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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a storage case, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a storage case;

FIG. 2 is a front elevation view of the storage case of FIG. 1;

FIG. 3 is a top plan view of the storage case of FIG. 1;

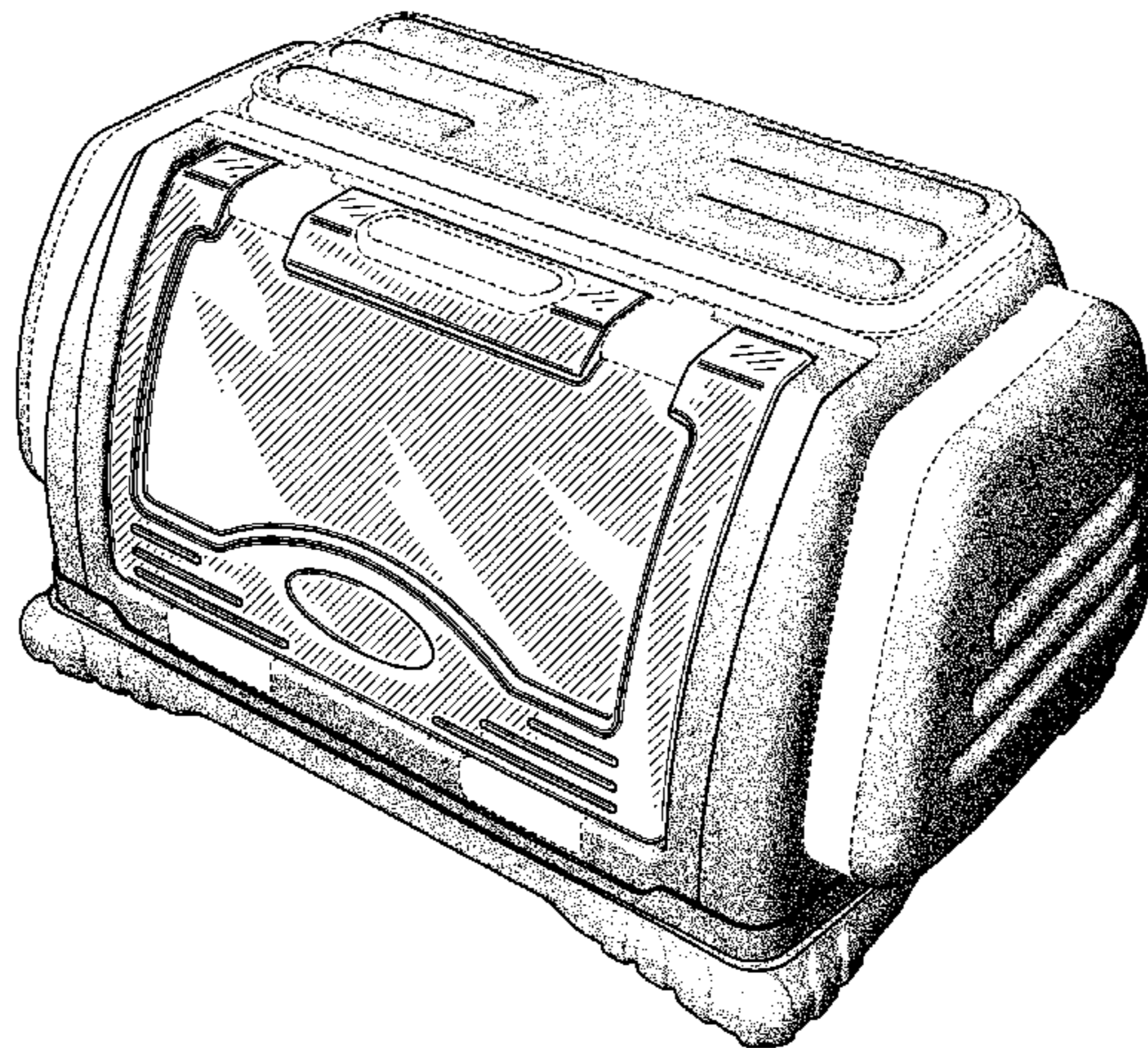
FIG. 4 is a side elevation view of the storage case of FIG. 1, the opposite side being a mirror image of FIG. 4;

