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(54) **TAPERED DRIVE SHAFT HOUSING**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a tapered drive shaft housing, as
shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

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FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a tapered drive shaft housing
according to our new design;

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FIG. 2 is another perspective view thereof;

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FIG. 3 is a top plan view thereof;

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FIG. 4 is a bottom plan view thereof;

FIG. 5 is a left side elevation view thereof;

FIG. 6 is a right side elevation view thereof;

FIG. 7 is a rear elevation view thereof; and,

FIG. 8 is a front elevation view thereof.

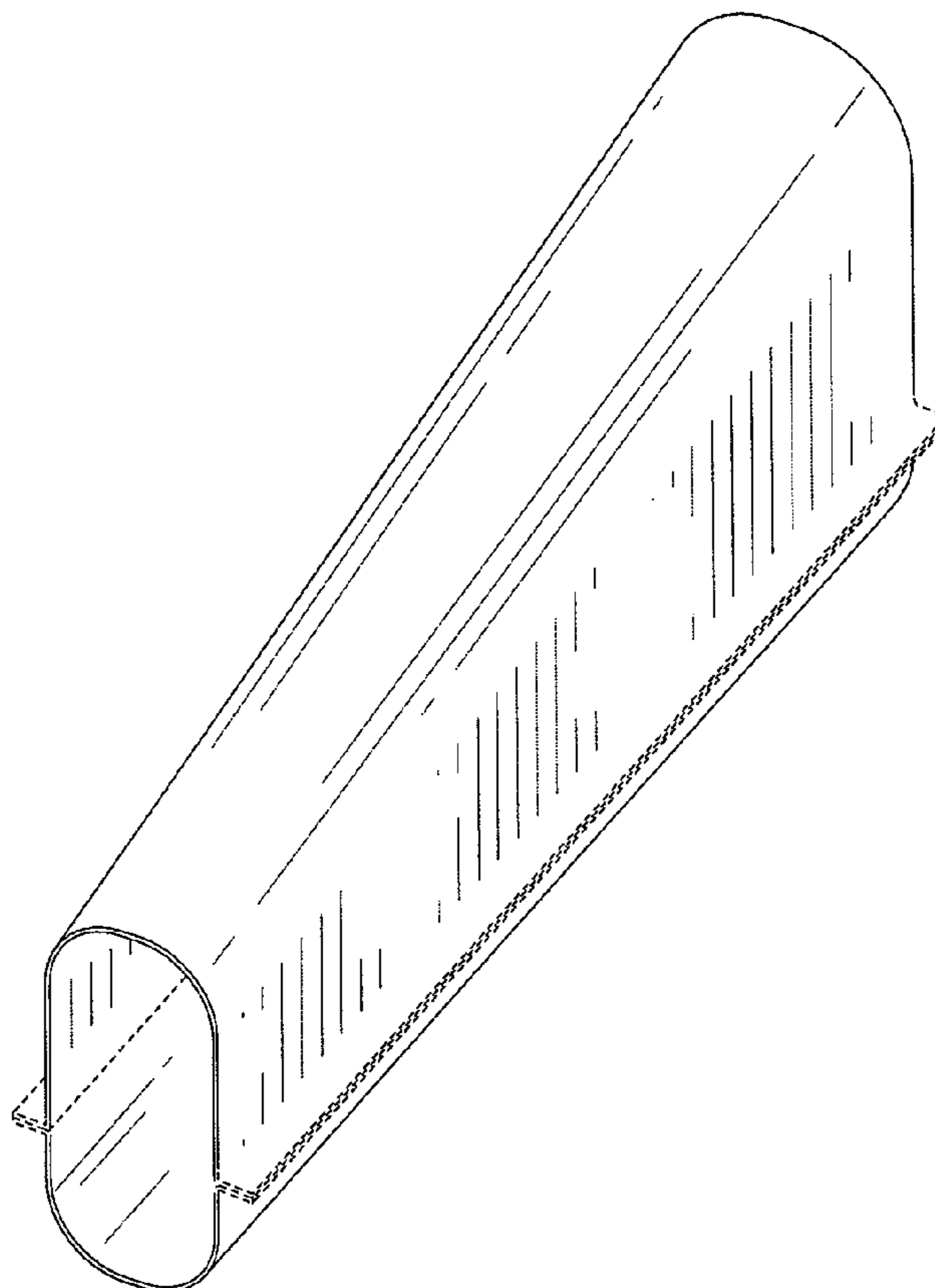
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The broken lines shown herein are for illustrative purposes
only and form no part of the claimed design.

