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(54) **DIMMER SWITCH**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a dimmer switch, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front perspective view of a dimmer switch showing a first embodiment of our new design.

FIG. 2 is a front elevation view thereof.

FIG. 3 is a left side view thereof.

FIG. 4 is a right side view thereof.

FIG. 5 is a bottom view thereof.

FIG. 6 is a top view thereof.

FIG. 7 is a front perspective view of a dimmer switch according to a second embodiment of the design shown in FIG. 1.

FIG. 8 is a front elevation view thereof, the left side, right side, bottom, and top views being identical to the left side, right side, bottom, and top views of the first embodiment.

FIG. 9 is a front perspective view of a dimmer switch according to a third embodiment of the design shown in FIG. 1.

FIG. 10 is a front elevation view thereof.

FIG. 11 is a left side view thereof.

FIG. 12 is a right side view thereof.

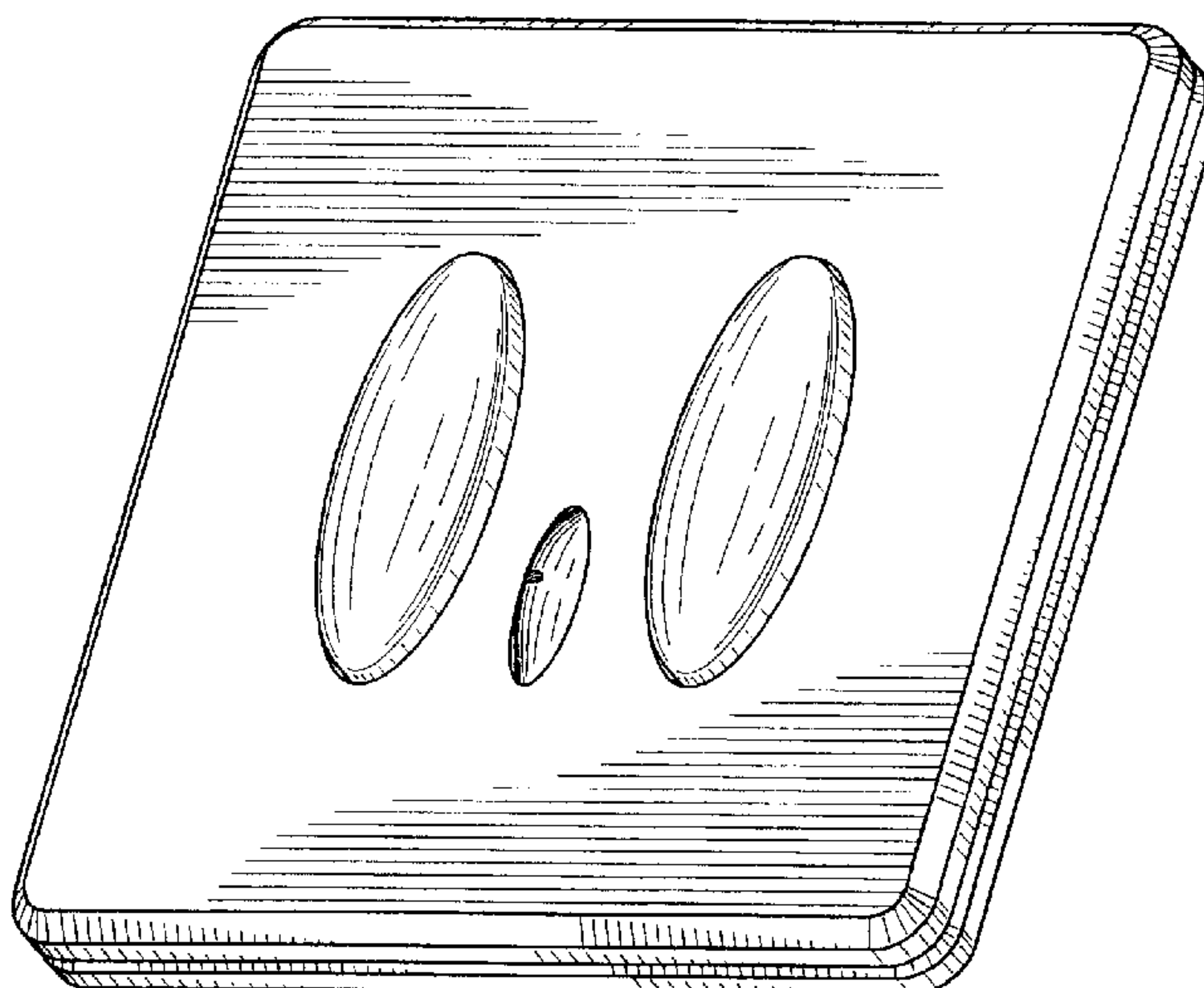
FIG. 13 is a bottom view thereof.

FIG. 14 is a top view thereof.

FIG. 15 is a front perspective view of a dimmer switch according to a fourth embodiment of the design shown in FIG. 1; and,

FIG. 16 is a front elevation view thereof, the left side, right side, bottom, and top views being identical to the left side, right side, bottom, and top views of the third embodiment. The rear views form no part of the design and are omitted. The portions of the drawings appearing in broken line are for environment only and do not form a part of the design.

