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(54) **POWERLINE COMMUNICATIONS DEVICE**

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(57) **CLAIM**

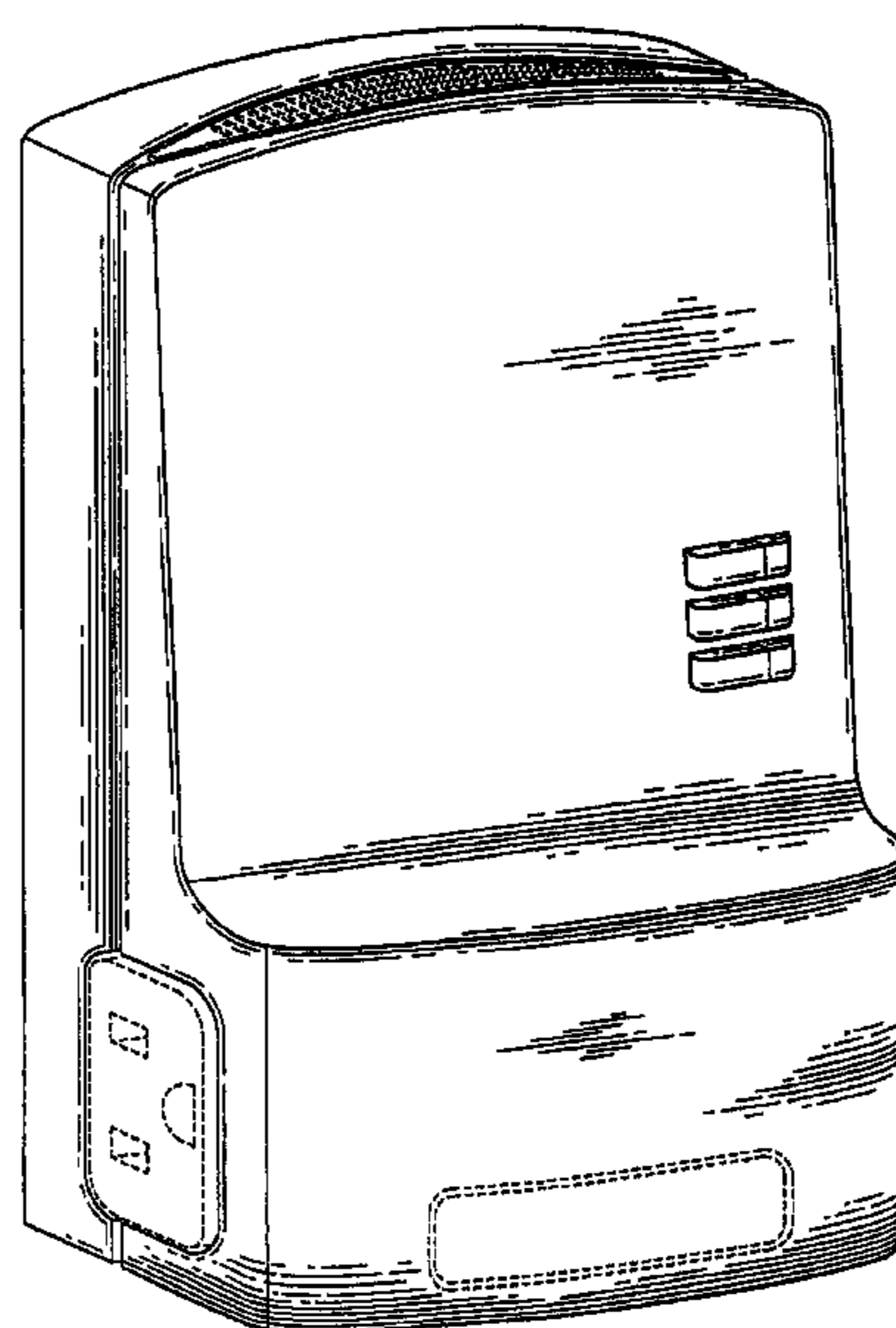
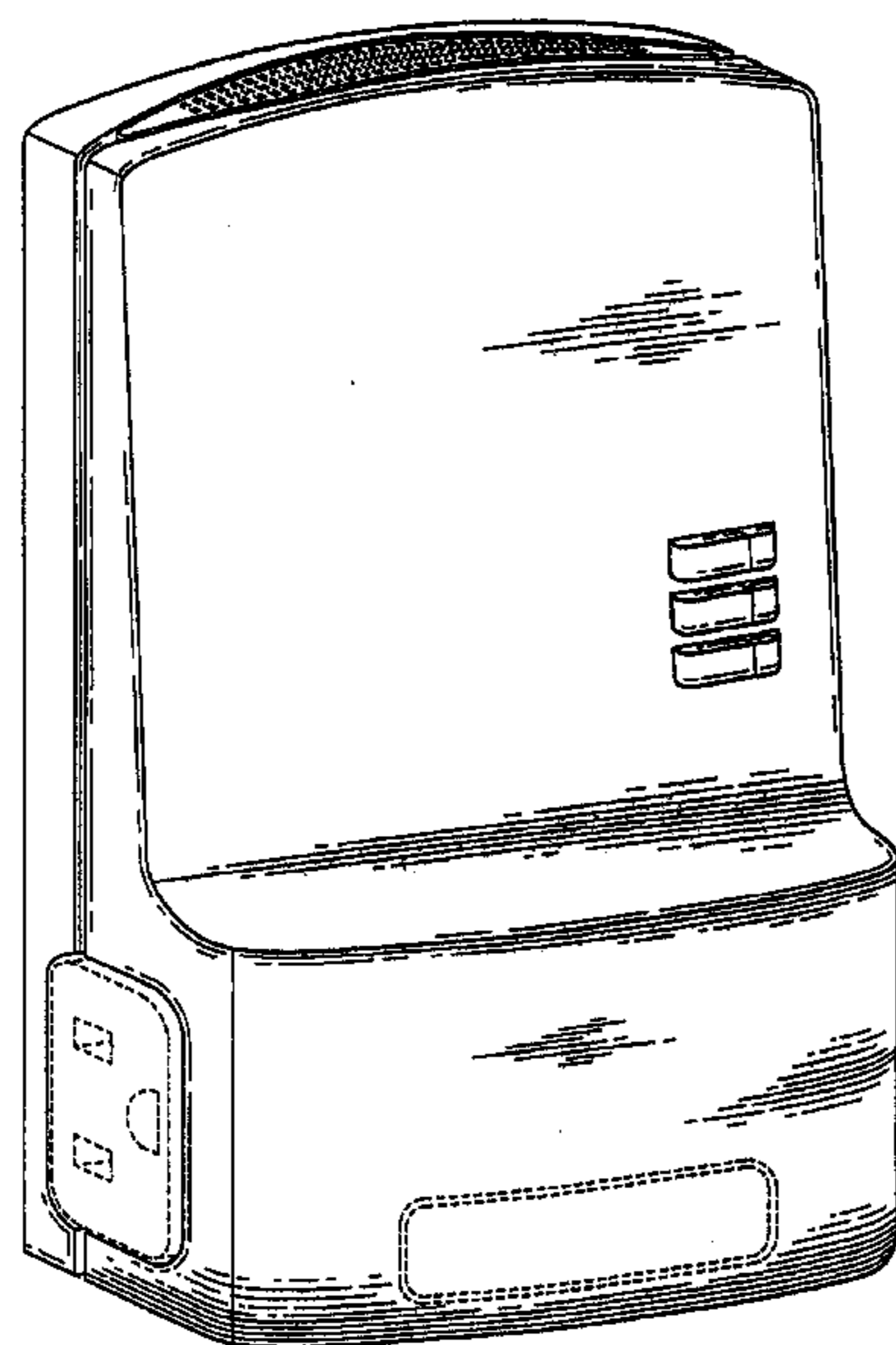
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device, as shown and described.

