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(54) **HANDLE FOR A SURGICAL INSTRUMENT**

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The ornamental design for a handle for a surgical instrument, as shown and described.

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FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a handle for a surgical instrument showing our new design;

FIG. 2 is a top view;

FIG. 3 is a bottom view;

FIG. 4 is right side view;

FIG. 5 is a left side view;

FIG. 6 is a front view; and,

FIG. 7 is a rear view.

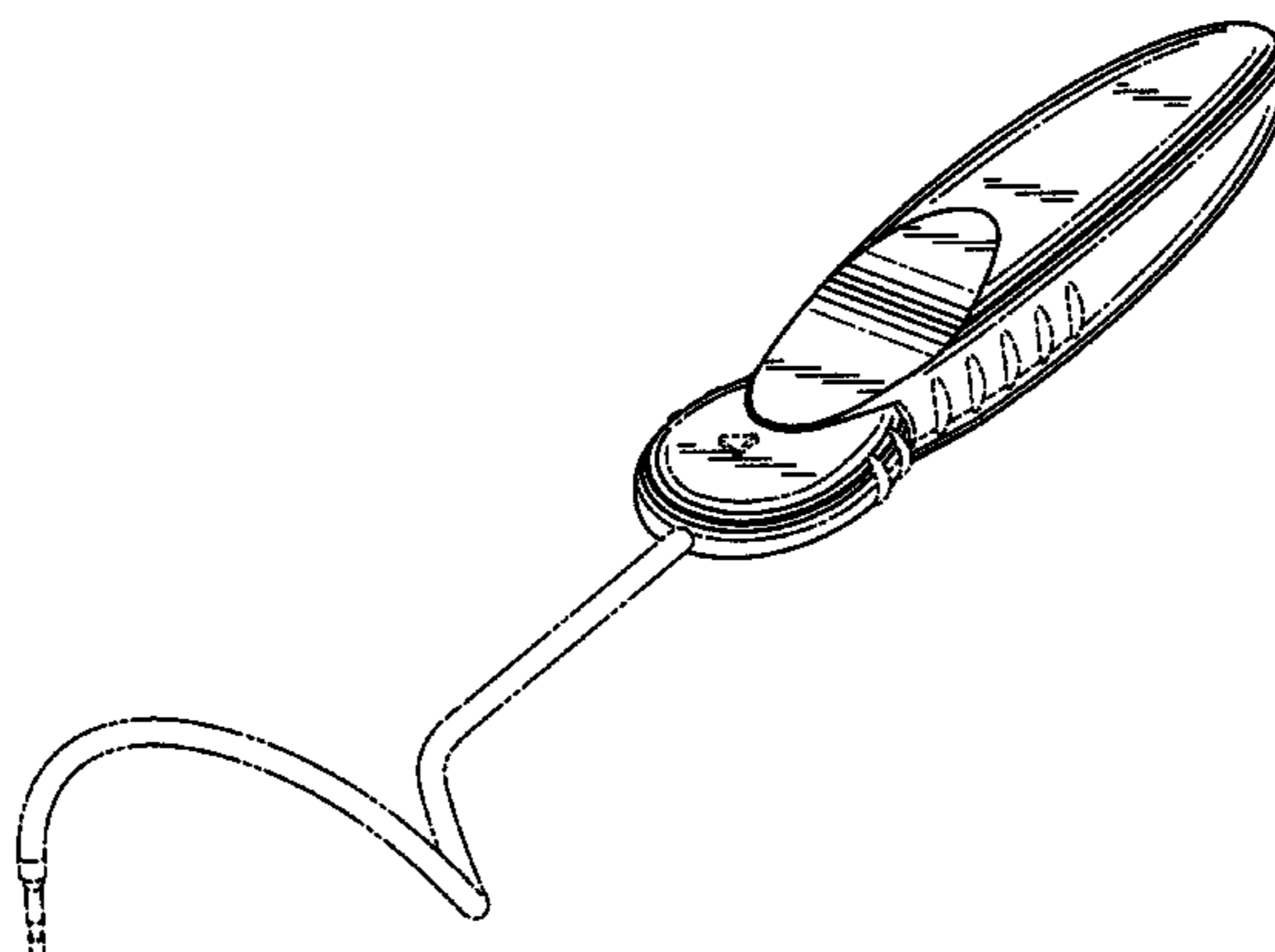
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The broken line showing of a needle and surface structures on the handle are for illustrative purposes only and form no part of the claimed design.

