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(54) **APPARATUS FOR STIMULATING EXERCISE**

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(57) **CLAIM**

(**) **Term:** **14 Years**

The ornamental design for an apparatus for stimulating exer-
cise, as shown.

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DESCRIPTION

Related U.S. Application Data

FIG. 1 is a front perspective view of an apparatus for stimu-
lating exercise showing my new design;

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filed on Mar. 10, 2006.

FIG. 2 is a front perspective view with the light array box, the
mounting swing arms, and the table in an alternative position;

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FIG. 3 is an enlarged front perspective view of the light array
box and mounting swing arms with the table, chairs, monitor
and the support member removed for ease of illustration;

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FIG. 4 is an enlarged underside rear perspective view of the
light array box thereof;

See application file for complete search history.

FIG. 5 is a left rear perspective view of an apparatus for
stimulating exercise with the table and the stimulator screen
with one chair and the support member removed for ease of
illustration;

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FIG. 6 is a right front perspective view with the stimulator
screen slightly rotated, showing a key board with the support
member removed for ease of illustration;

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FIG. 7 is a left perspective view of the apparatus for stimu-
lating exercise, with the keyboard folded up near the screen;
and,

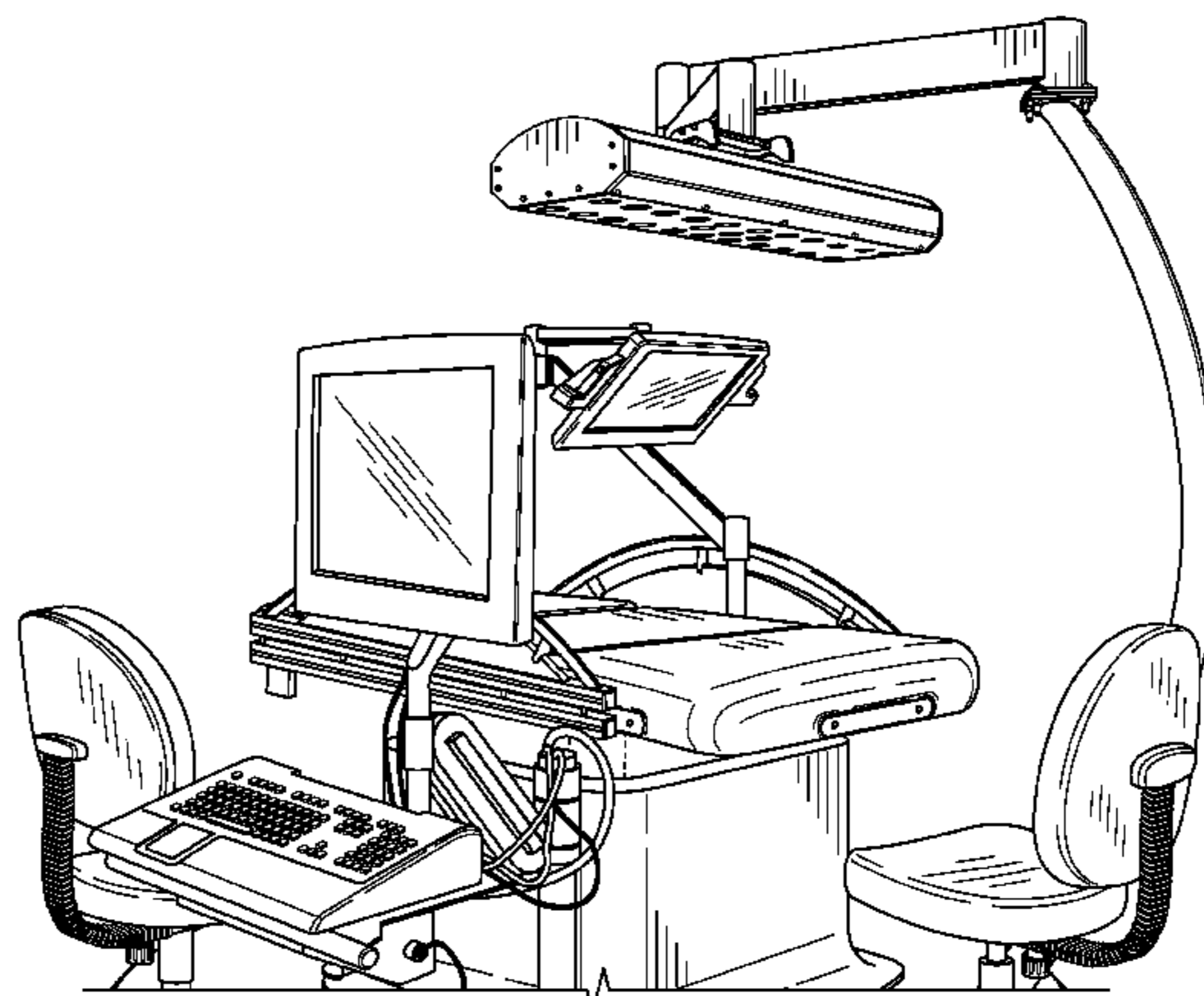
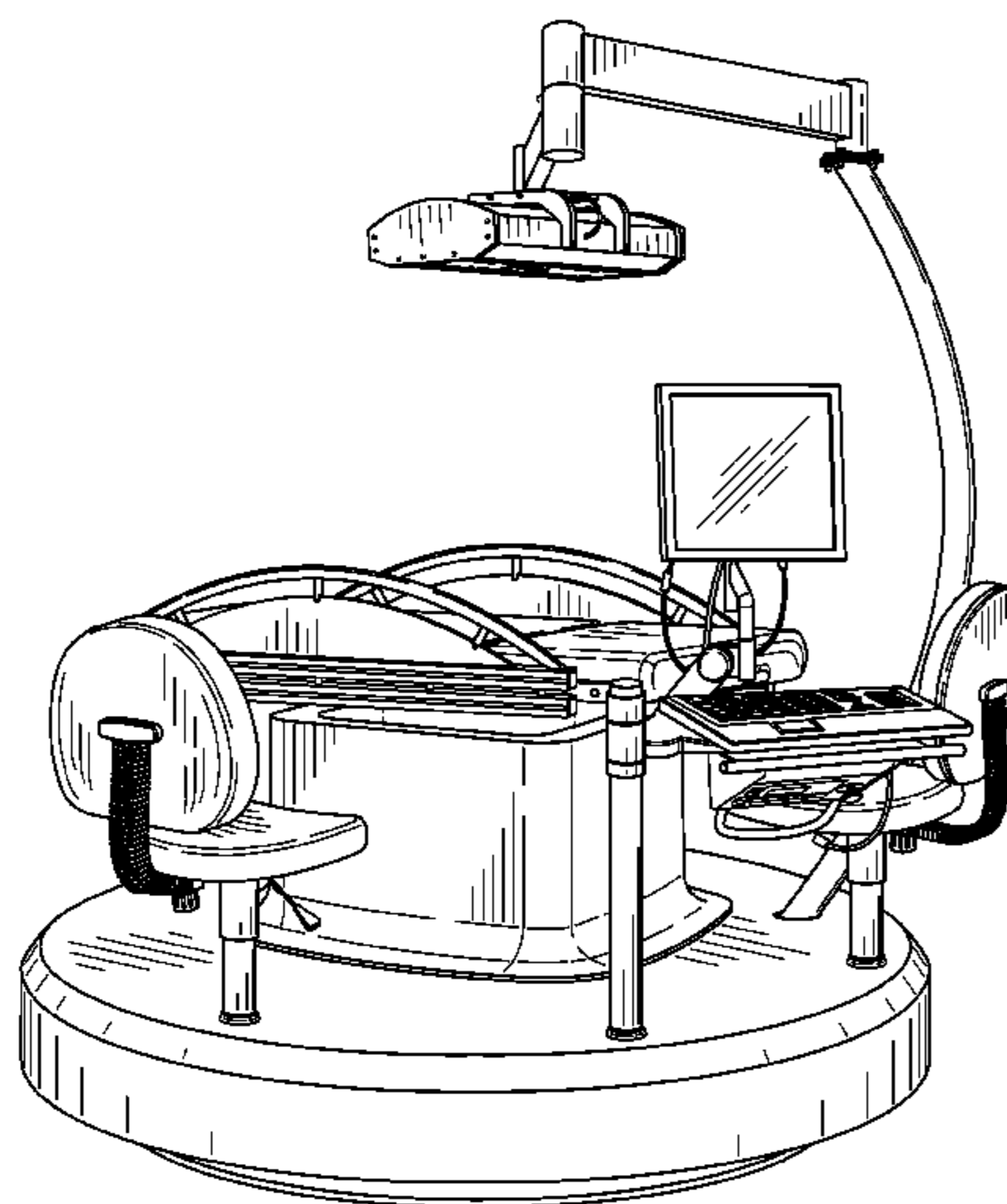
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FIG. 8 is an enlarged perspective view thereof, with the key-
board folded up with the light array box, mounting swing
arms, table, one chair, the patient stimulator screen, and the
support member removed for ease of illustration.

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The broken line showing of: the connection between base and
table in FIGS. 1, 2, 5 & 6; protrusions on the hinge joining the
lamp box swing arms in FIGS. 1, 3, & 5; protrusions on the
lamp box in FIGS. 3-6; the sound amplifier in FIG. 7; and the
headphones in FIG. 8, is for the purpose of illustrating envi-
ronmental structure, and forms no part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 8 Drawing Sheets