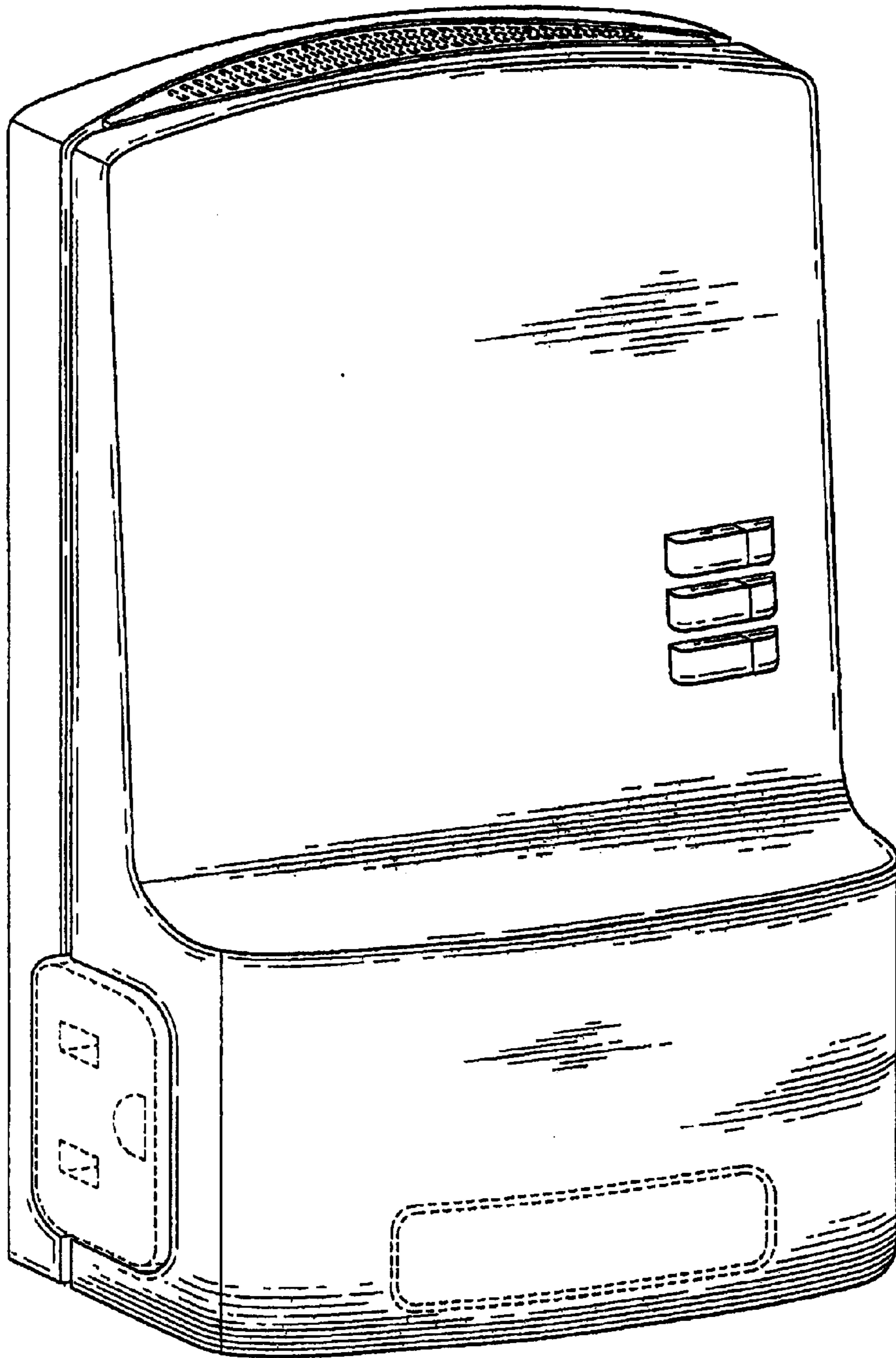
**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a front perspective view of a powerline commu-  
nications device showing our new design;  
FIG. 2 is a front elevation thereof;  
FIG. 3 is a rear elevation thereof;  
FIG. 4 left side elevation thereof;  
FIG. 5 is a right side elevation thereof;  
FIG. 6 is a top plan view thereof;  
FIG. 7 is a bottom plan view thereof;  
FIG. 8 is a front perspective view of a modified embodiment  
of the design shown in FIGS. 1 through 7;  
FIG. 9 is a front elevation thereof;  
FIG. 10 is a rear elevation thereof;  
FIG. 11 is a left side elevation thereof;  
FIG. 12 is a right side elevation thereof;  
FIG. 13 is a top plan view thereof; and,  
FIG. 14 is a bottom plan view thereof.

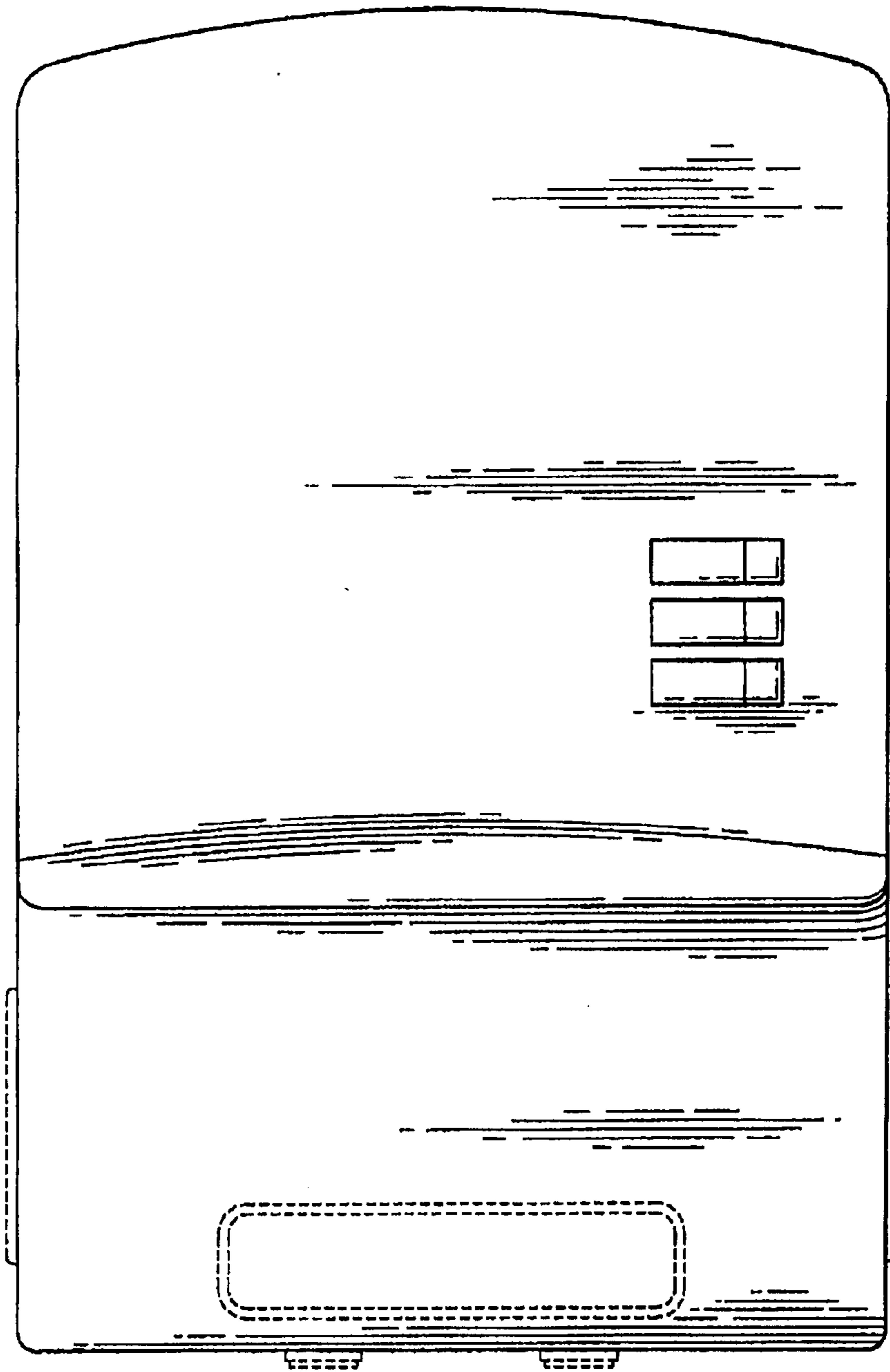
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drawings is for illustrative purposes only and forms no part  
of the claimed design.

