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(54) **UPPER PORTION OF A FLOOR CARE APPLIANCE**

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(57) **CLAIM**

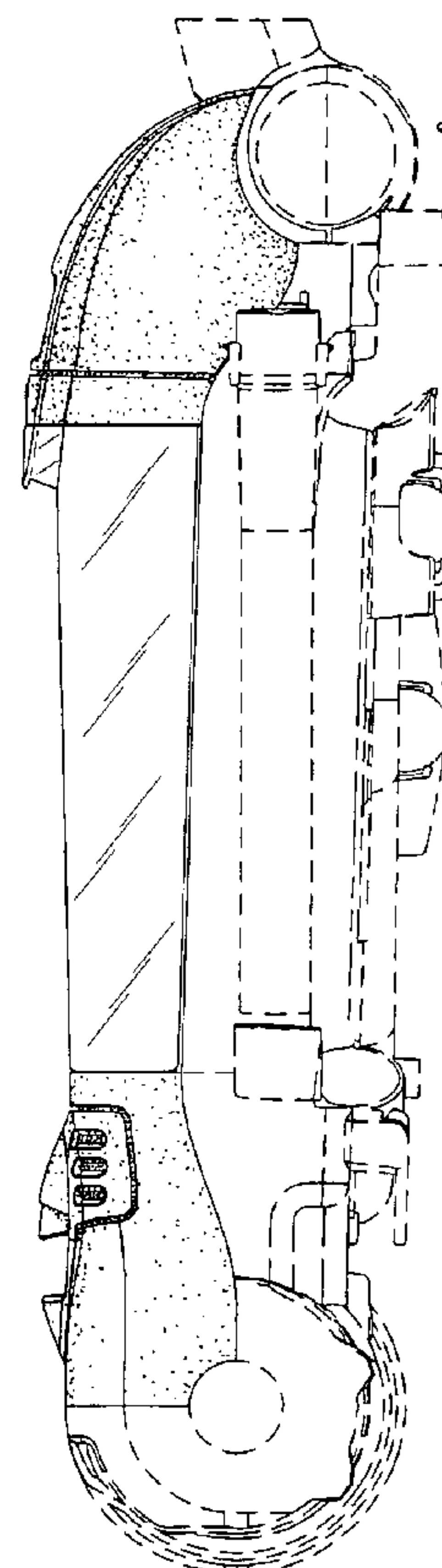
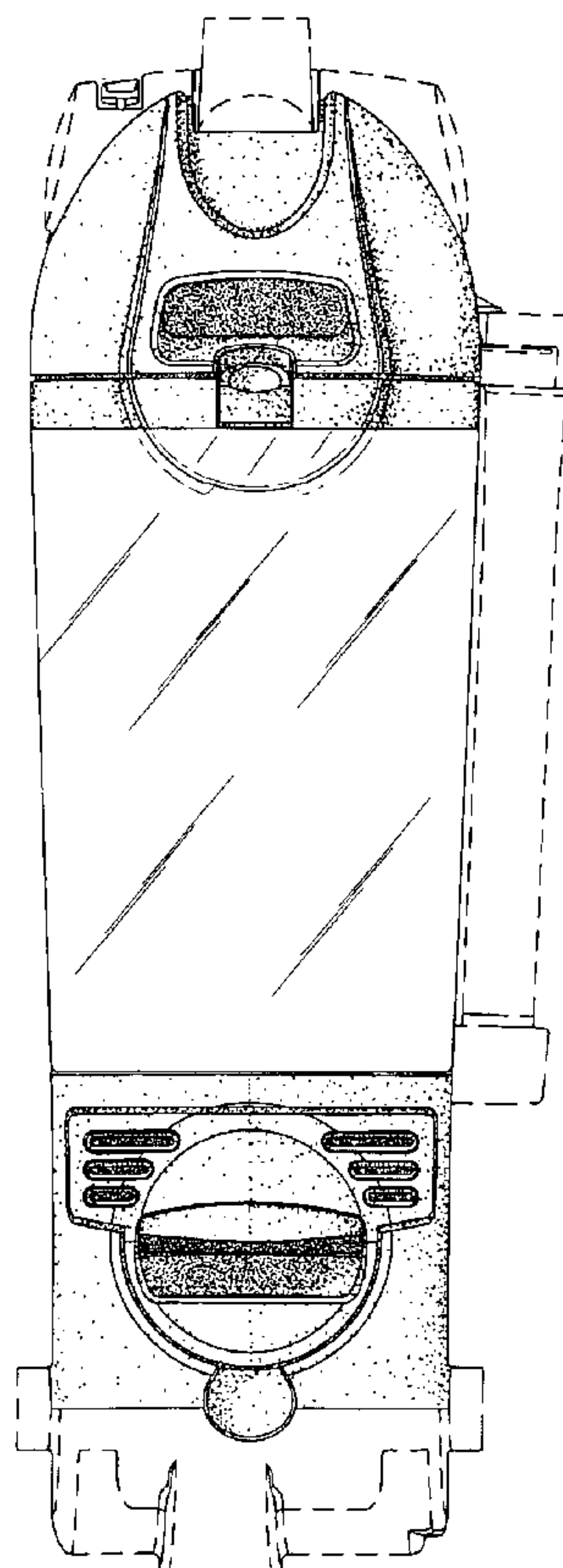
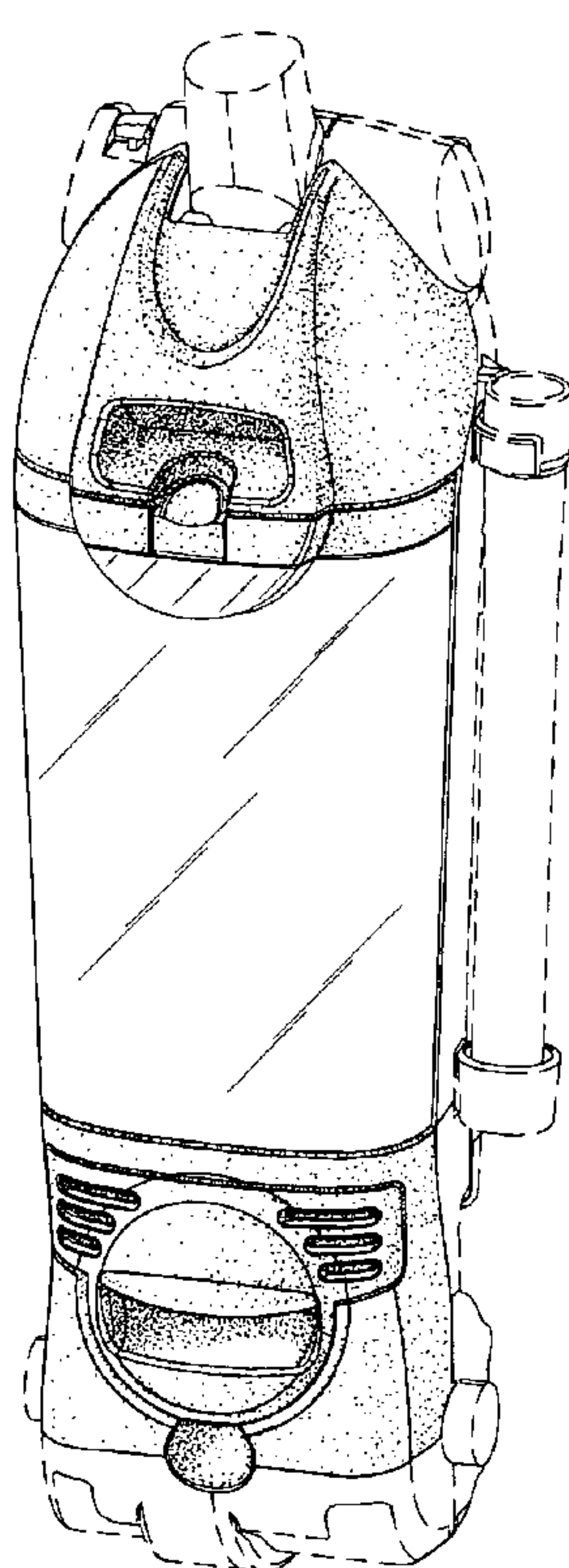
The ornamental design for a portion of an upper portion of a floor care appliance, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a front perspective view of a portion of a suction nozzle for a floor care appliance showing my new design; FIG. 2 is a front view thereof; FIG. 3 is a left side view thereof; FIG. 4 is a right side view thereof; and, FIG. 5 is a top view thereof.

