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(54) **WRITING INSTRUMENT**

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(57) **CLAIM**

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

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of our new design for a writing instrument;

FIG. 2 is a left side view of the writing instrument of FIG. 1, the right side view being a mirror image thereof;

FIG. 3 is a front view of the writing instrument of FIG. 1;

FIG. 4 is a rear view of the writing instrument of FIG. 1;

FIG. 5 is a top plan view of the writing instrument of FIG. 1;

FIG. 6 is a bottom plan view of the writing instrument of FIG. 1;

FIG. 7 is a perspective view of a second embodiment of our new design for a writing instrument;

FIG. 8 is a left side view of the writing instrument of FIG. 7, the right side view being a mirror image thereof;

FIG. 9 is a front view of the writing instrument of FIG. 7;

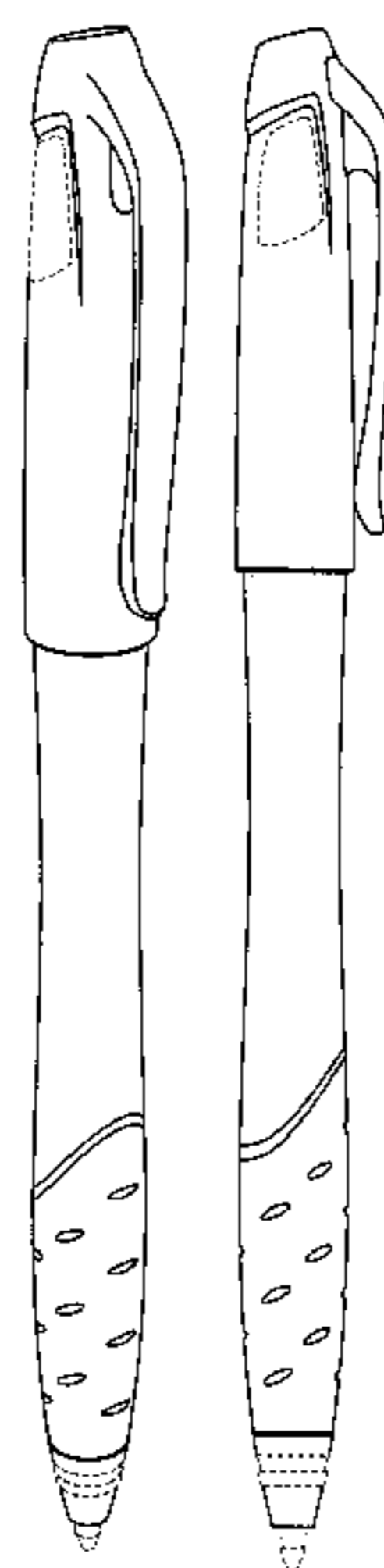
FIG. 10 is a rear view of the writing instrument of FIG. 7;

FIG. 11 is a top plan view of the writing instrument of FIG. 7; and,

FIG. 12 is a bottom plan view of the writing instrument of FIG. 7.

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

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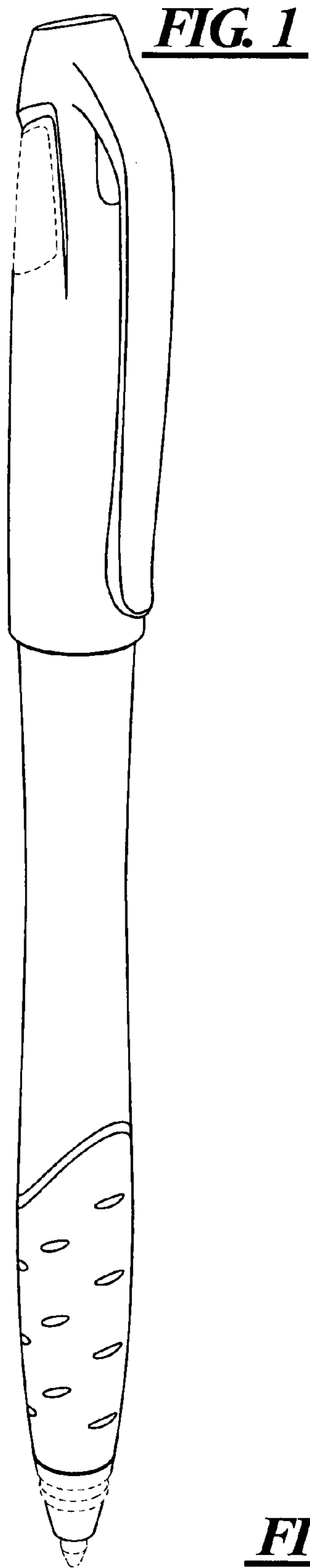