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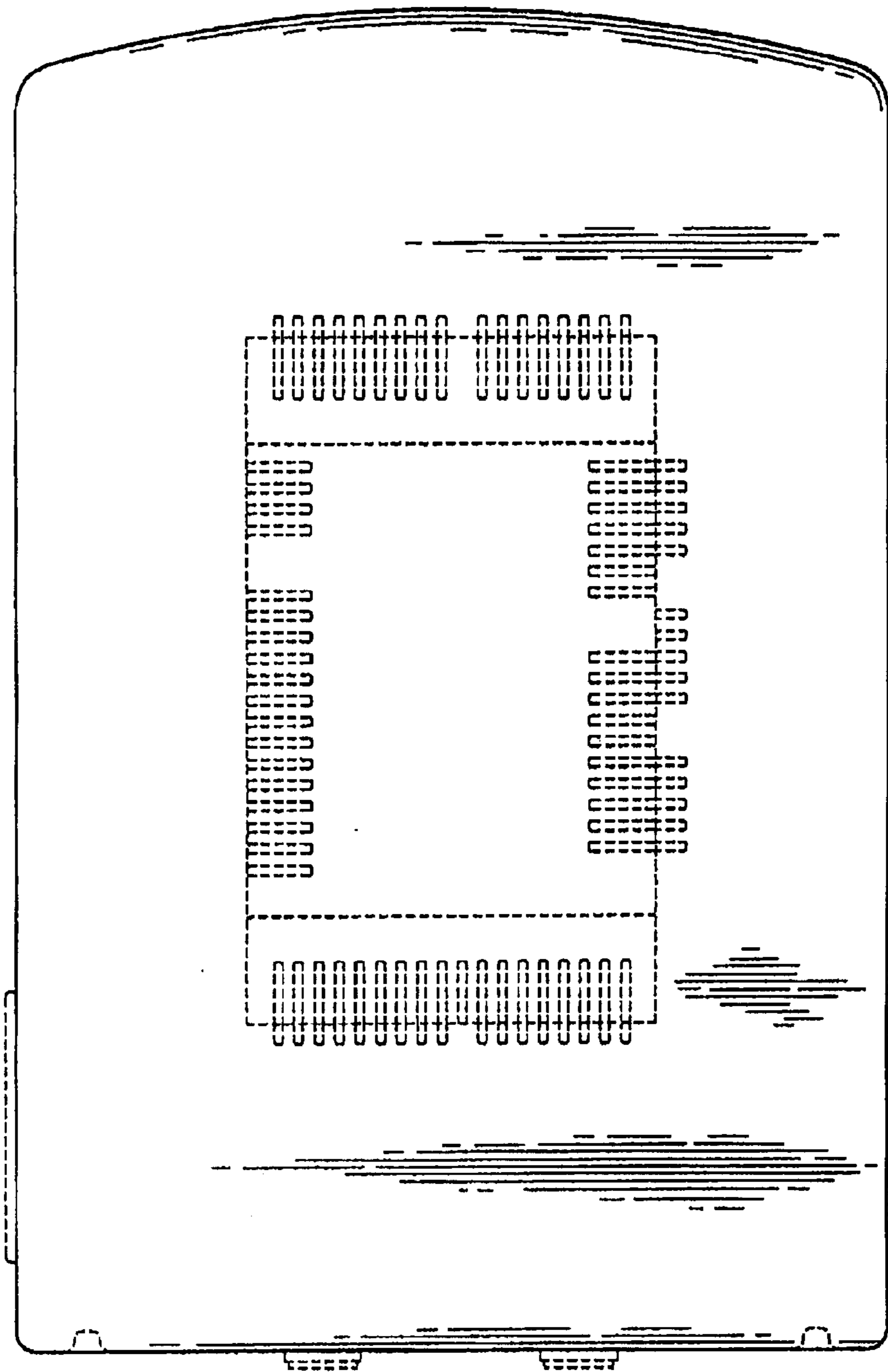




