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(54) **WINDOW JOINING SYSTEM**

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(57) **CLAIM**

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The ornamental design for a “window joining system”, as shown and described in the Figures.

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DESCRIPTION

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FIG. 1 is a front perspective view of the male half window joining system, showing my design, the rear view being a mirror image thereof;

FIG. 2 is a front perspective view of the female half window joining system, showing my design, the rear view being a mirror image thereof;

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FIG. 3 is a front view of the partially assembled window joining system, wherein the male half of FIG. 1 and female half of FIG. 2 have been snapped together, and snap on covers are placed into their assembled position; and,

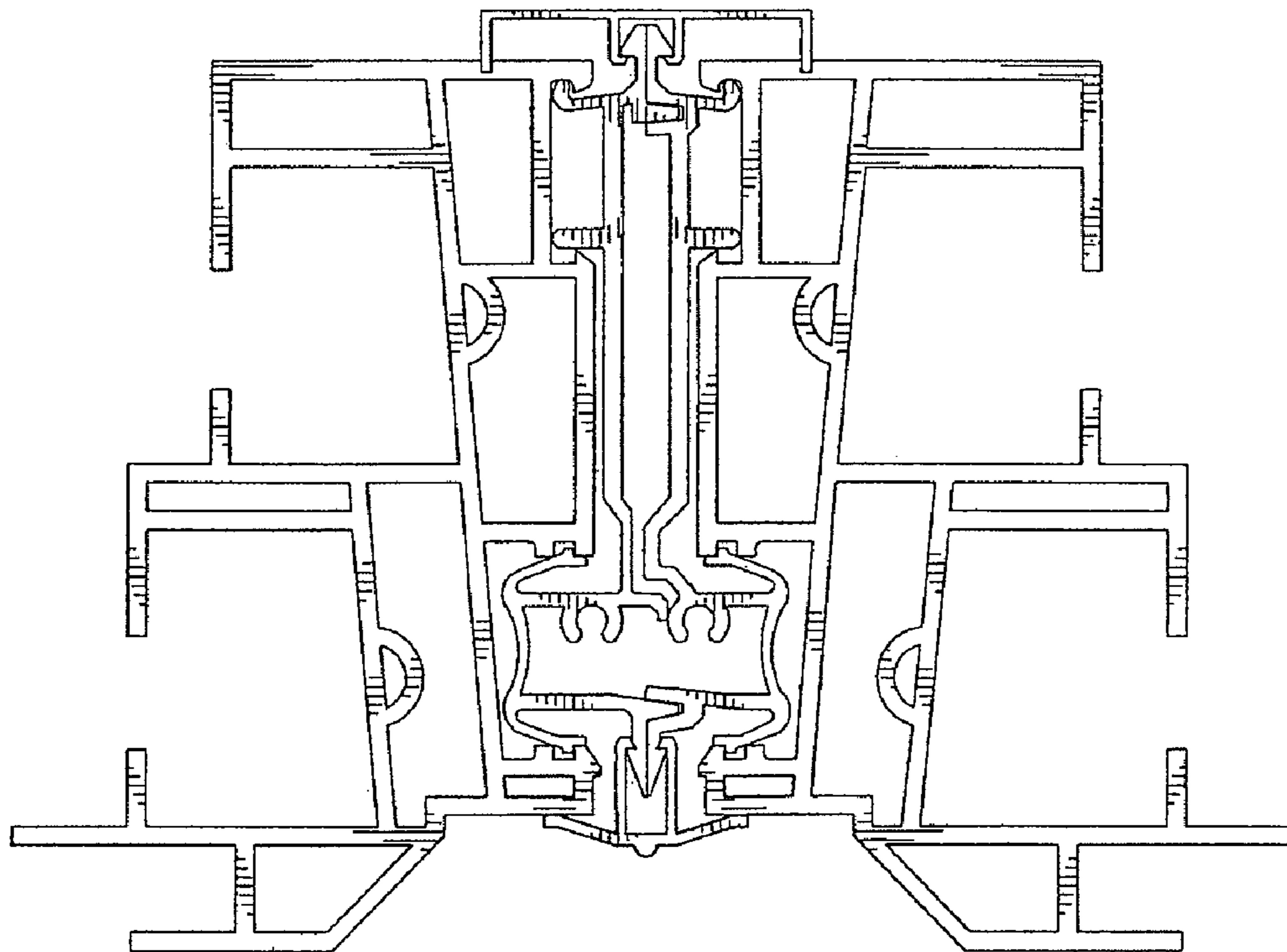
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FIG. 4 is a finished assembly of my window joining system.