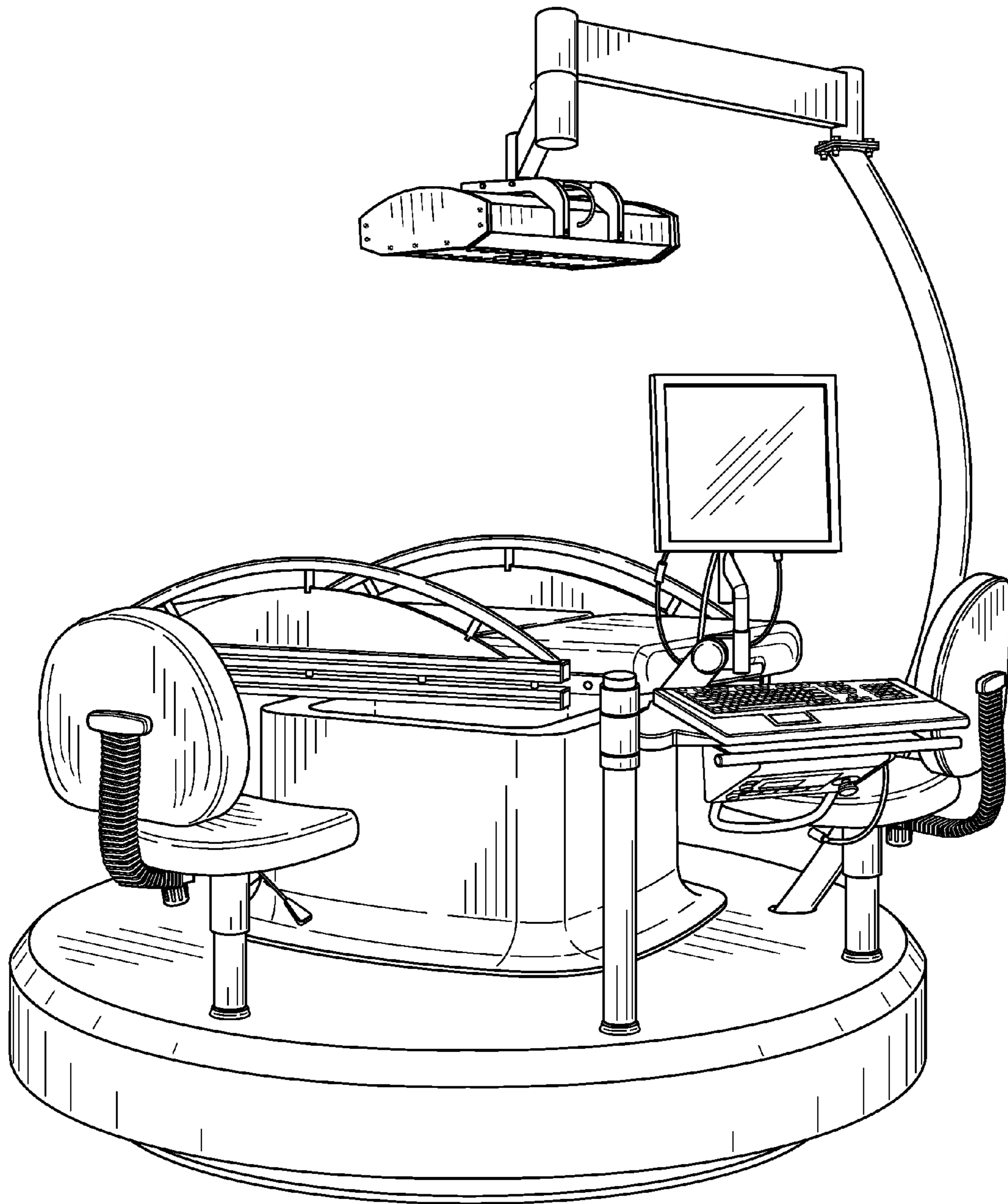


FIG. 1

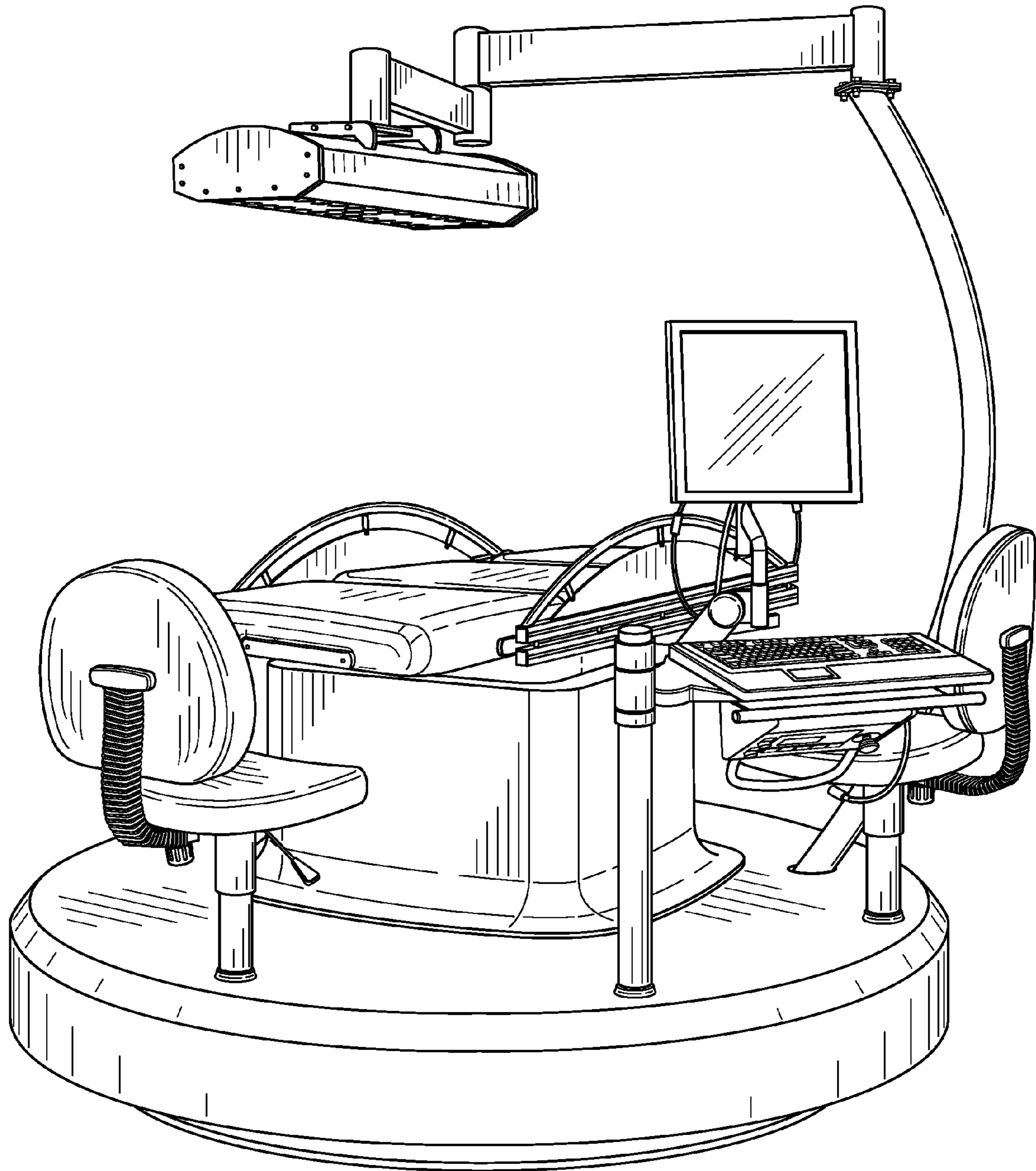