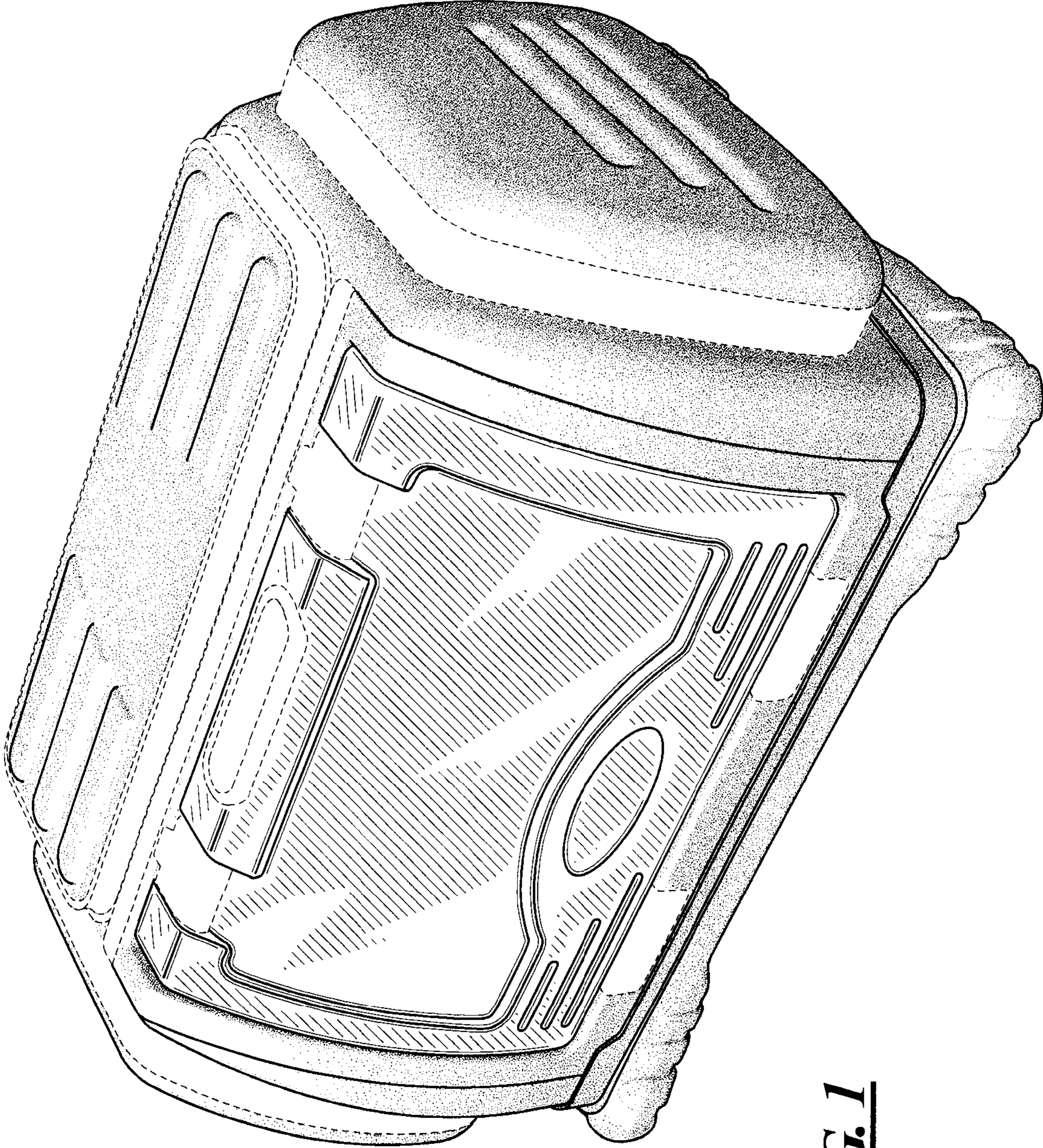
FIG. 5 is a back elevation view of the storage case of FIG. 1; and,

FIG. 6 is a bottom plan view of the storage case of FIG. 1.

