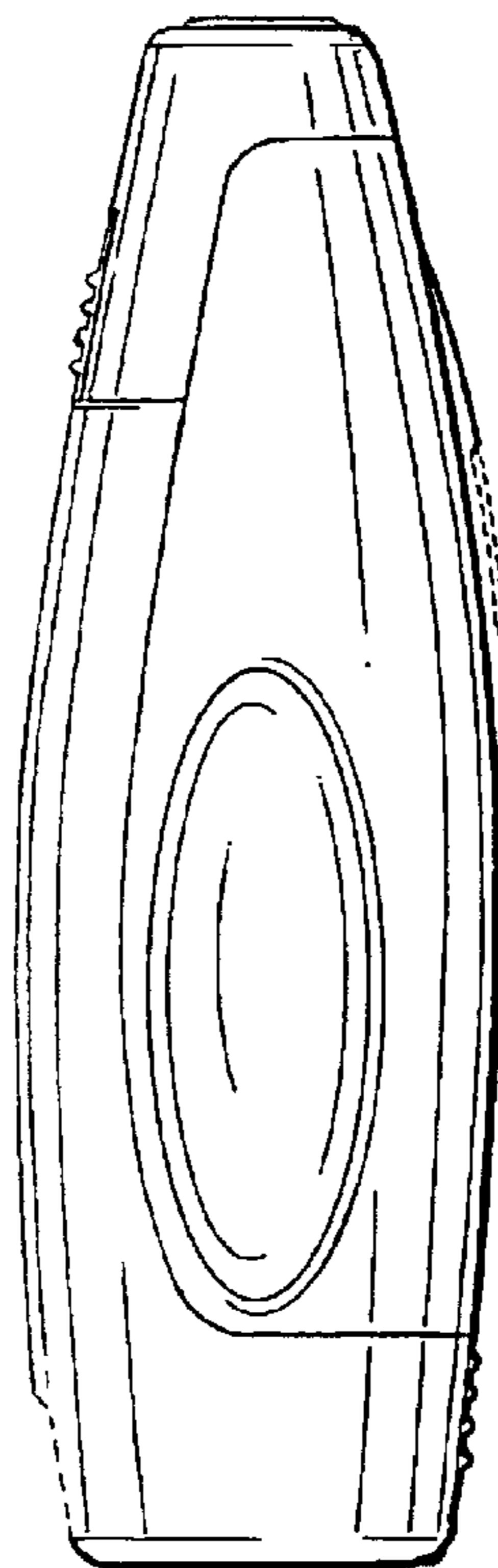
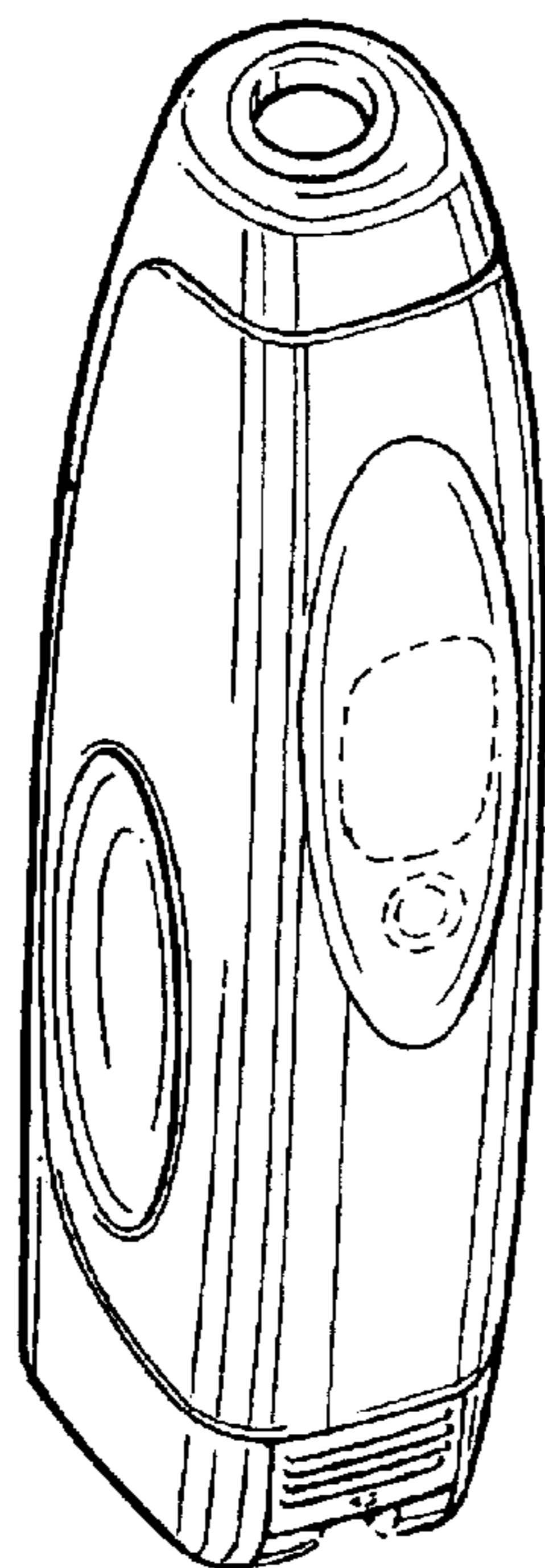
FIG. 5 is a right side elevational view thereof.

