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(54) **RETROREFLECTIVE ARTICLE**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a retroreflective article, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a retroreflective article, showing the new design.

FIG. 2 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a bottom plan view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a front elevational view thereof;

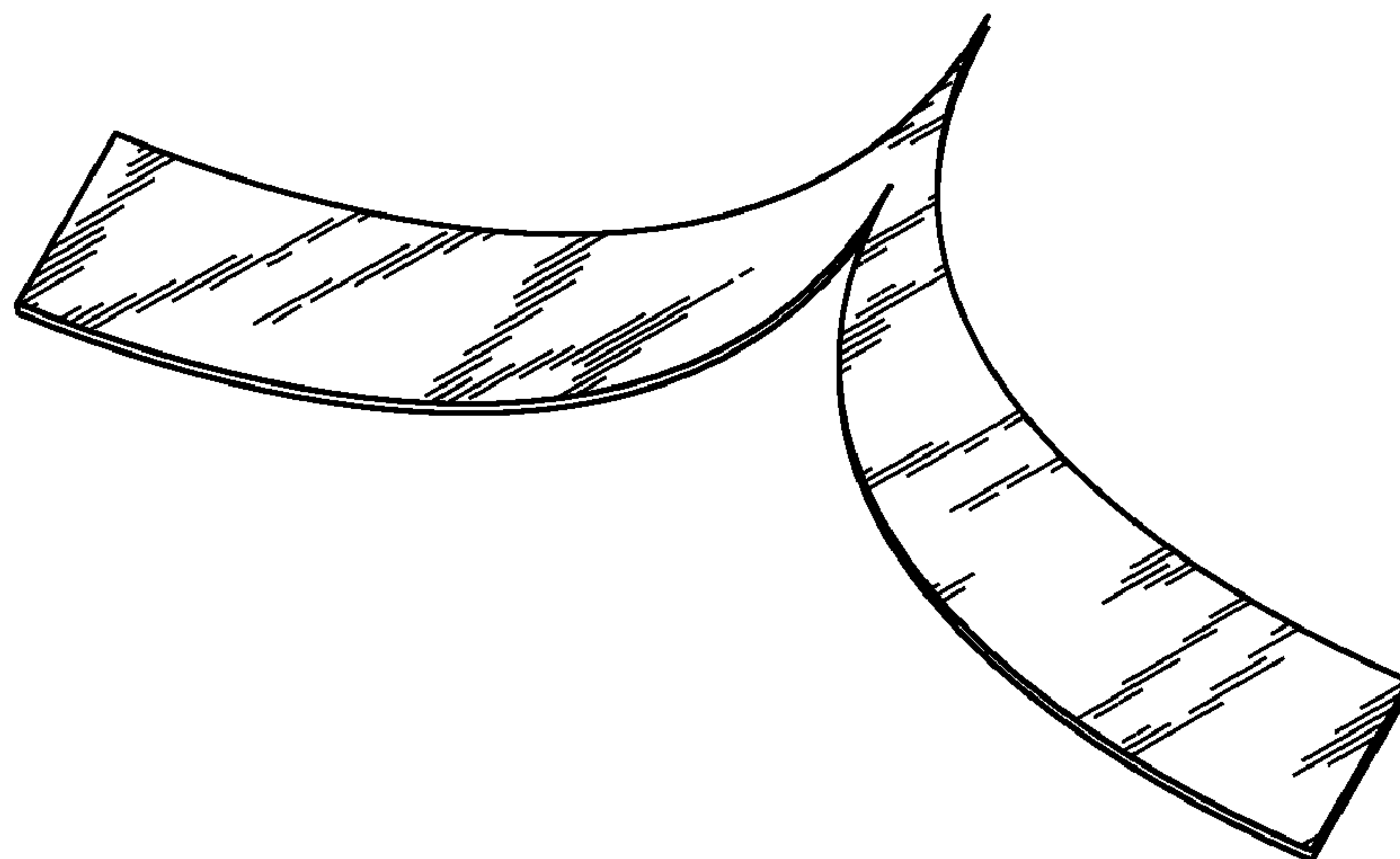
FIG. 5 is a rear elevational view thereof;

FIG. 6 is a left side elevational view thereof; and,

FIG. 7 is a right side elevational view thereof.

The shading shown in FIGS. 1 and 2 is provided only to illustrate that the top surface is retroreflective. It is not indicative of texture or other surface artifacts. The shading shown in FIG. 3 is provided only to illustrate a flat surface.