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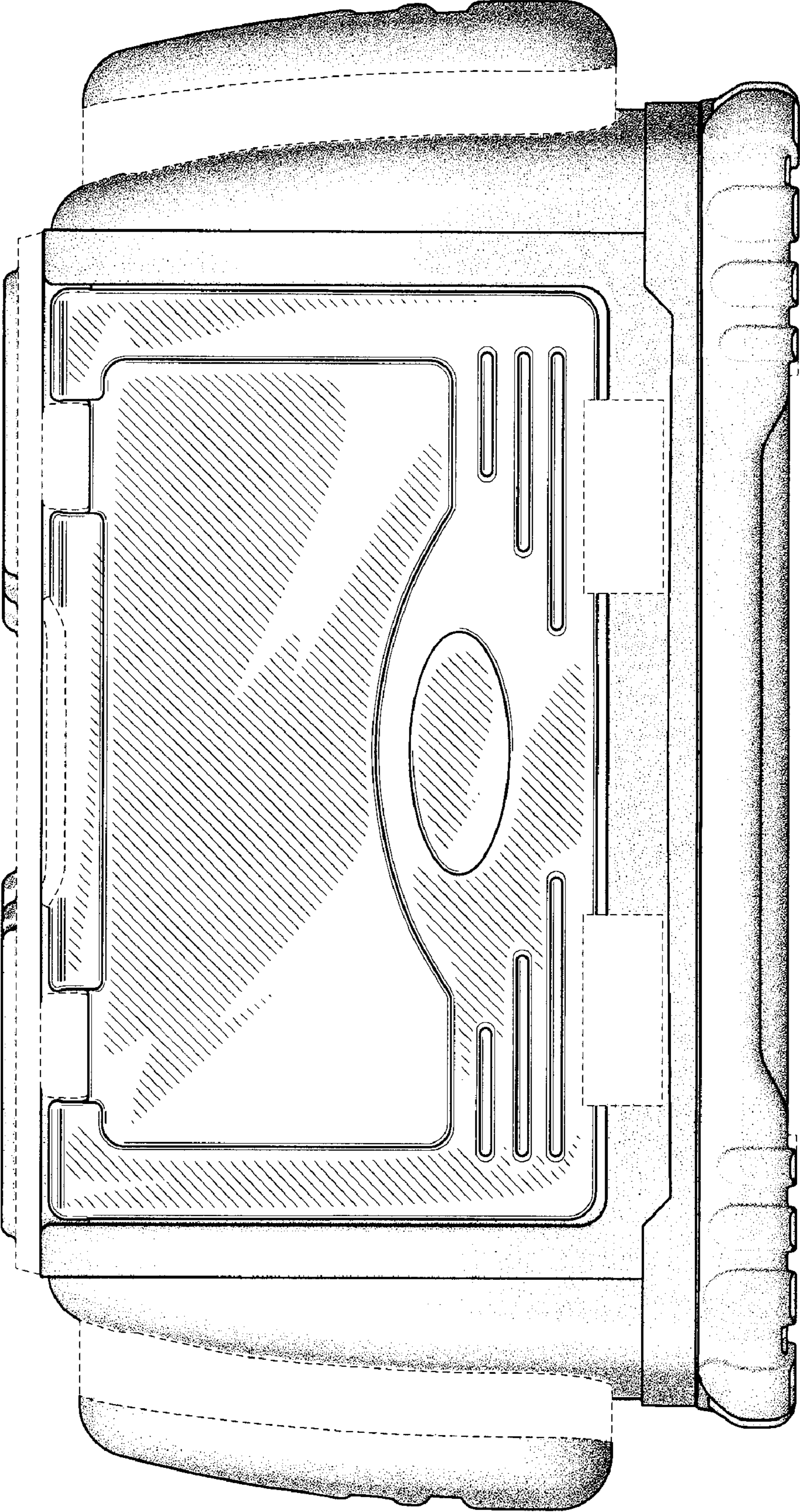
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**FIG. 1**

