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(57) **CLAIM**

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

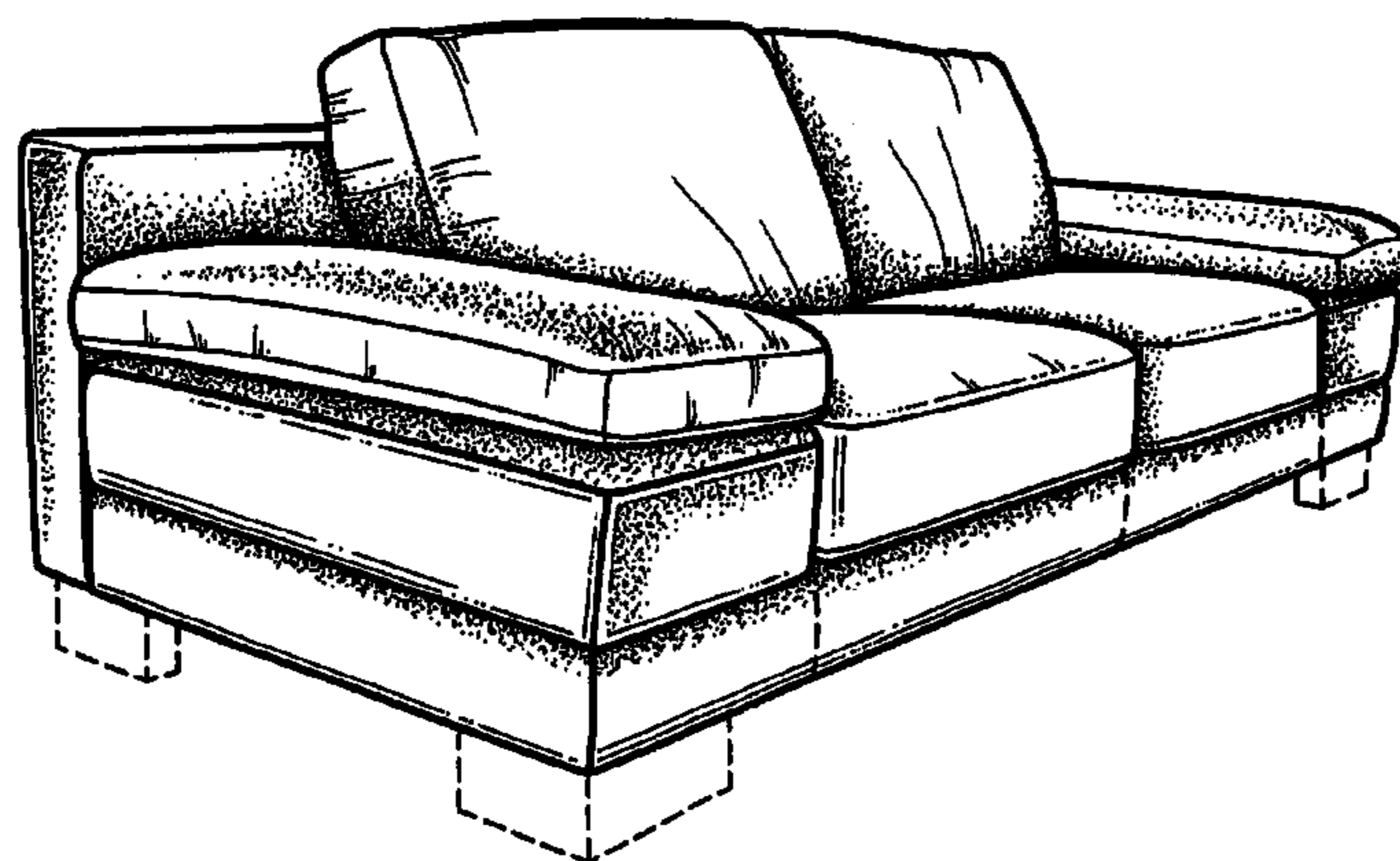
**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a front perspective view of one embodiment of my new seat design in the form of a sofa;  
 FIG. 2 is a front elevation view of the embodiment of FIG. 1;  
 FIG. 3 is a left, side elevation view of the embodiment of FIG. 1, with the right side elevational view being a mirror image thereof;  
 FIG. 4 is a rear elevation view of the embodiment of FIG. 1;  
 FIG. 5 is a front perspective view of a second embodiment of my new seat design in the form of a chair;  
 FIG. 6 is a front elevation view of the embodiment of FIG. 5; and,  
 FIG. 7 is a rear elevation view of the embodiment of FIG. 5.