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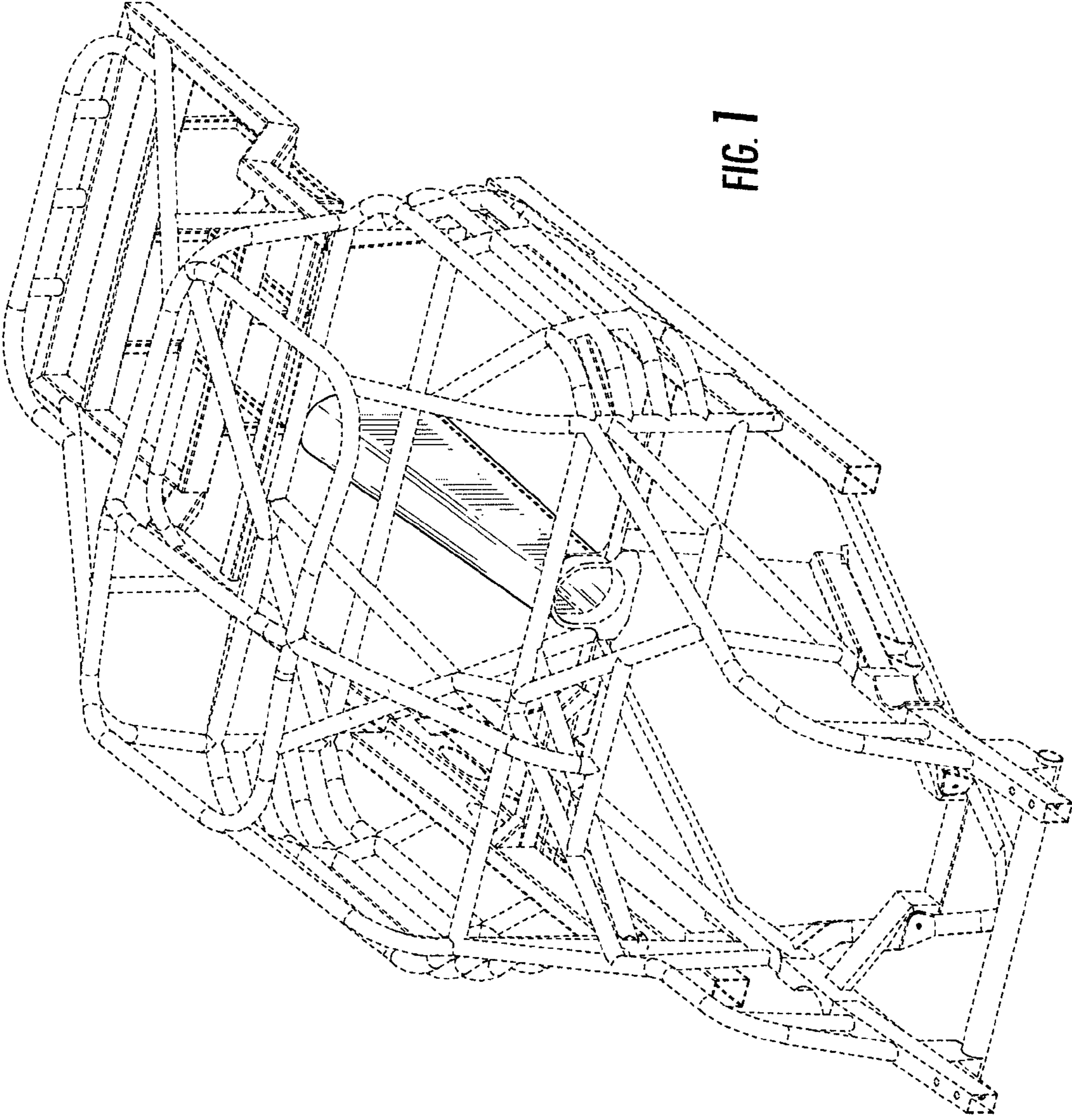