**FIG. 2**



**FIG. 3**

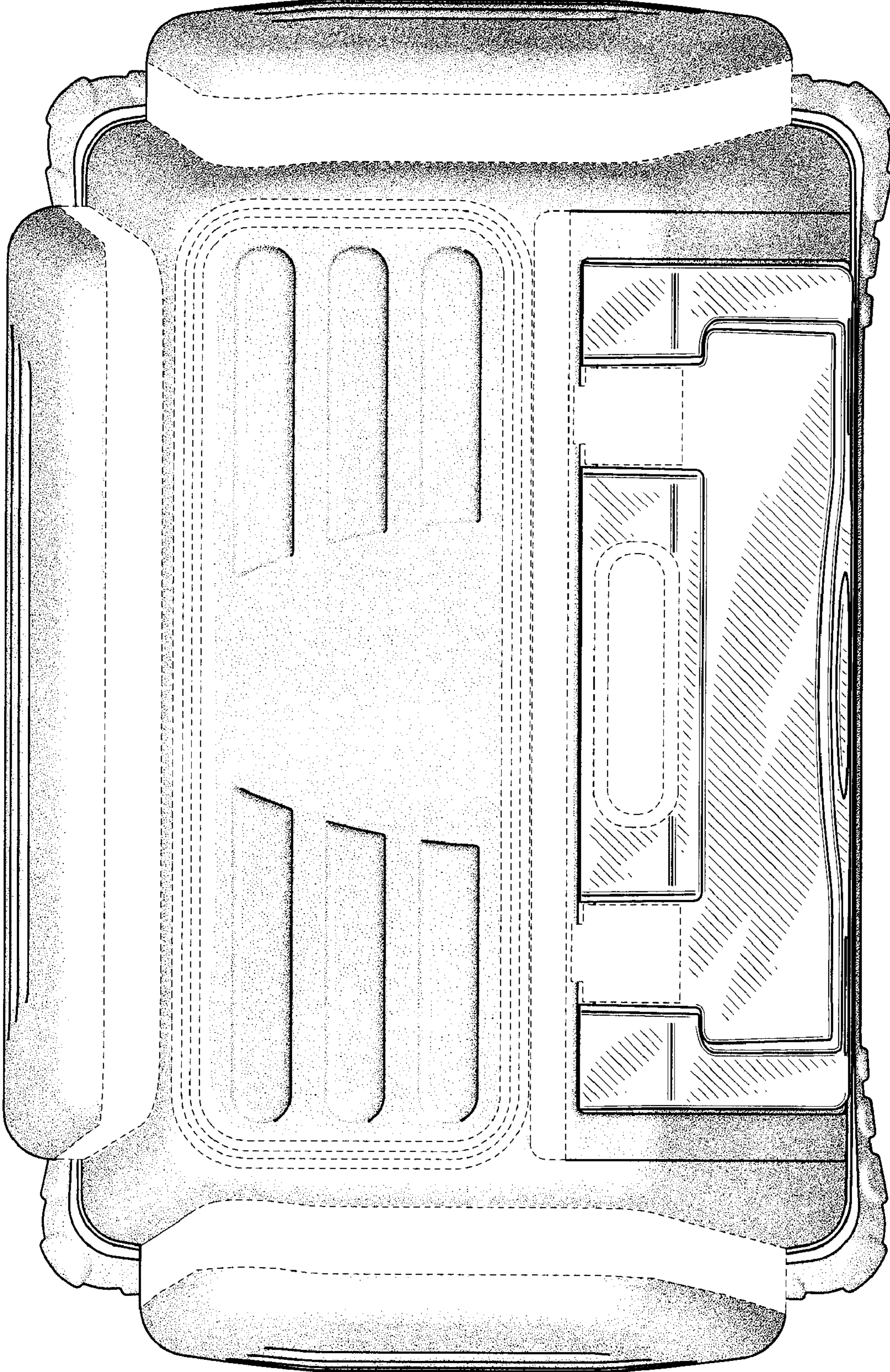