The side elevation view of FIGS. 5, 6, and 7 are like that shown in FIG. 3.

The broken line disclosure is for illustrative purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design.

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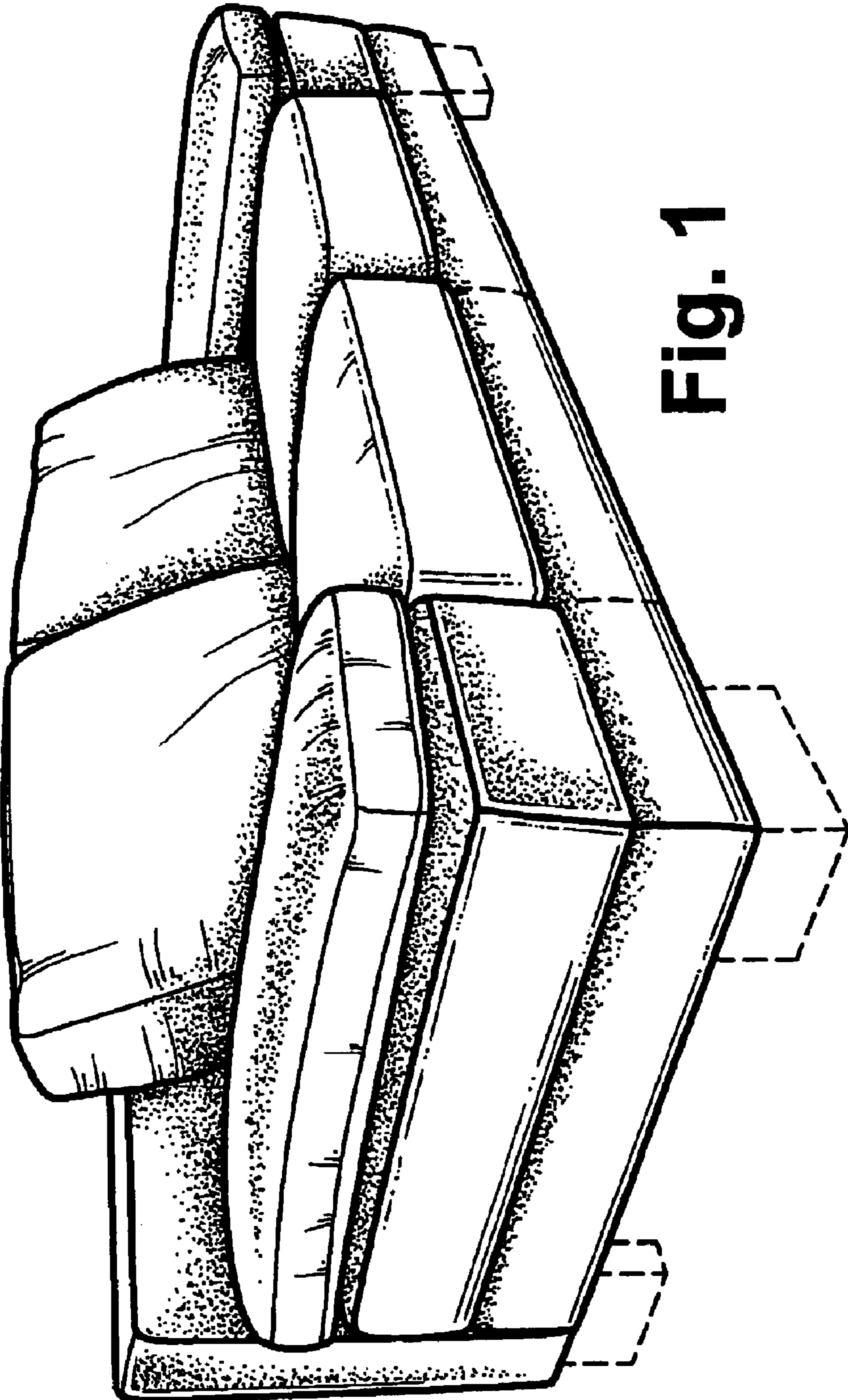