1 Claim, 12 Drawing Sheets



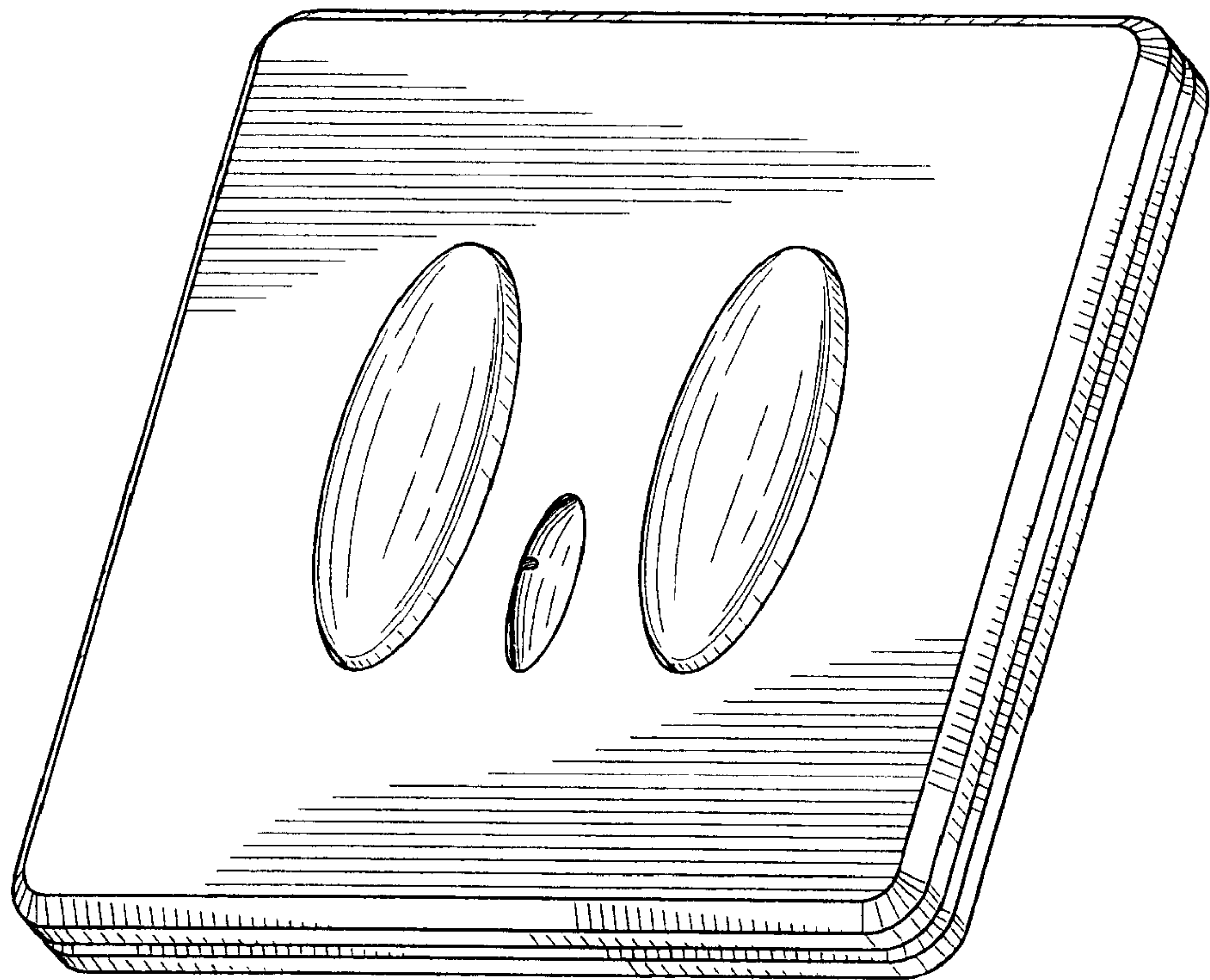


FIG. 1

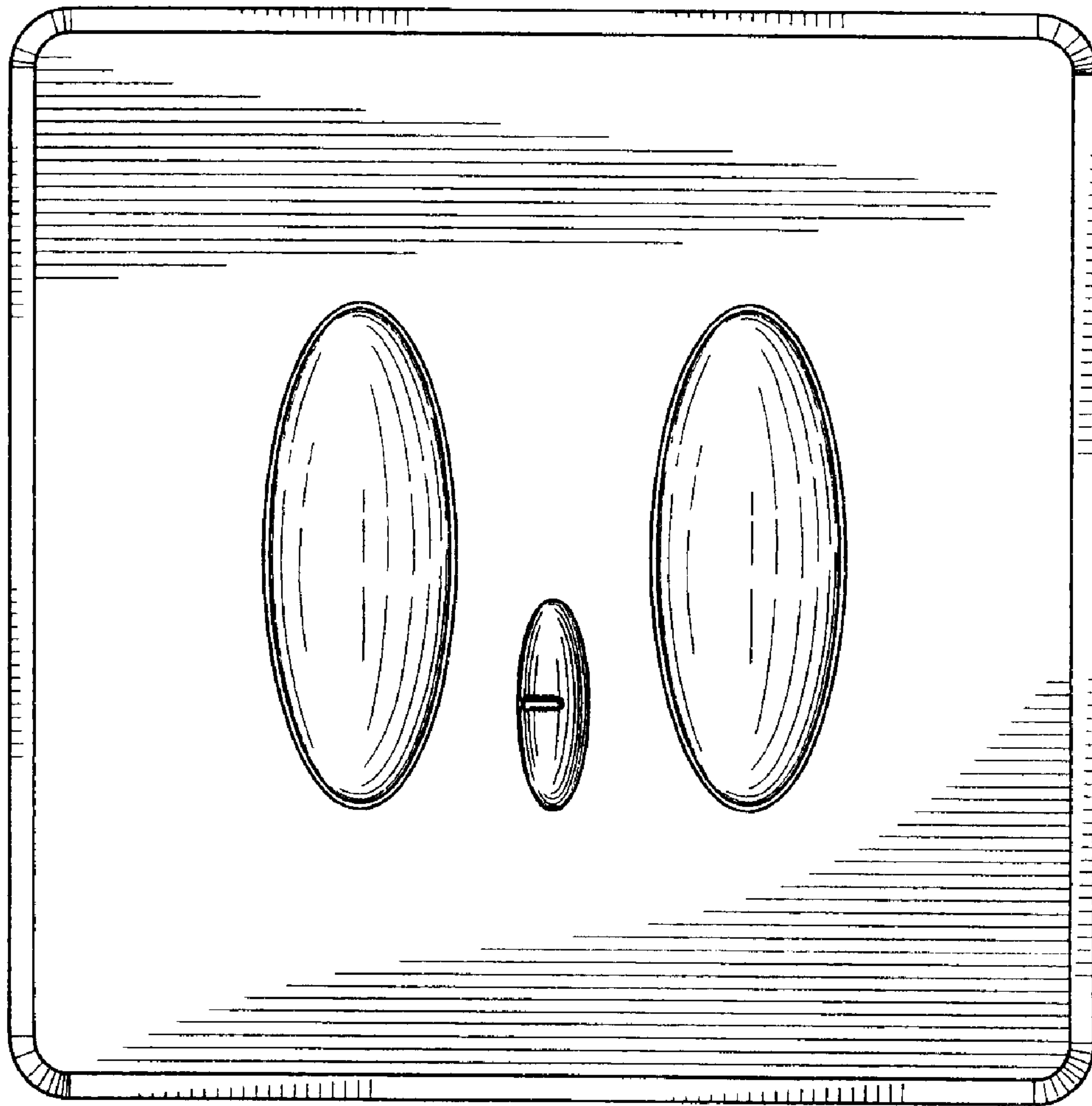


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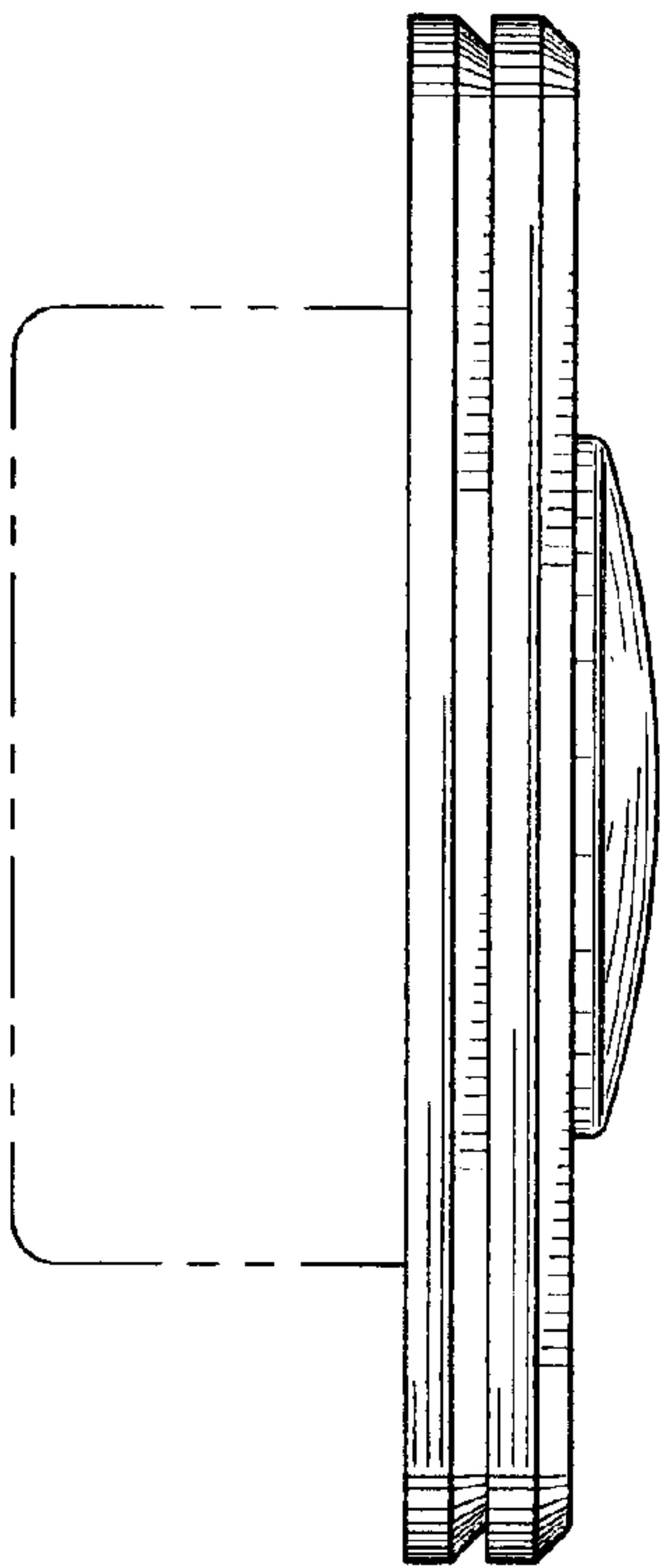