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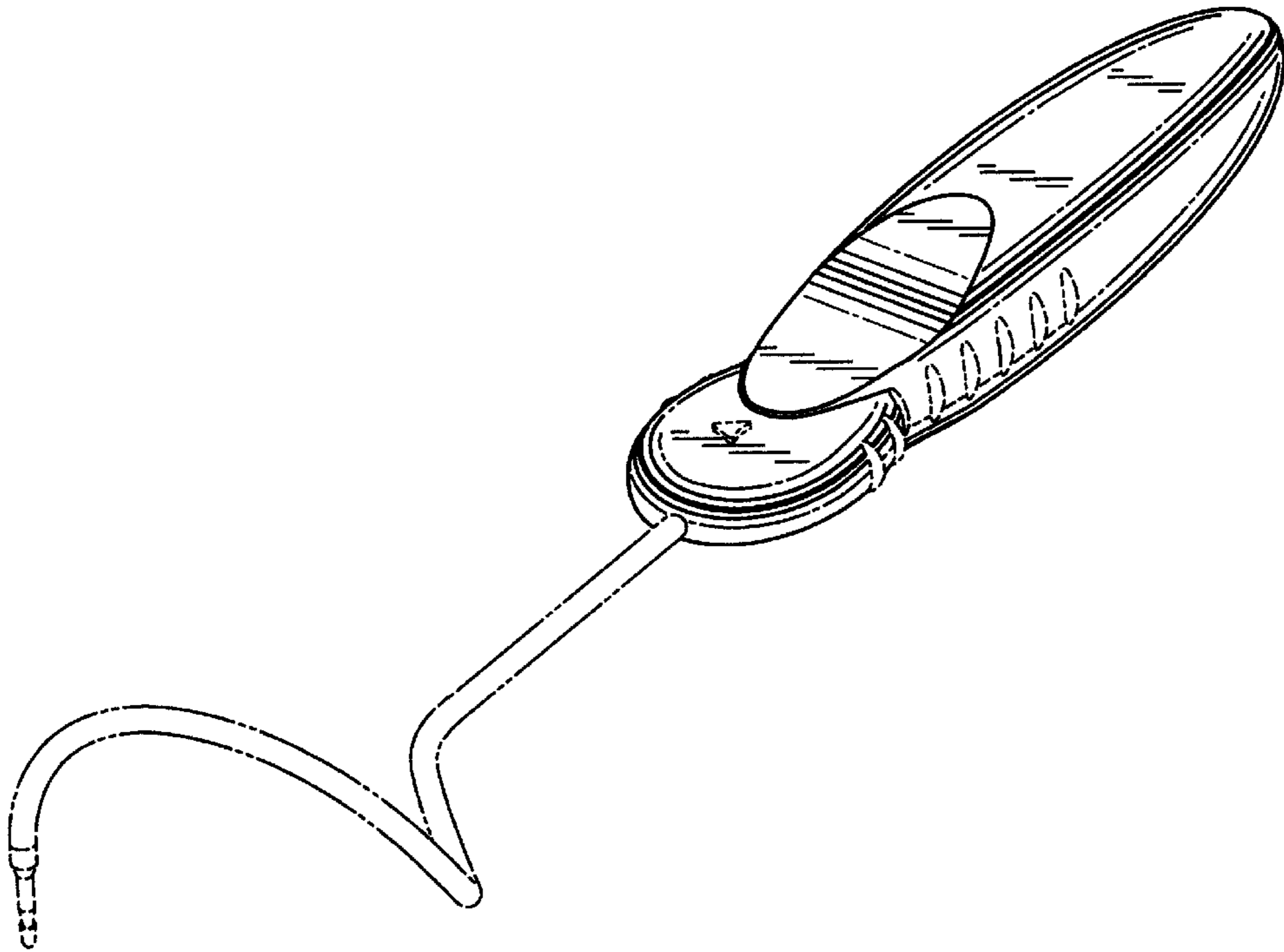