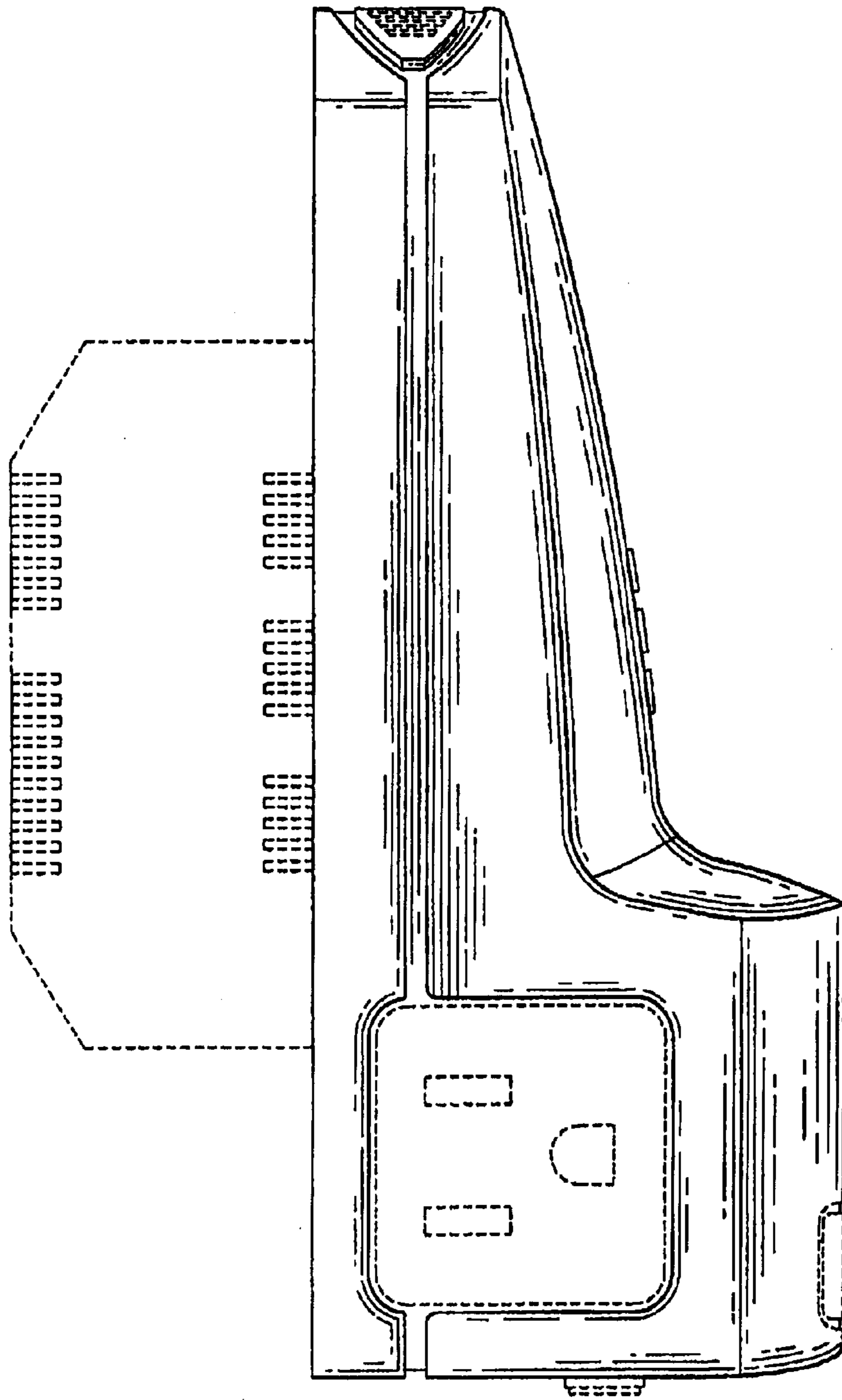
*Fig. 1*



*Fig. 2*

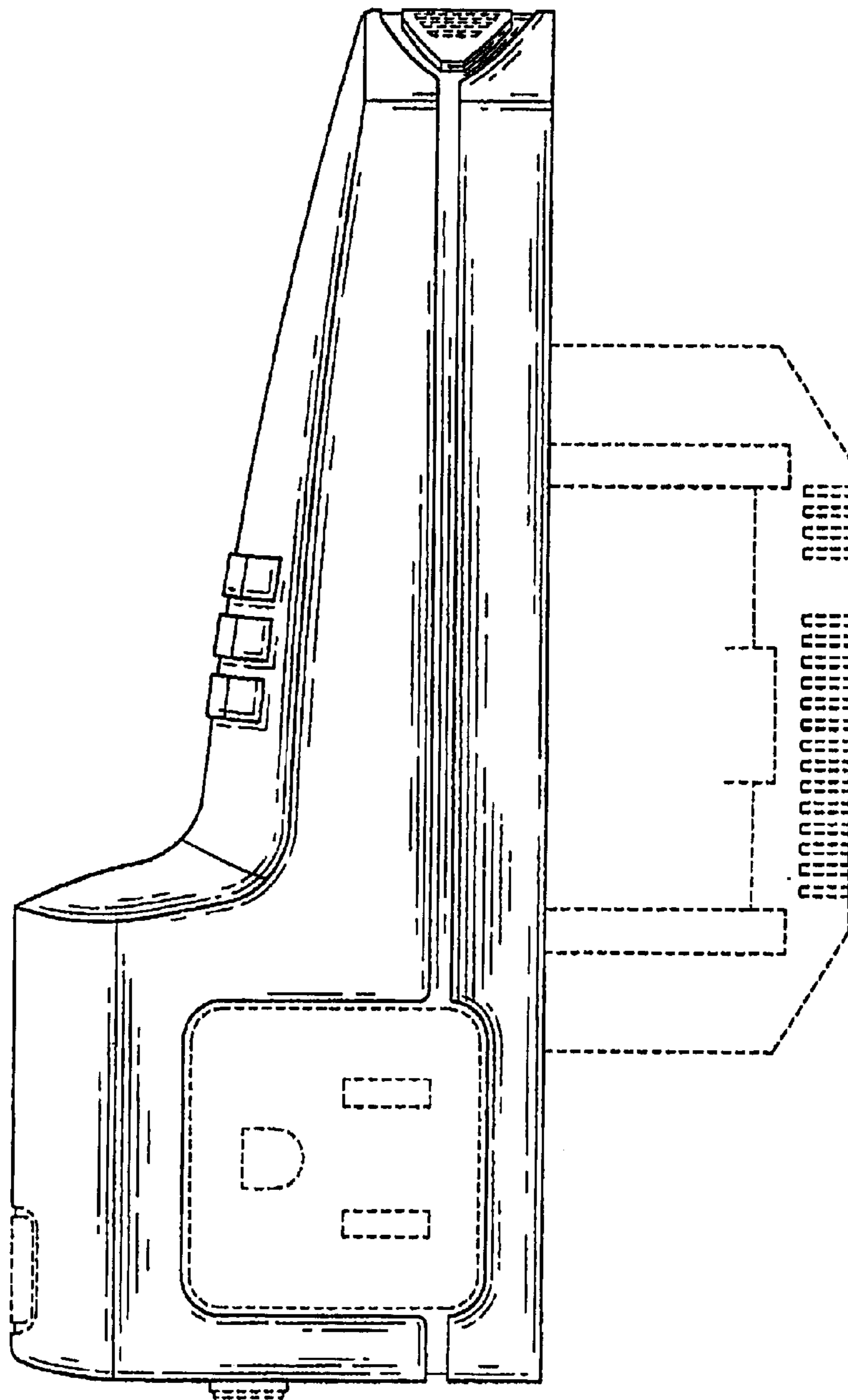


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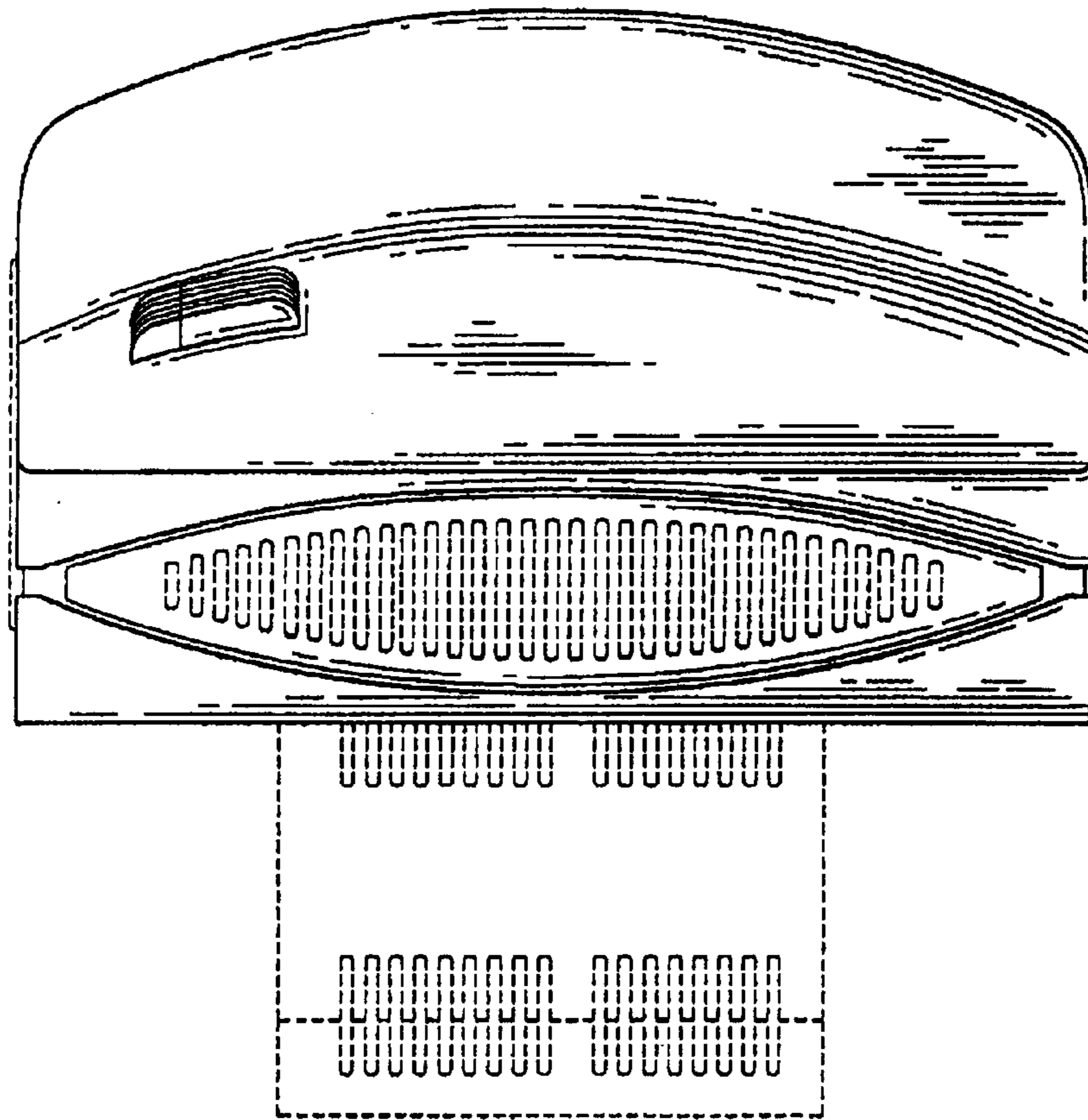