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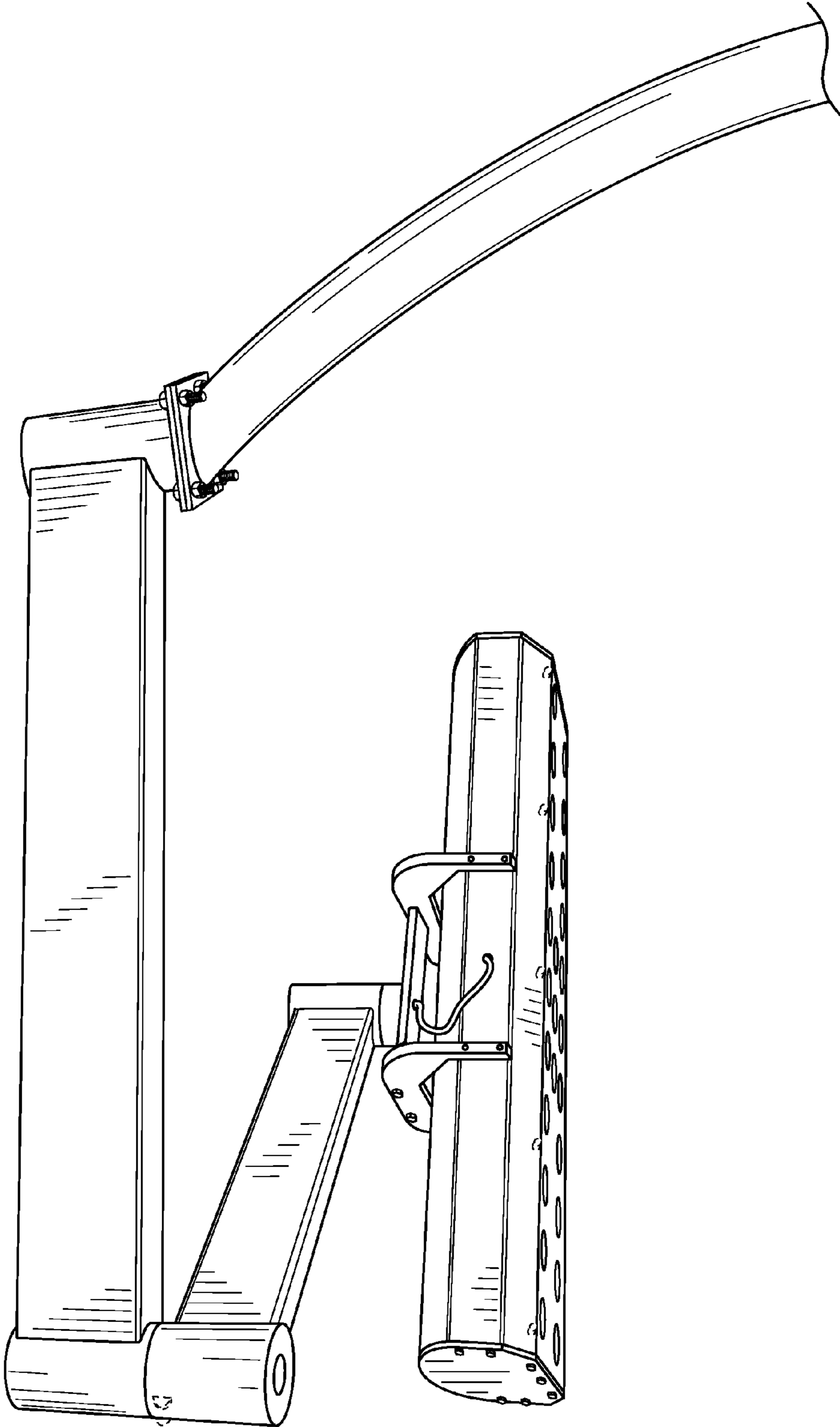