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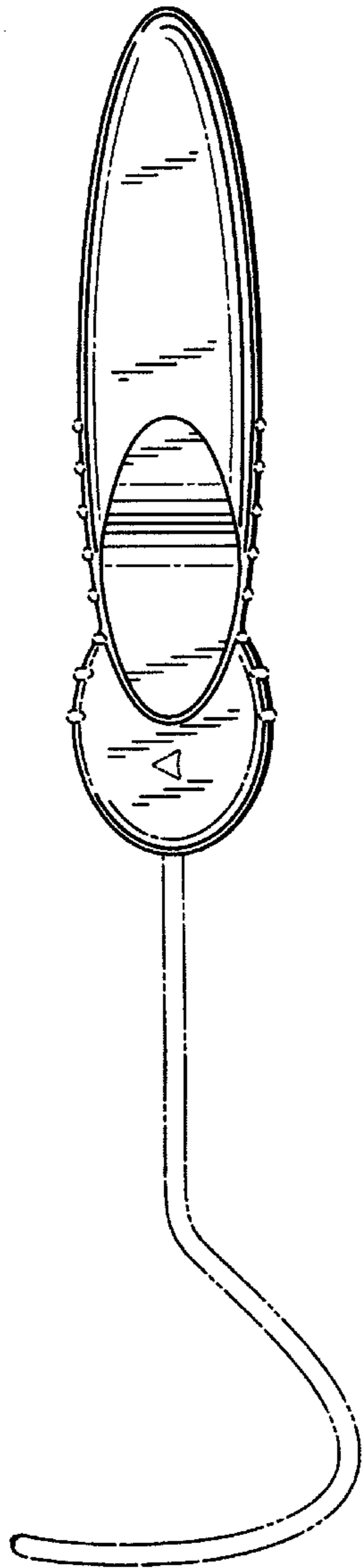


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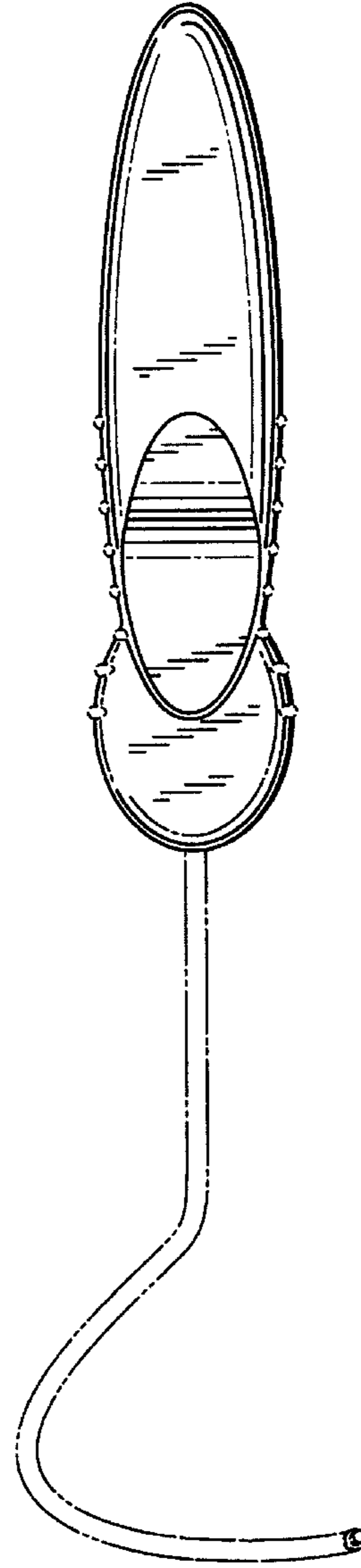


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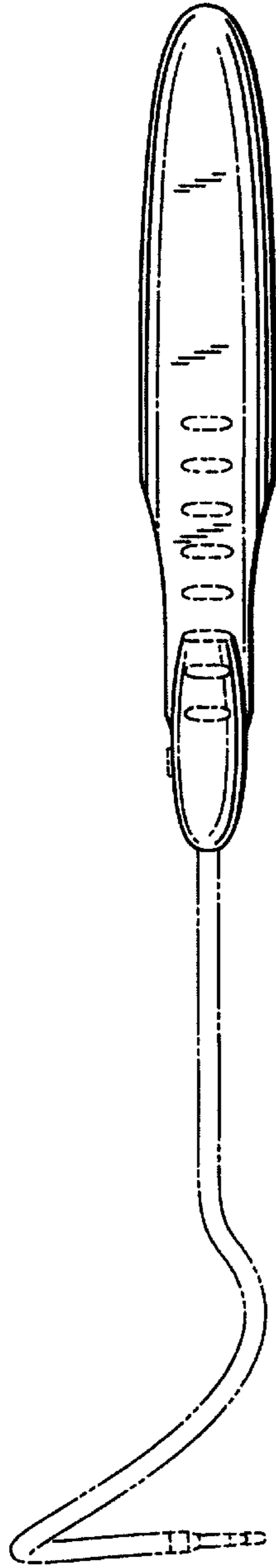