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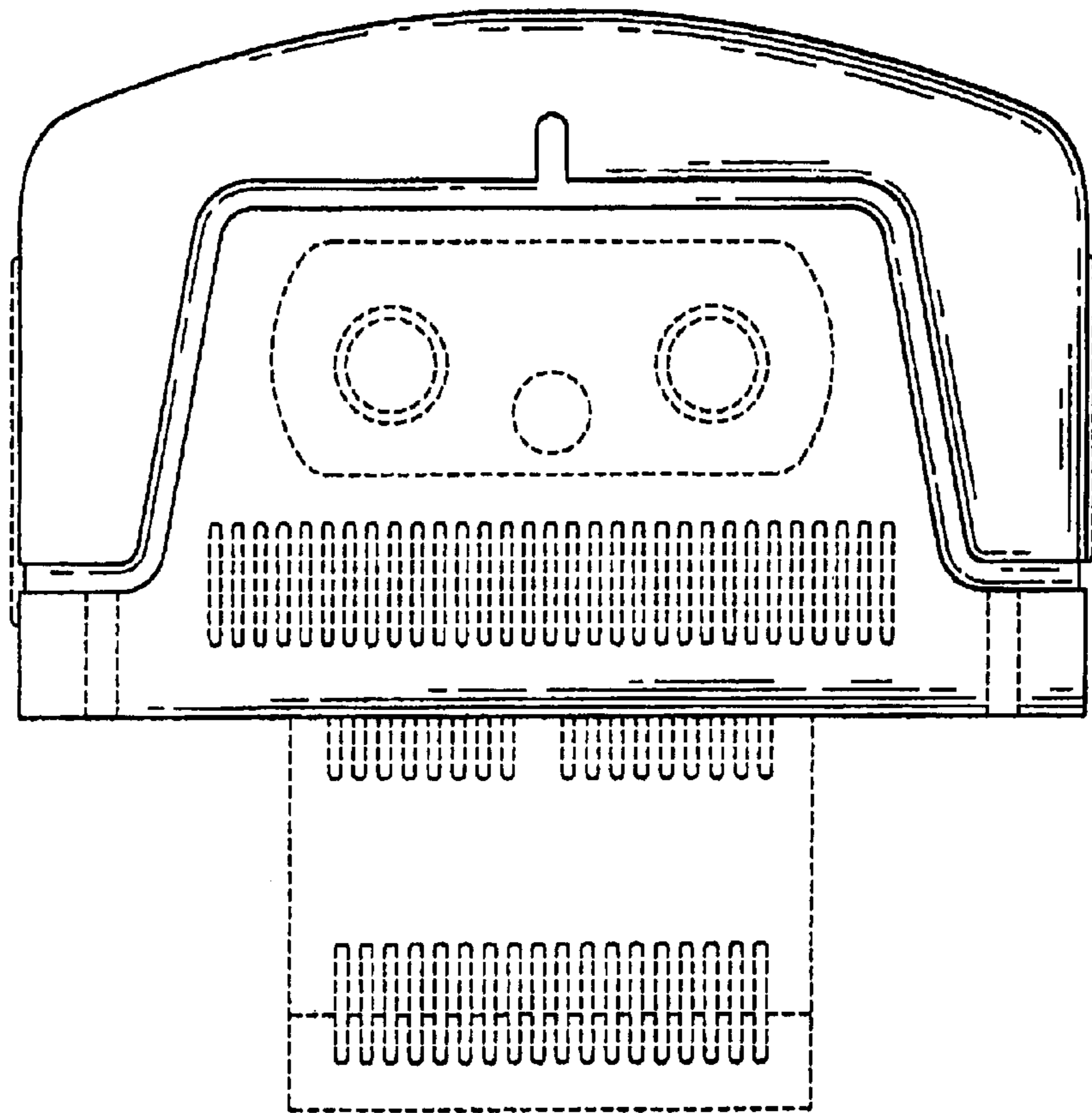




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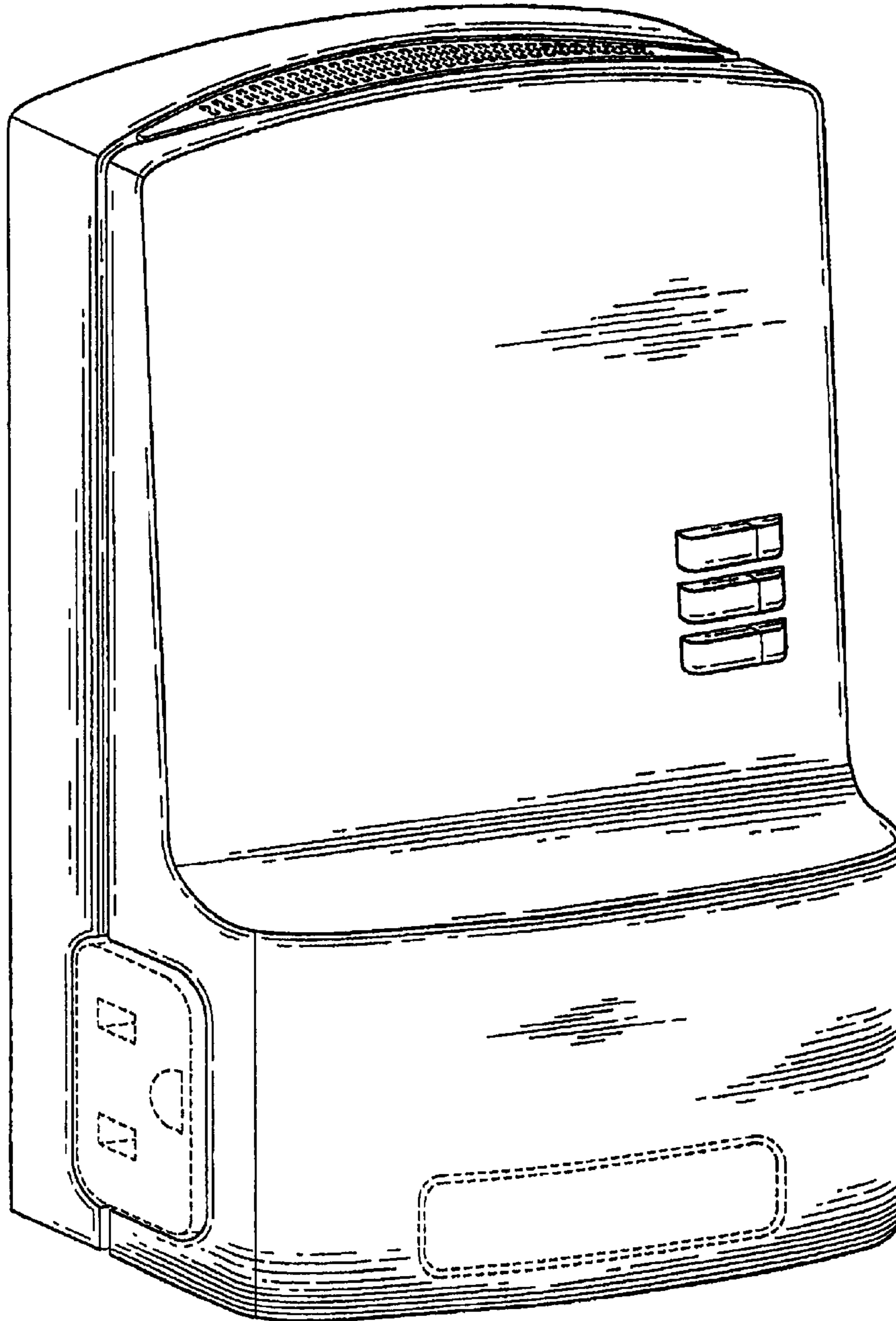