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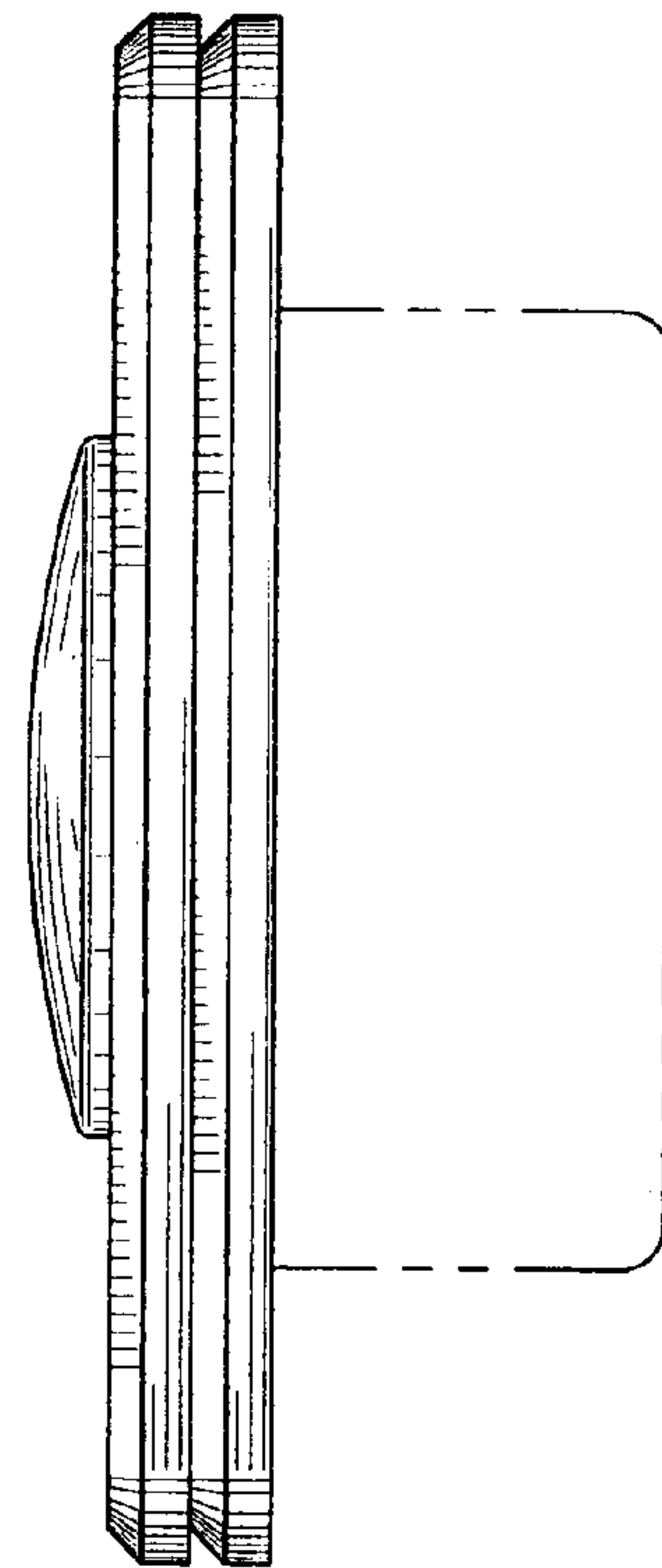


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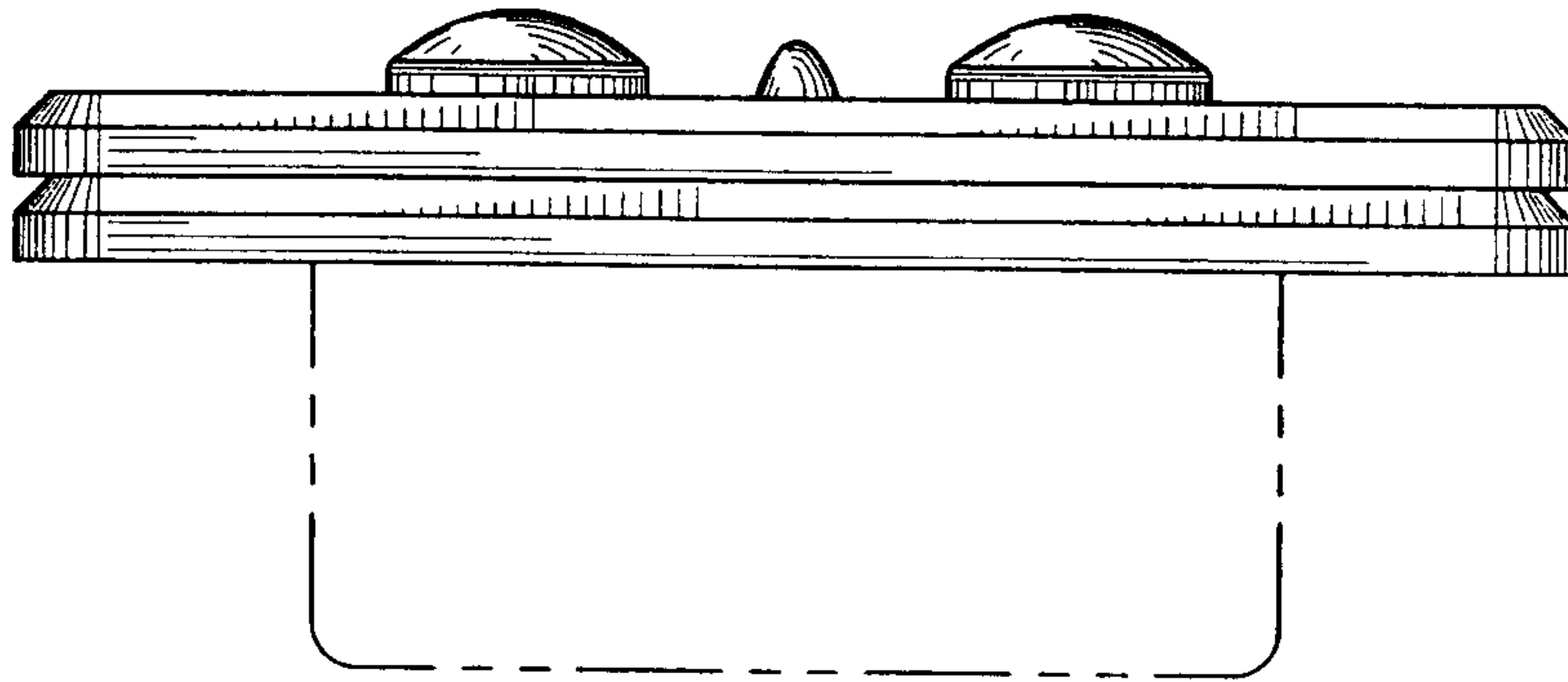