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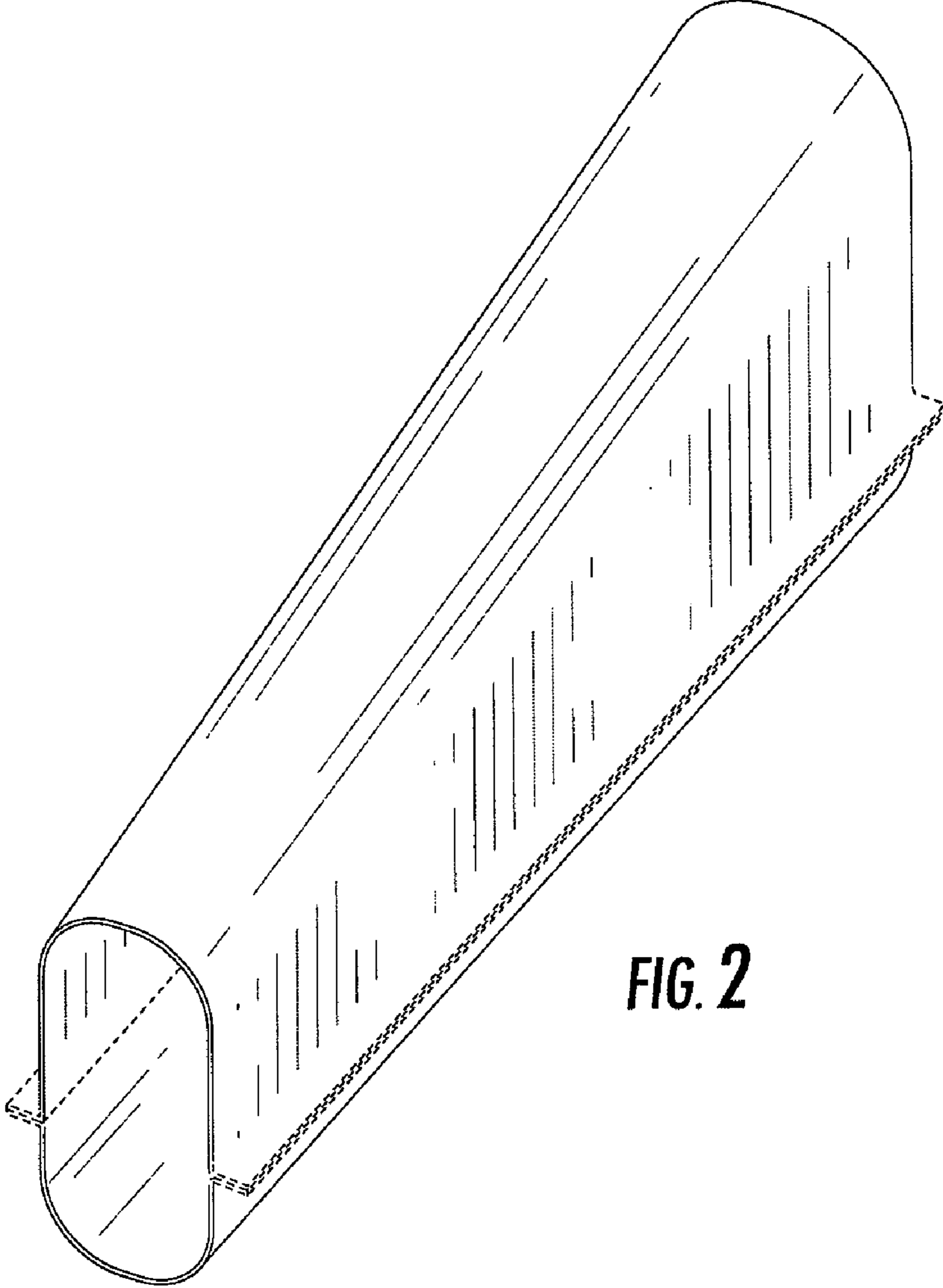