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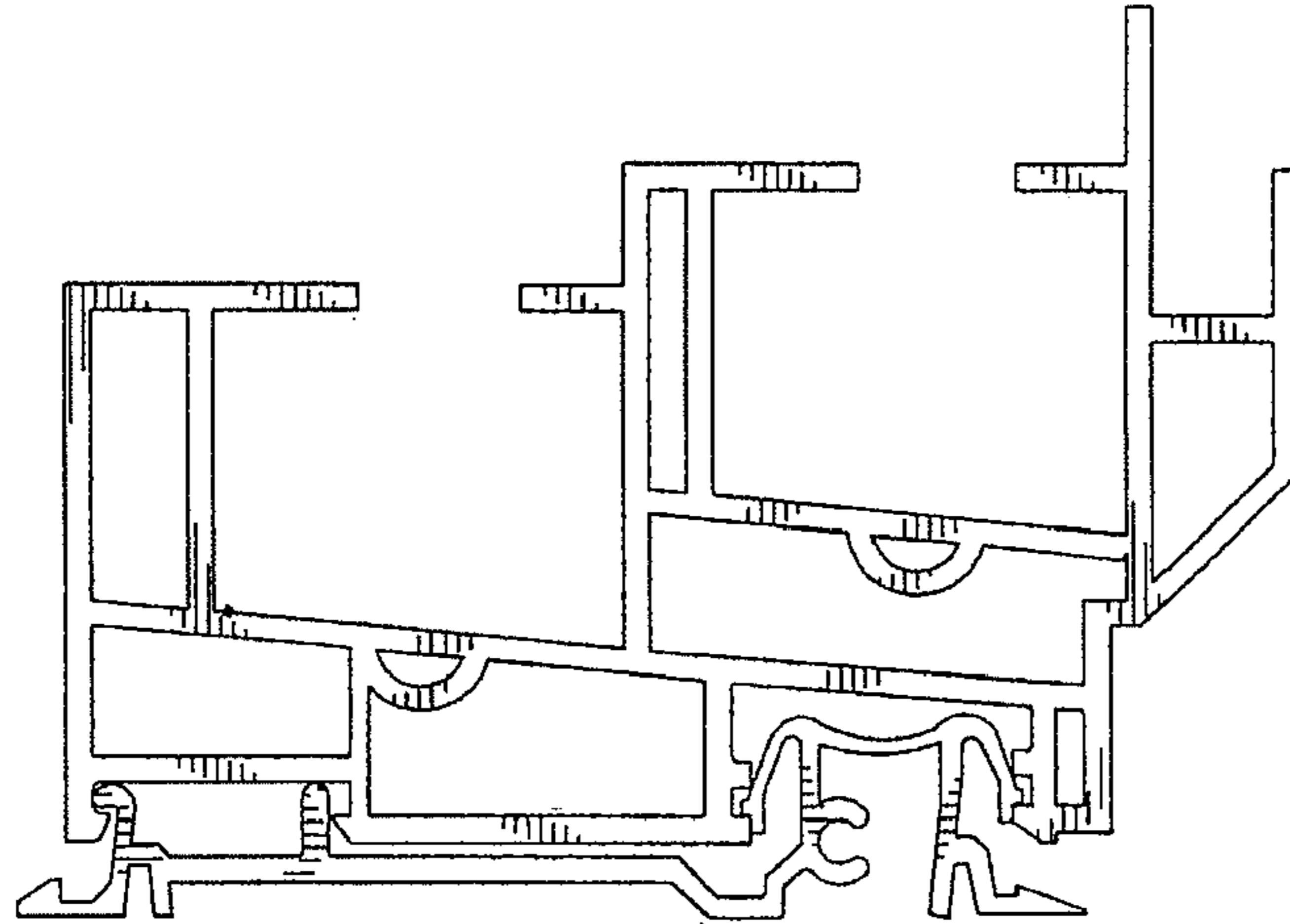