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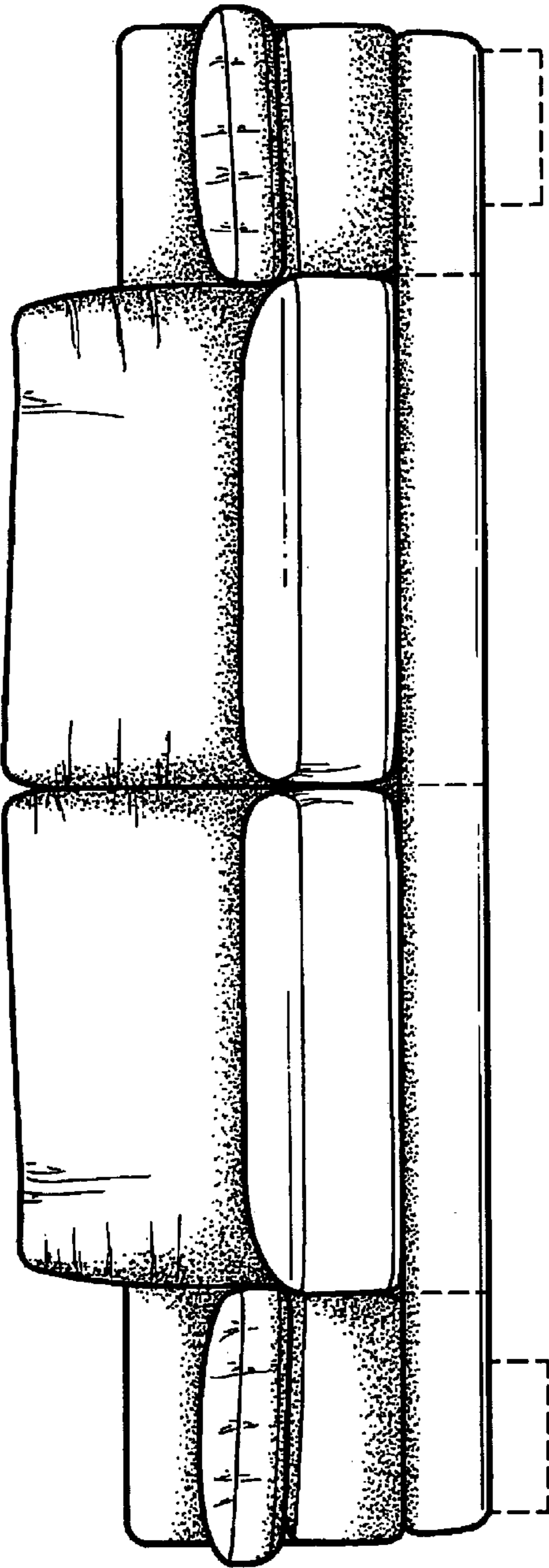


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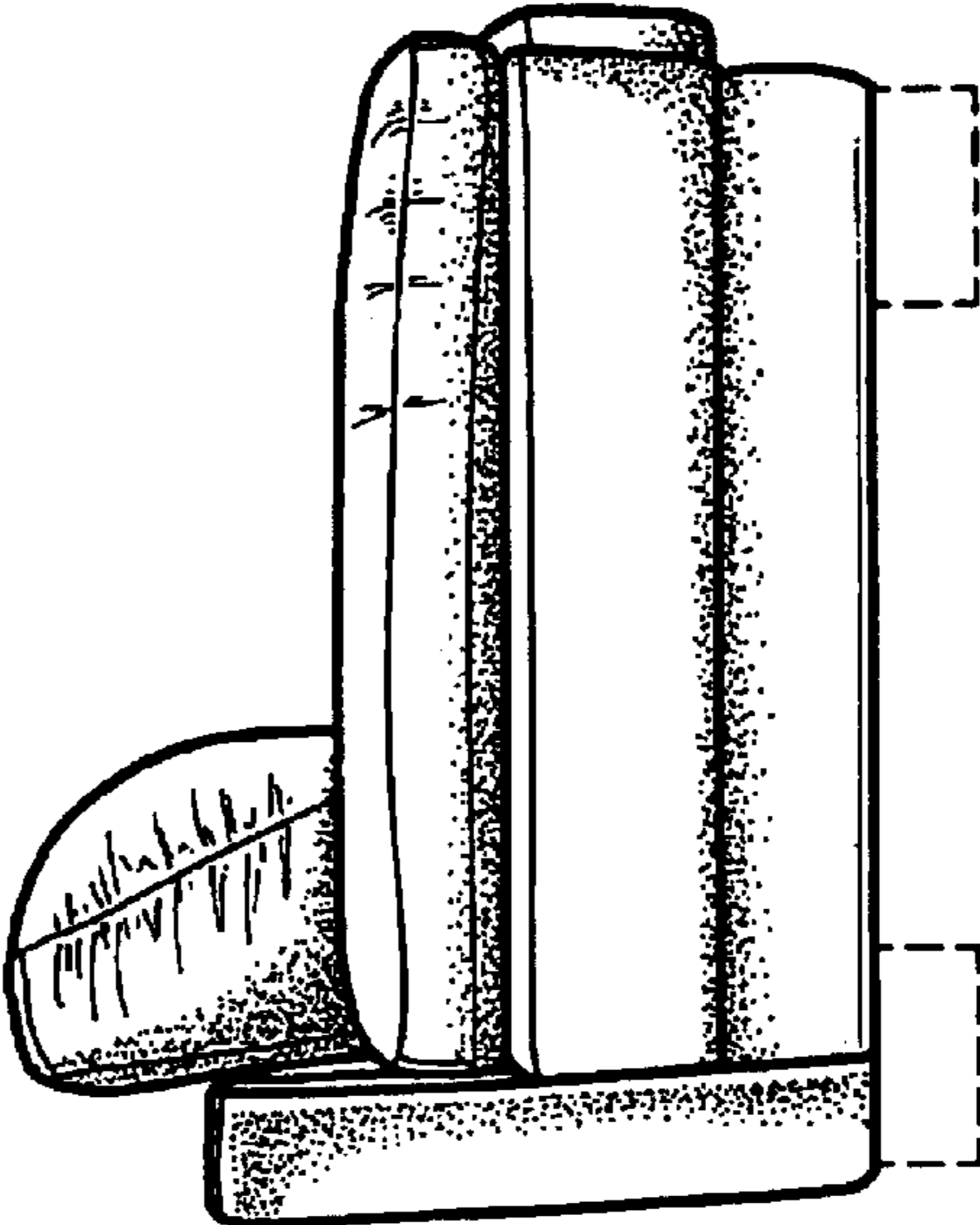


