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(54) **FLOOR CARE APPLIANCE UPPER PORTION**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a floor care appliance upper portion, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front right side perspective view of a floor care appliance upper portion which embodies our design;

FIG. 2 is a front view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a rear view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a left side view thereof;

FIG. 5 is a right side view thereof;

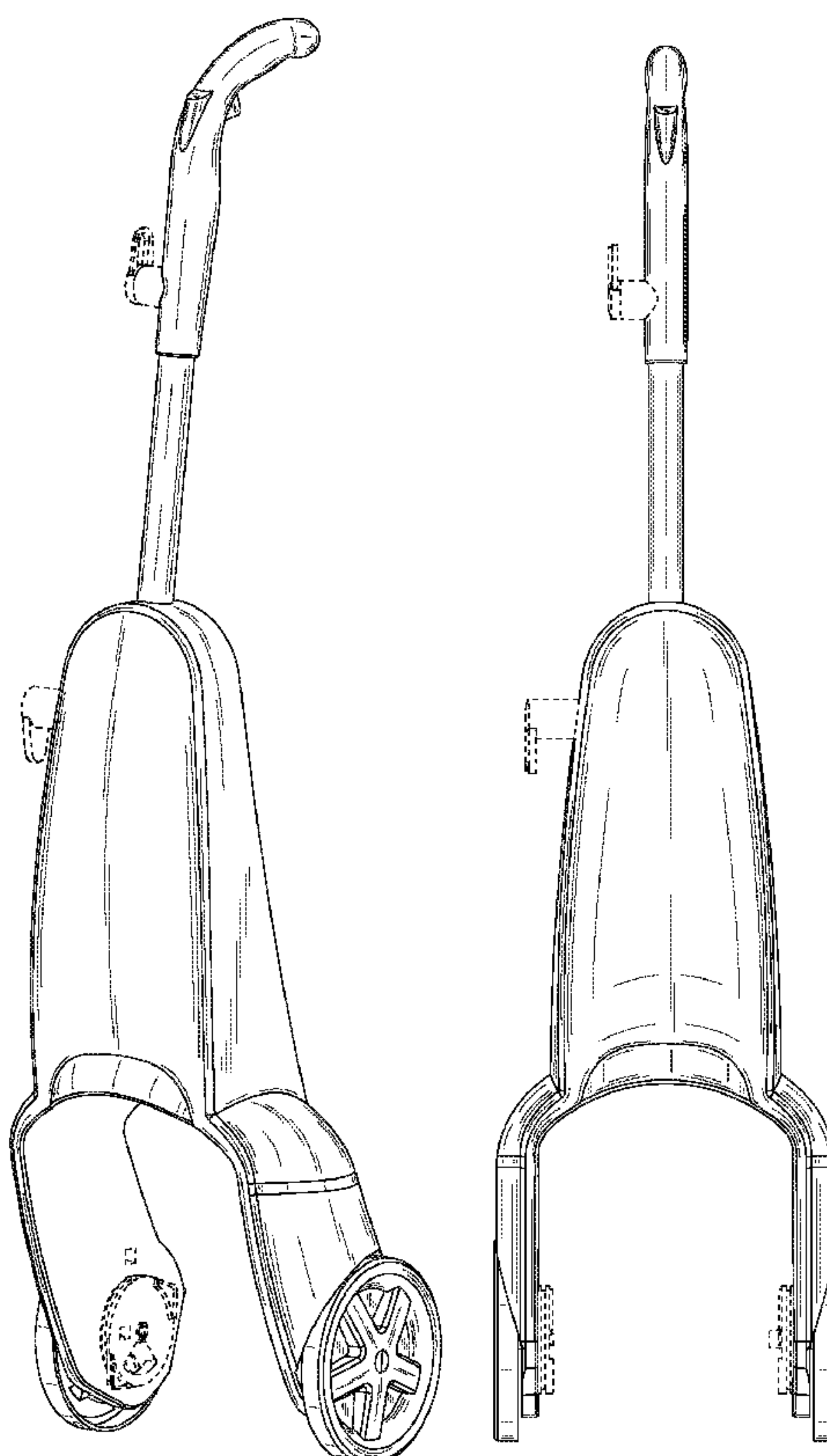
FIG. 6 is a top view thereof;

FIG. 7 is a bottom view thereof; and,

FIG. 8 is a rear left side perspective view.

The material in dotted lines forms no part of our design.