FIG. 2

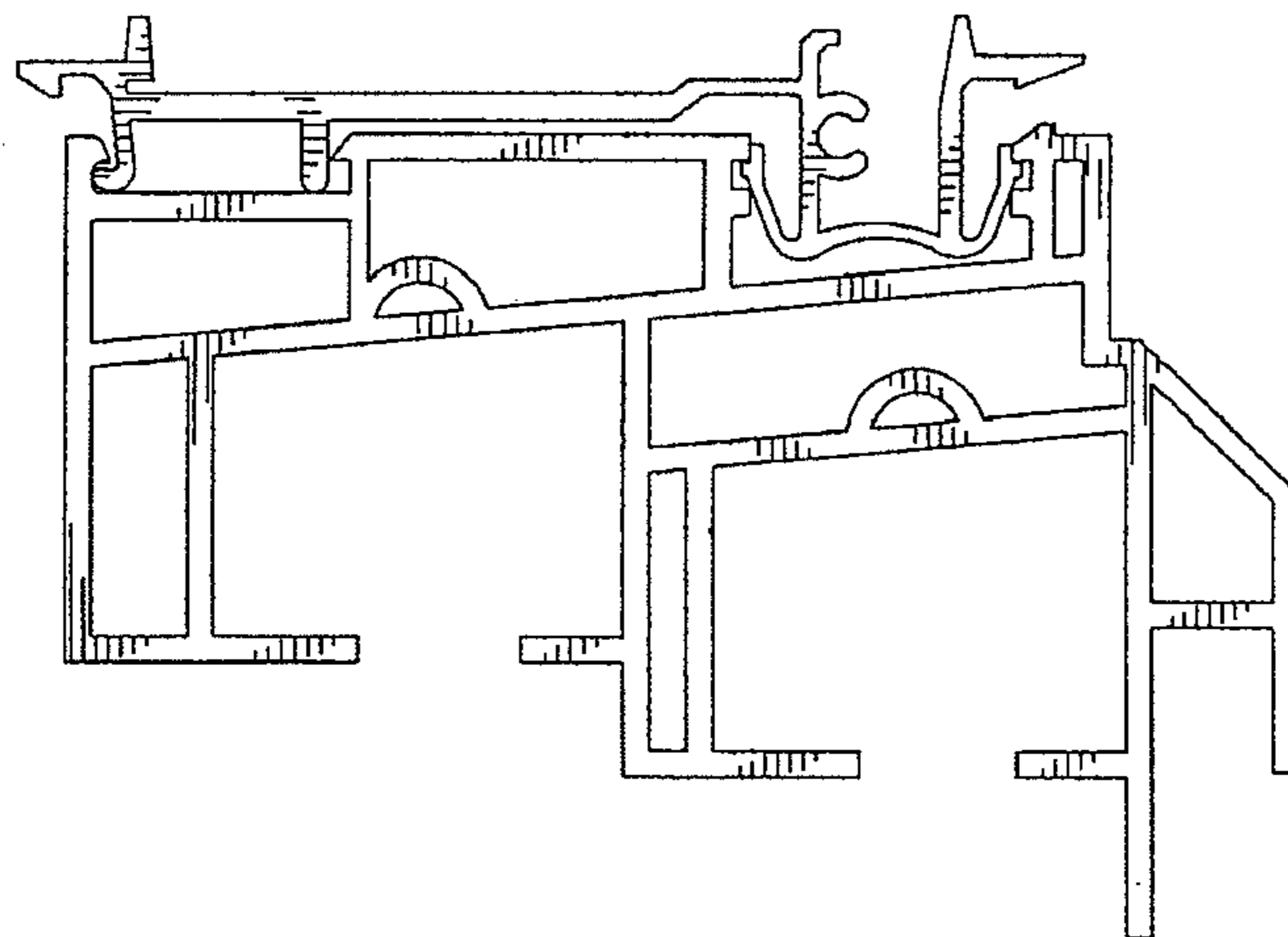


