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PORTION OF A SHOE UPPER

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CLAIM (57)

The ornamental design for a portion of a shoe upper, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

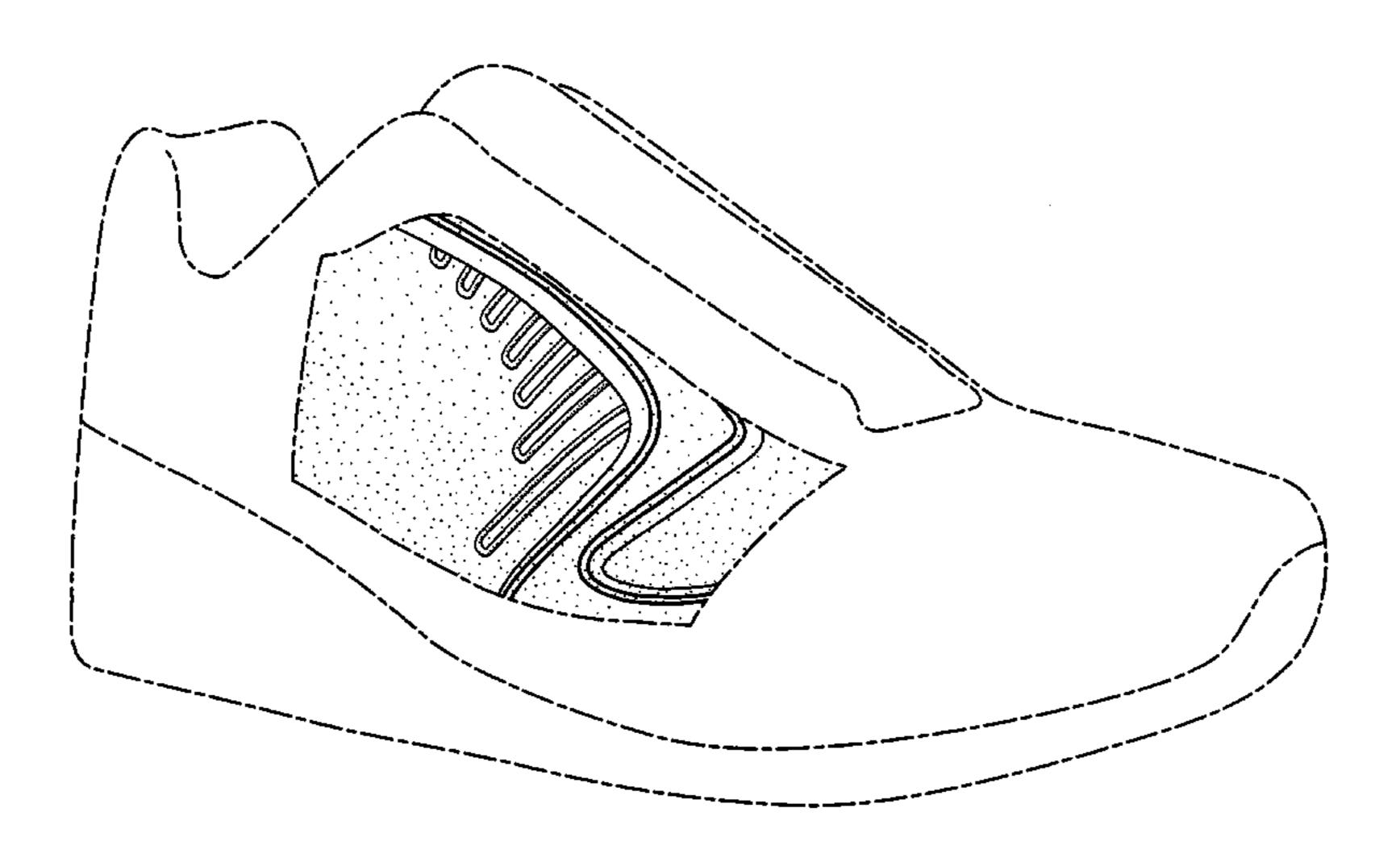
FIG. 1 is a front perspective view of a portion of a shoe upper showing my new design;

FIG. 2 is a rear perspective view thereof; and,

FIG. 3 is a side view thereof.