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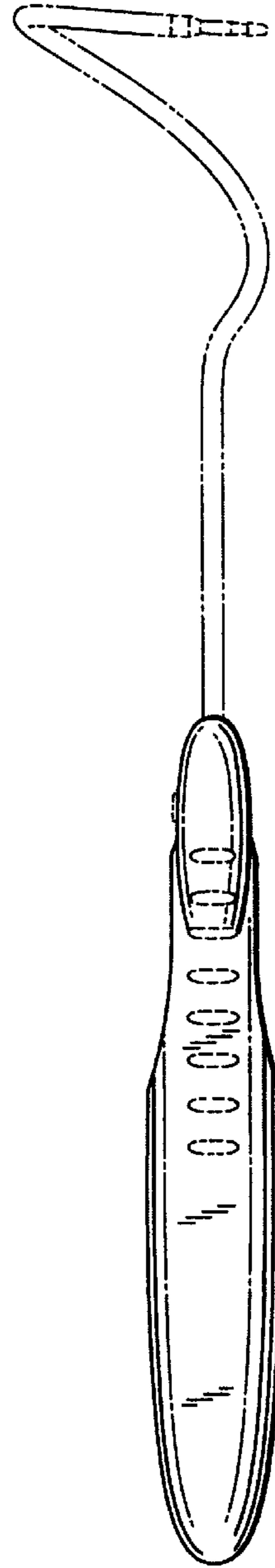


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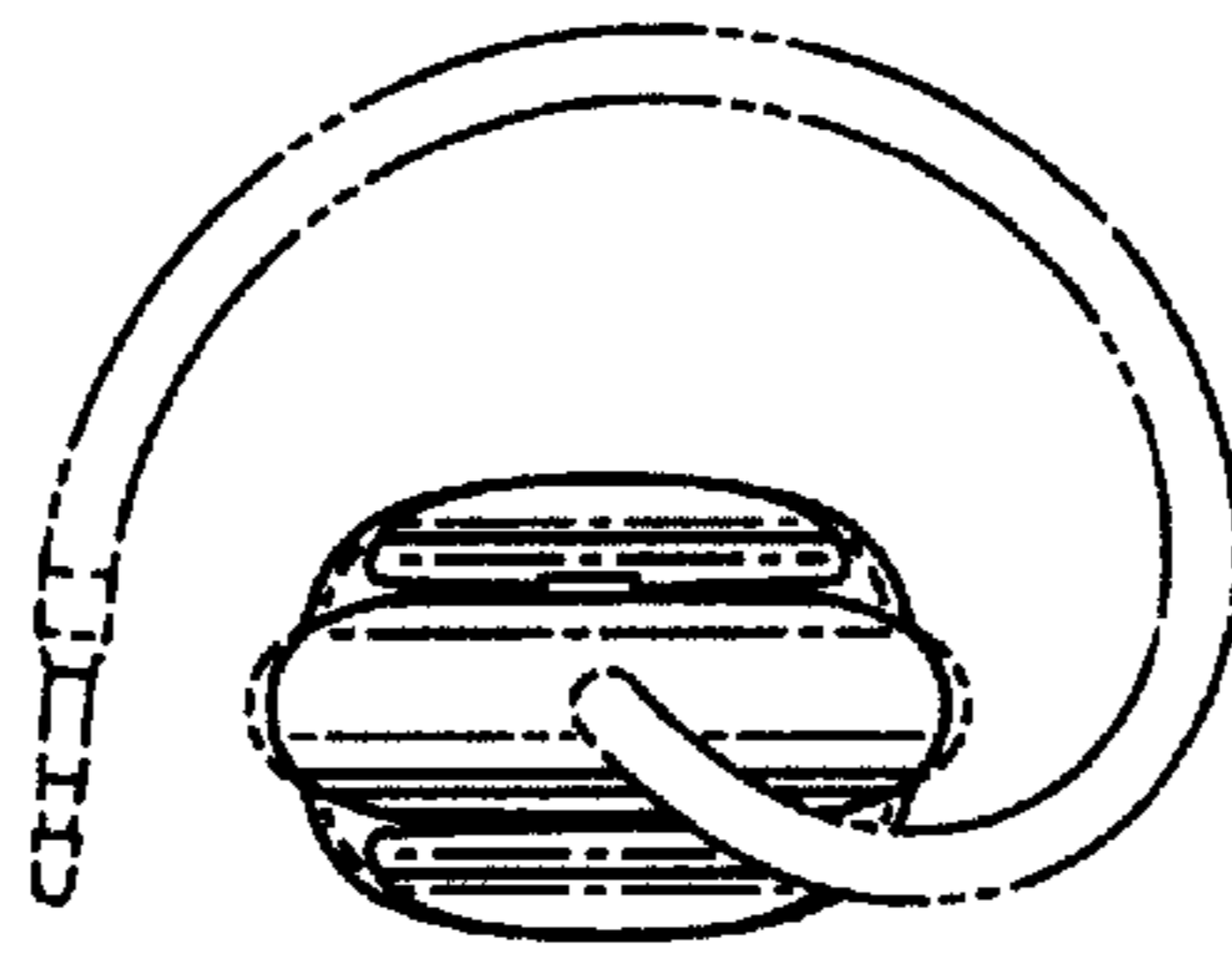