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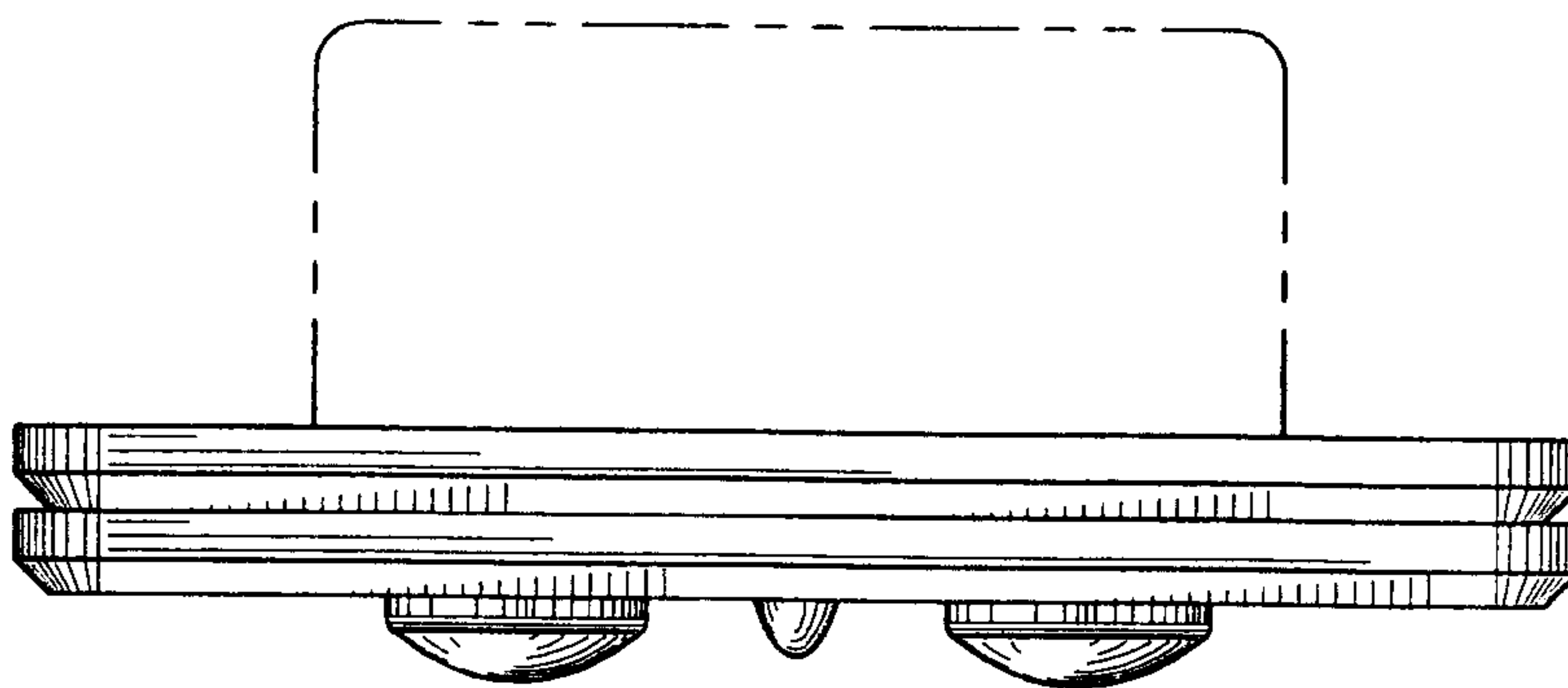


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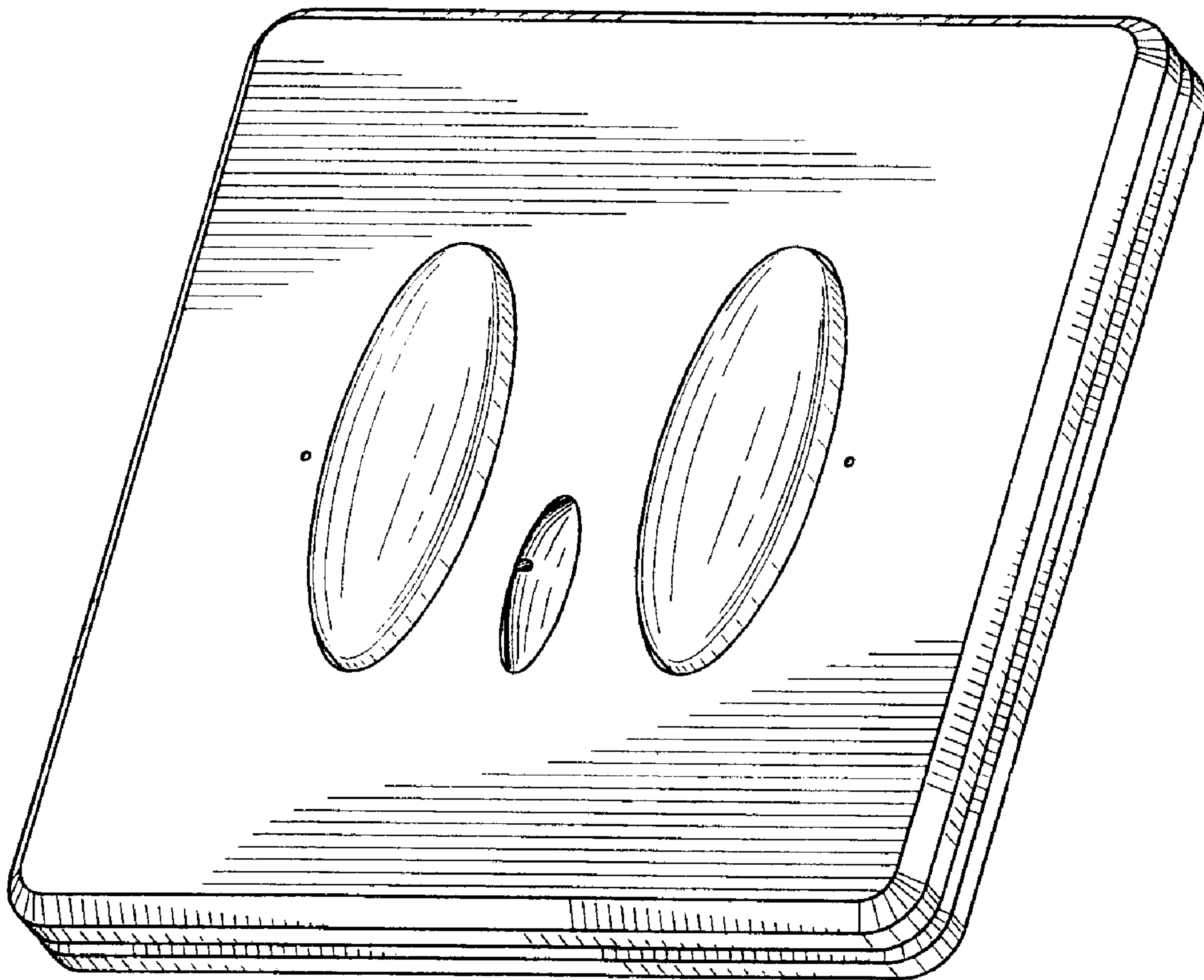