FIG. 6 is a top plan view thereof; and,

FIG. 7 is a bottom plan view thereof.

The broken line drawing of a display area and an ignition
switch on the front of the lighter and the broken line drawing
of a battery contact area on the rear and bottom of the lighter
are for illustrative purposes only and form no part of the
claimed design.

1 Claim, 2 Drawing Sheets



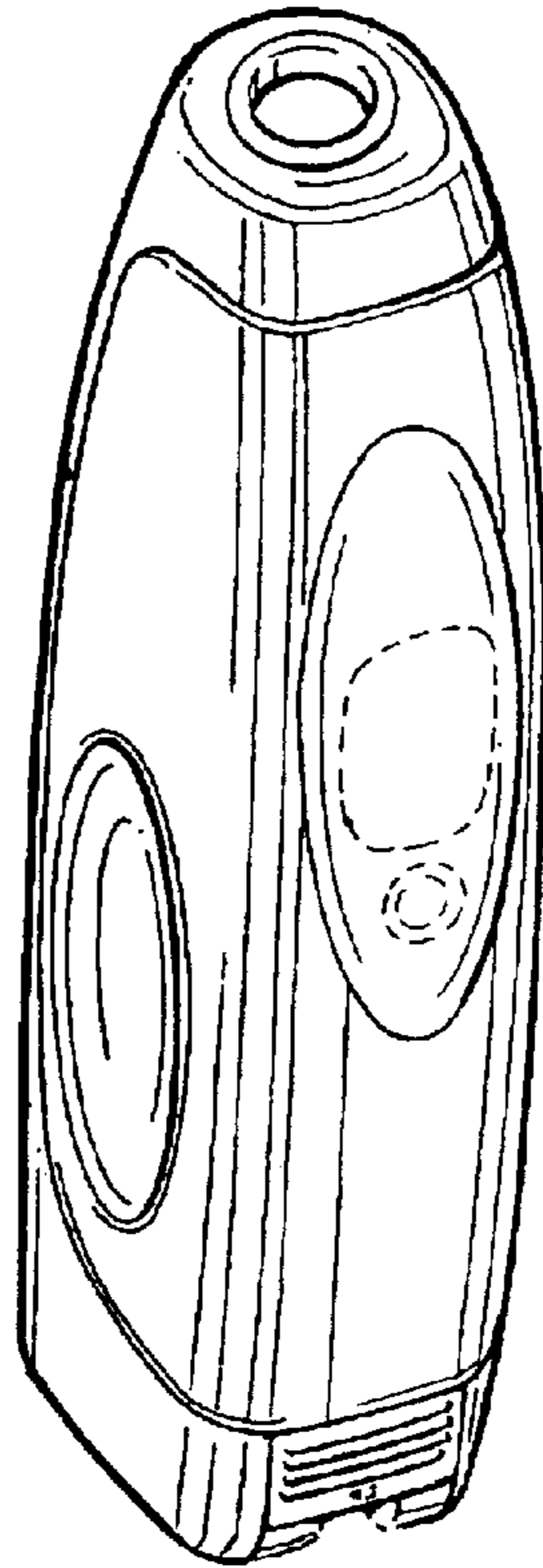


FIG. 1

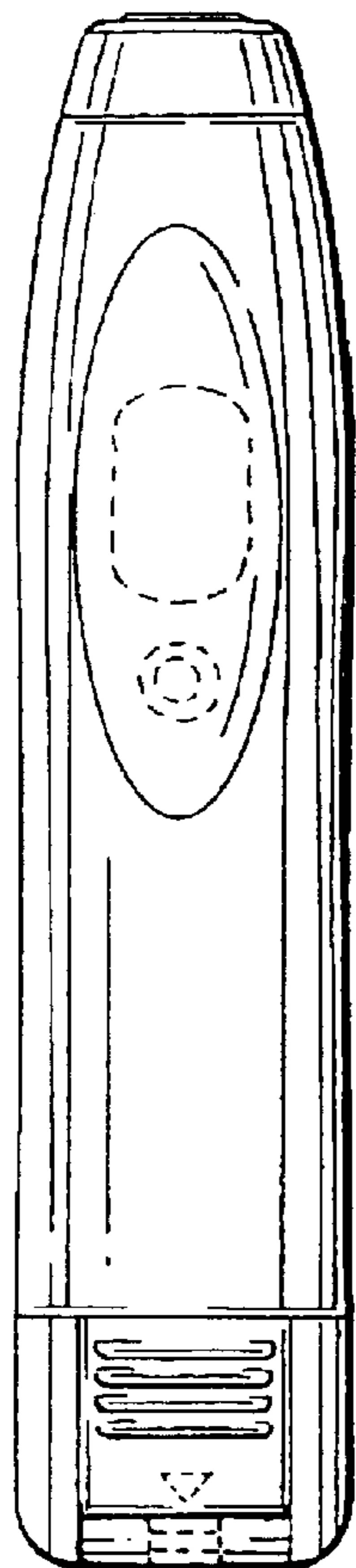


FIG. 2