FIG. 1

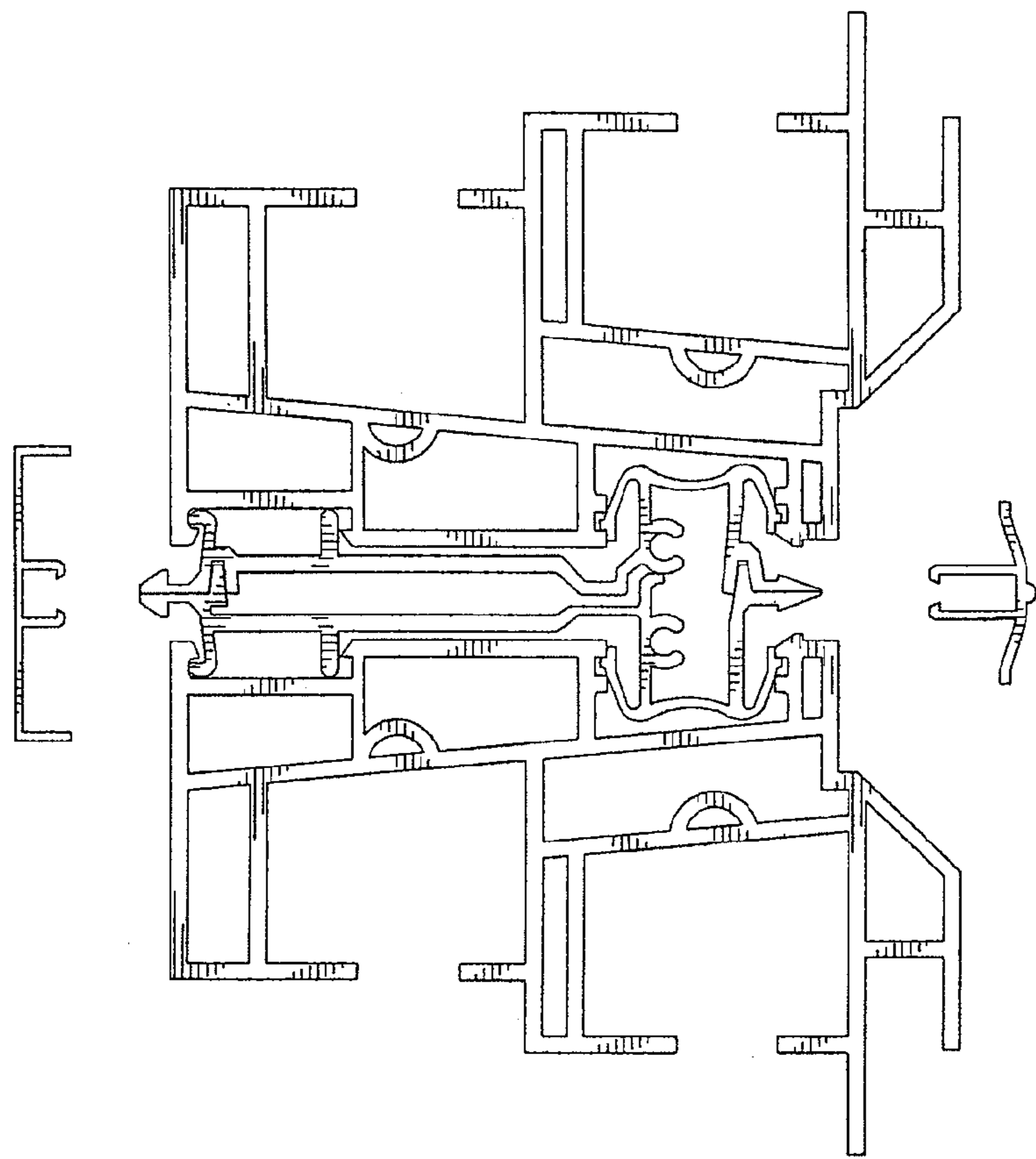