The portions shown in dashed lines are shown for illustrative purposes only and form no part of the claimed design.

**1 Claim, 5 Drawing Sheets**



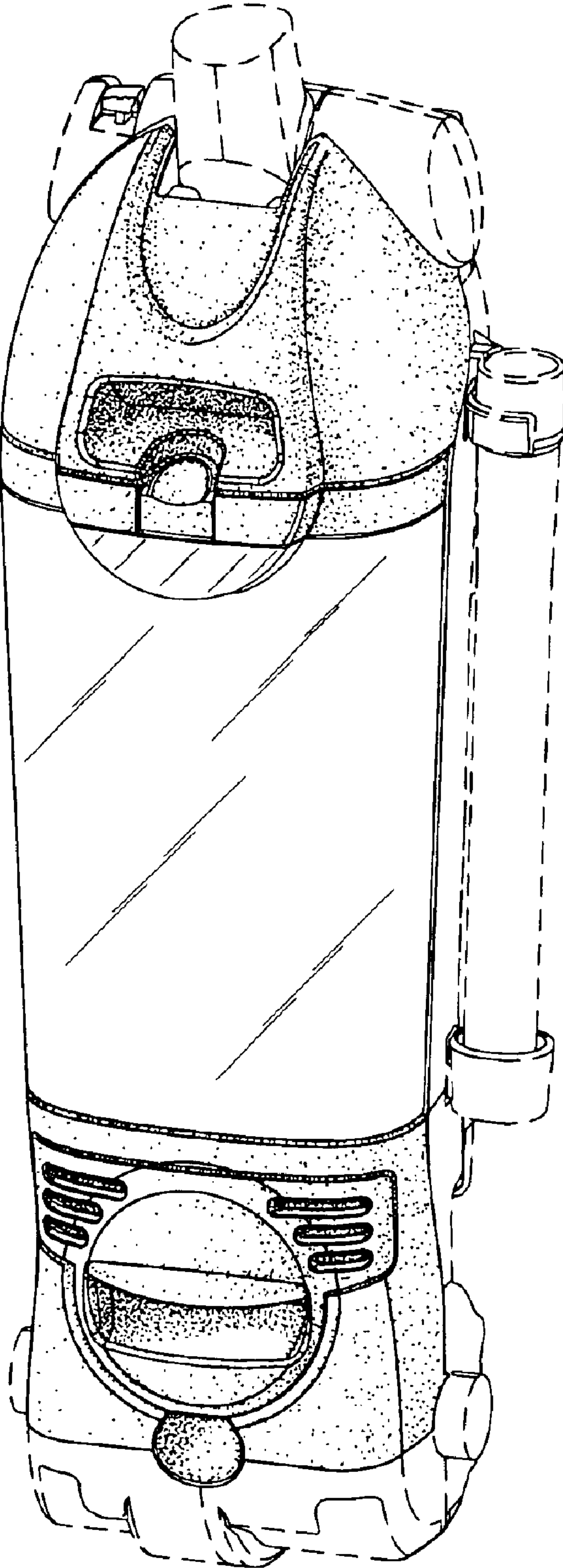


FIG-1

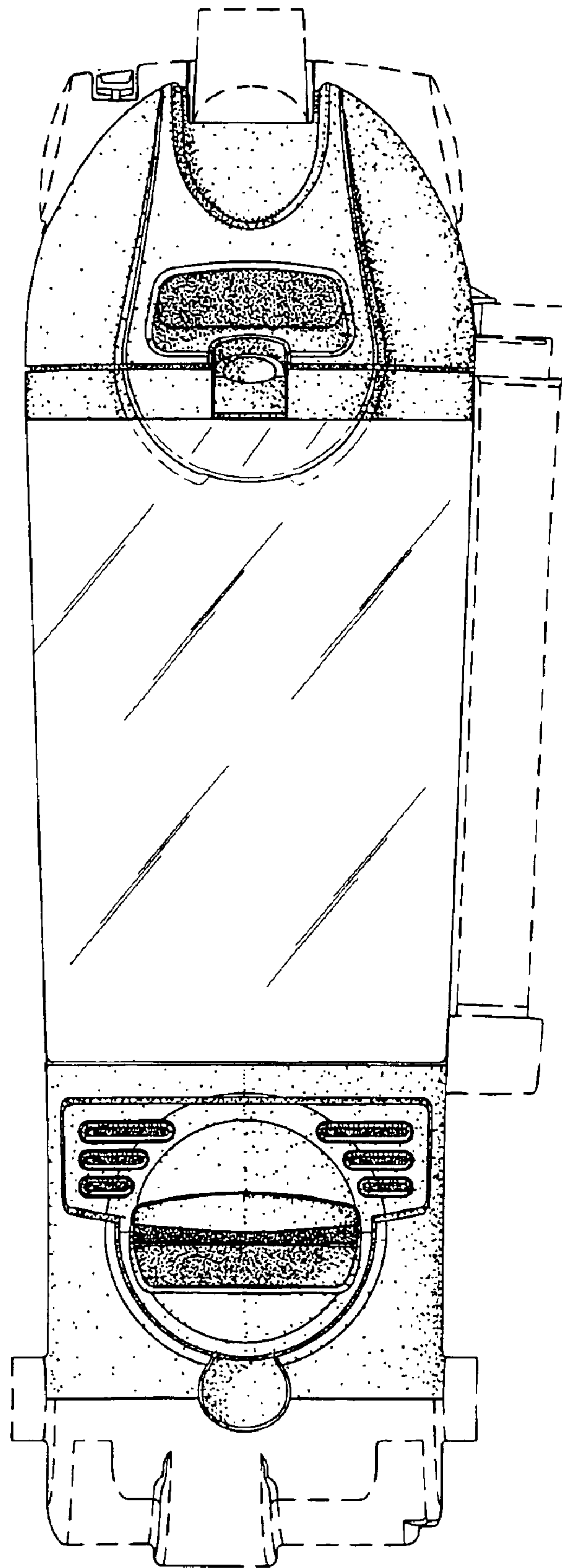


FIG-2