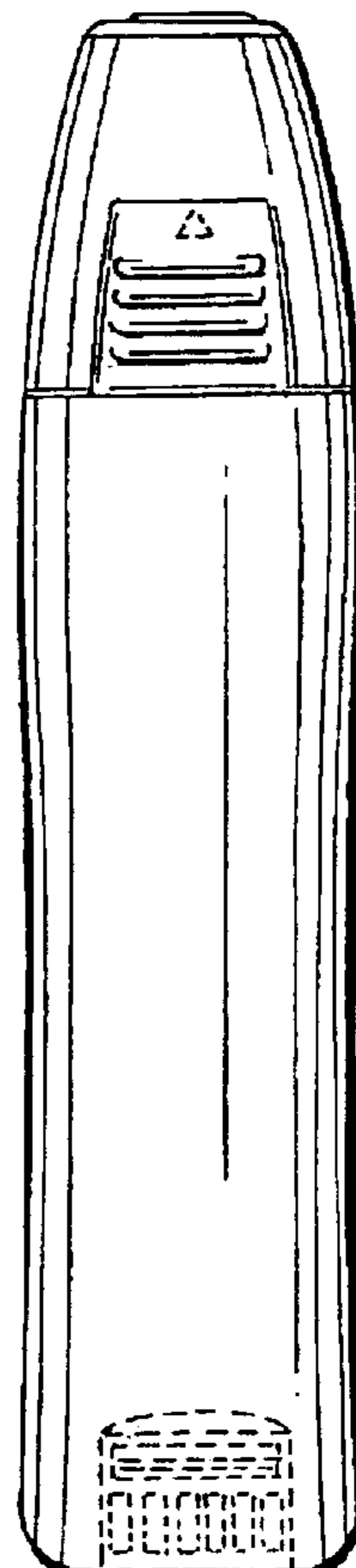


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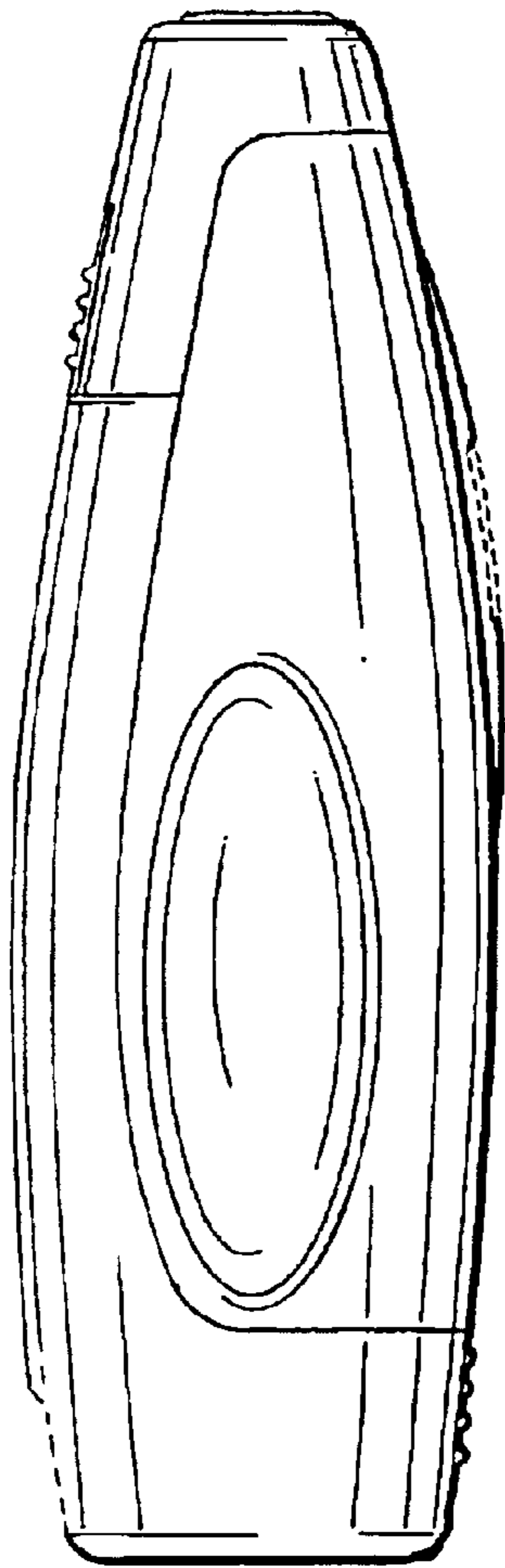


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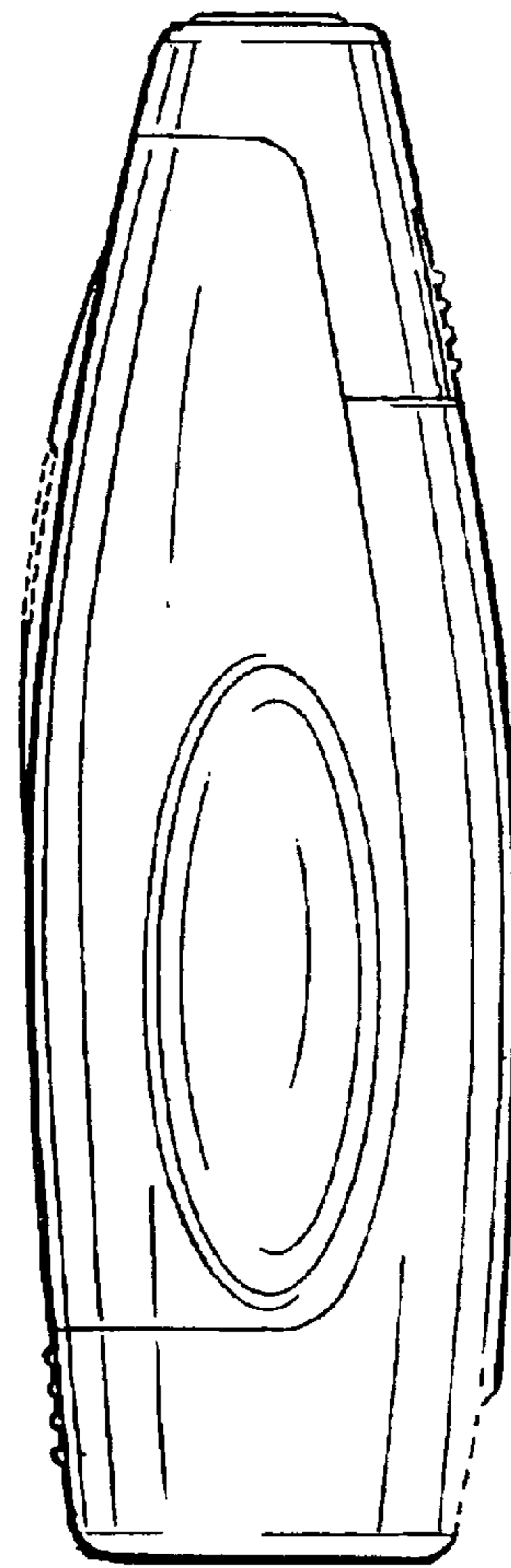