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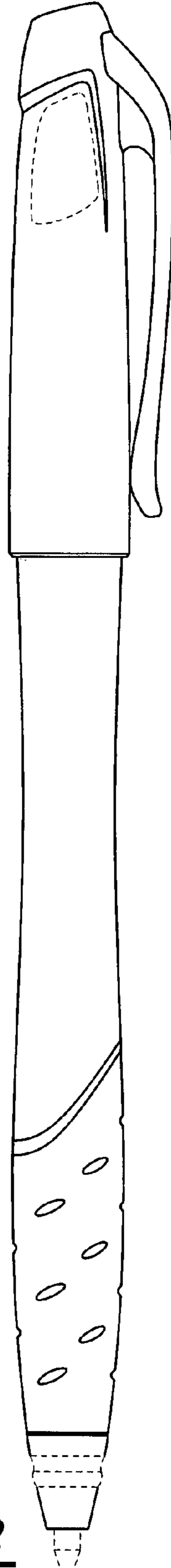
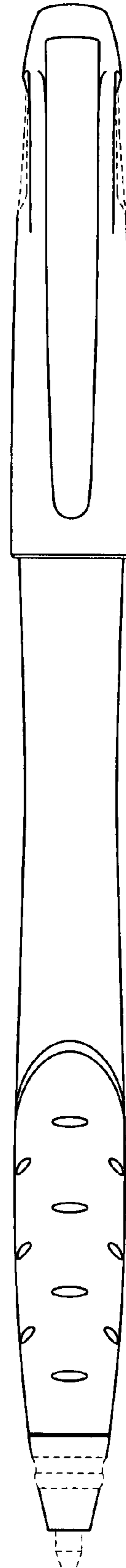


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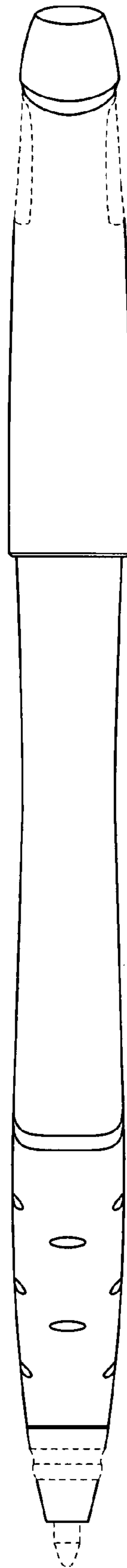


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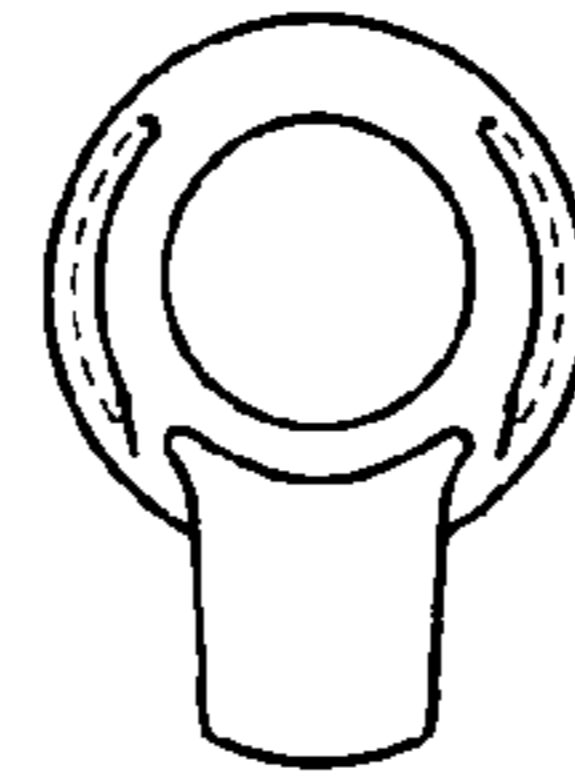