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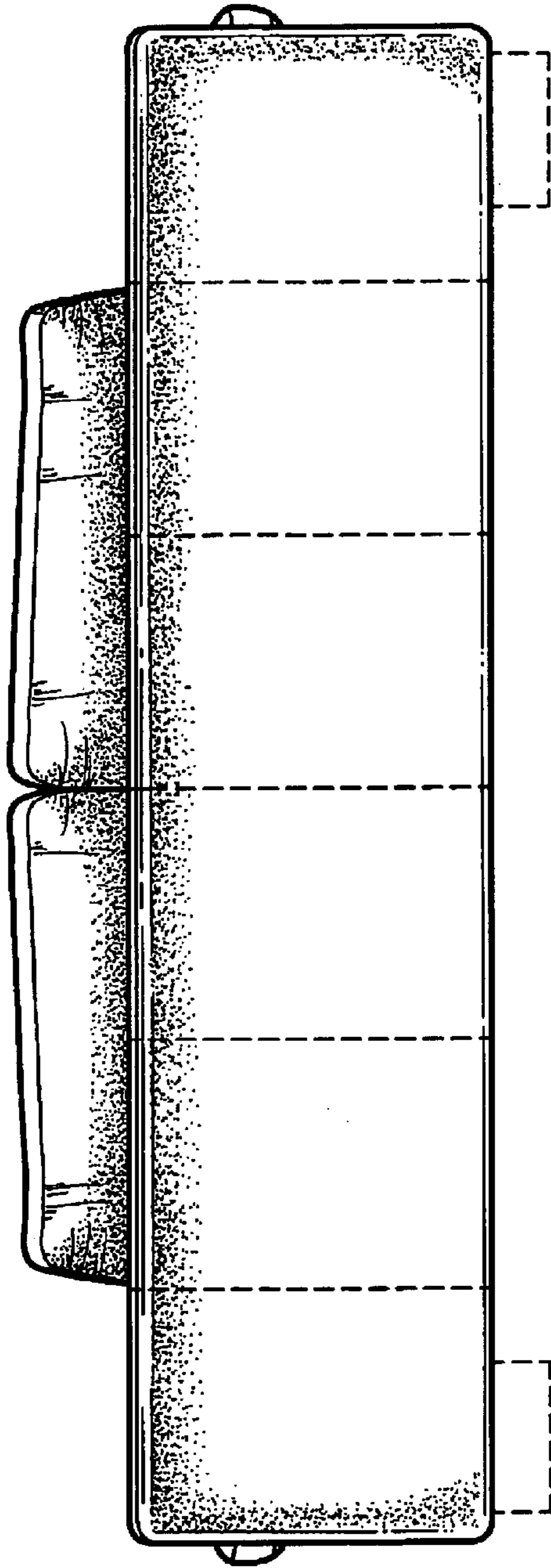


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