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(54) **FRANKING SYSTEM**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a franking system, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a franking system showing my new design;

FIG. 2 is a top view thereof;

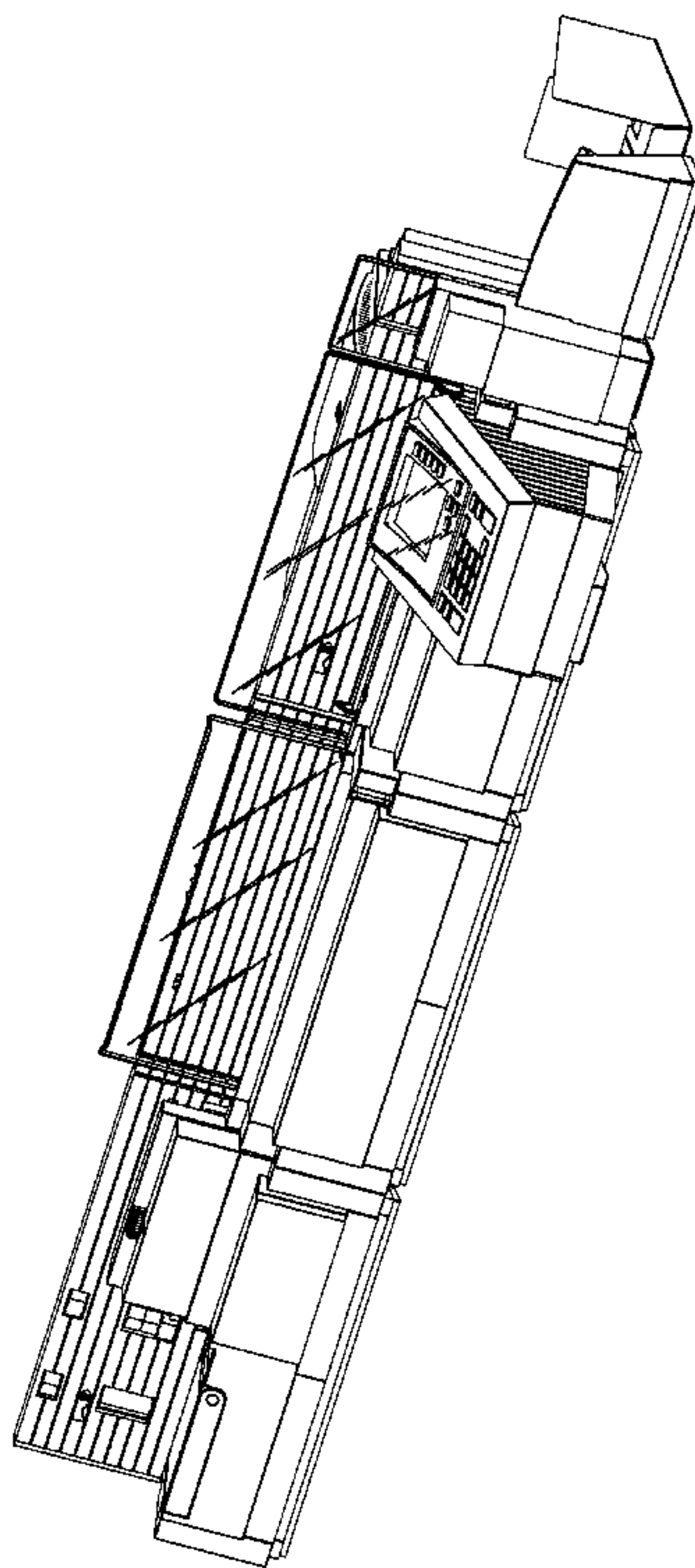
FIG. 3 is a right side view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a left side view thereof; and,

FIG. 5 is a front elevational view thereof.

The broken line showing is included for the purpose of illustrating environment and forms no part of the claimed design.