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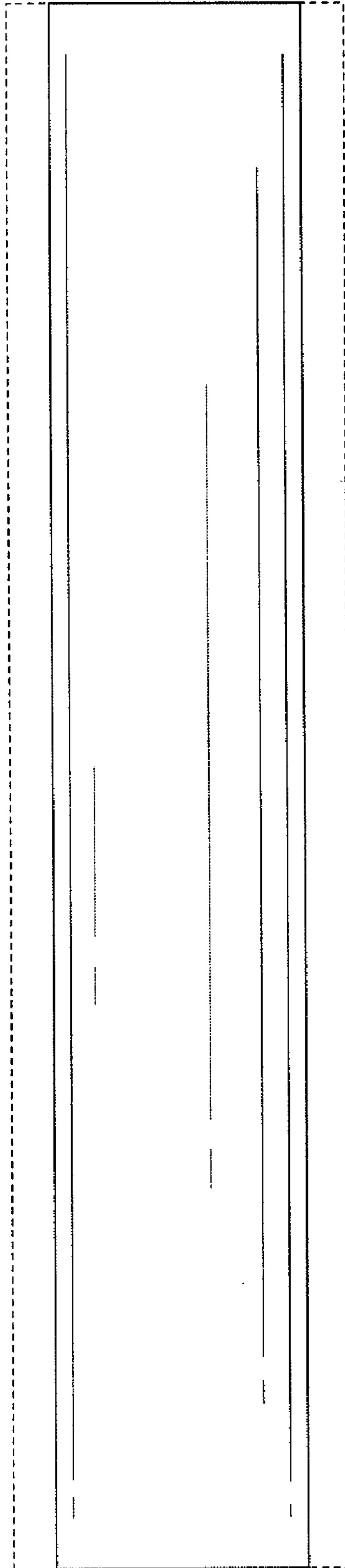


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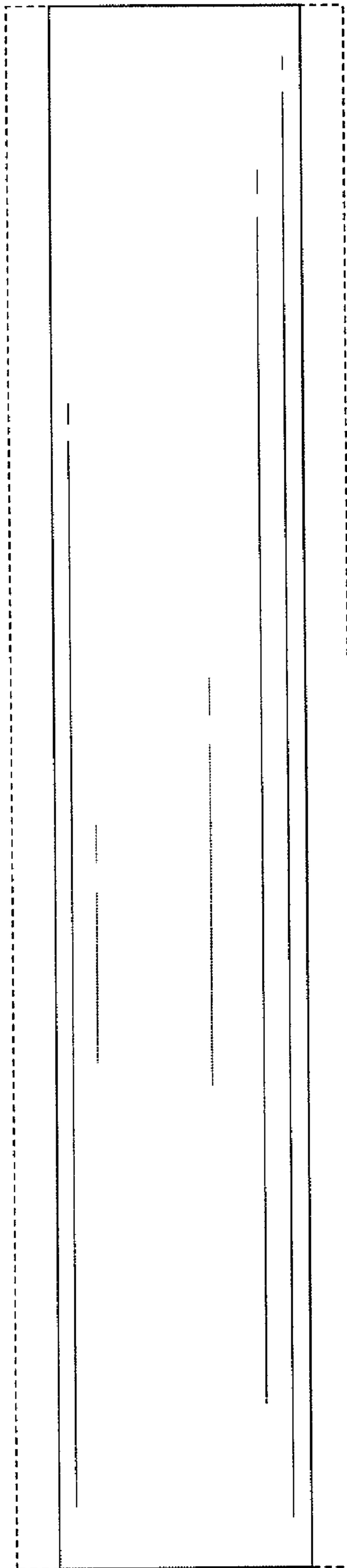