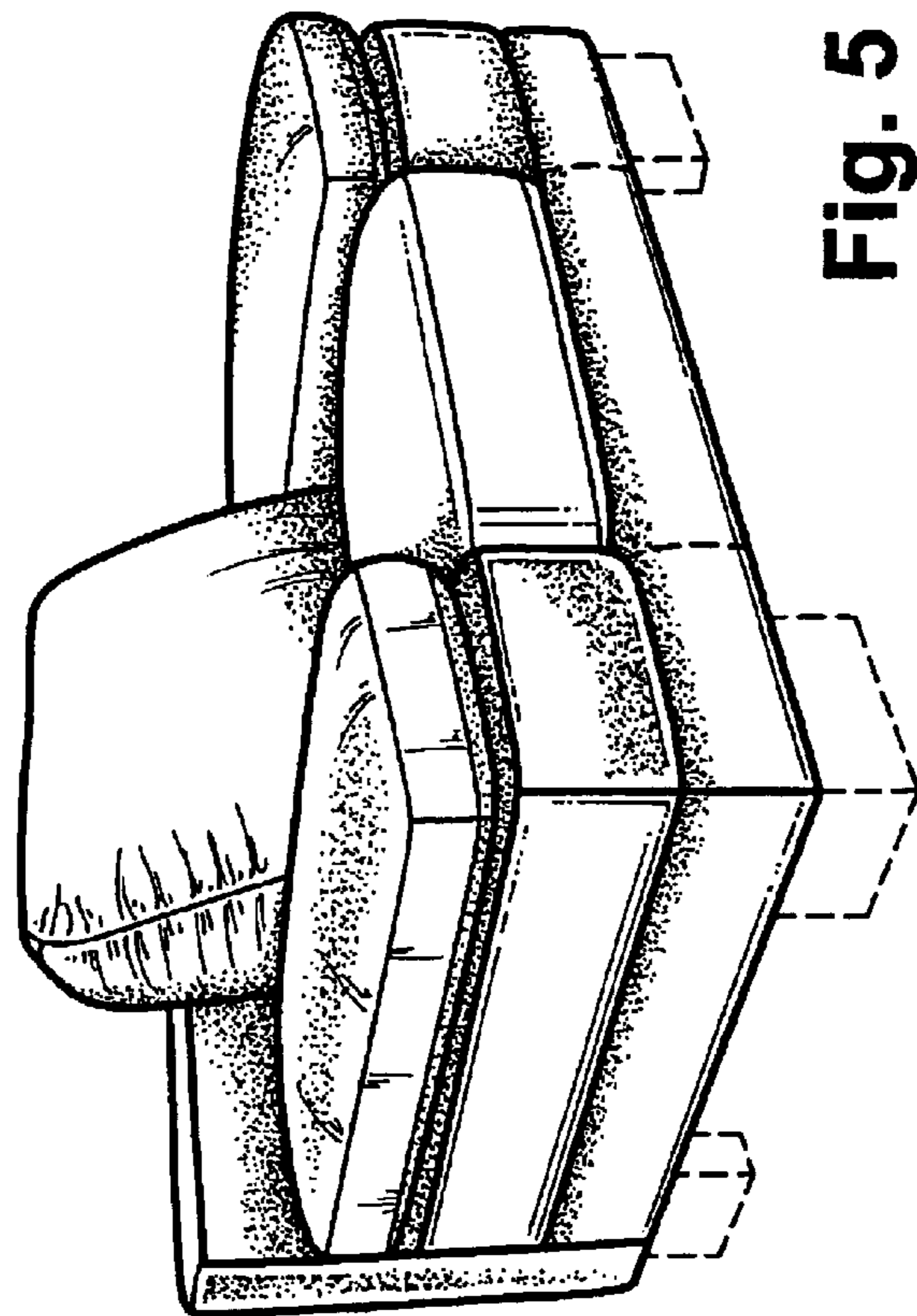


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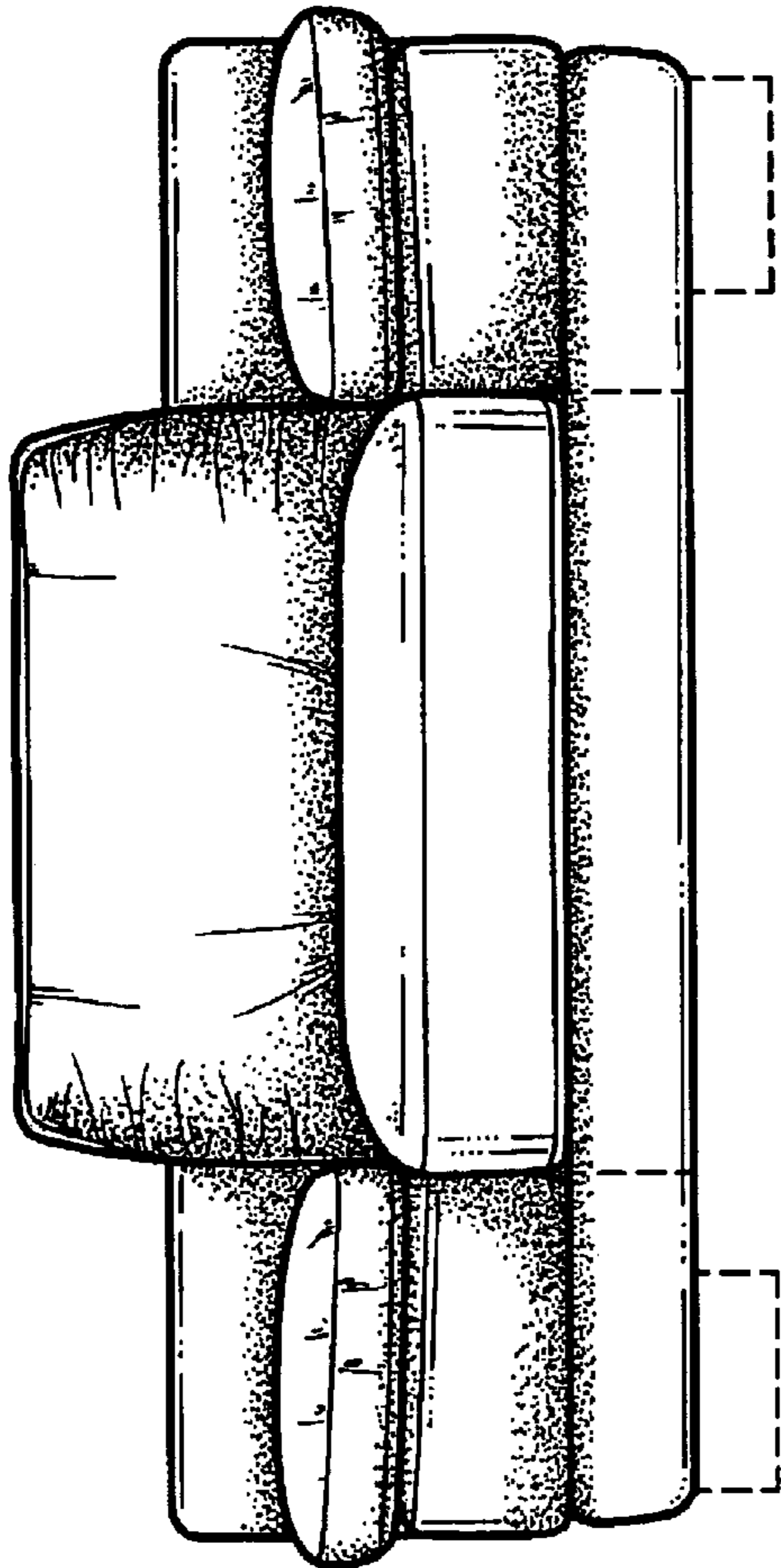