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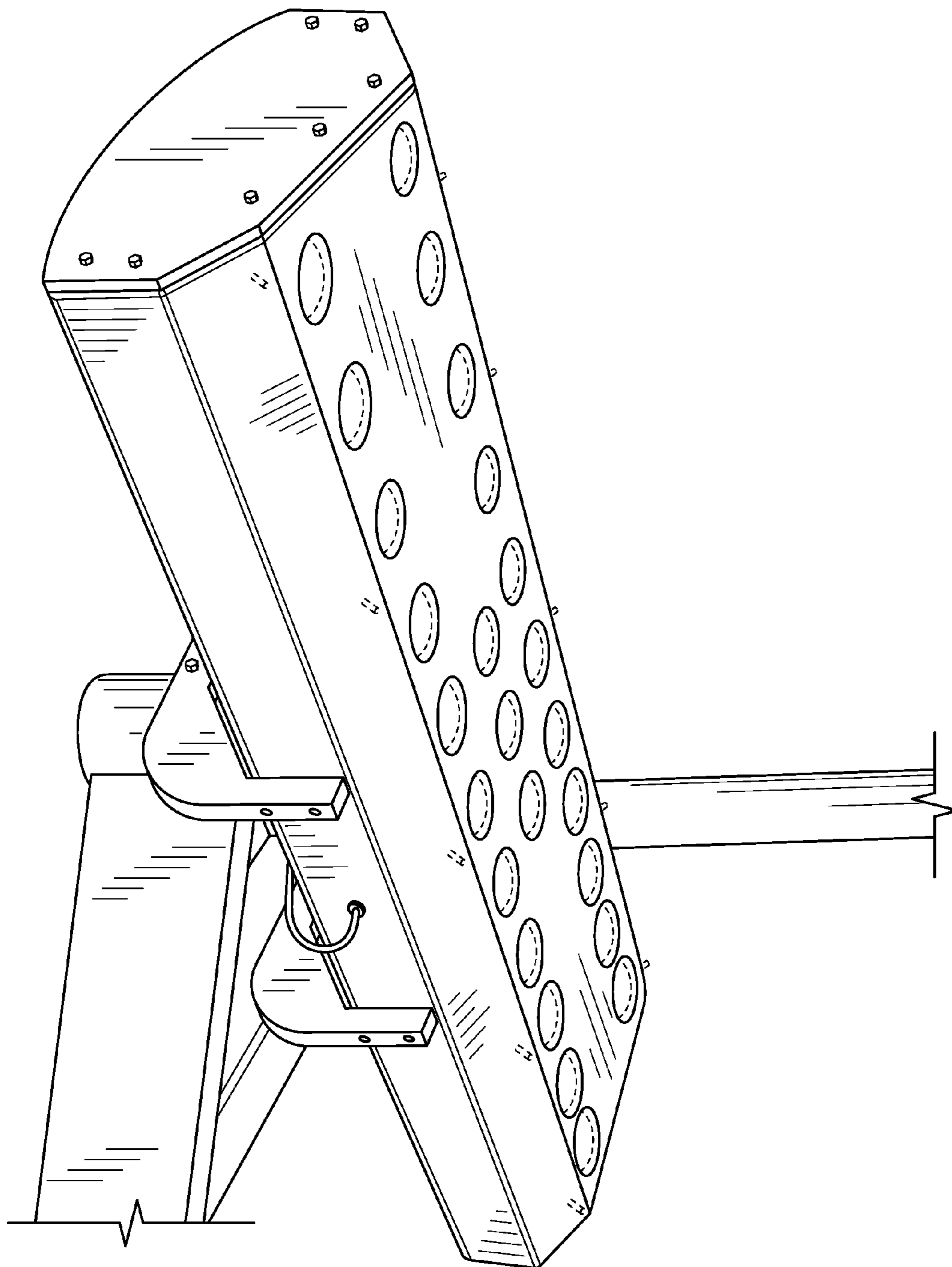


