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(57) **CLAIM**

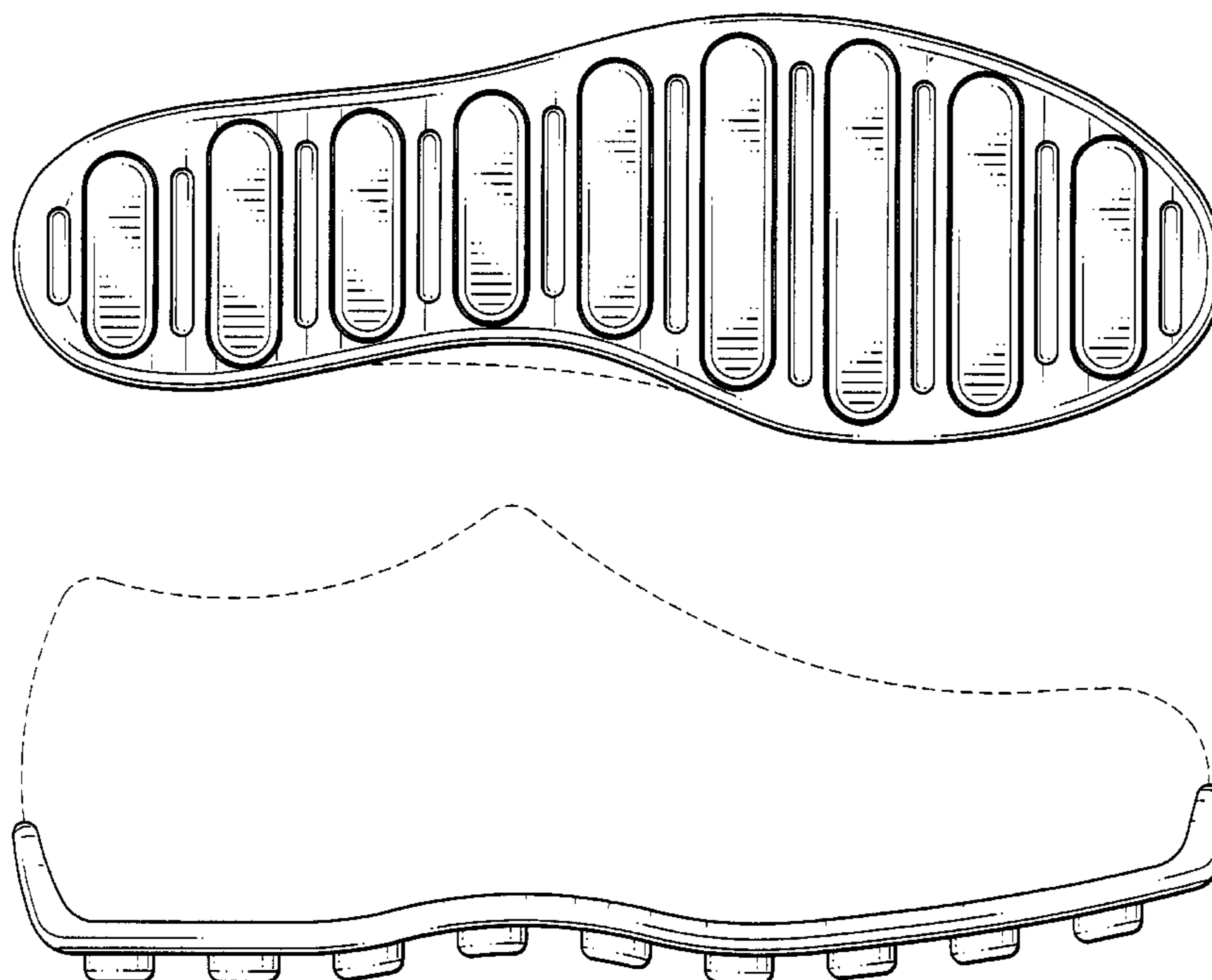
The ornamental design for a portion of an article of footwear, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a bottom perspective view of a portion of an article of footwear showing my new design; FIG. 2 is a bottom plan view thereof; FIG. 3 is a top plan view thereof; FIG. 4 is a left side elevational view thereof; FIG. 5 is a right side elevational view thereof; FIG. 6 is a front elevational view thereof; and, FIG. 7 is a rear elevational view thereof.