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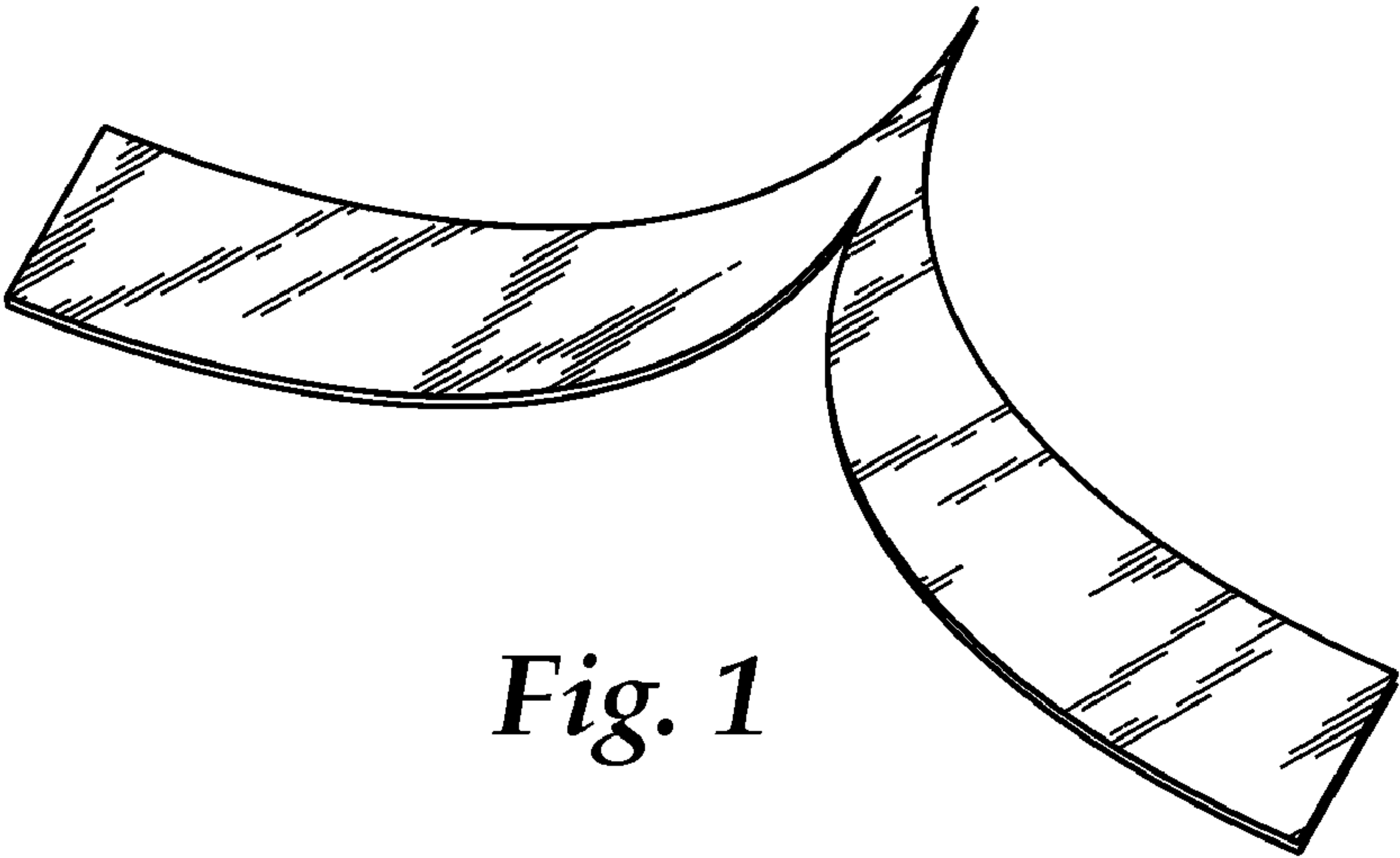