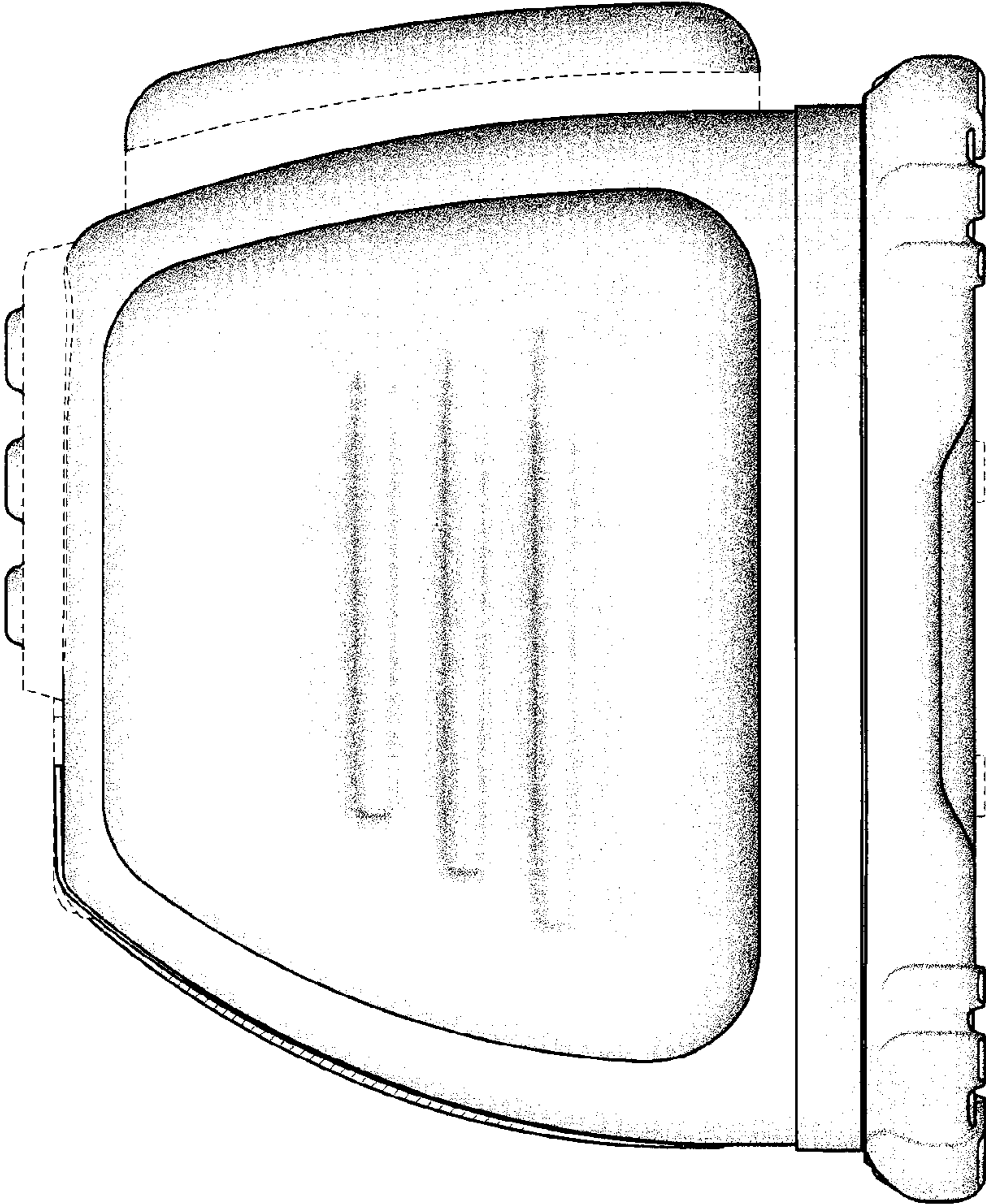