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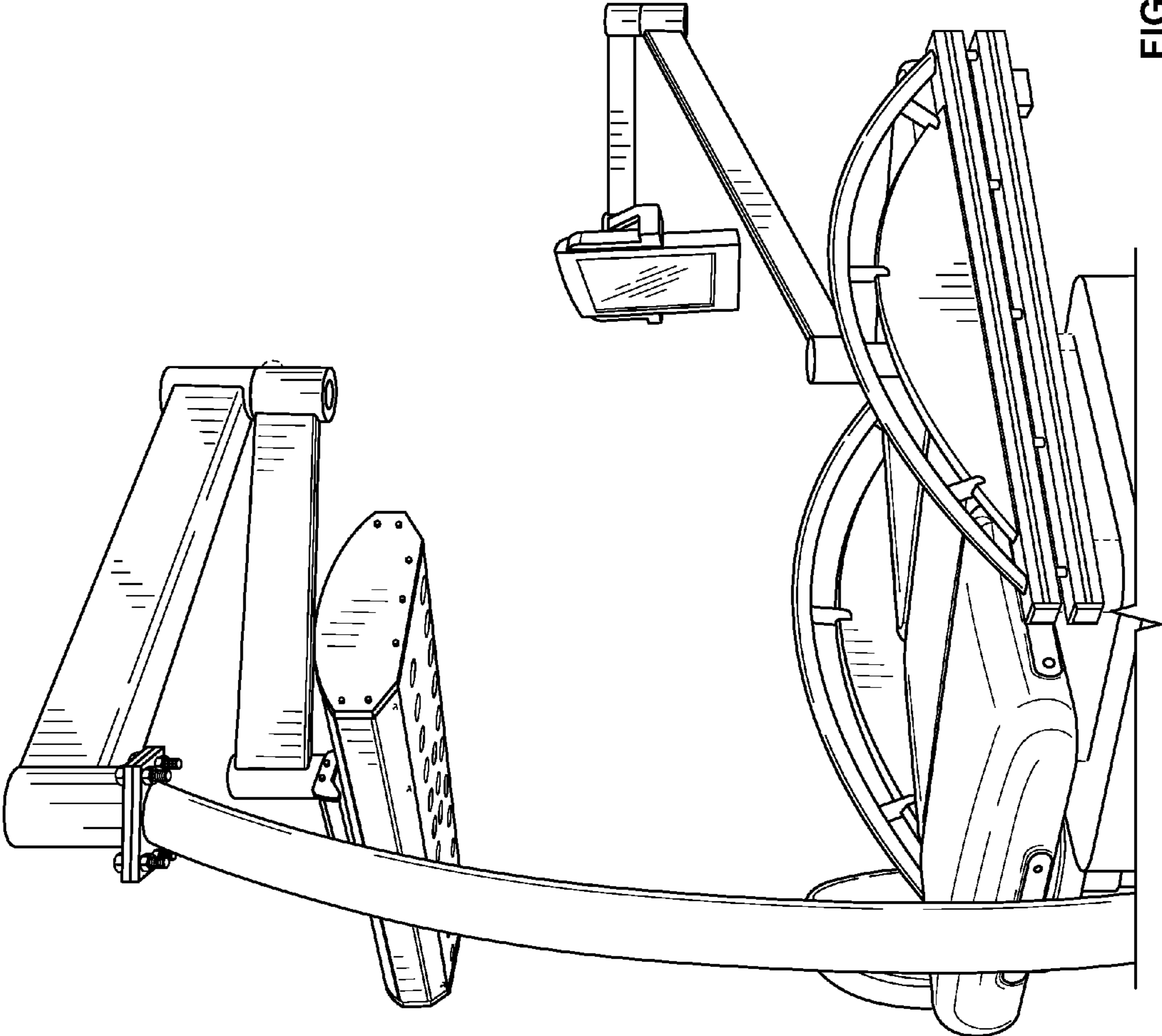