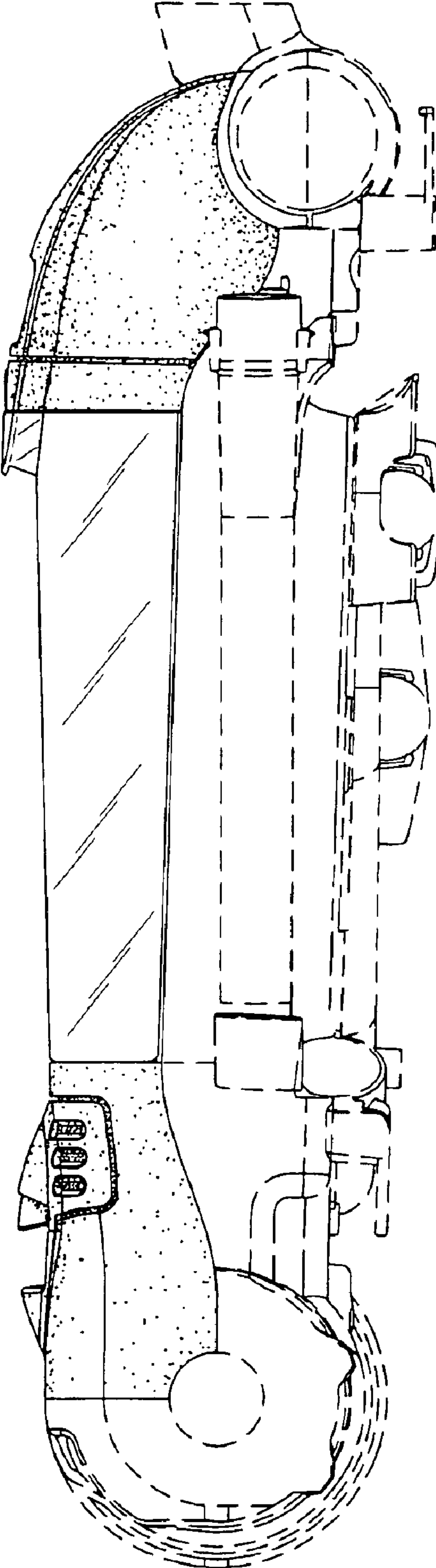


FIG-3



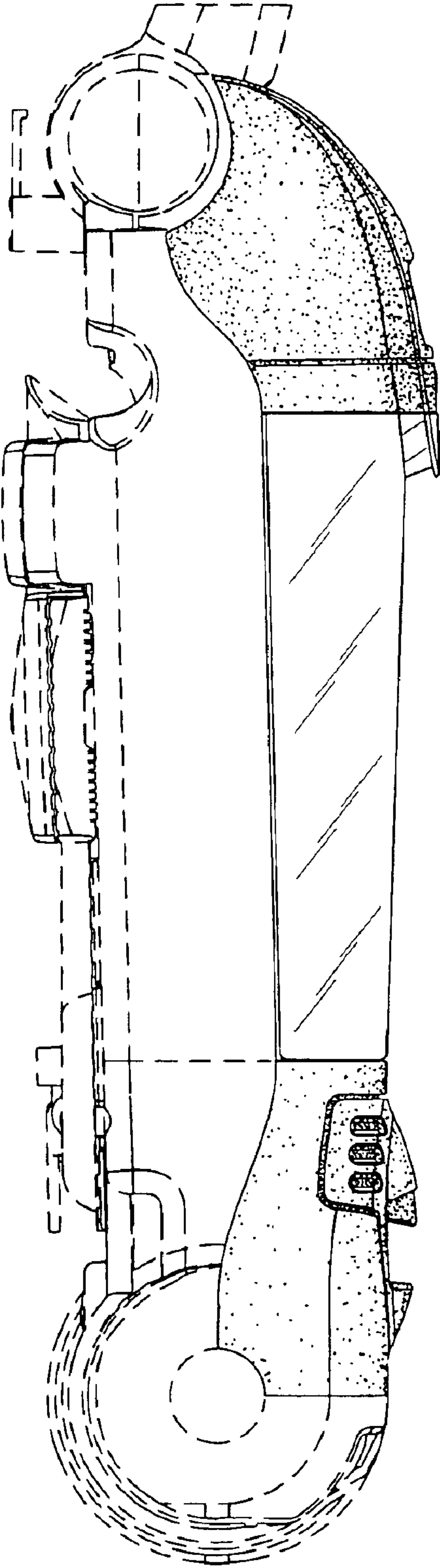


FIG-4

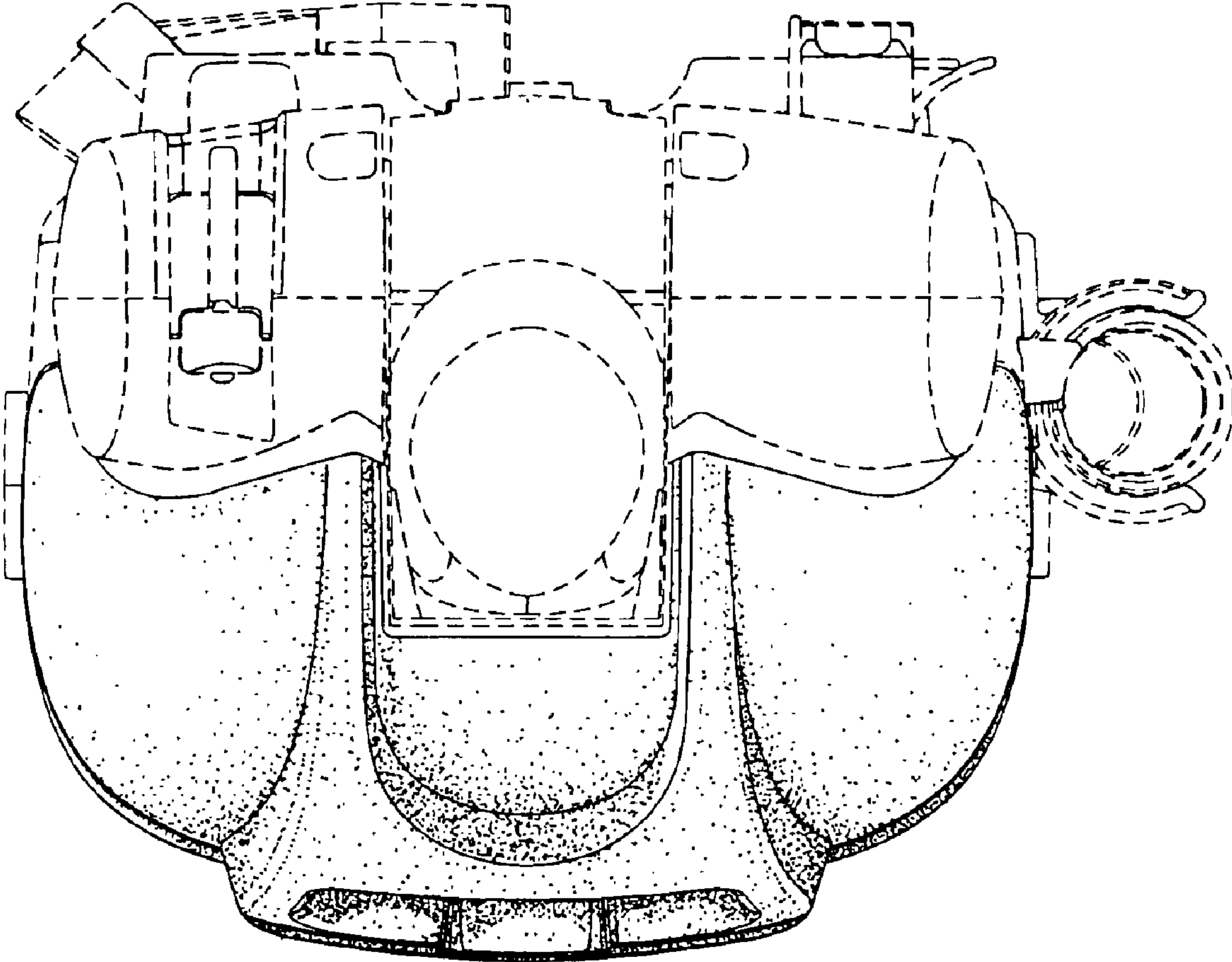


FIG-5