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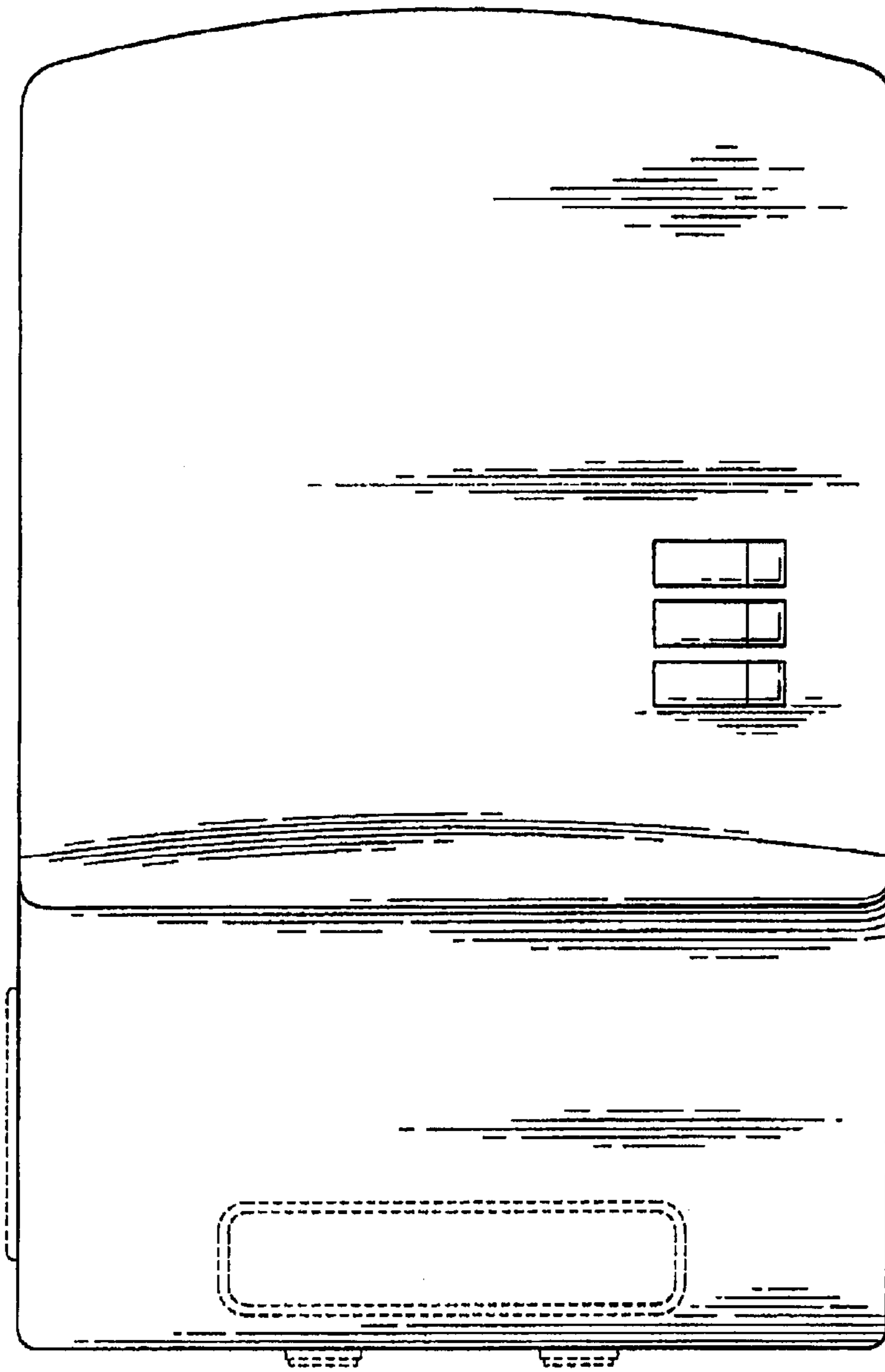


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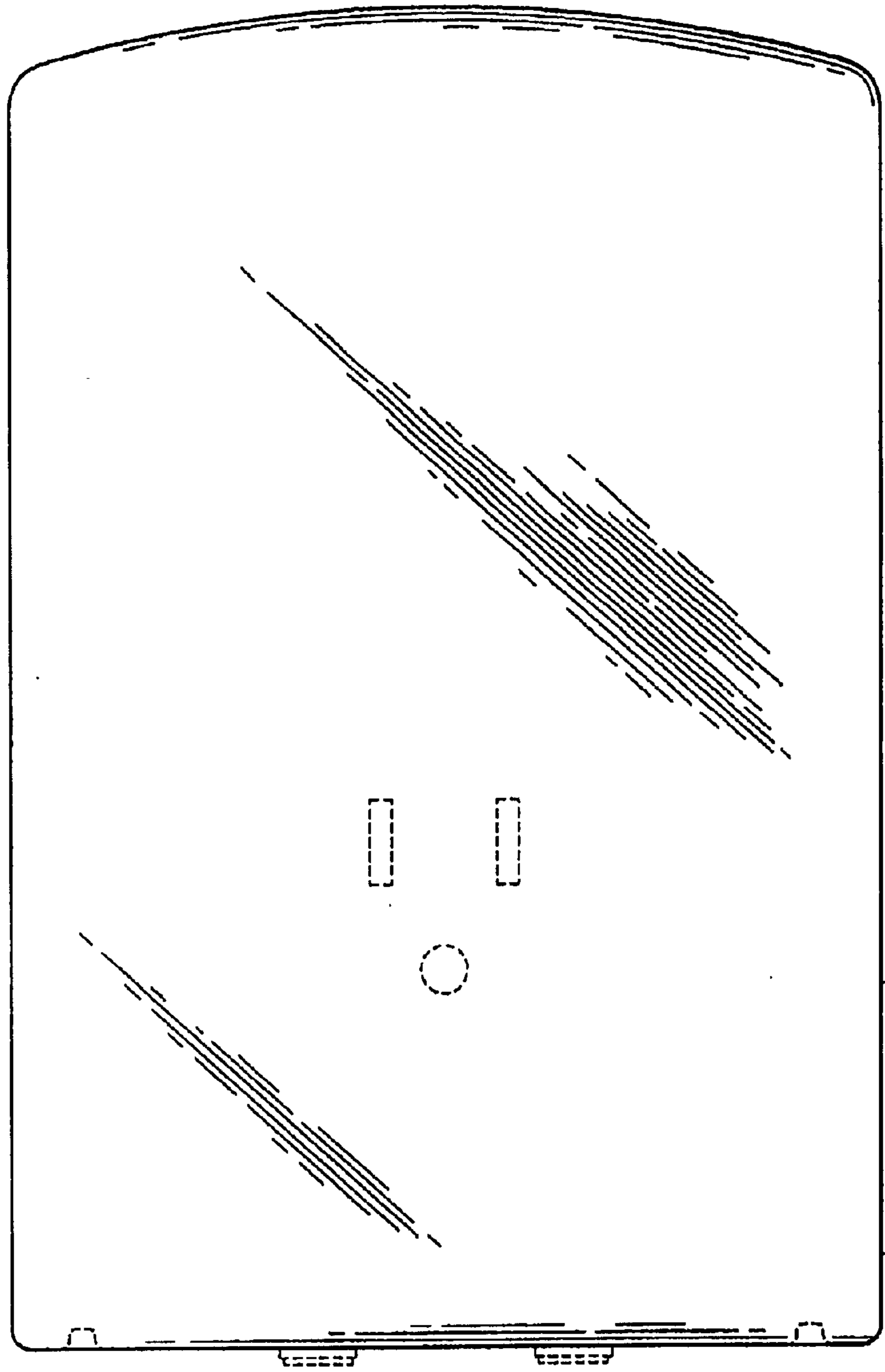