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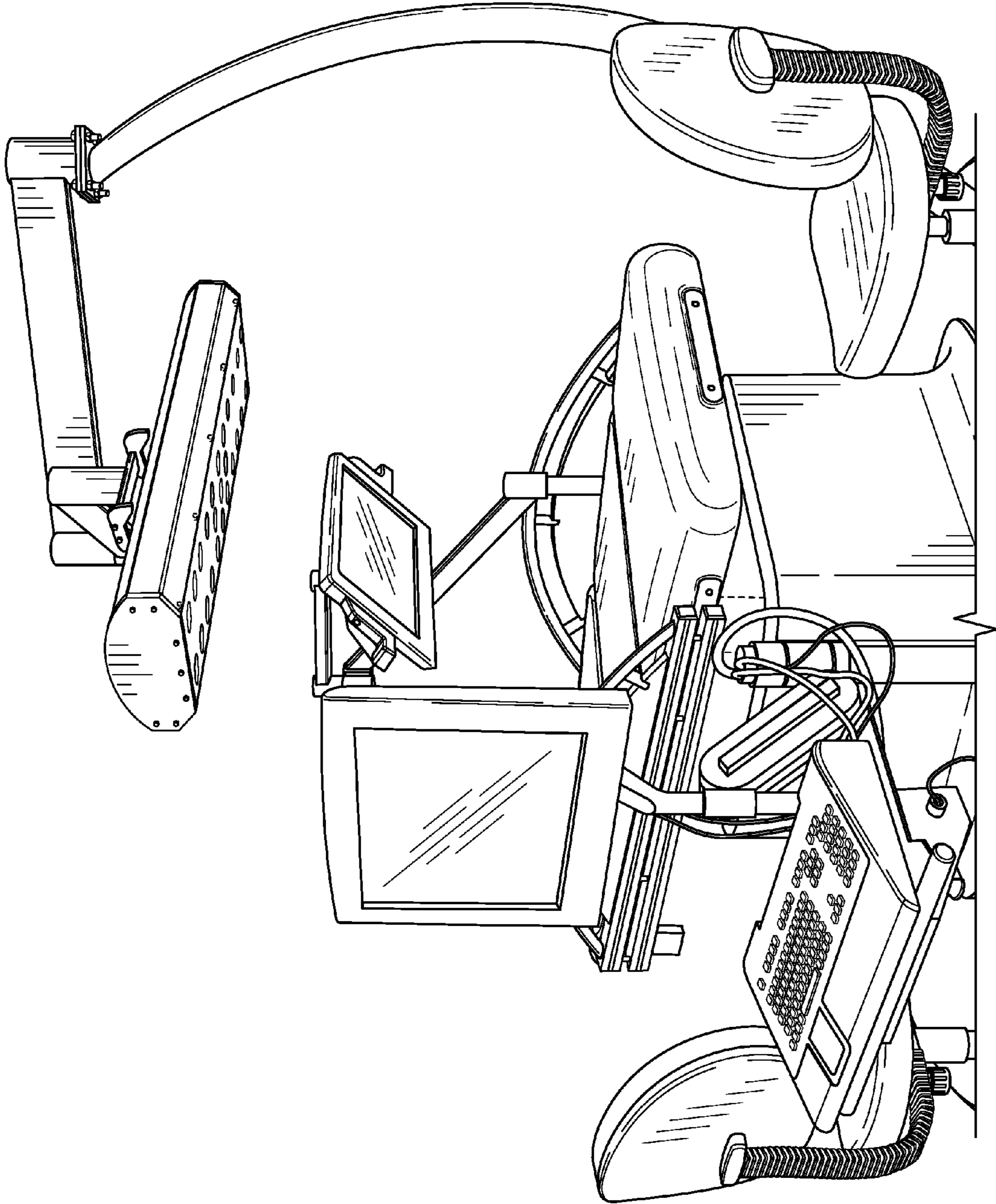


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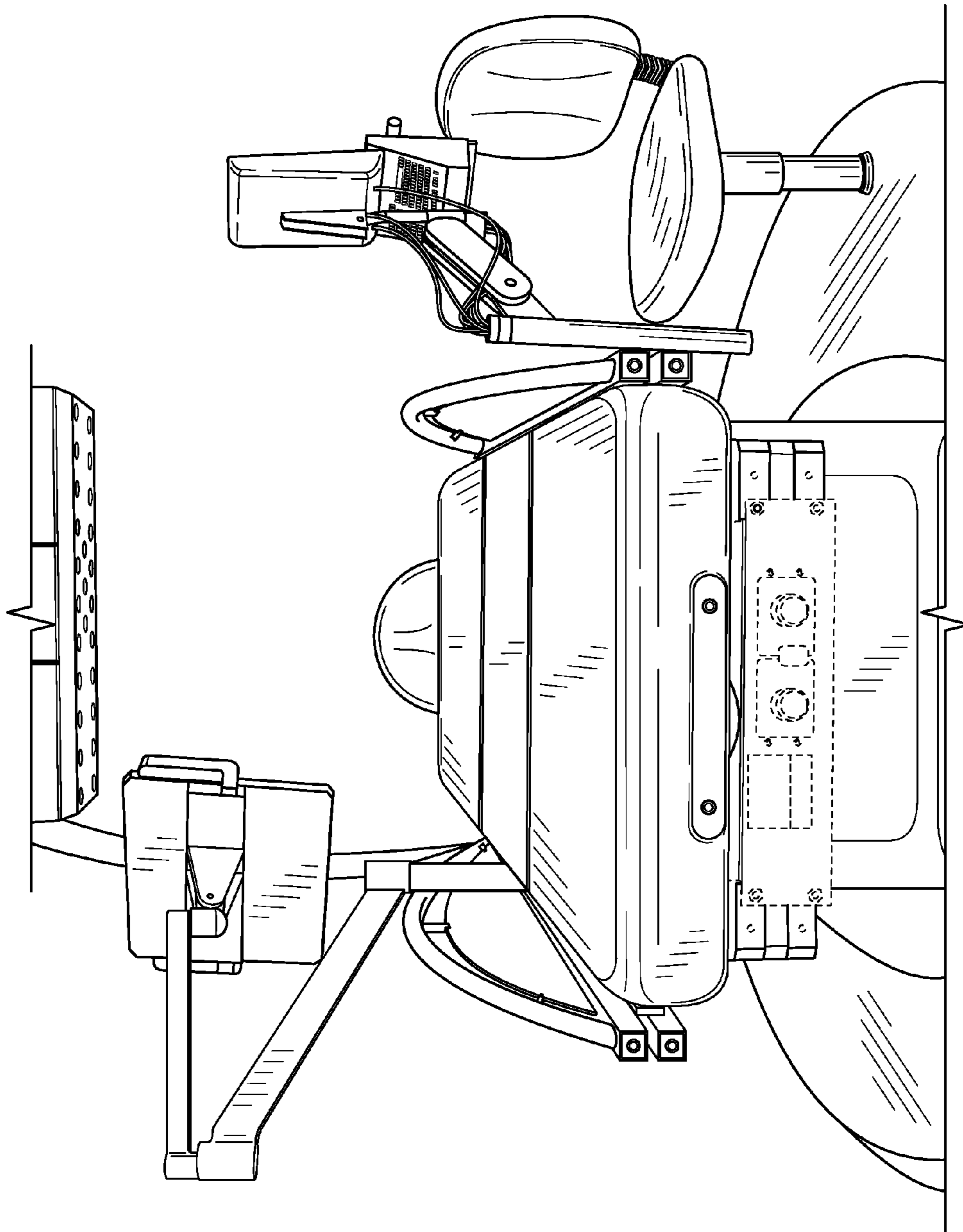