The broken-line showing in FIGS. 1-7 is for illustrative purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 6 Drawing Sheets



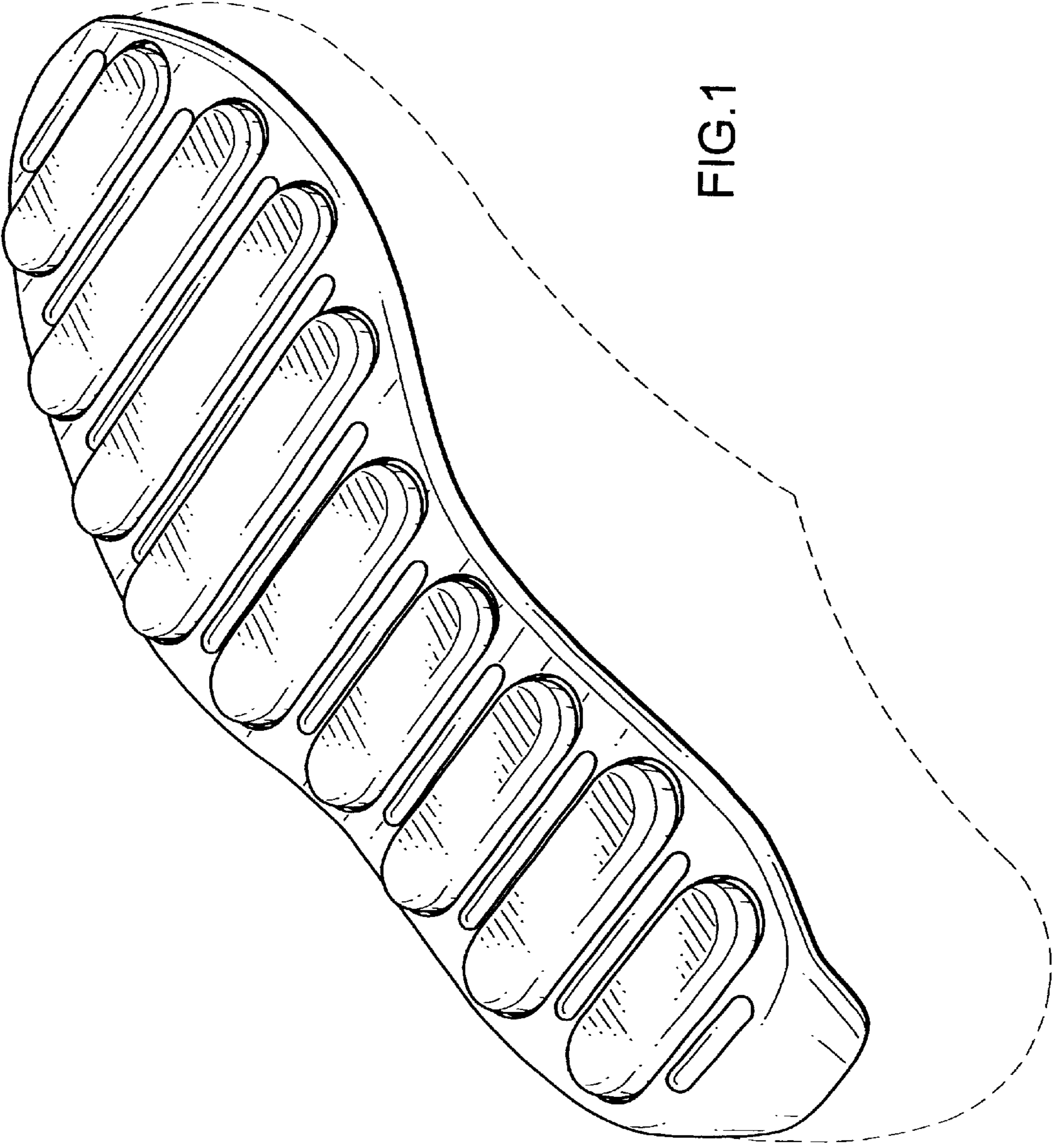


FIG. 1

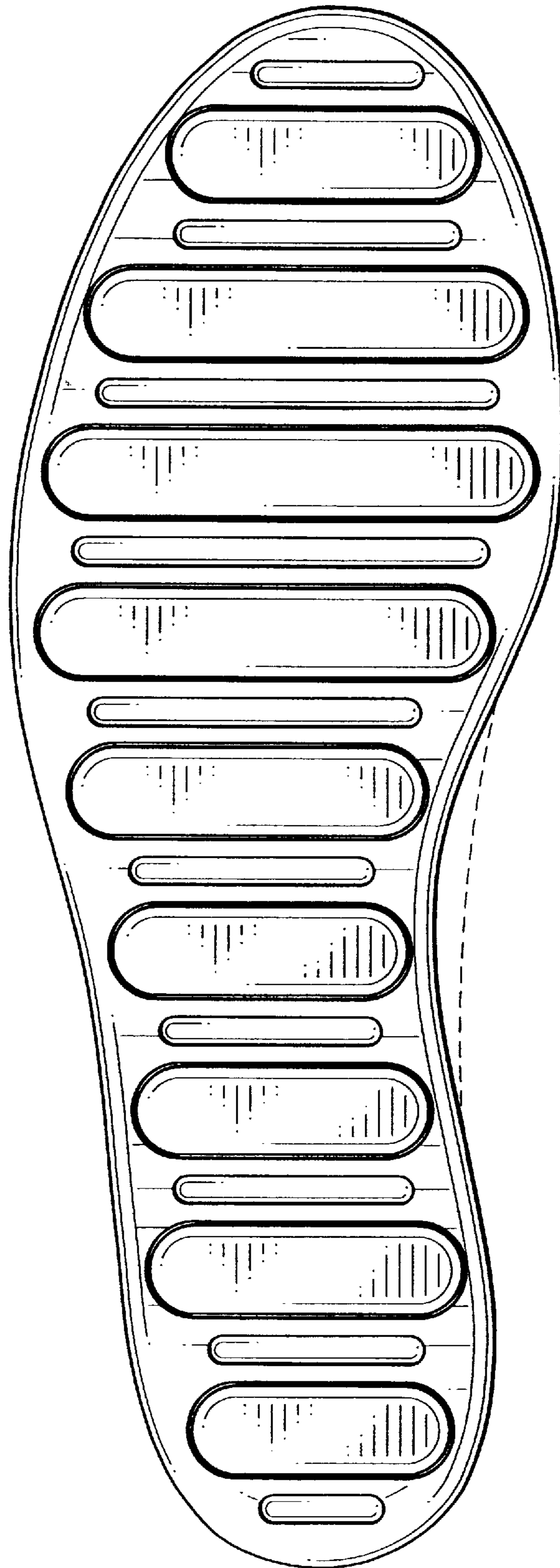


FIG.2