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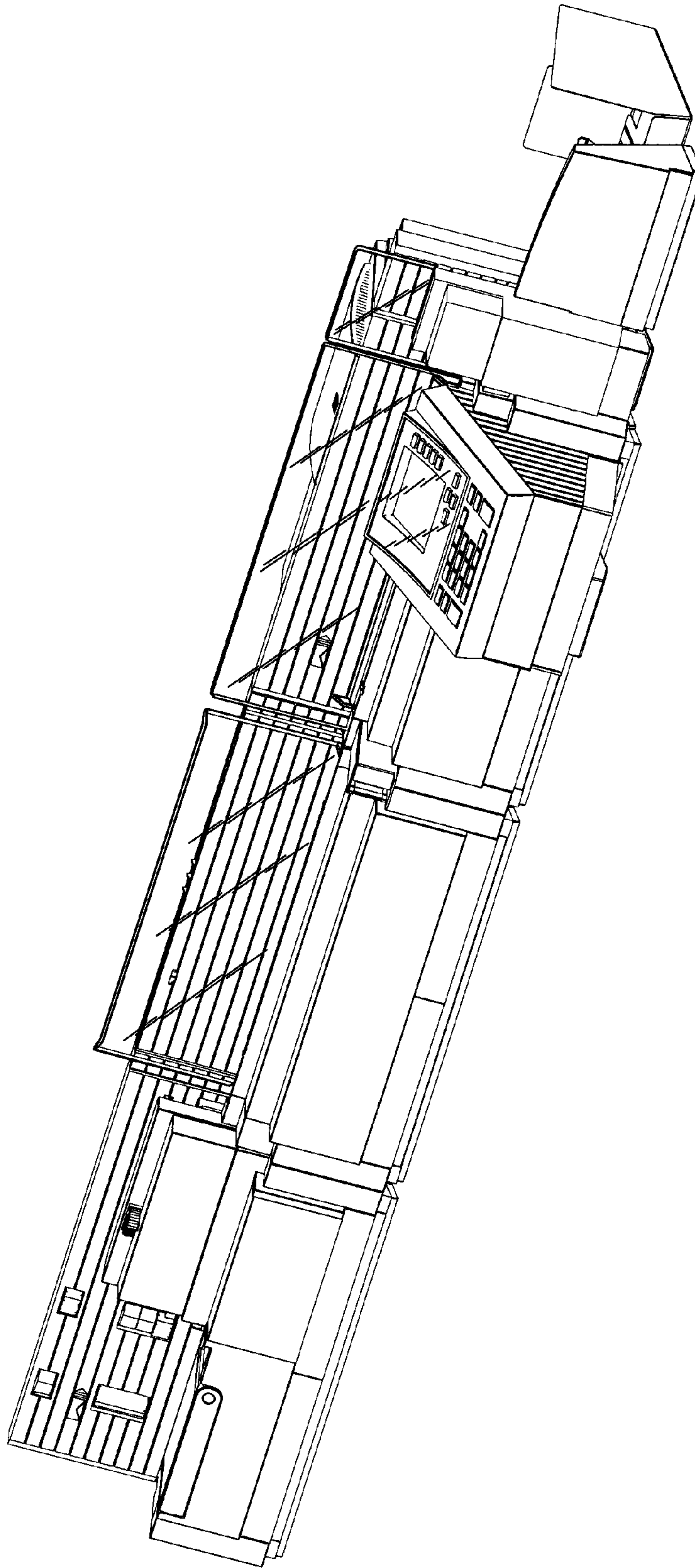