FIG. 3

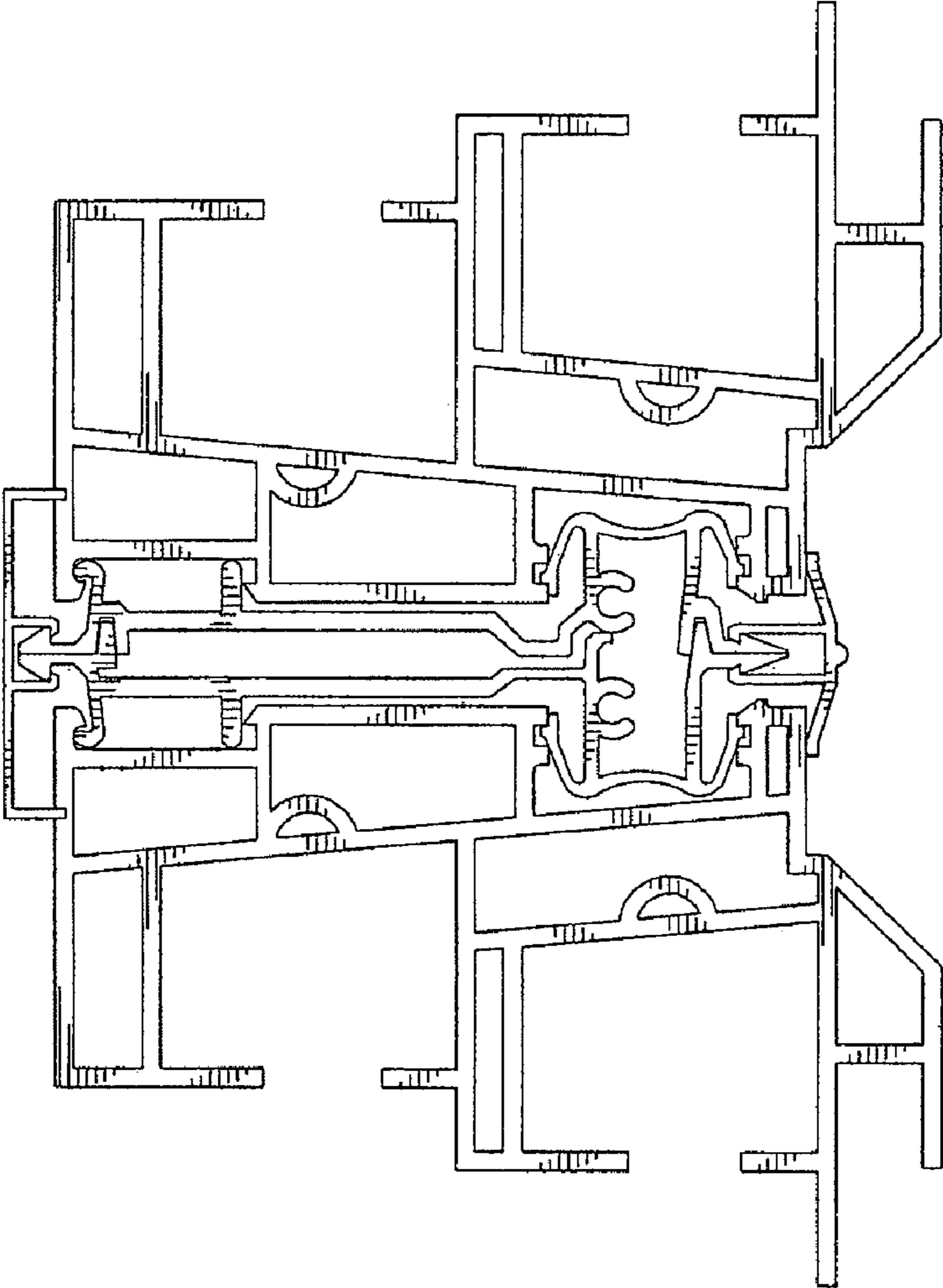


FIG. 4