FIG. 7

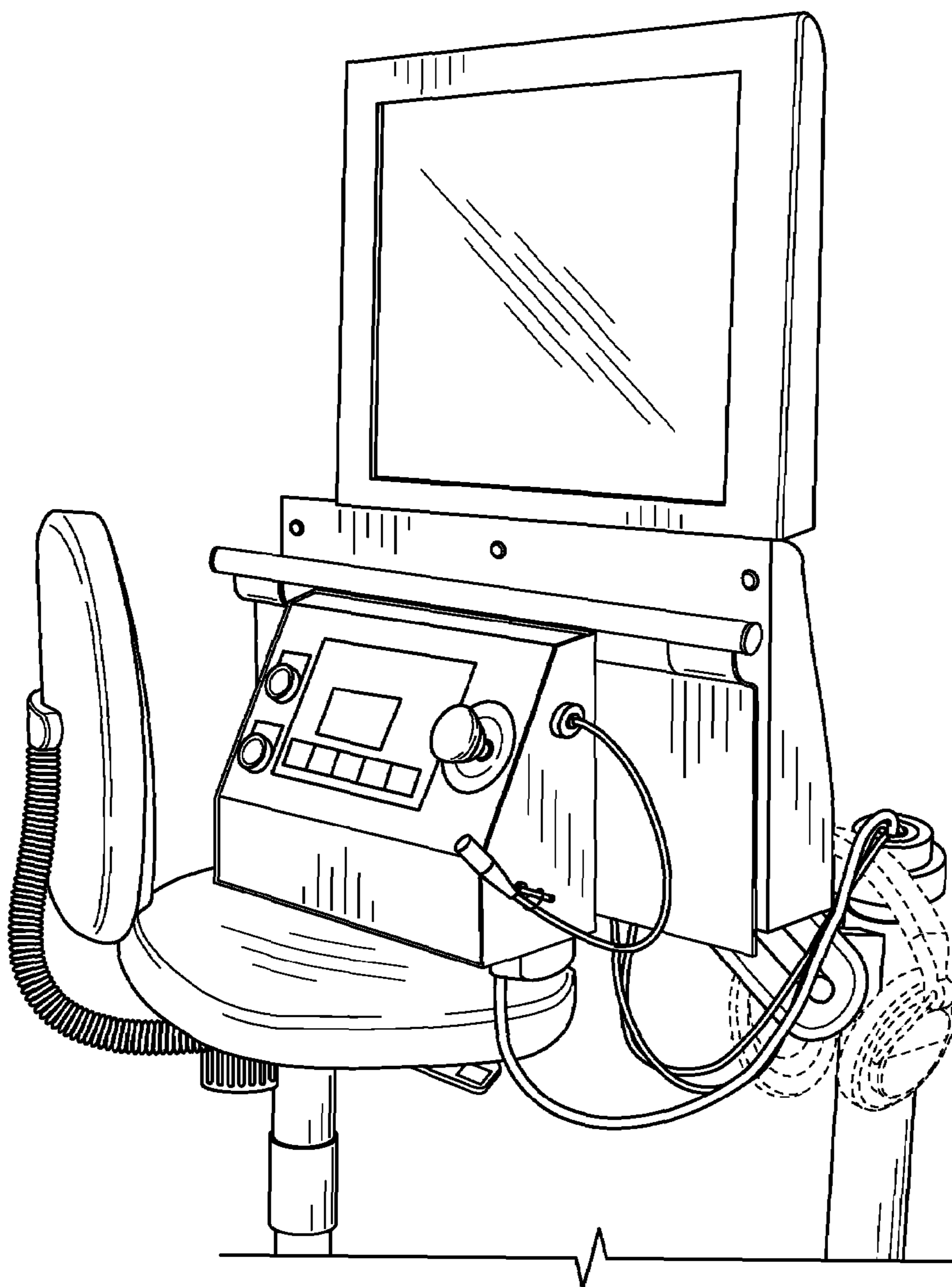


FIG. 8