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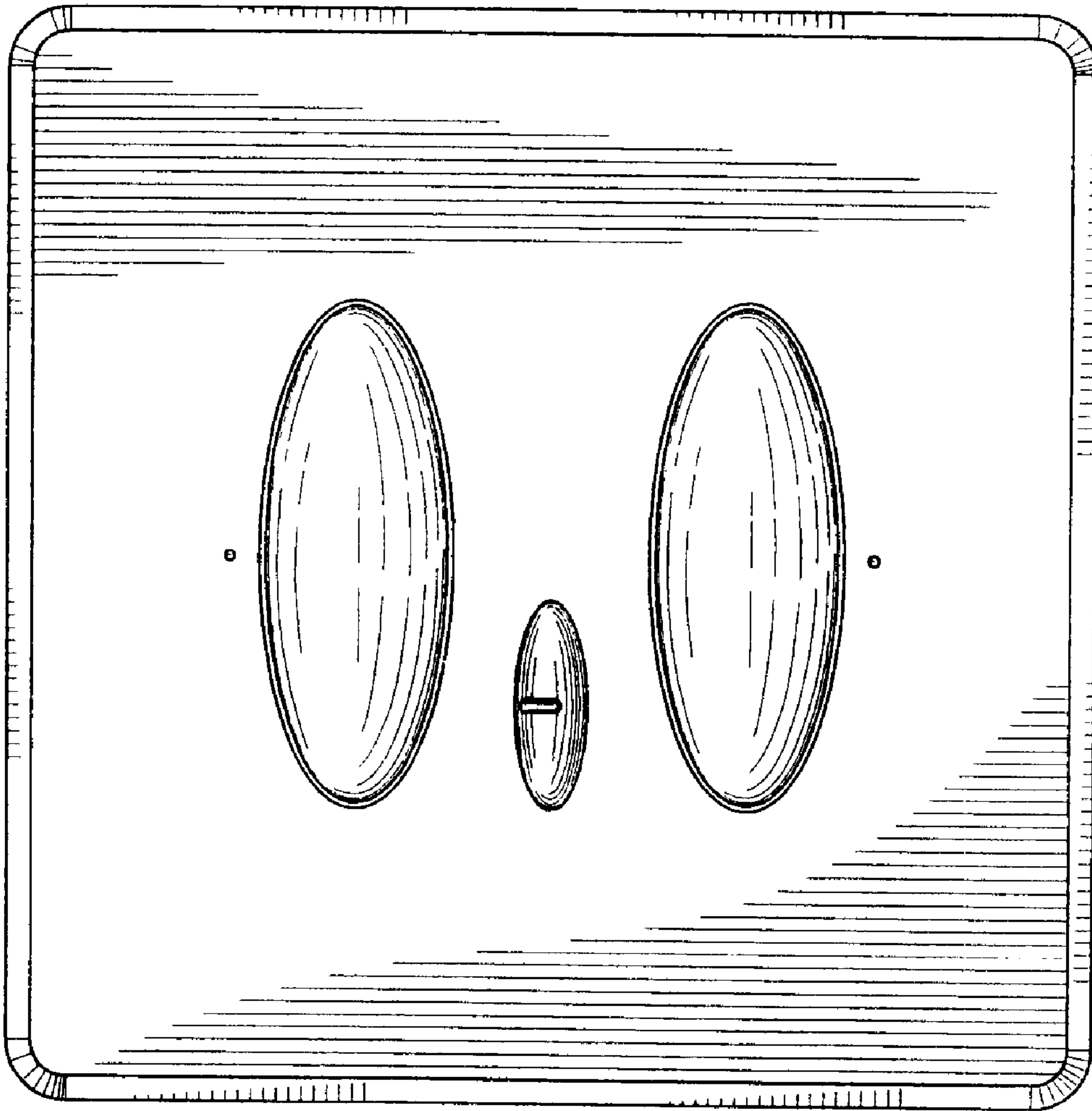


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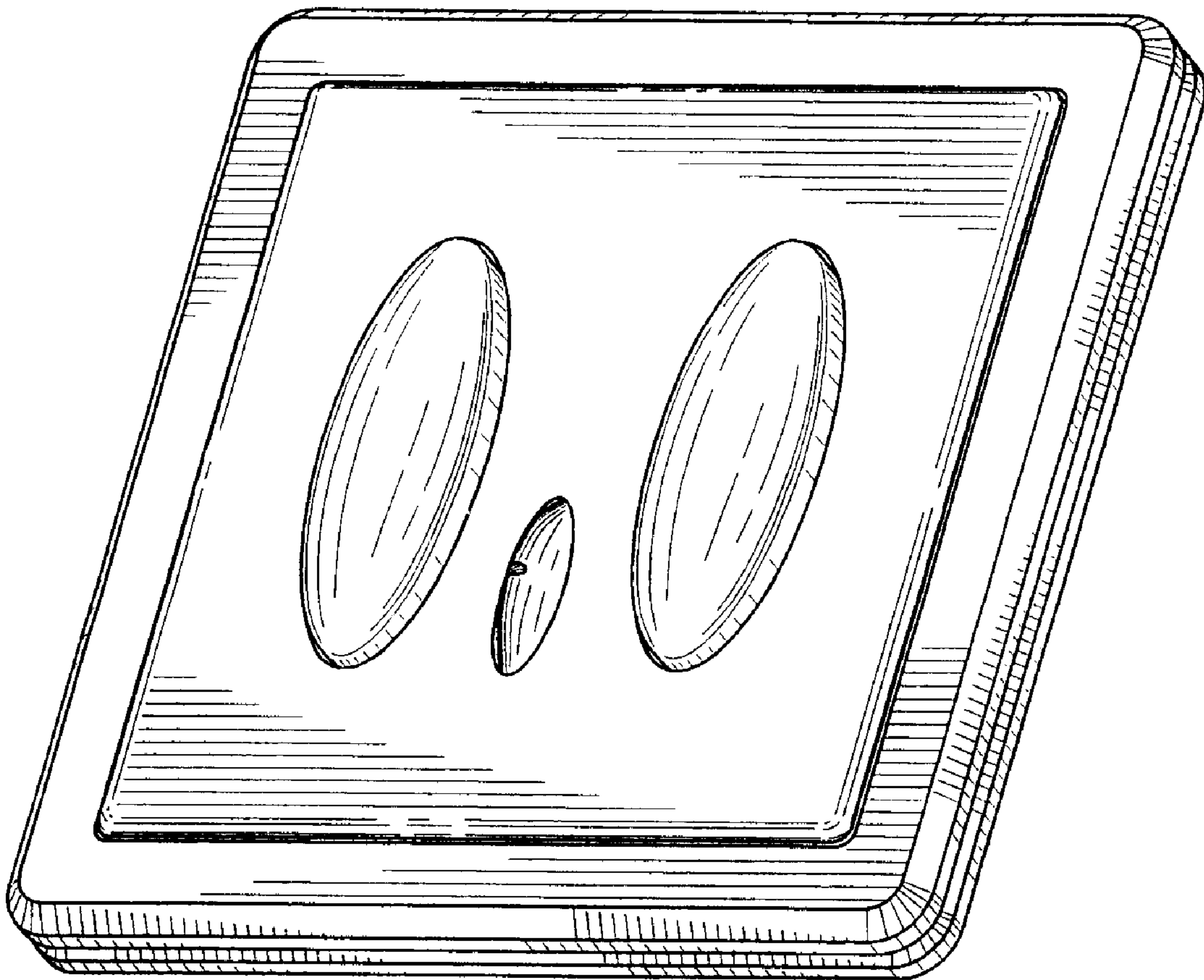