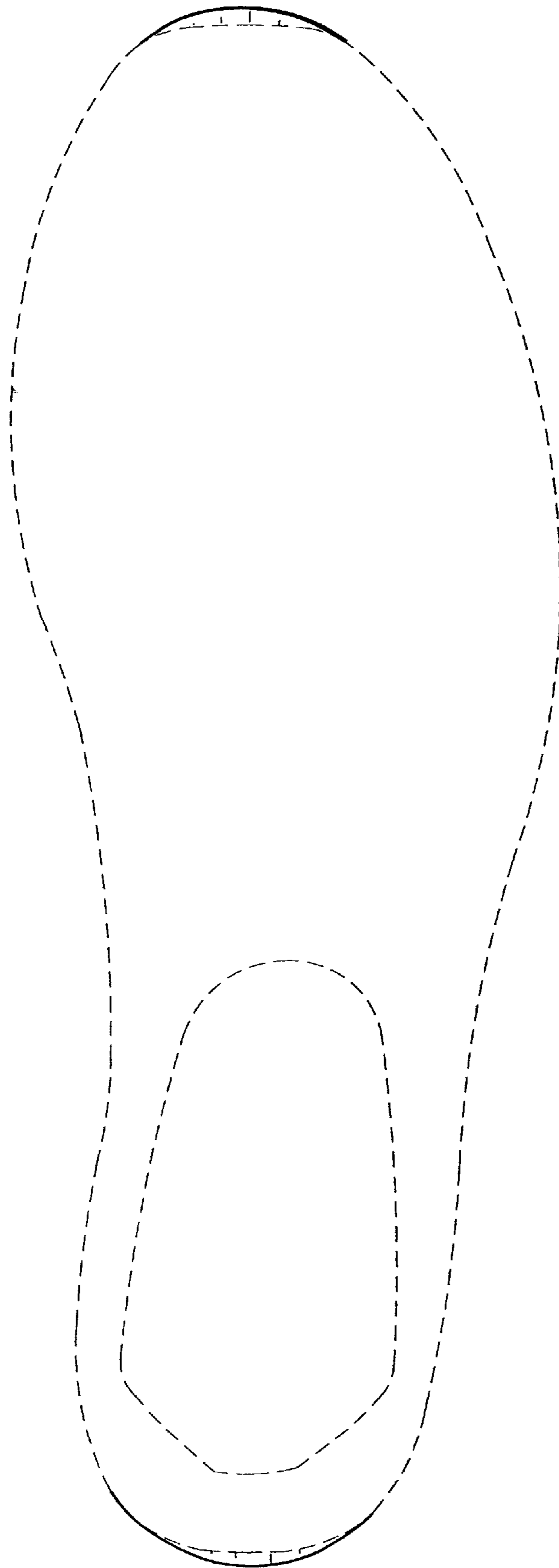


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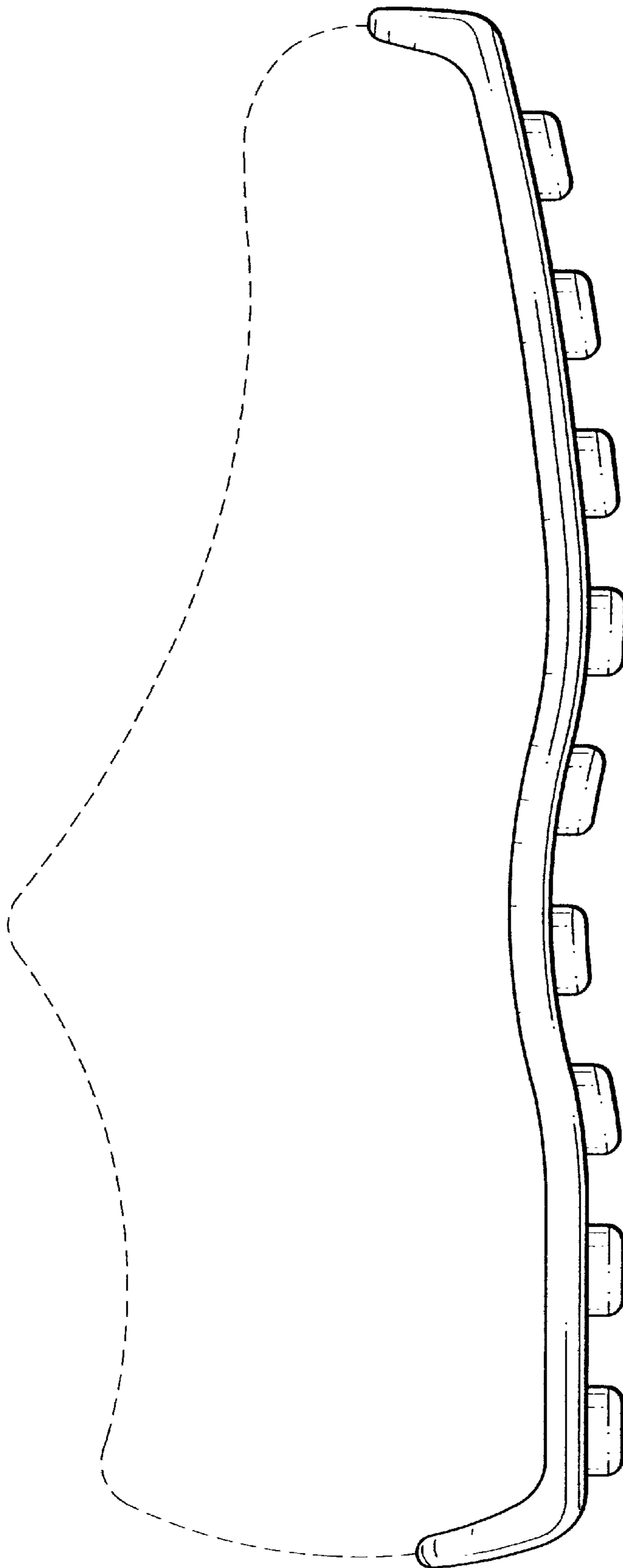