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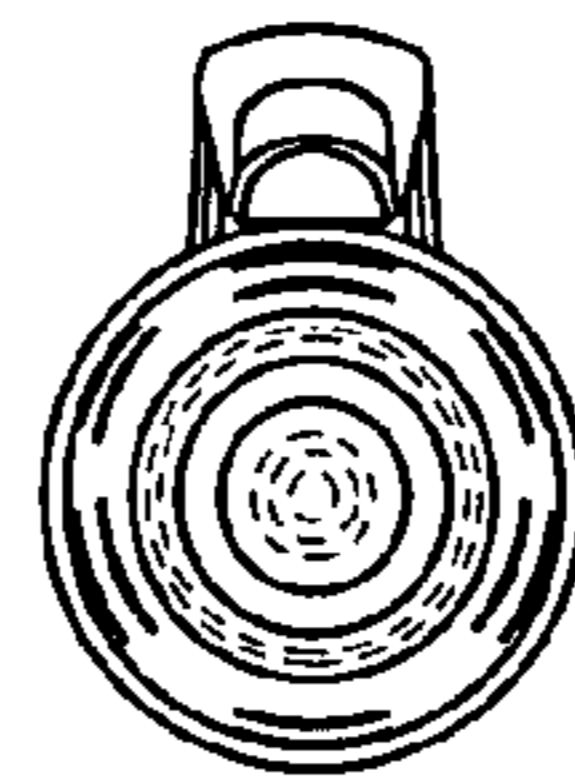


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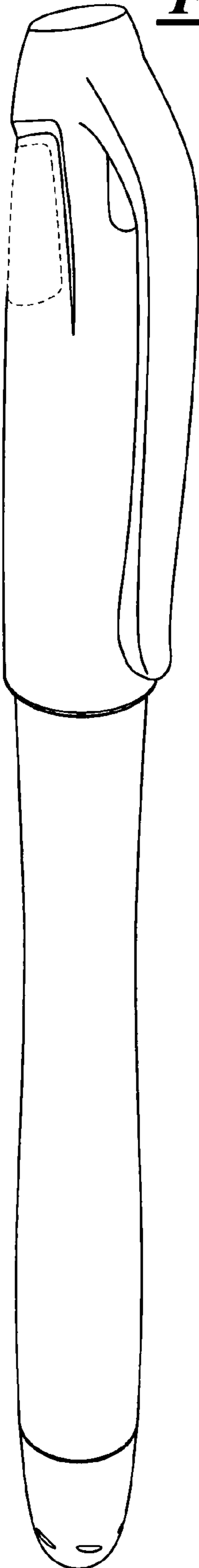


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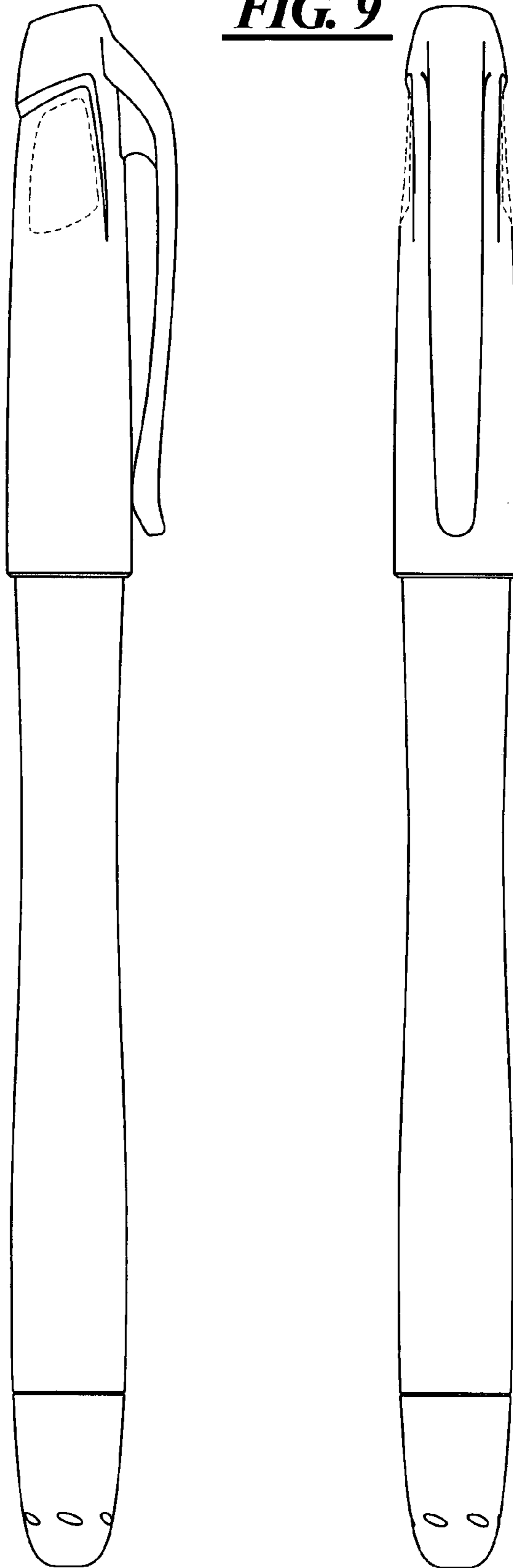
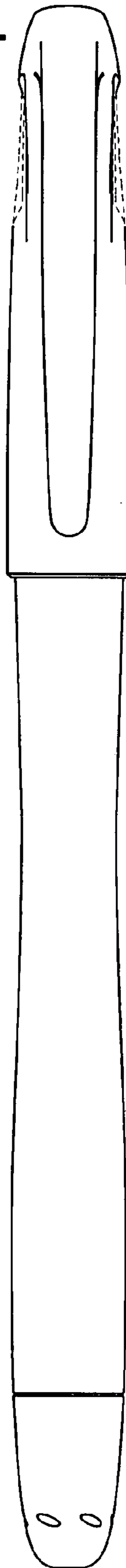
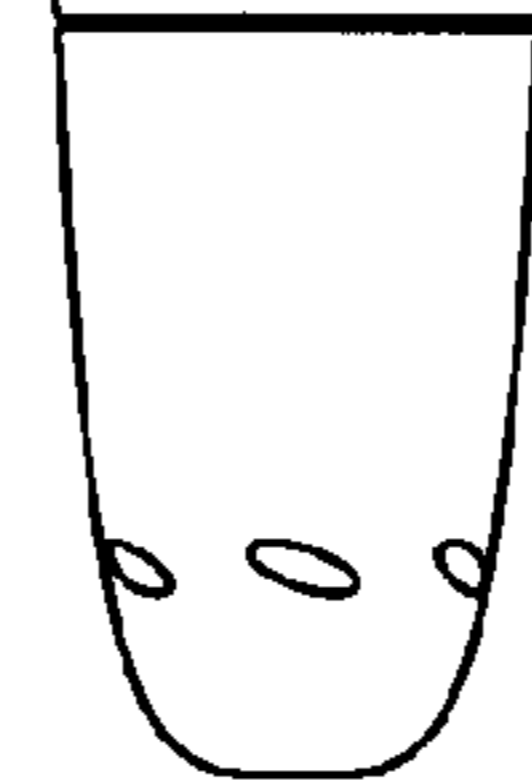