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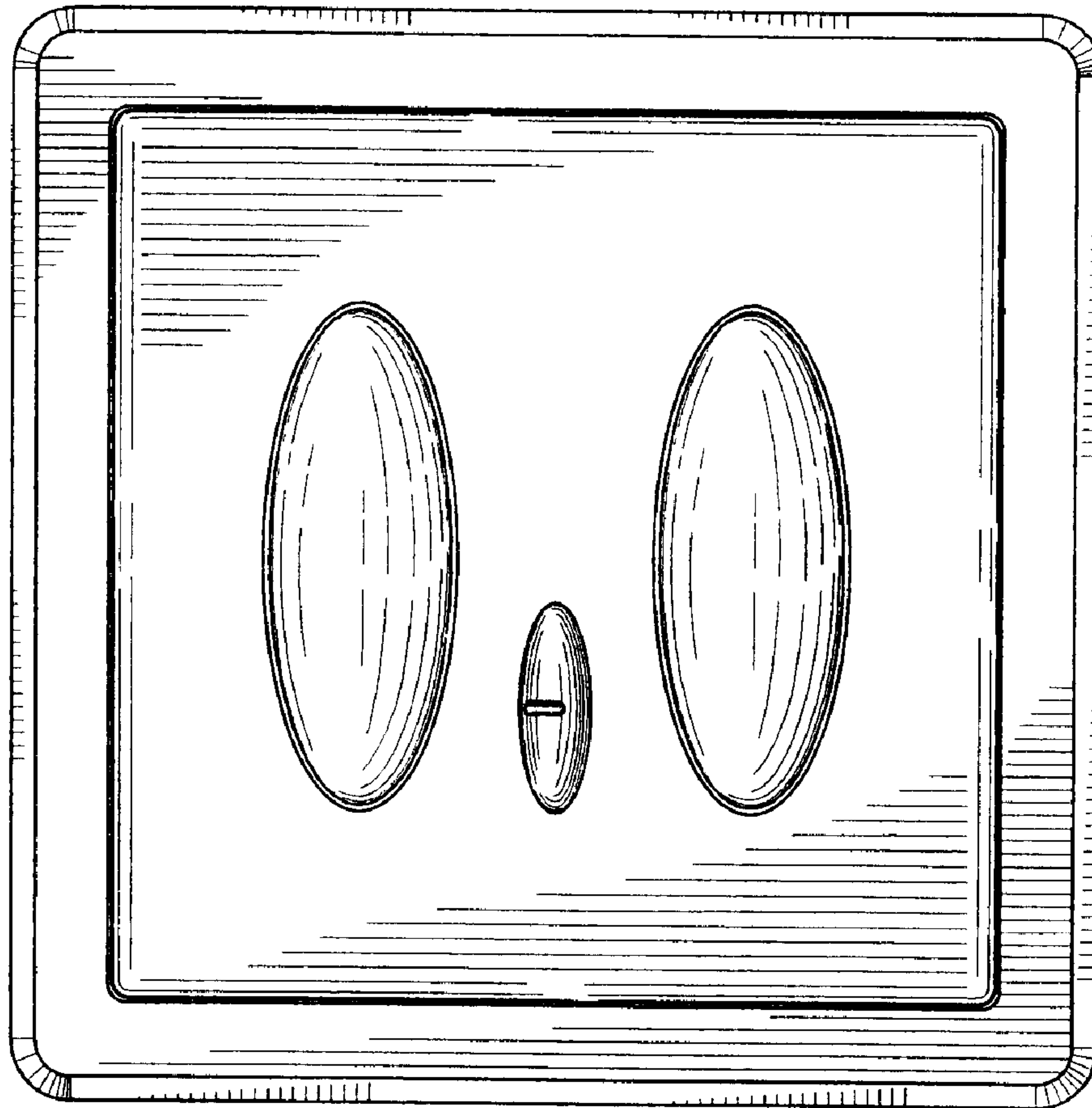


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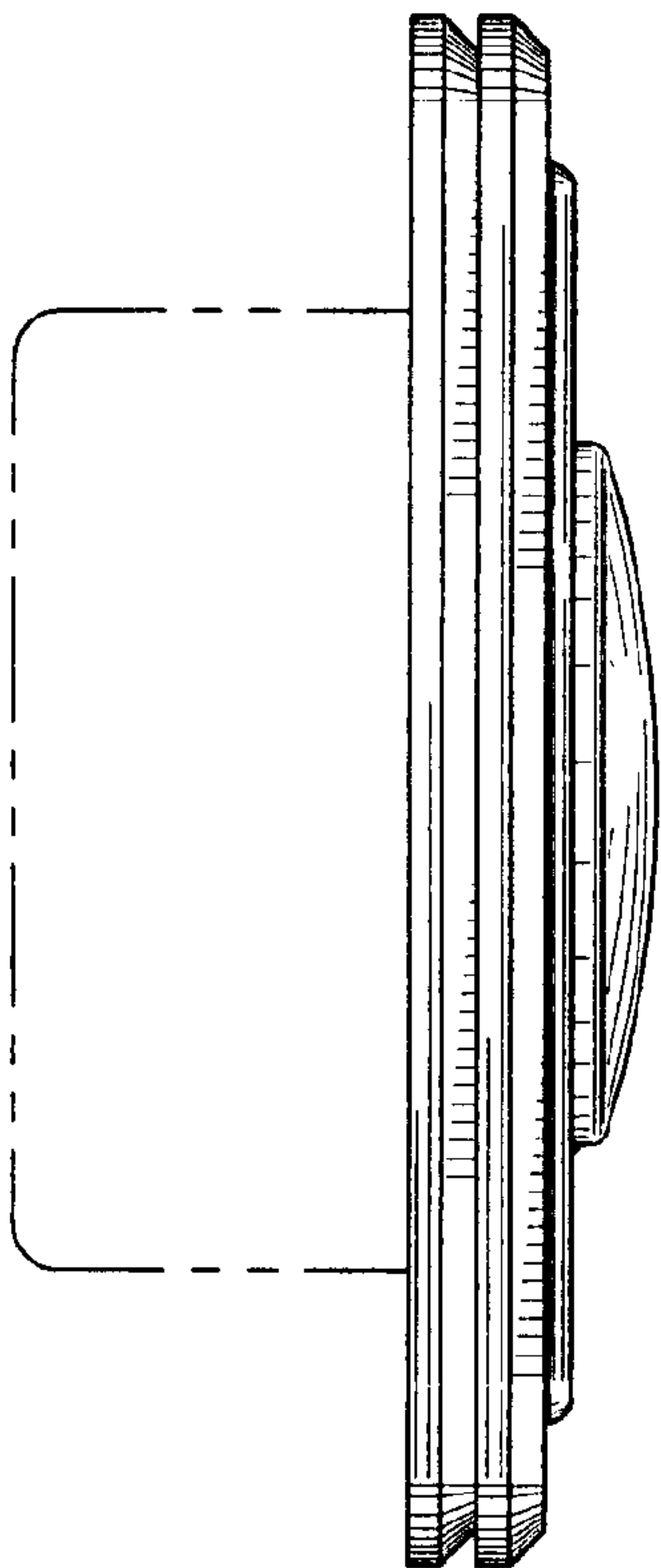


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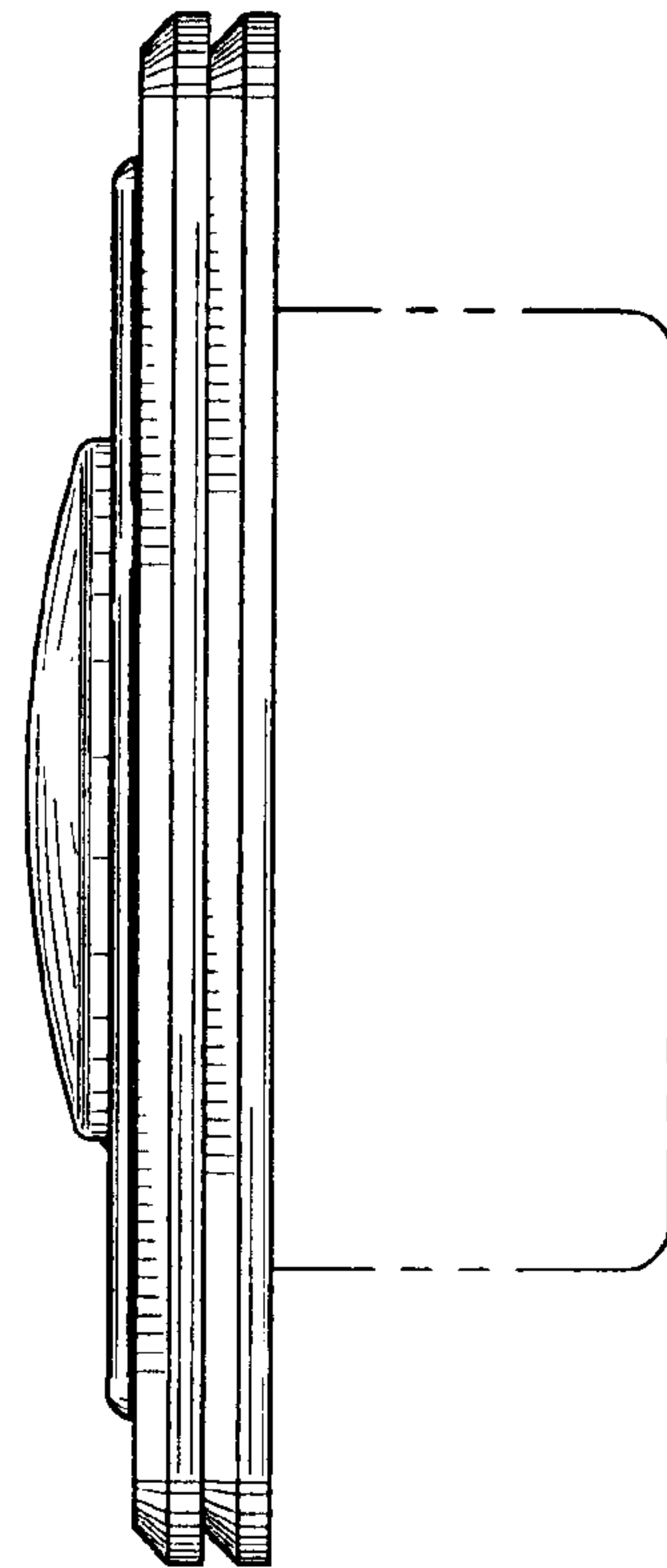