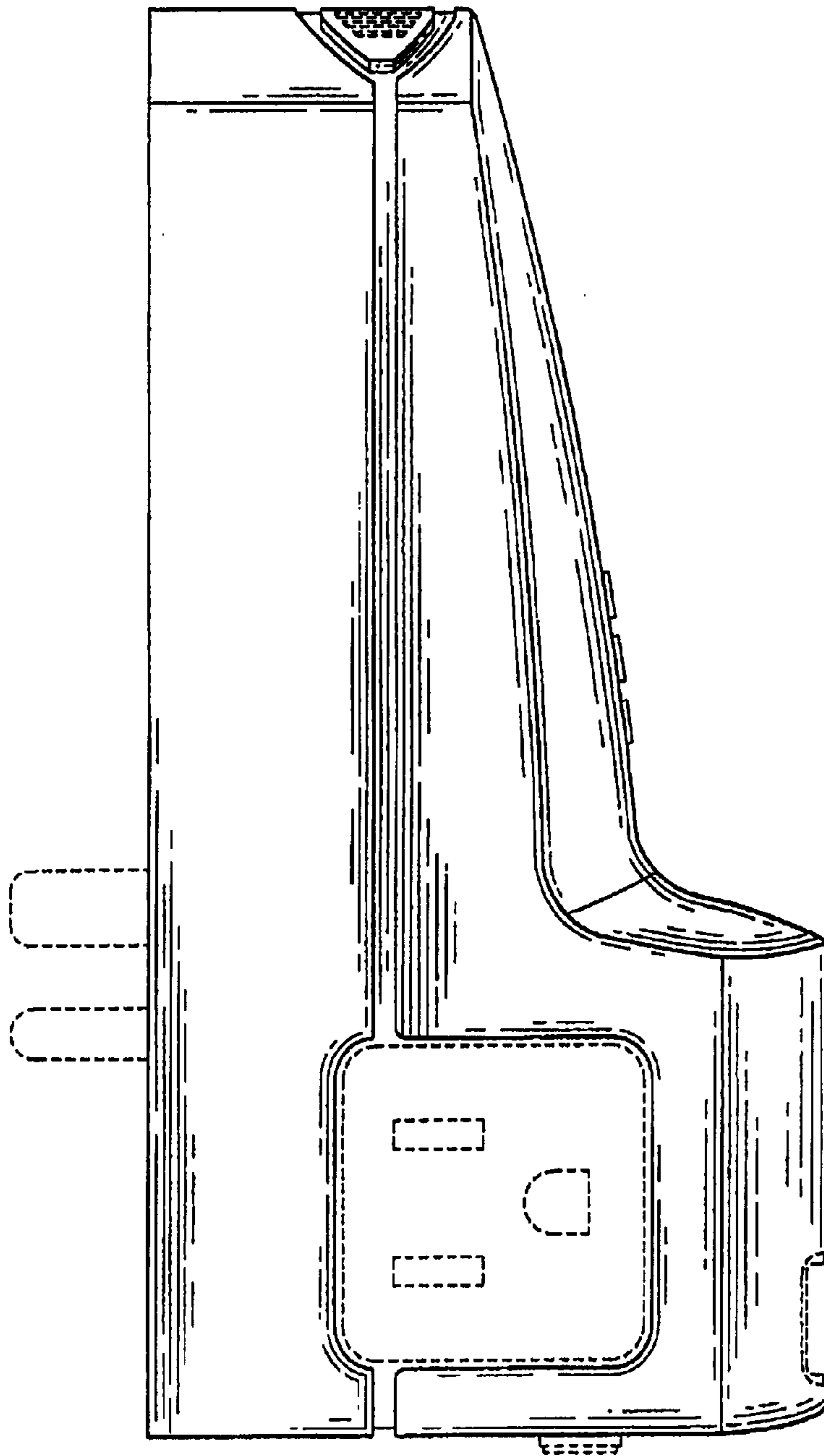
*Fig. 8*



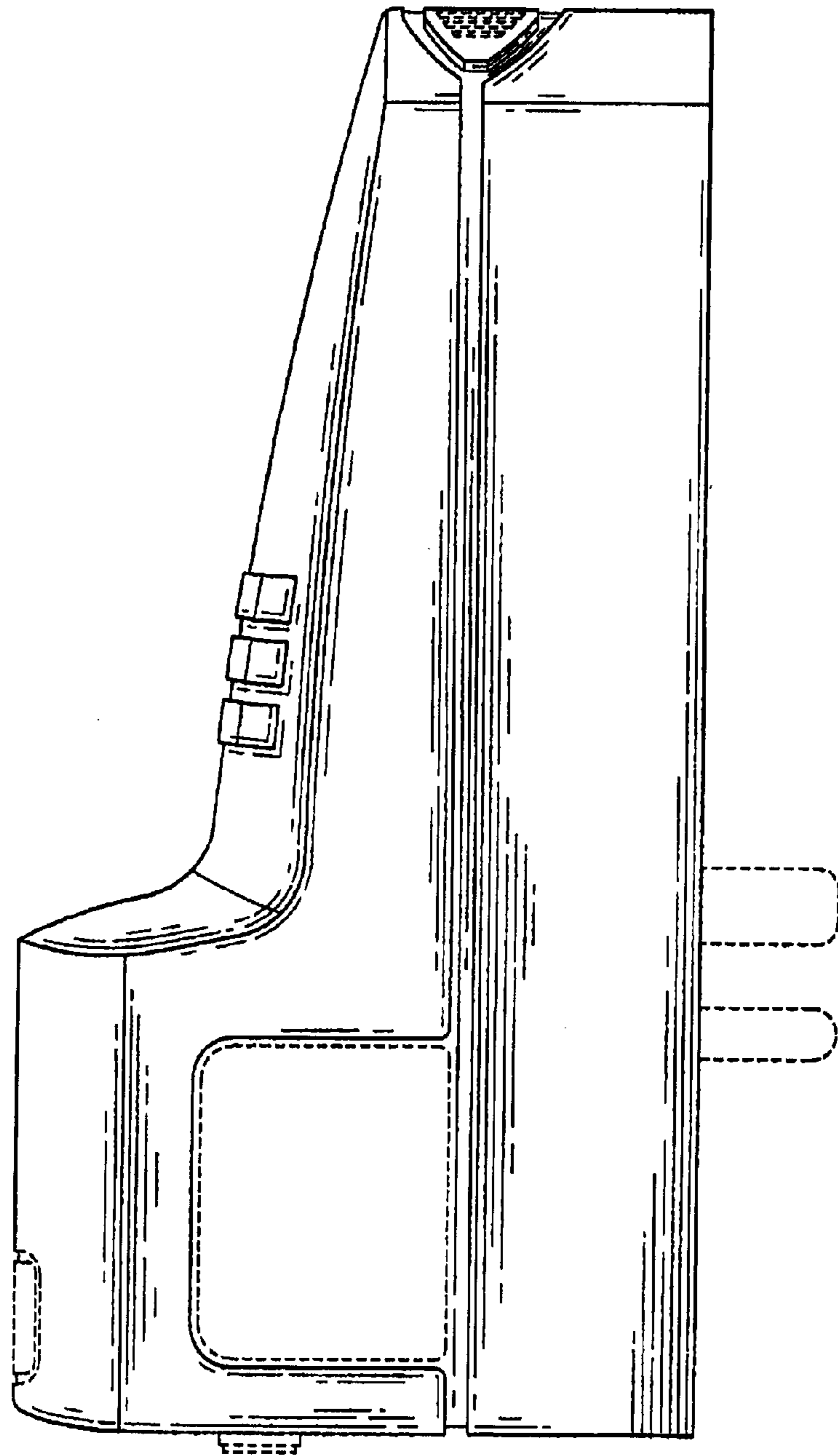
*Fig. 9*



*Fig. 10*

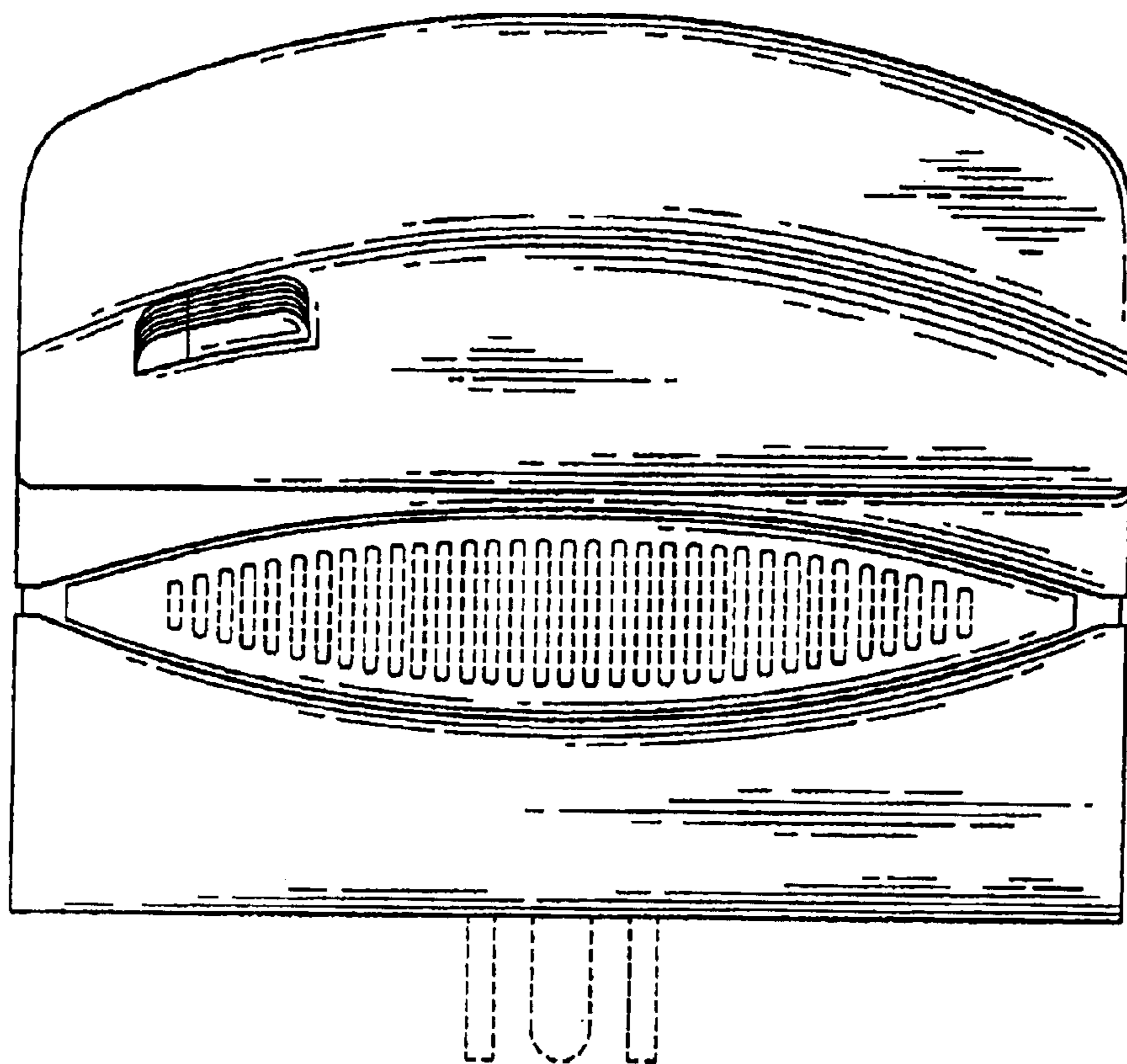