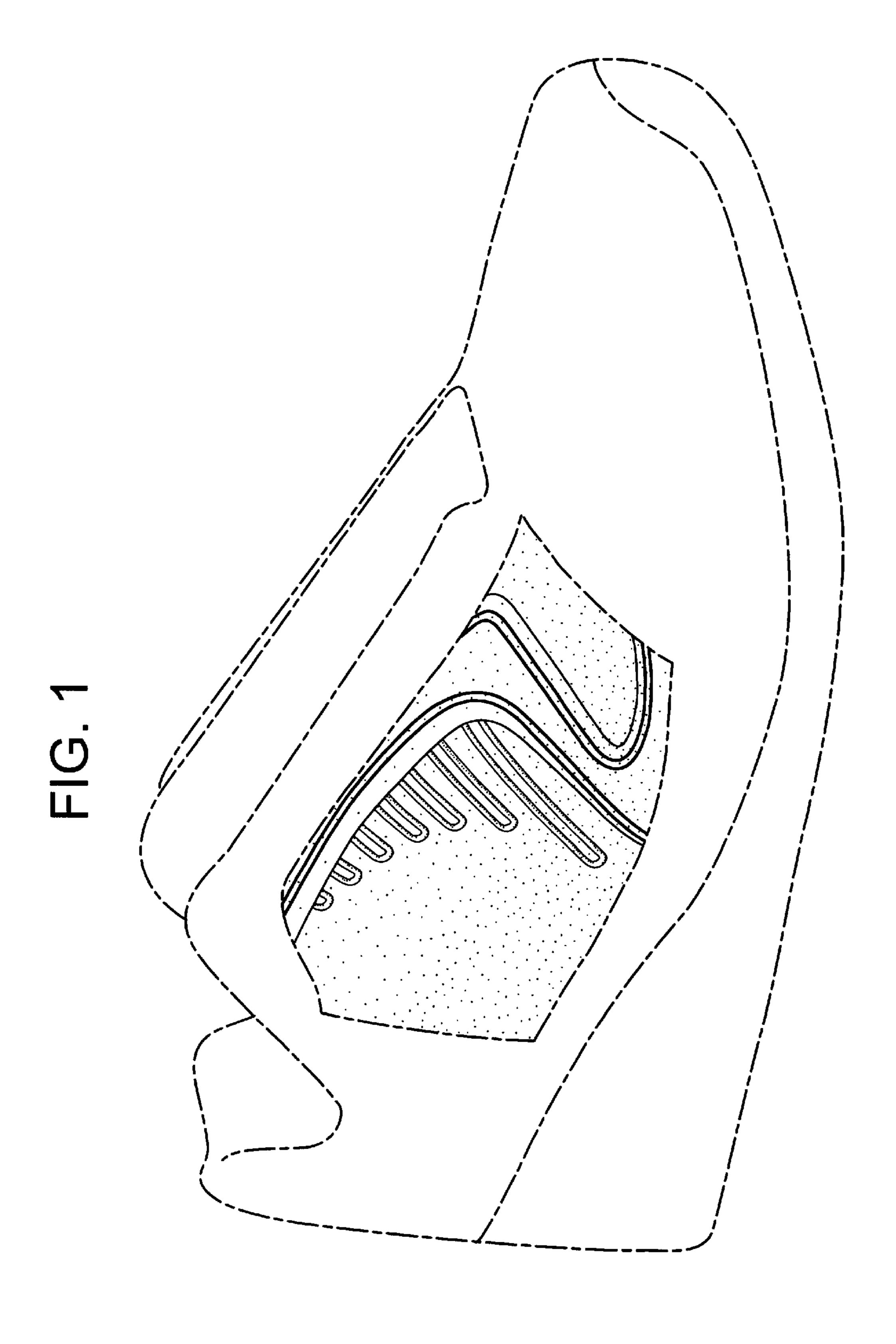
The uneven broken lines immediately adjacent the shaded area represent unclaimed boundaries of the design. The uneven broken line showing of the remainder of the shoe is for illustrative purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design.