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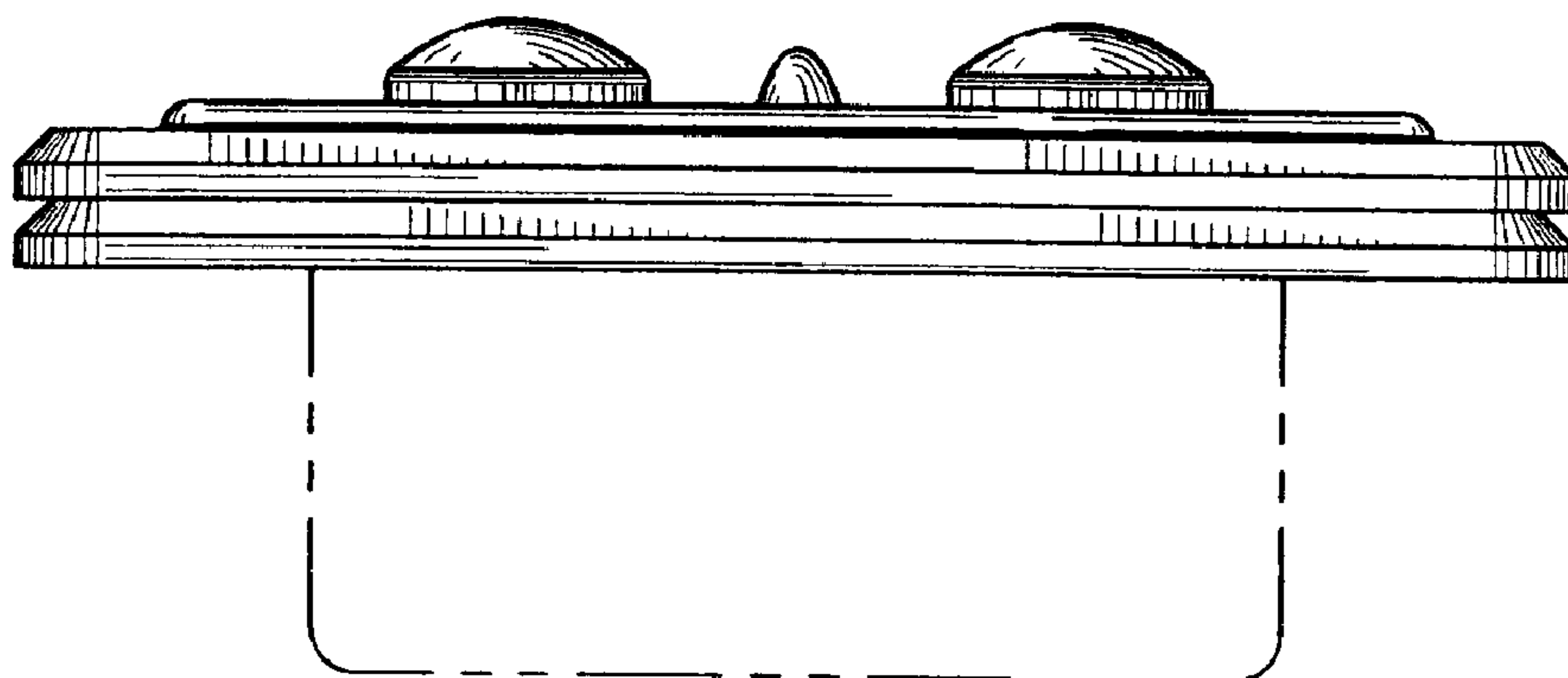


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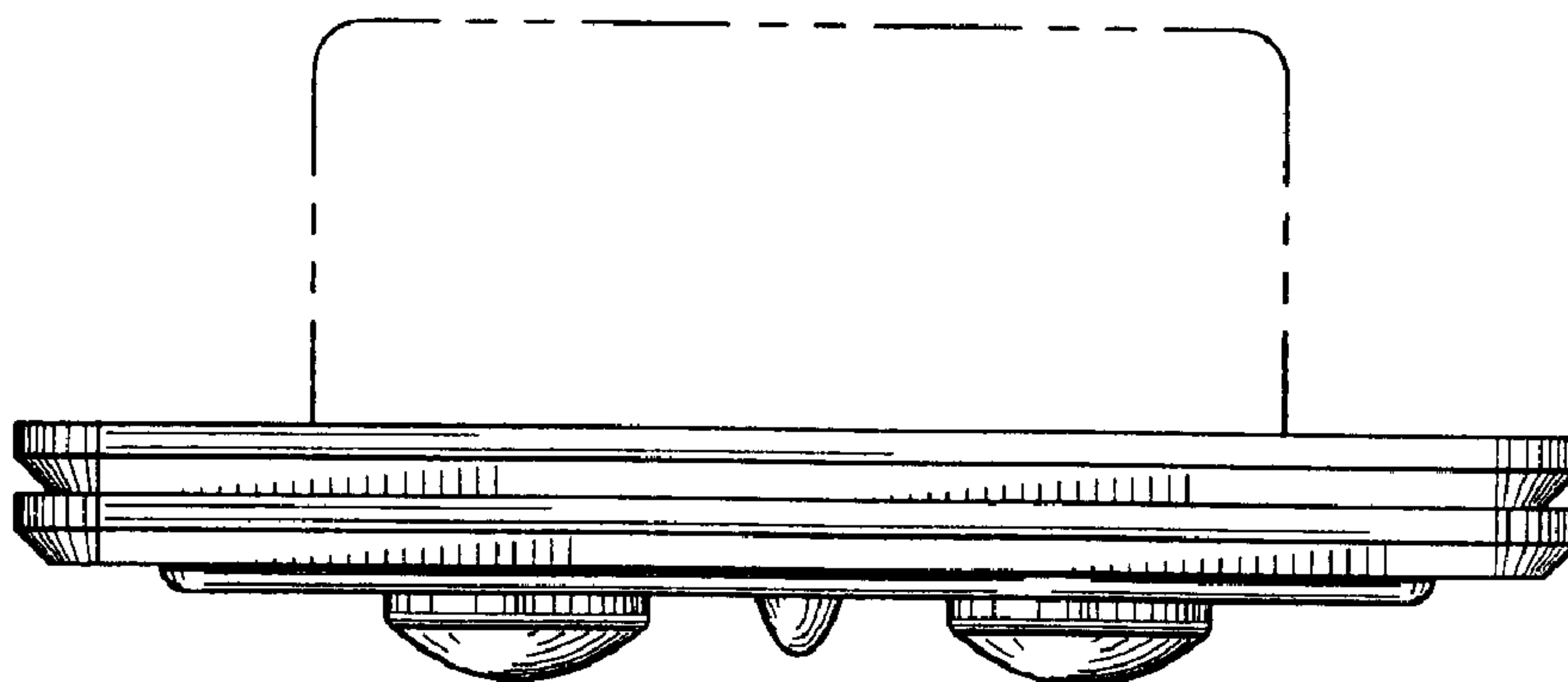