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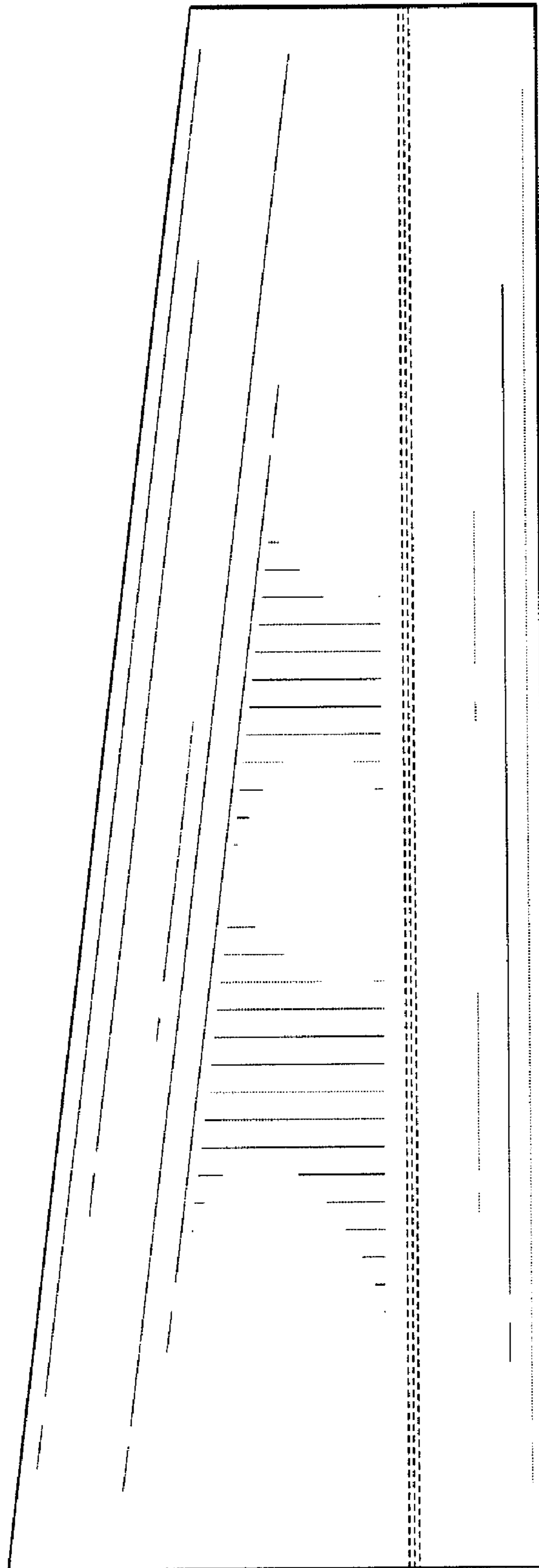


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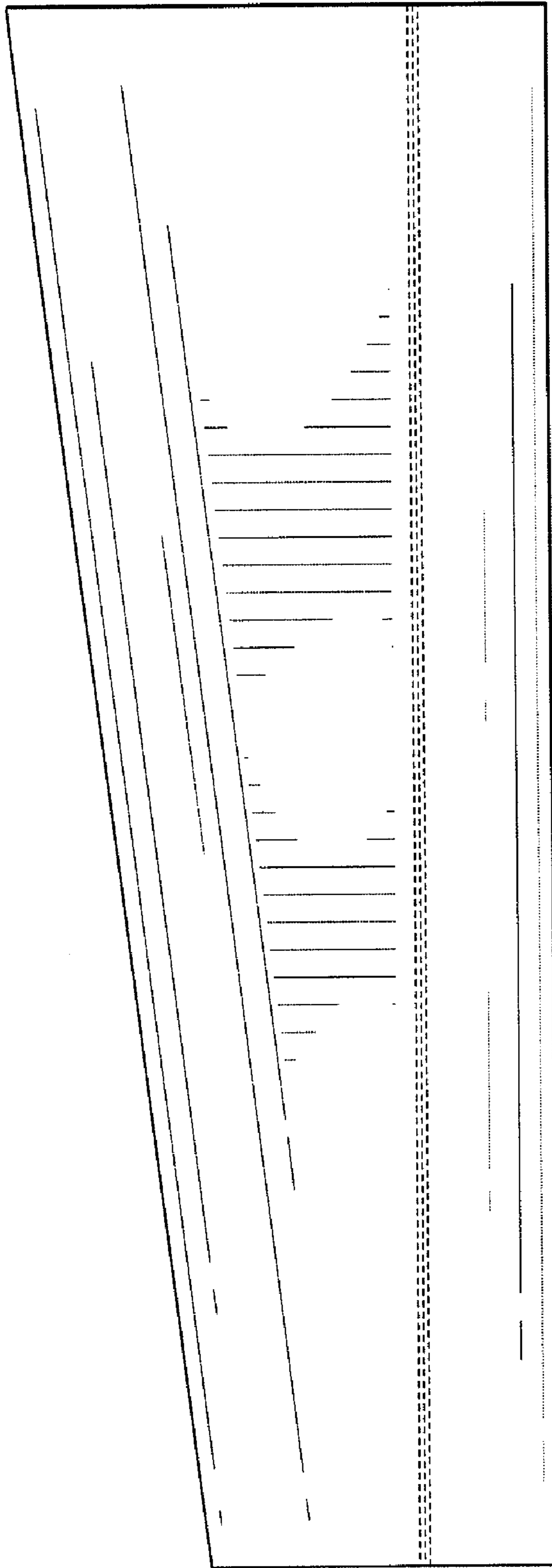