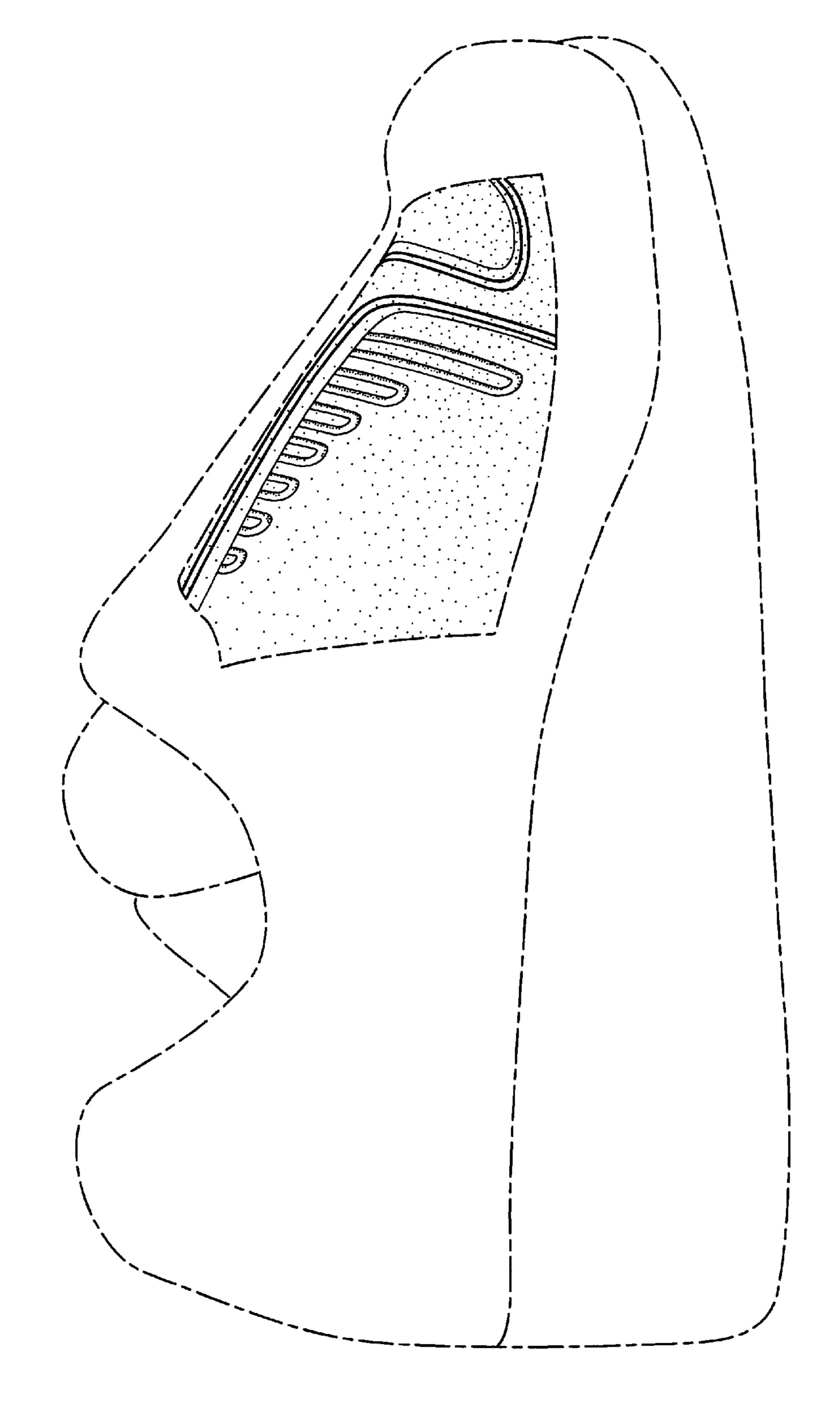
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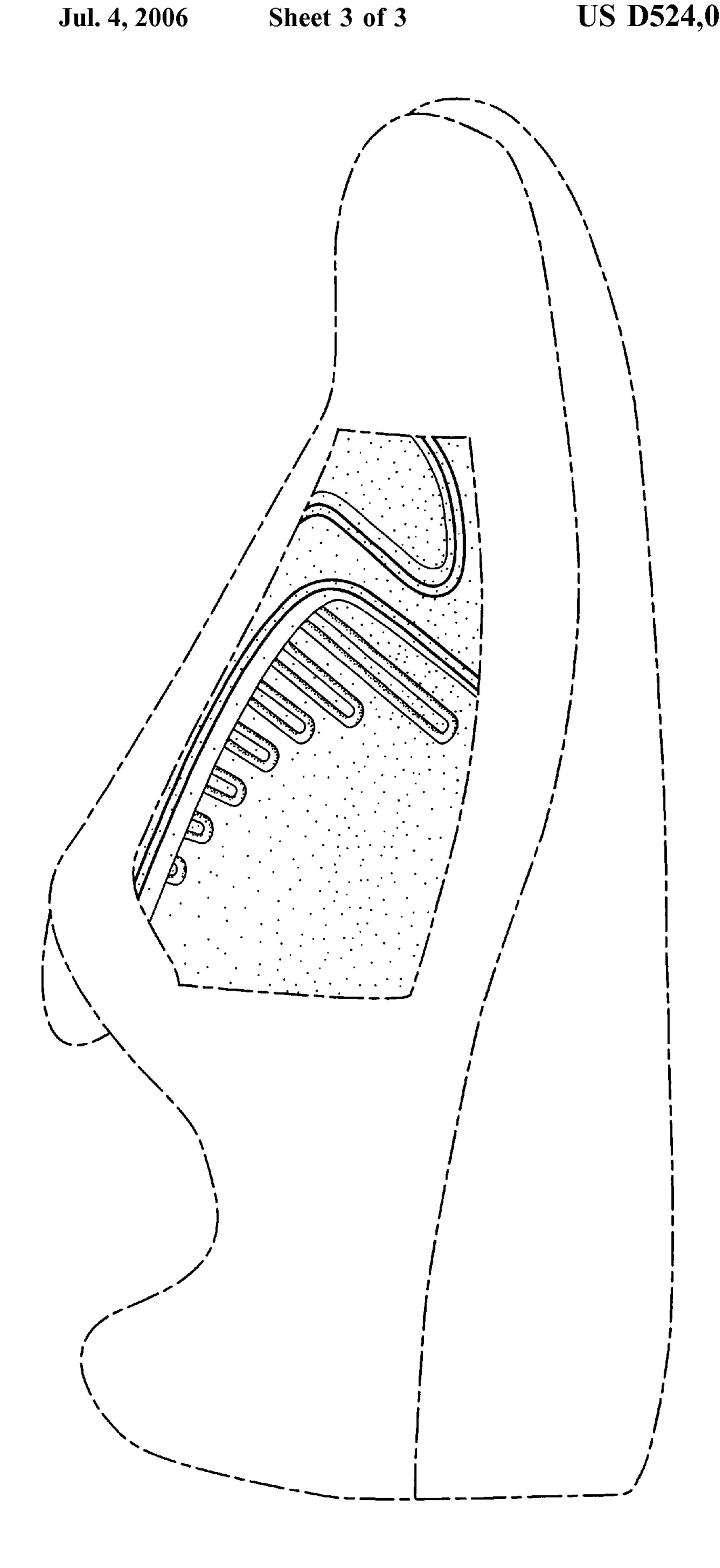
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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

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"Nike Footwear Cataog late Spring 2003, pp. M4, M9, M11, published Sep. 2002" has been replaced with

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