FIG. 1

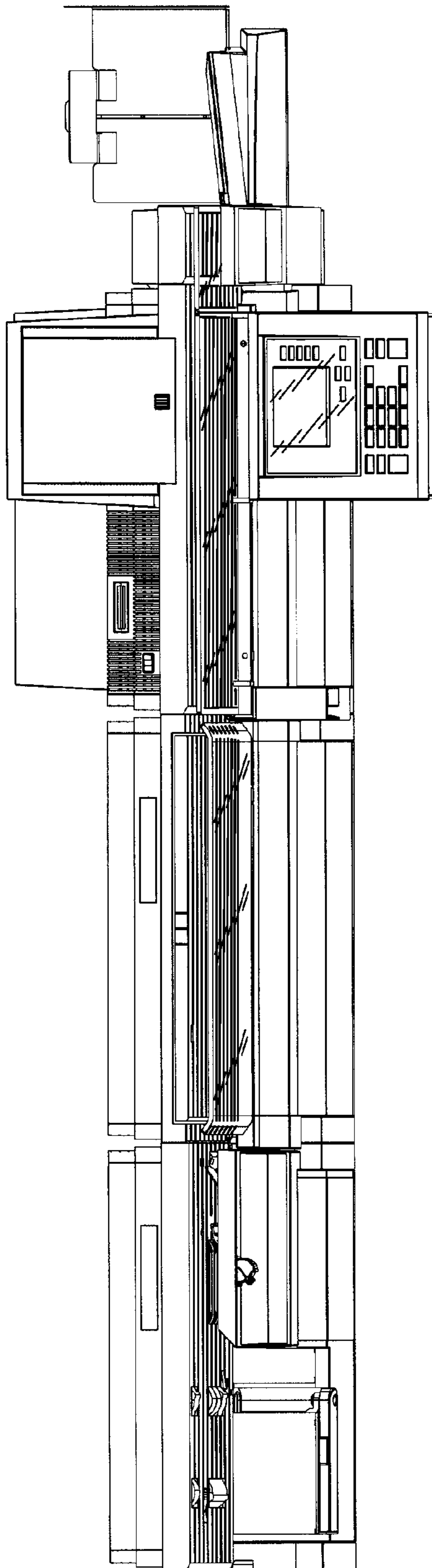


FIG. 2



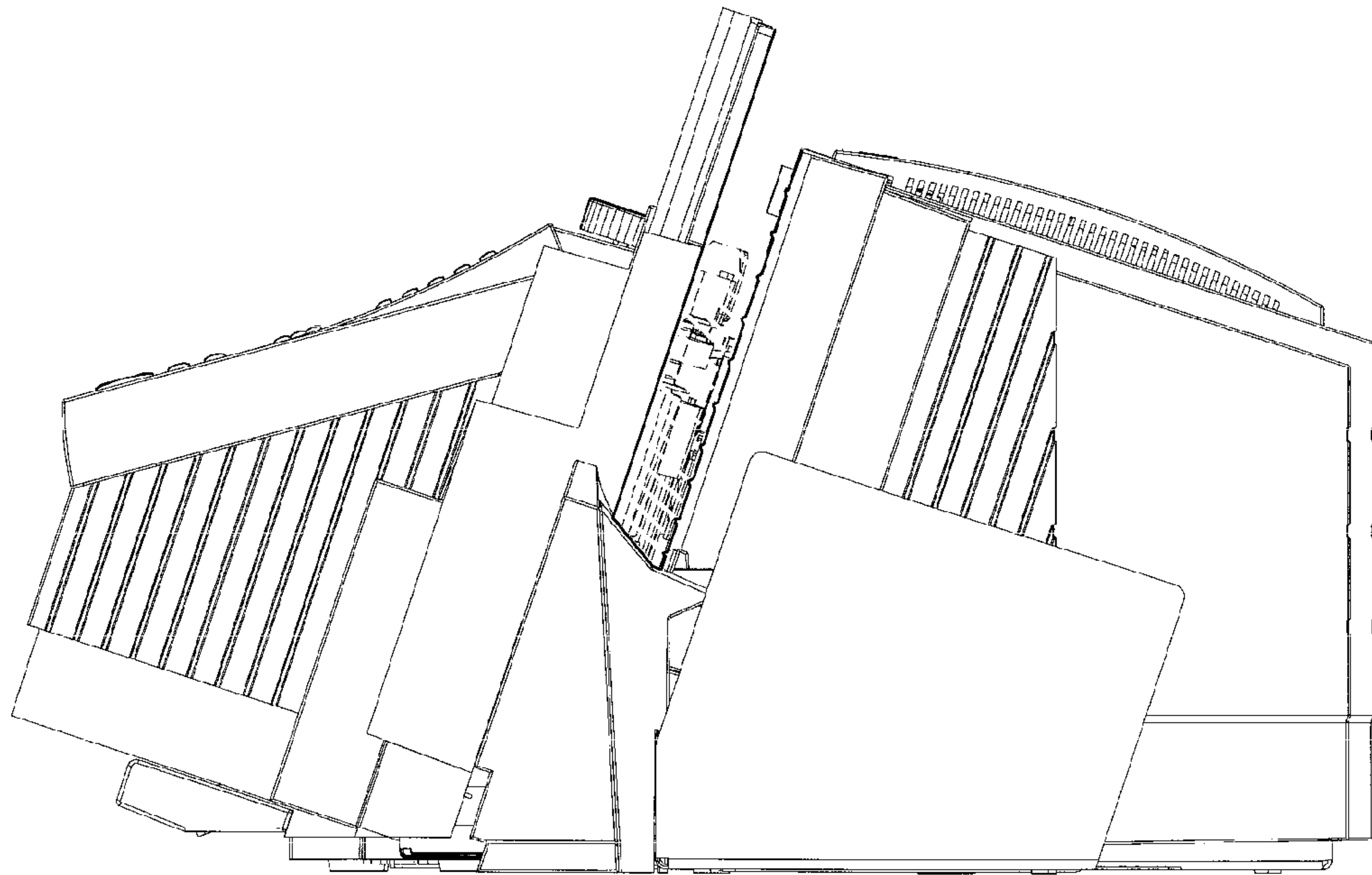