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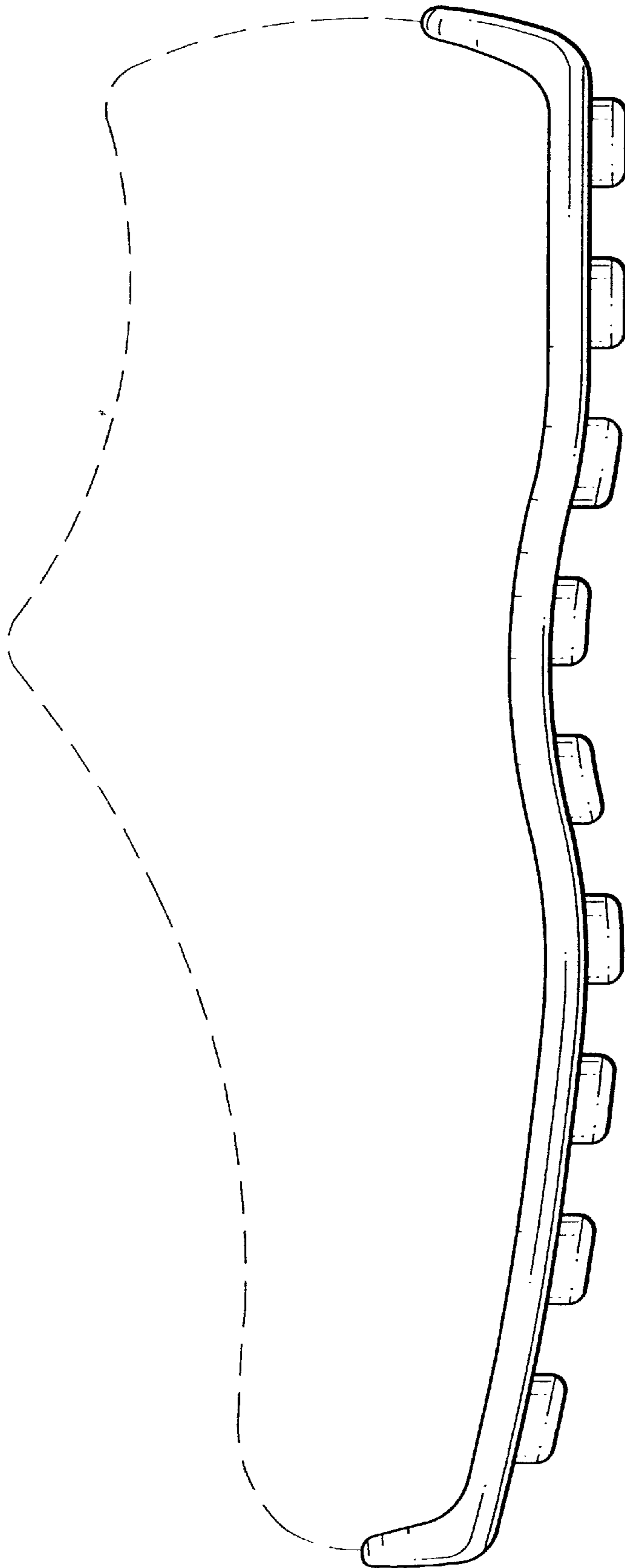