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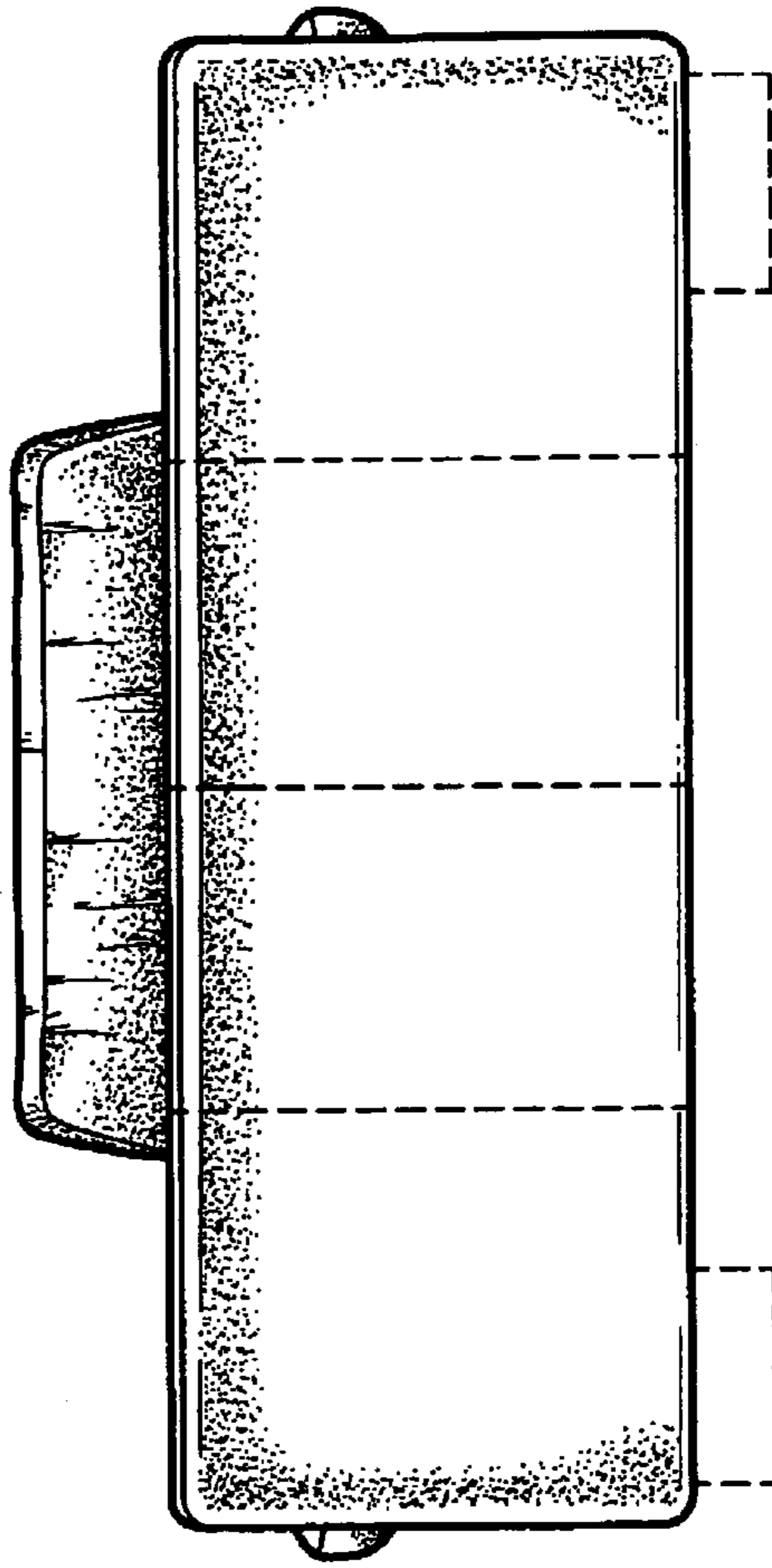


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