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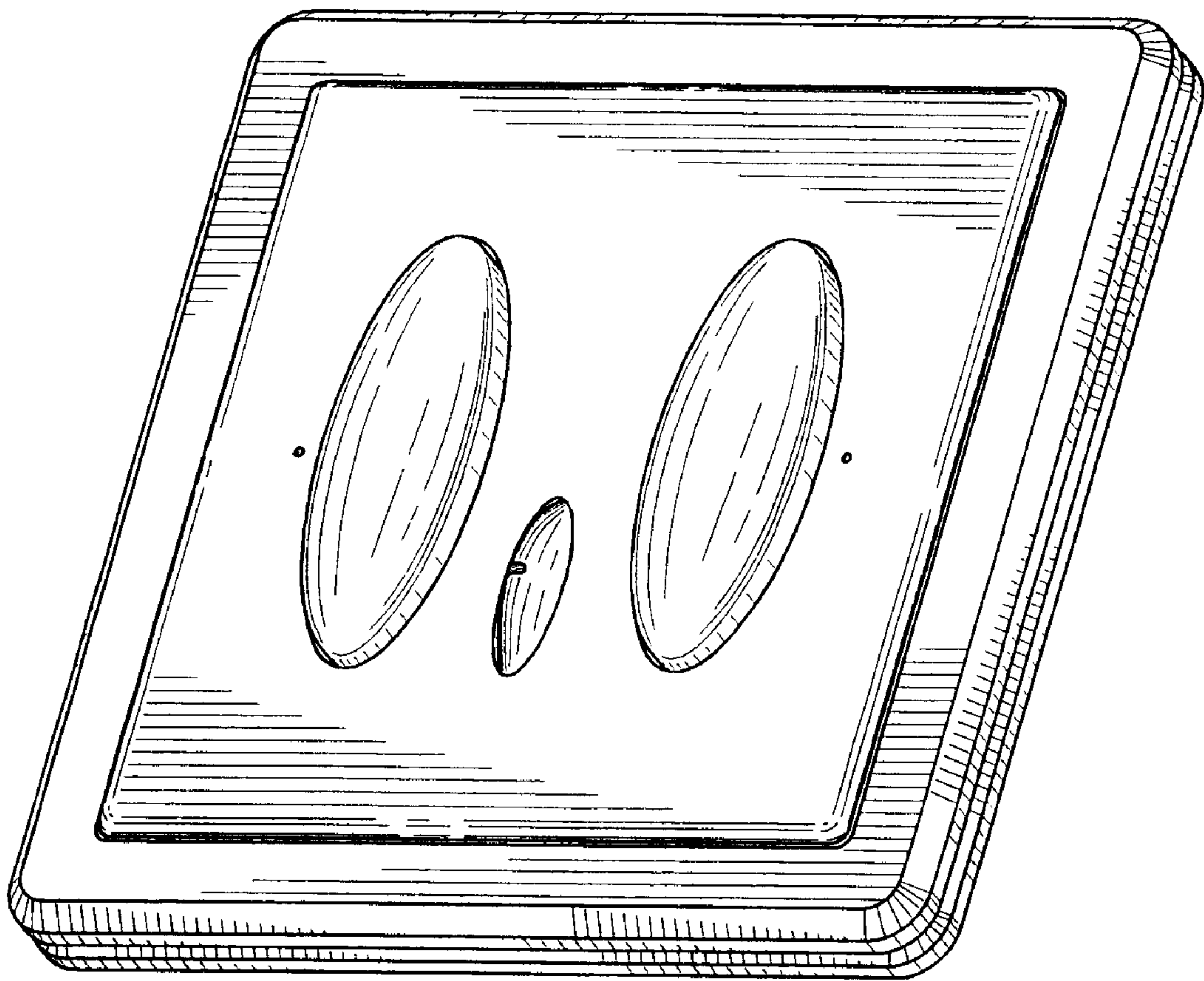


FIG. 15

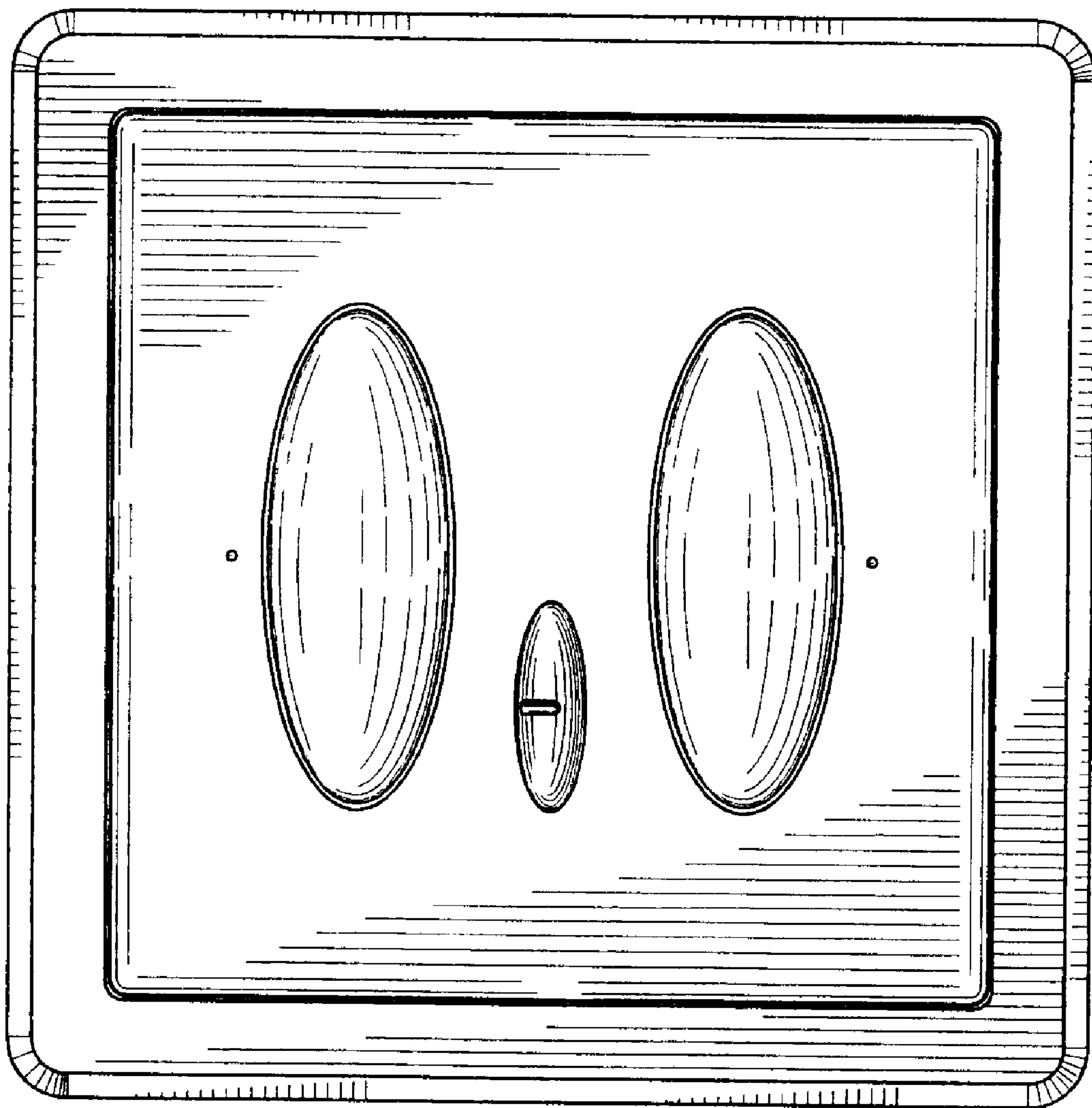


FIG. 16