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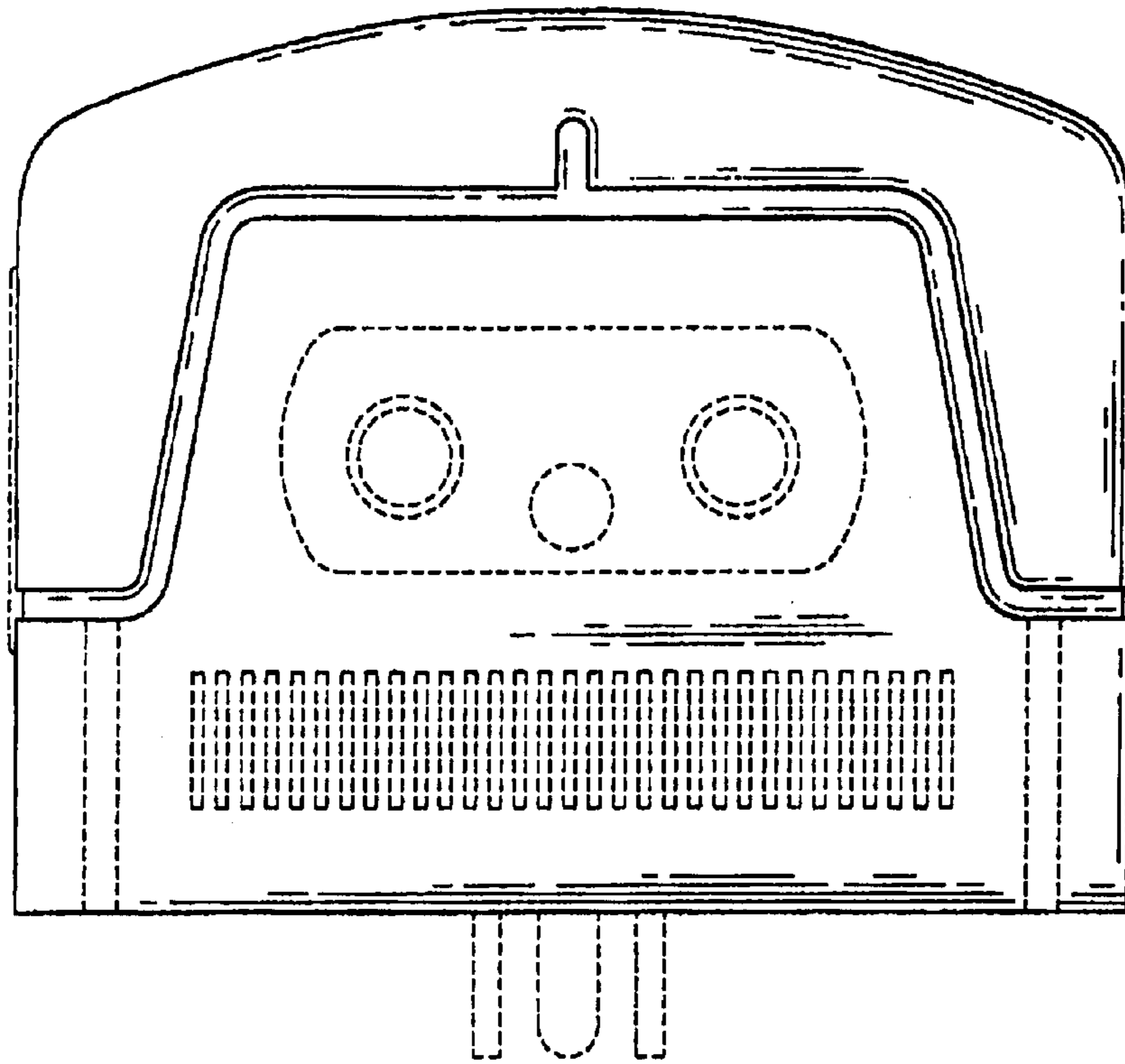


*Fig. 12*





*Fig. 13*



*Fig. 14*