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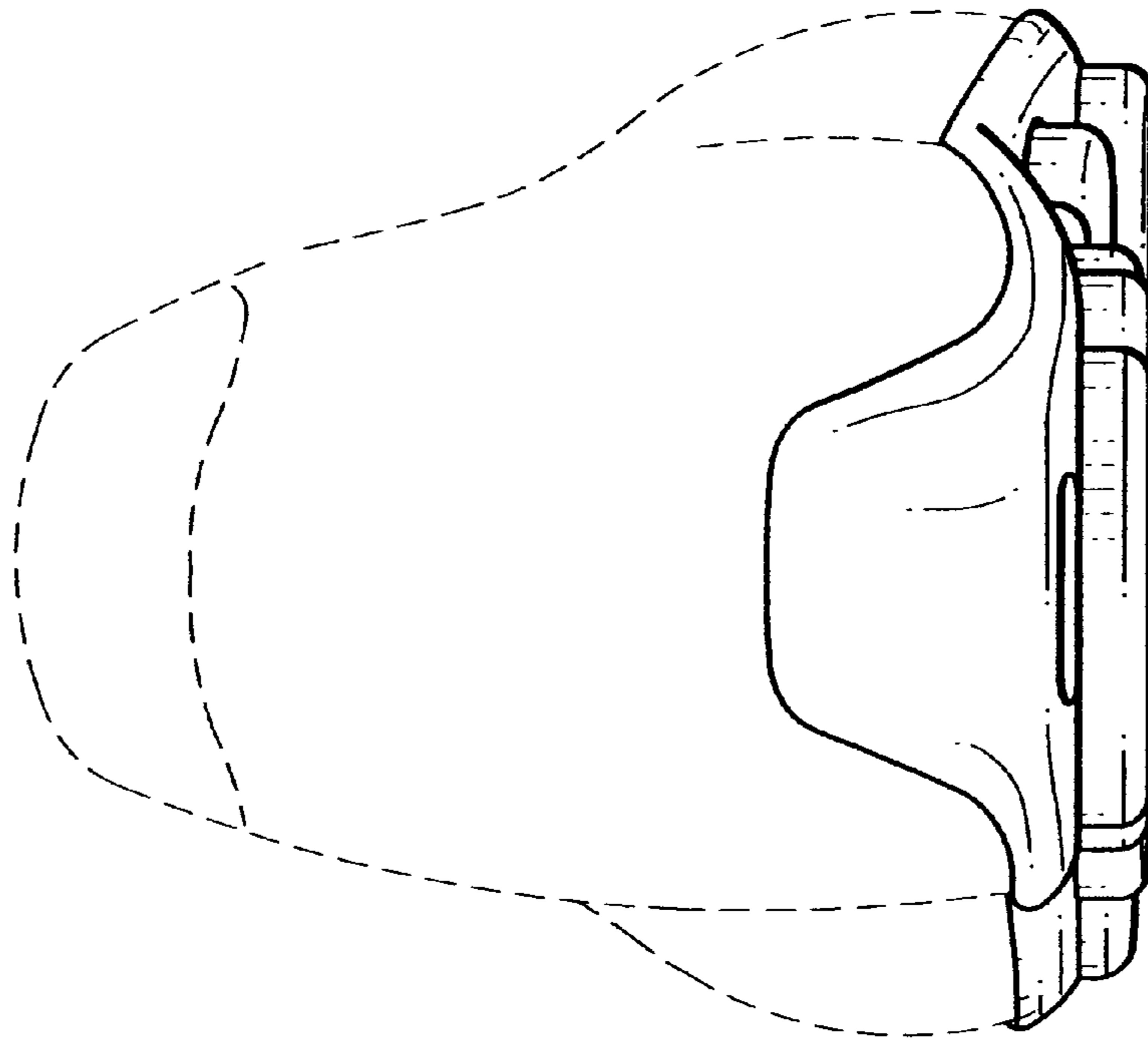