Fig. 1

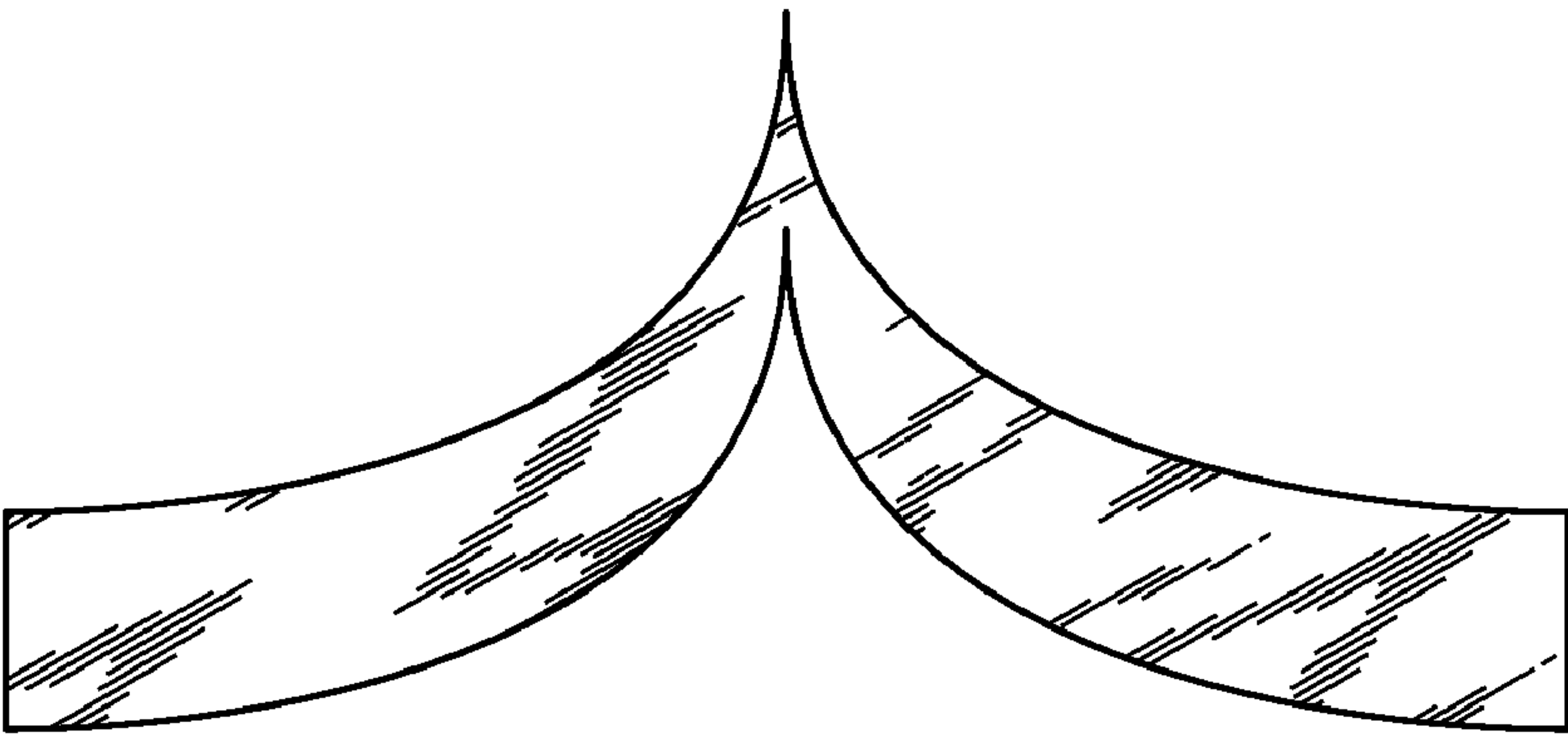


Fig. 2

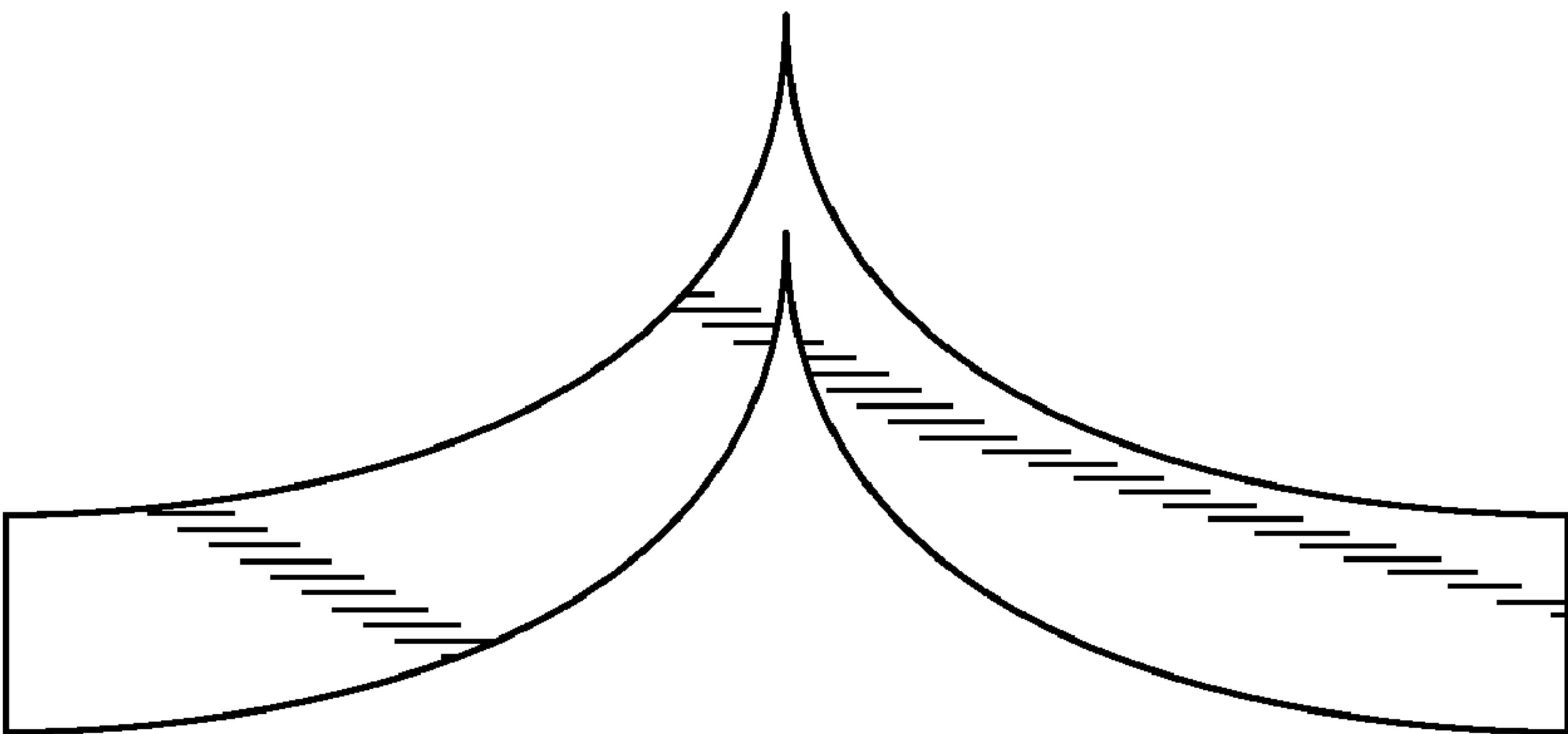


Fig. 3



Fig. 4



Fig. 5



Fig. 6



Fig. 7

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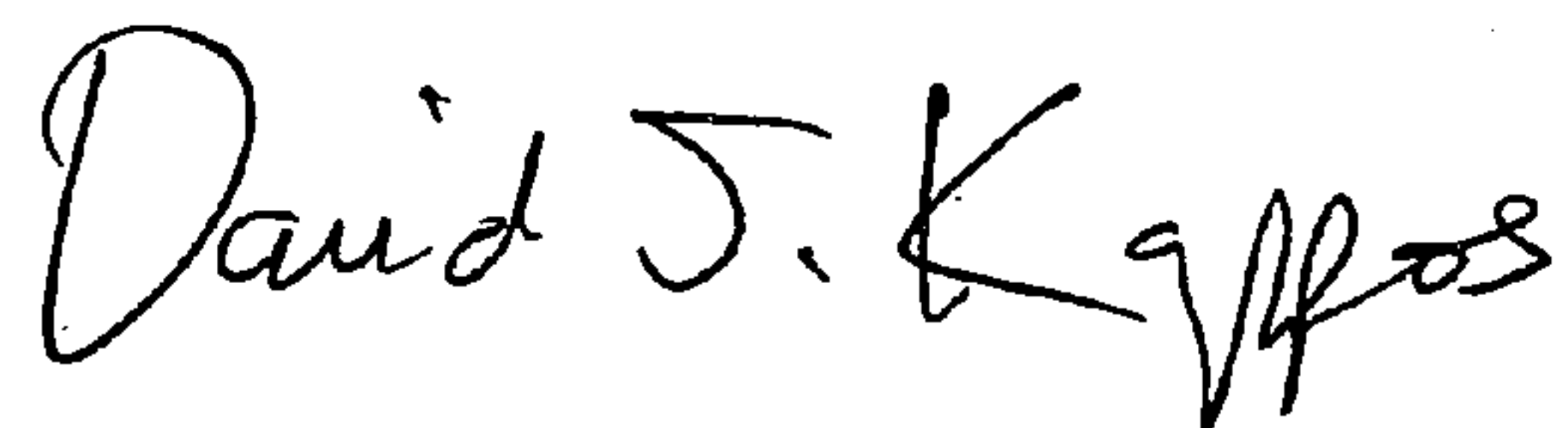
It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the Title Page

Item (Description), Below "Description" insert -- The present invention is a new, original, and ornamental design for a retroreflective article. The retroreflective article can be applied to a variety of surfaces and materials that are desired to have a retroreflective appearance. The retroreflective article has a retroreflective top surface. The term "retroreflective article" refers to an article that reflects substantial quantities of incident light — which light otherwise would be reflected elsewhere — back towards the light source. --.

Signed and Sealed this

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A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "David J. Kappos". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a large initial 'D' and a stylized 'K'.

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