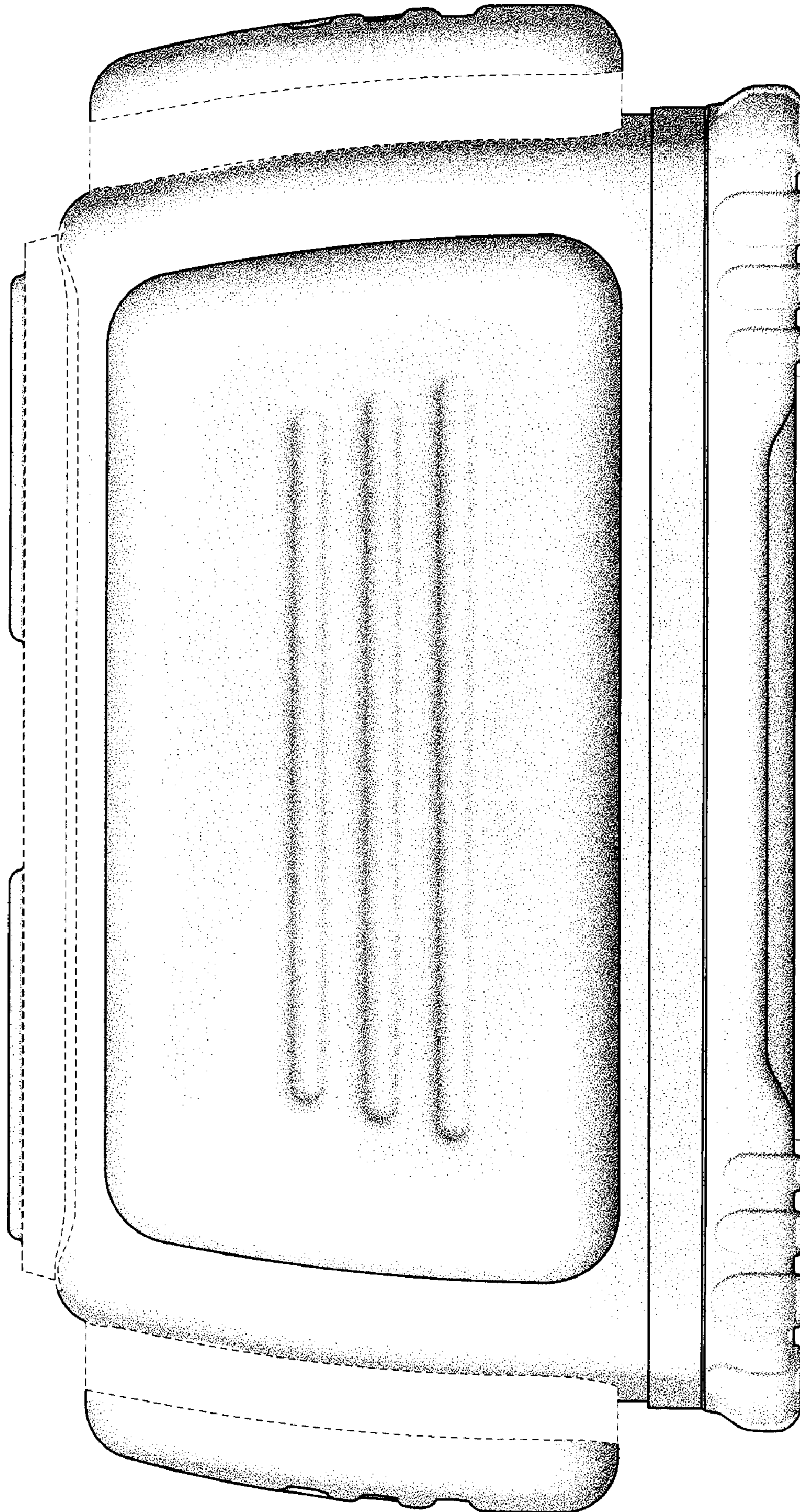


FIG. 4



**FIG. 5**



**FIG. 6**