FIG. 7

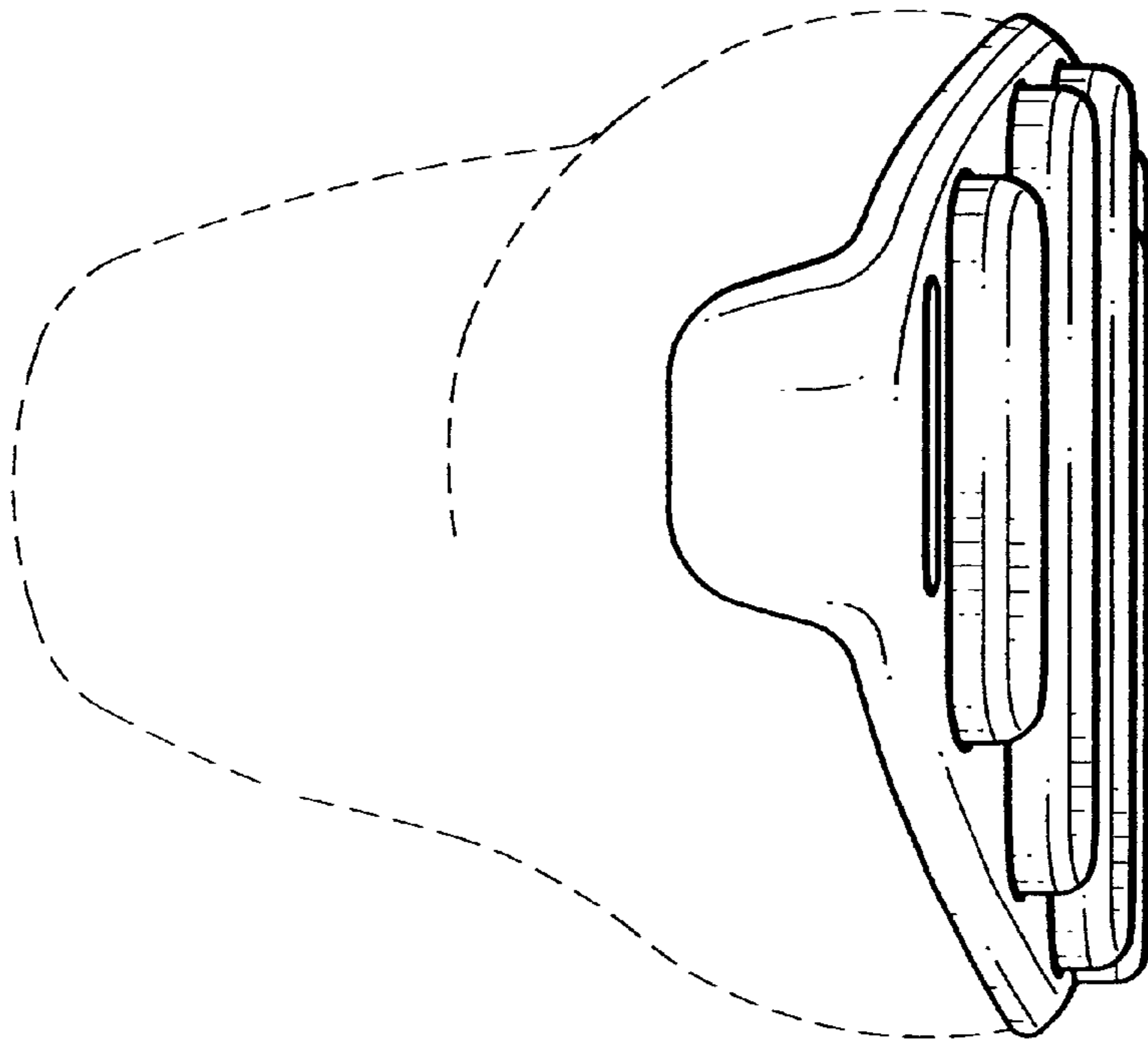


FIG. 6