1 Claim, 6 Drawing Sheets



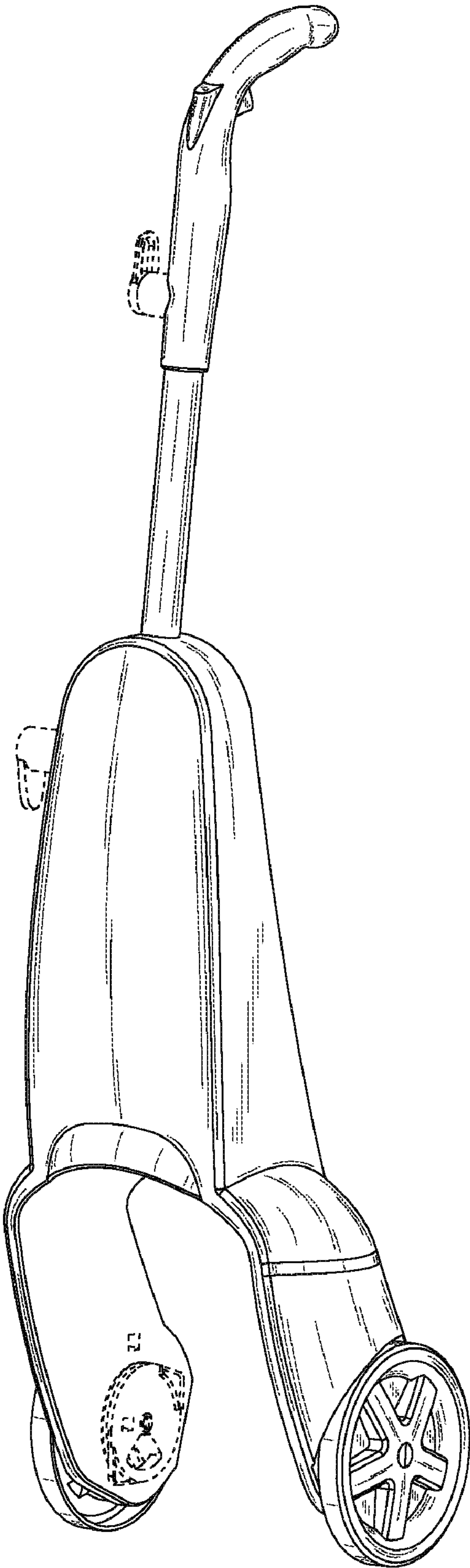


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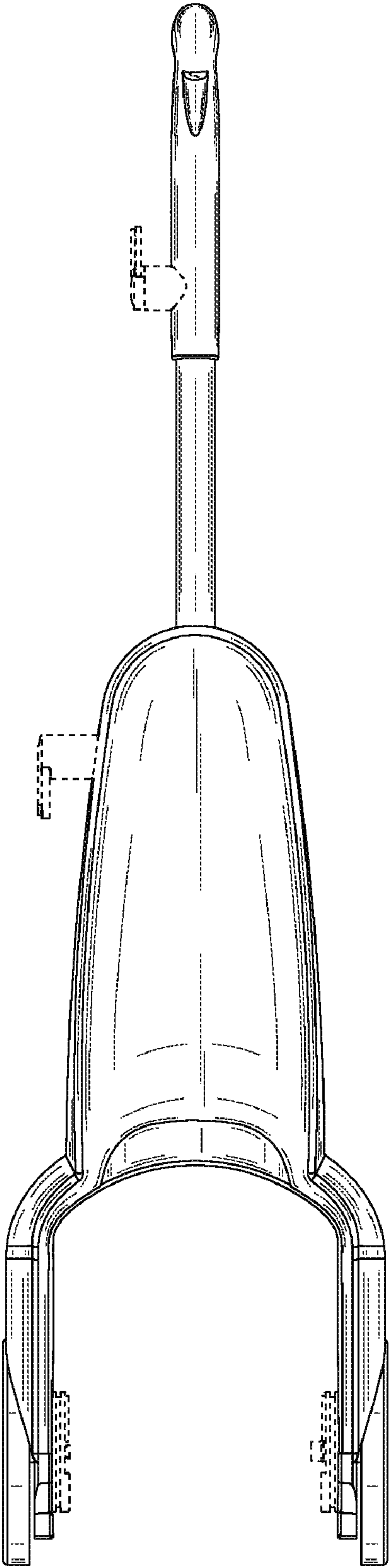


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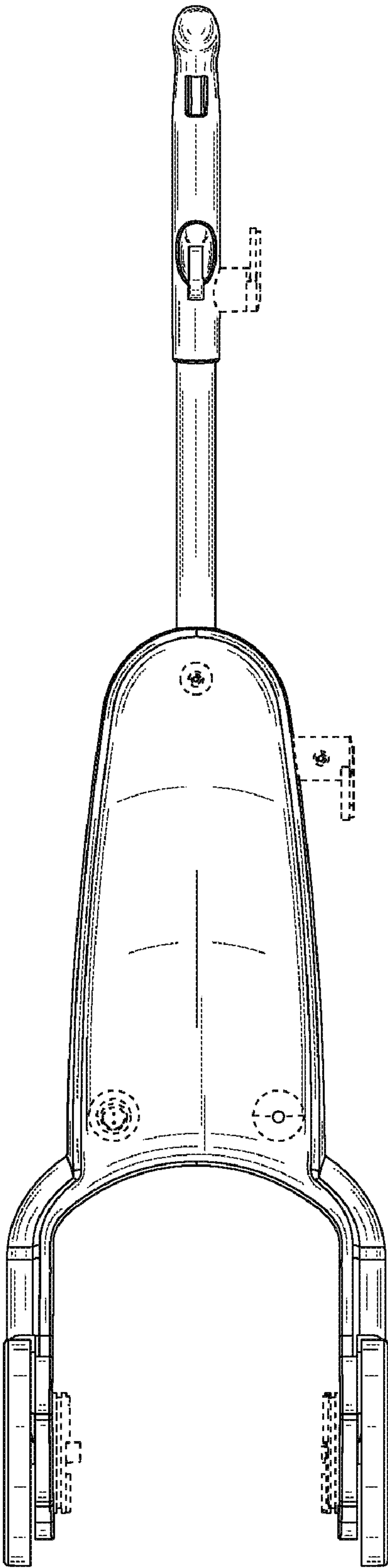