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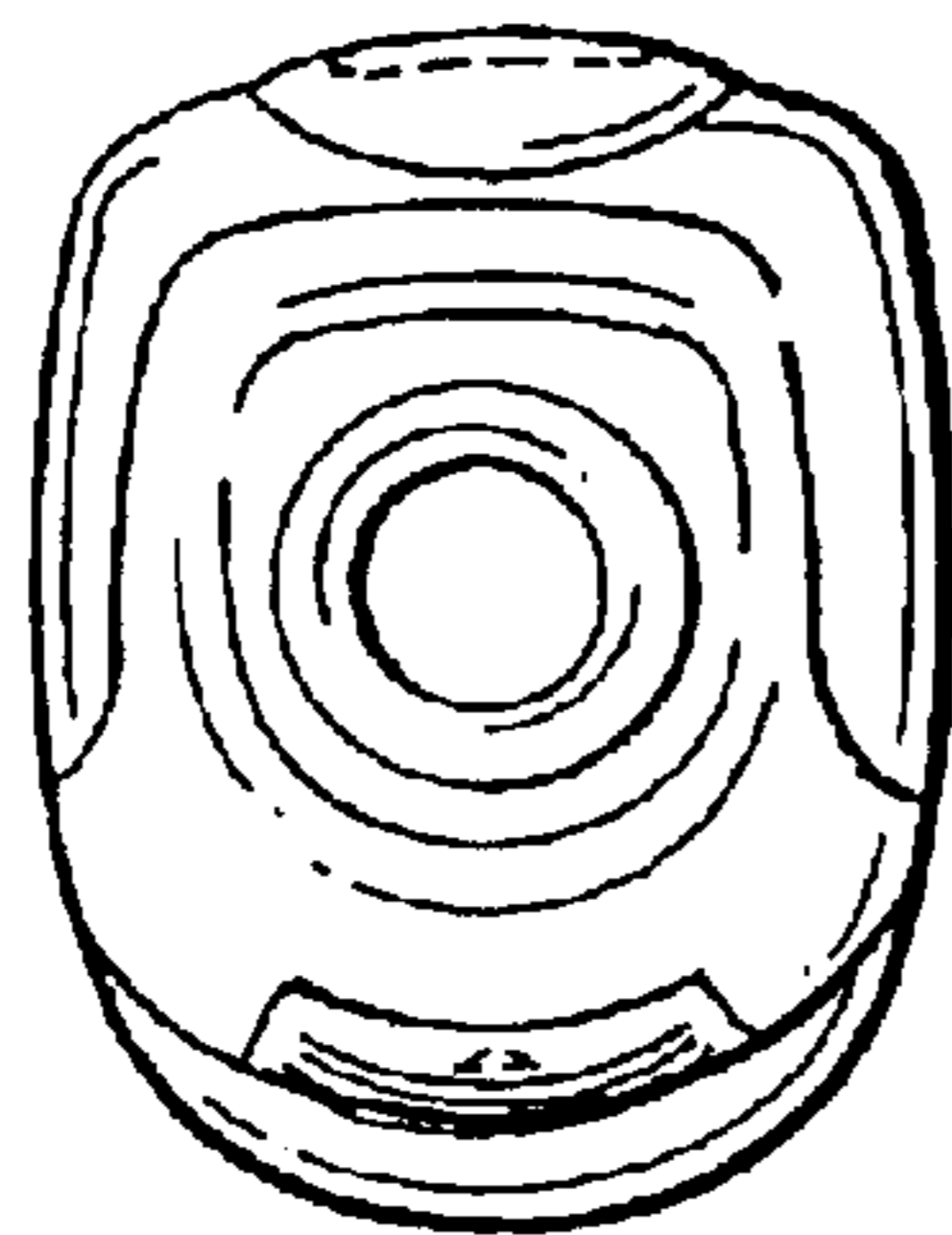