FIG. 8



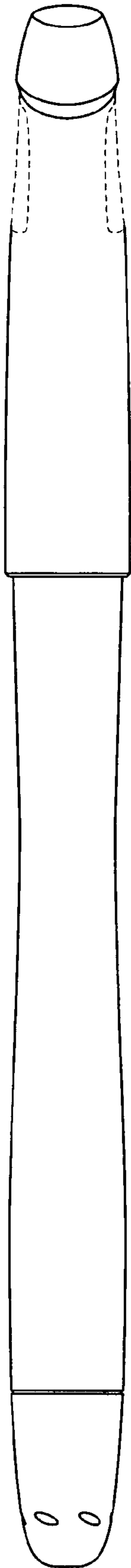


FIG. 10

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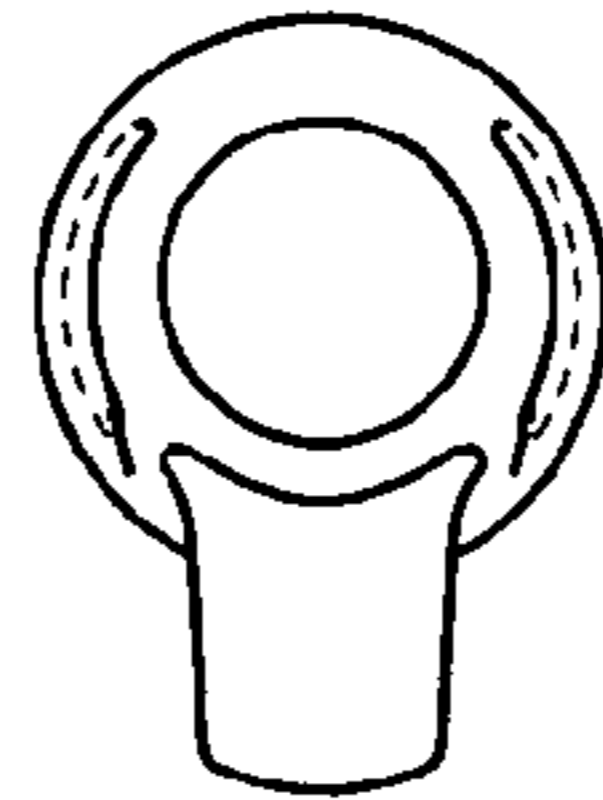


FIG. 12