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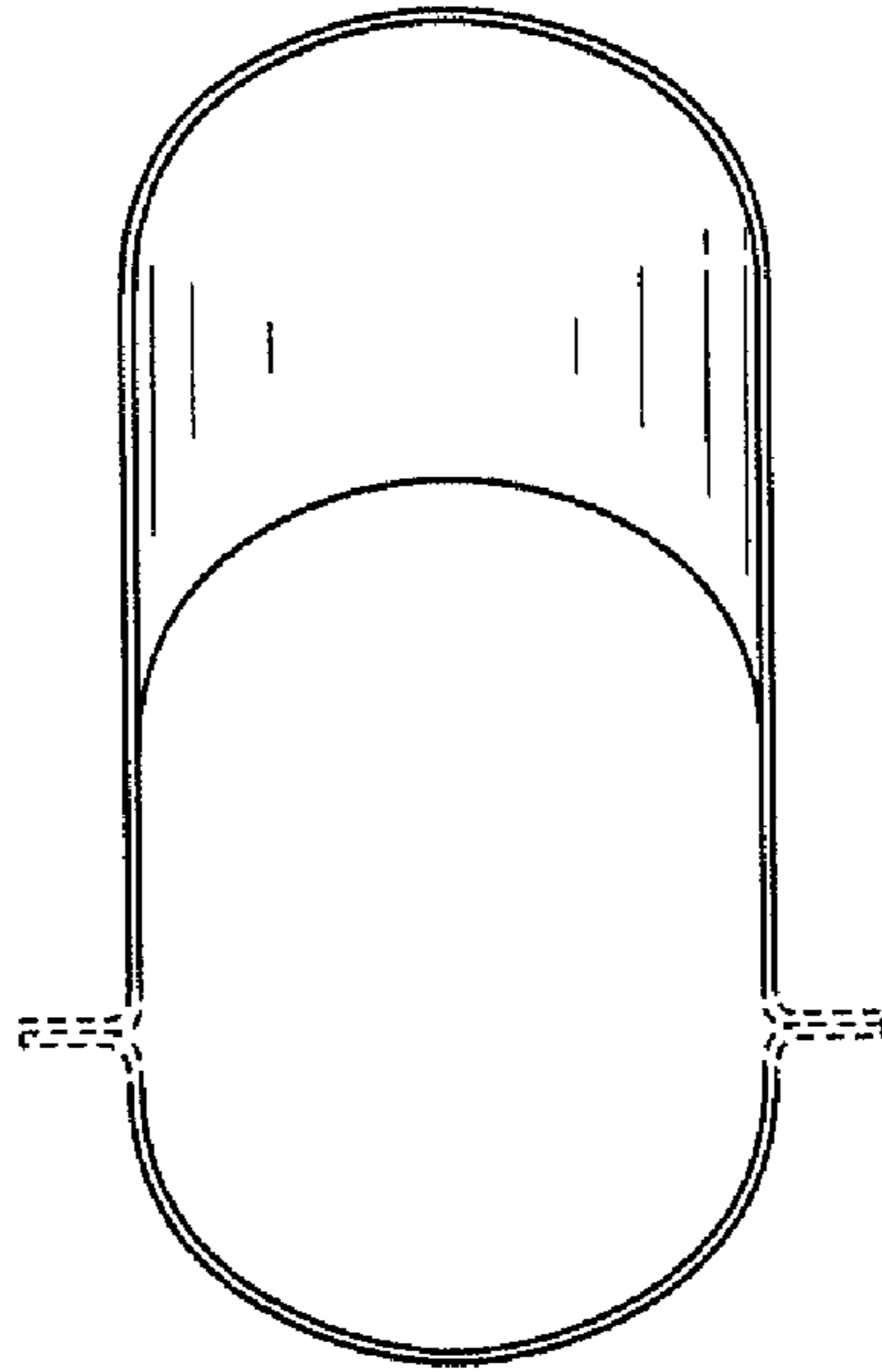