FIG. 6

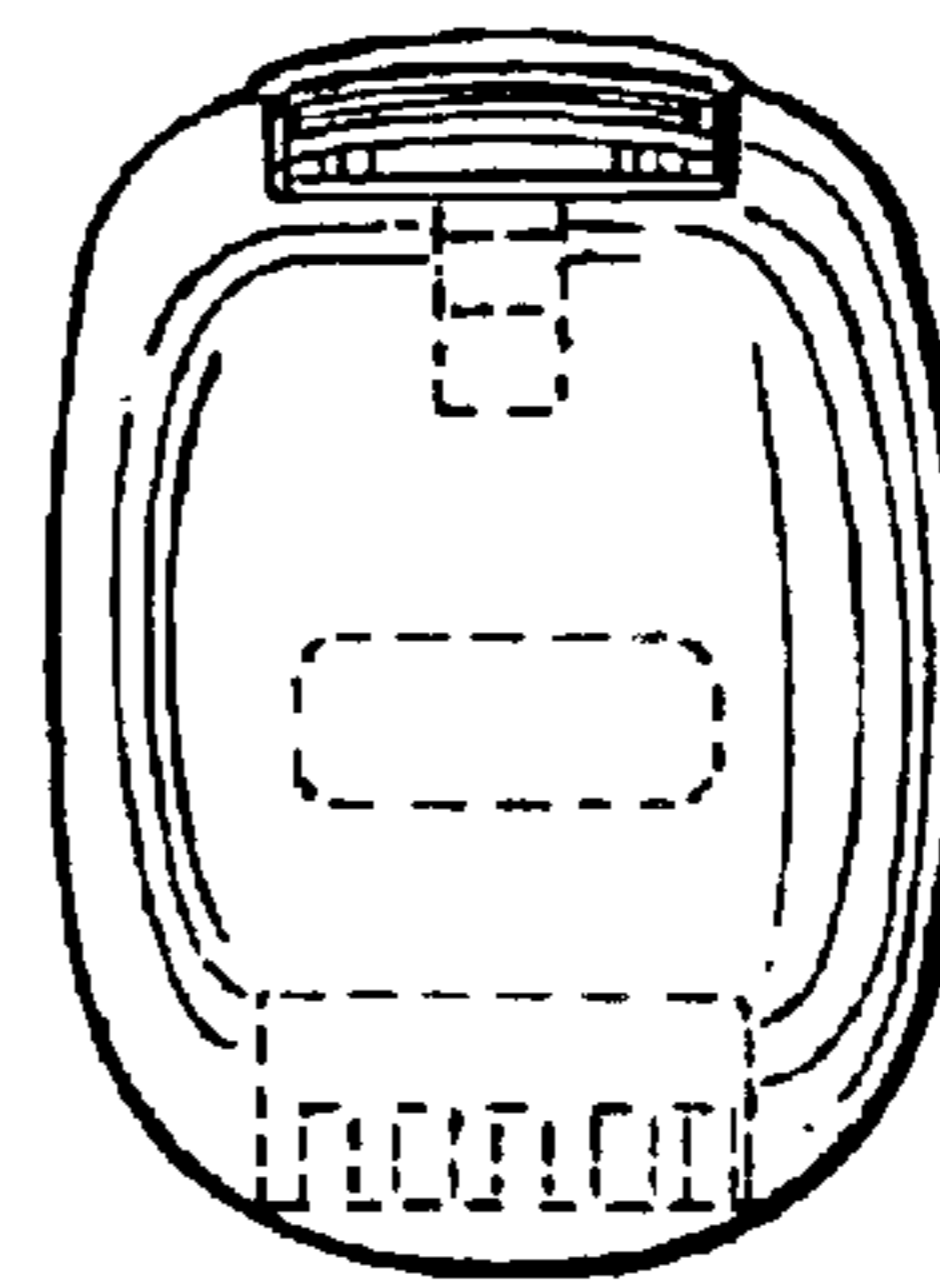


FIG. 7