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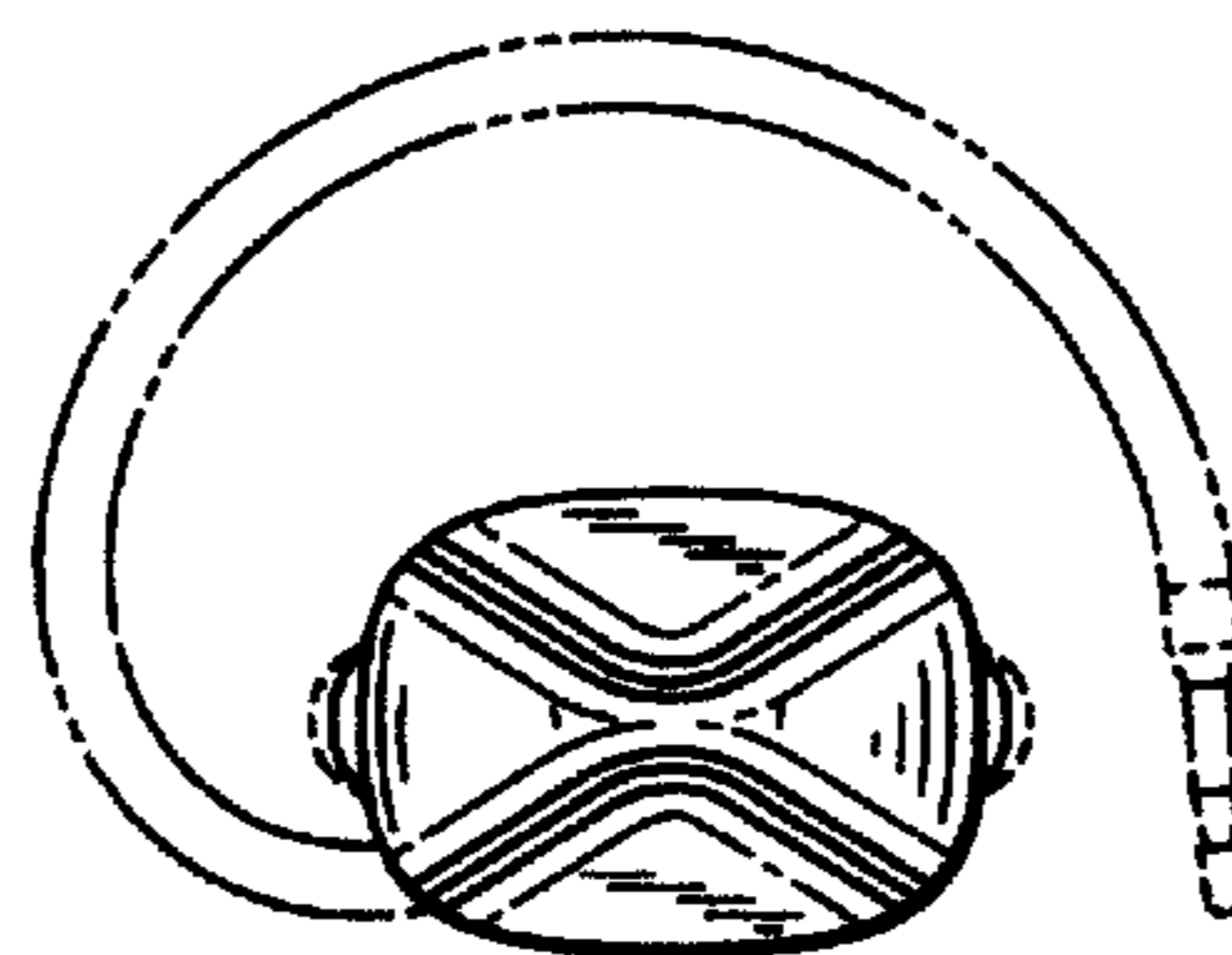


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