FIG. 3

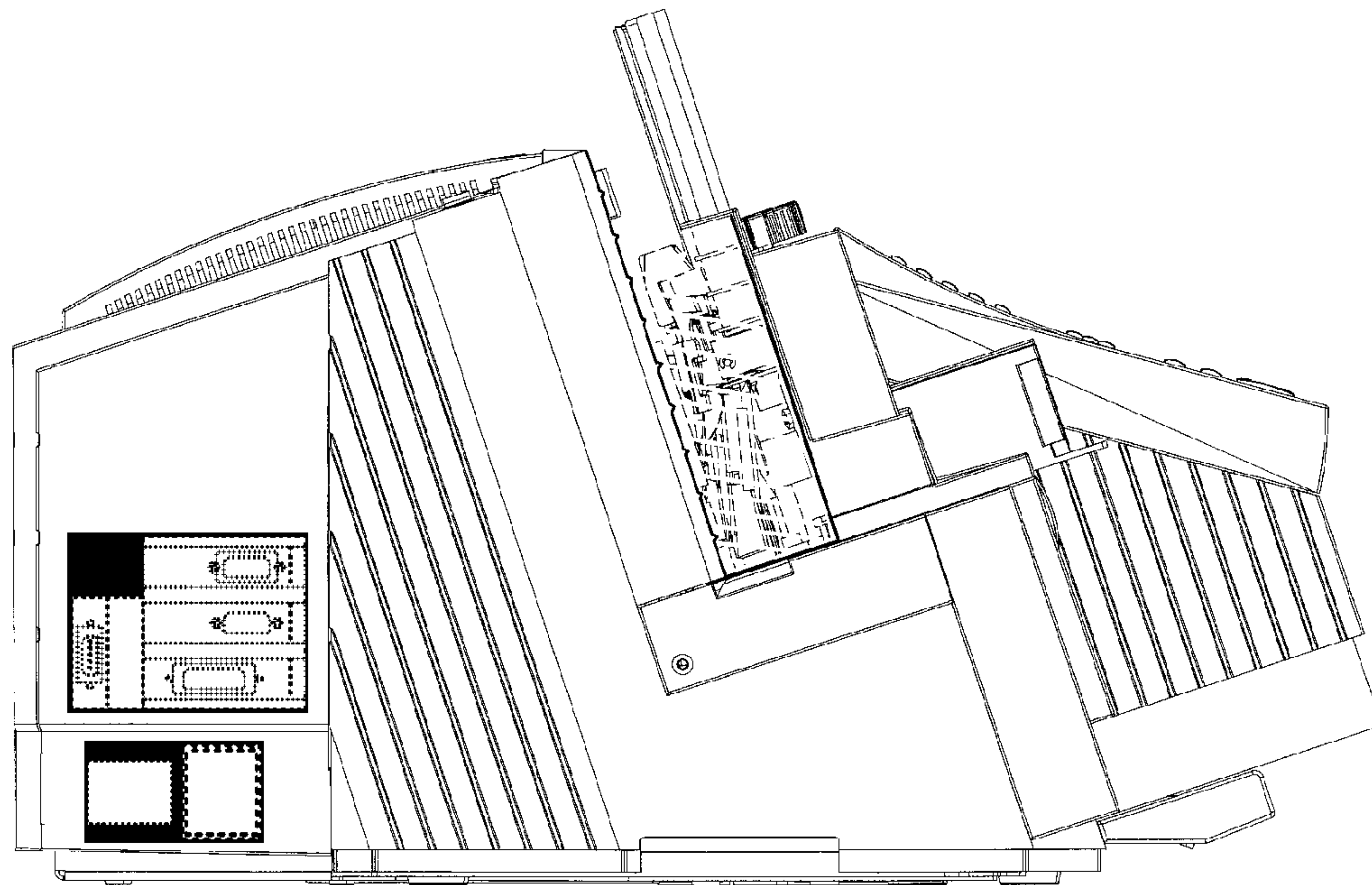


FIG. 4

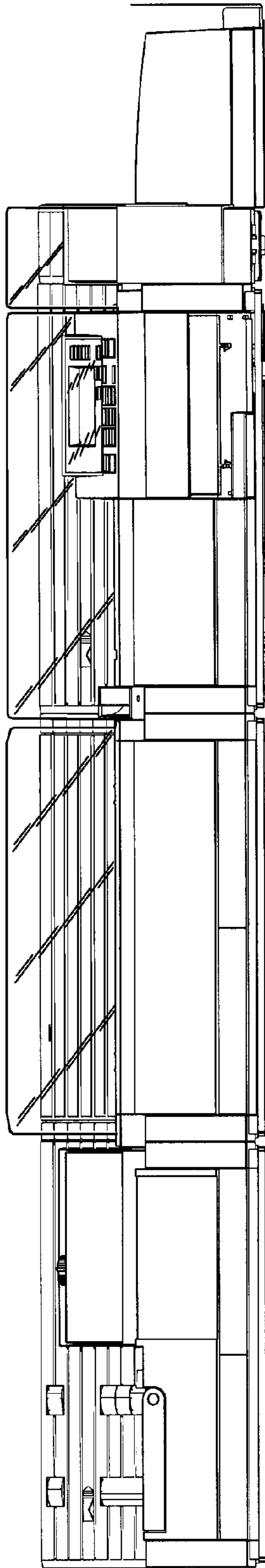


FIG. 5