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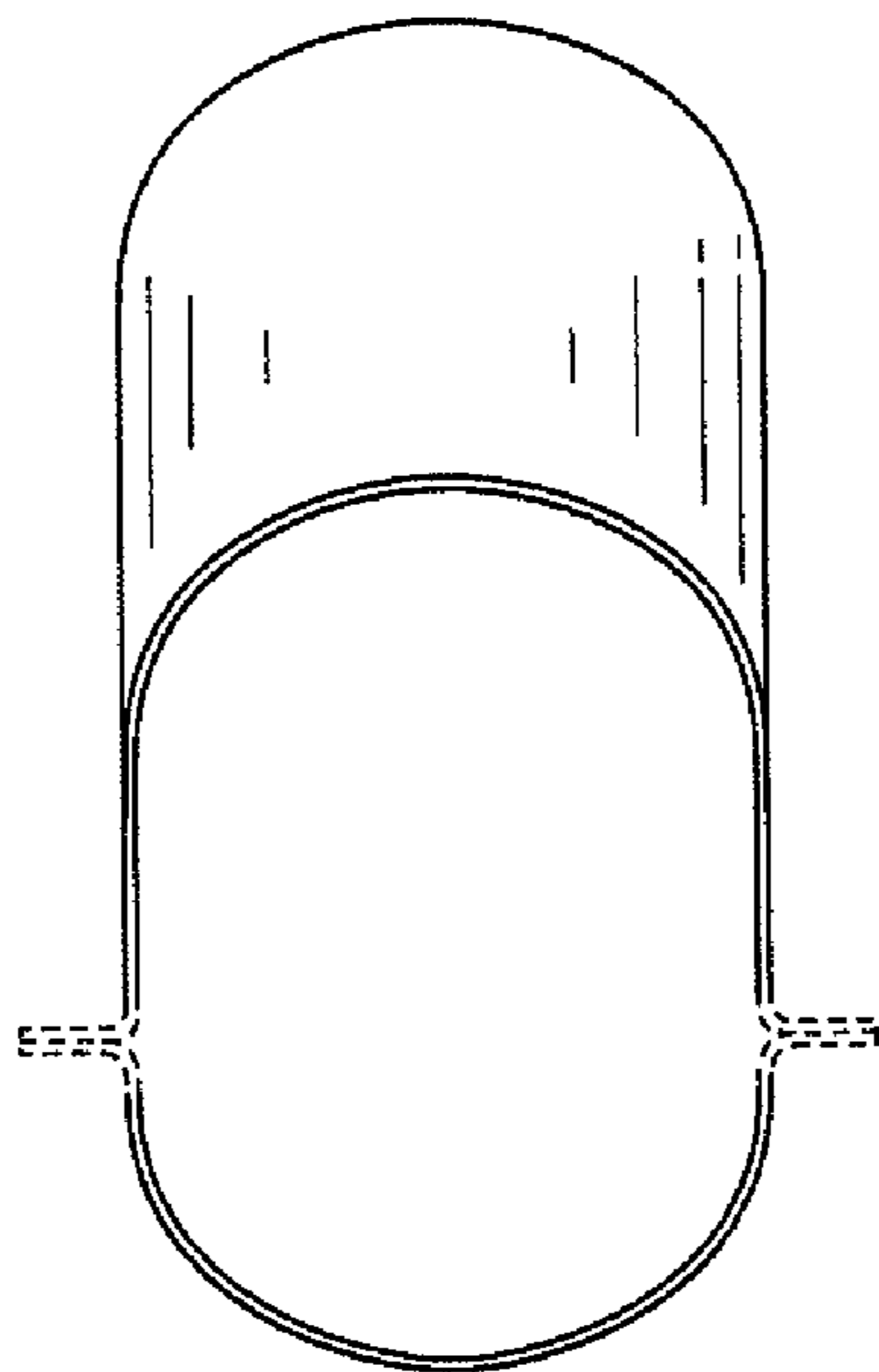


FIG. 8