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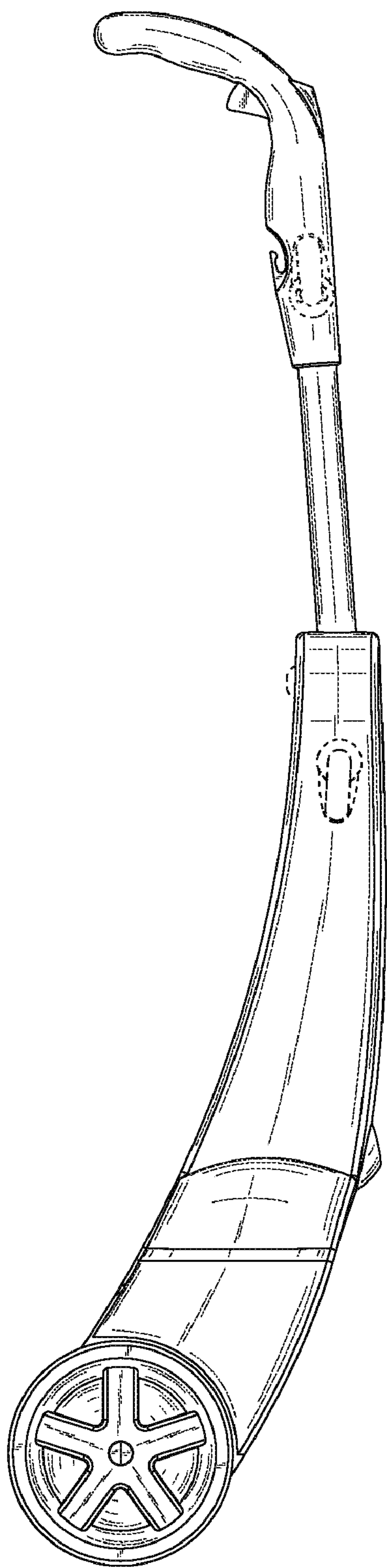


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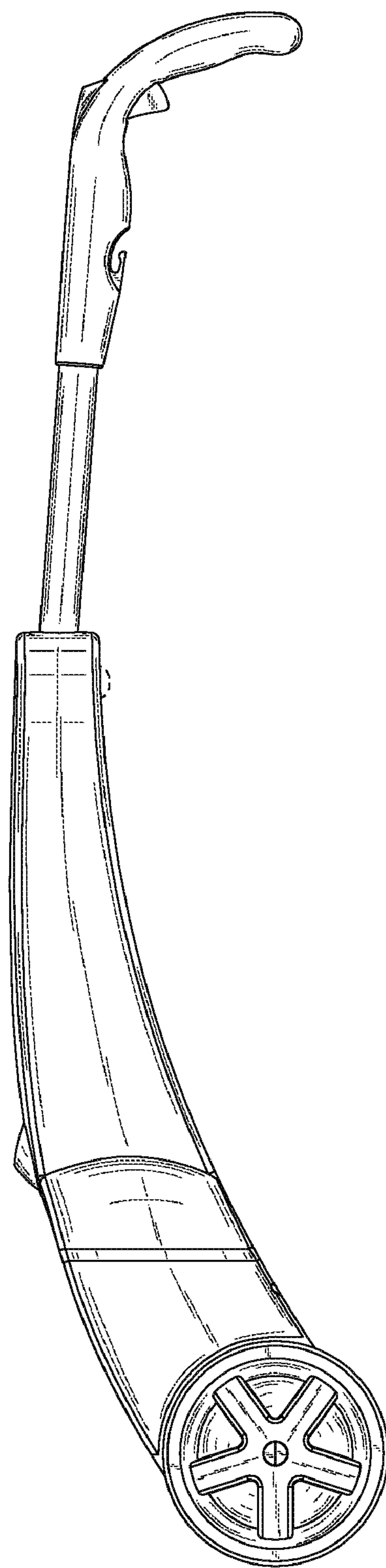


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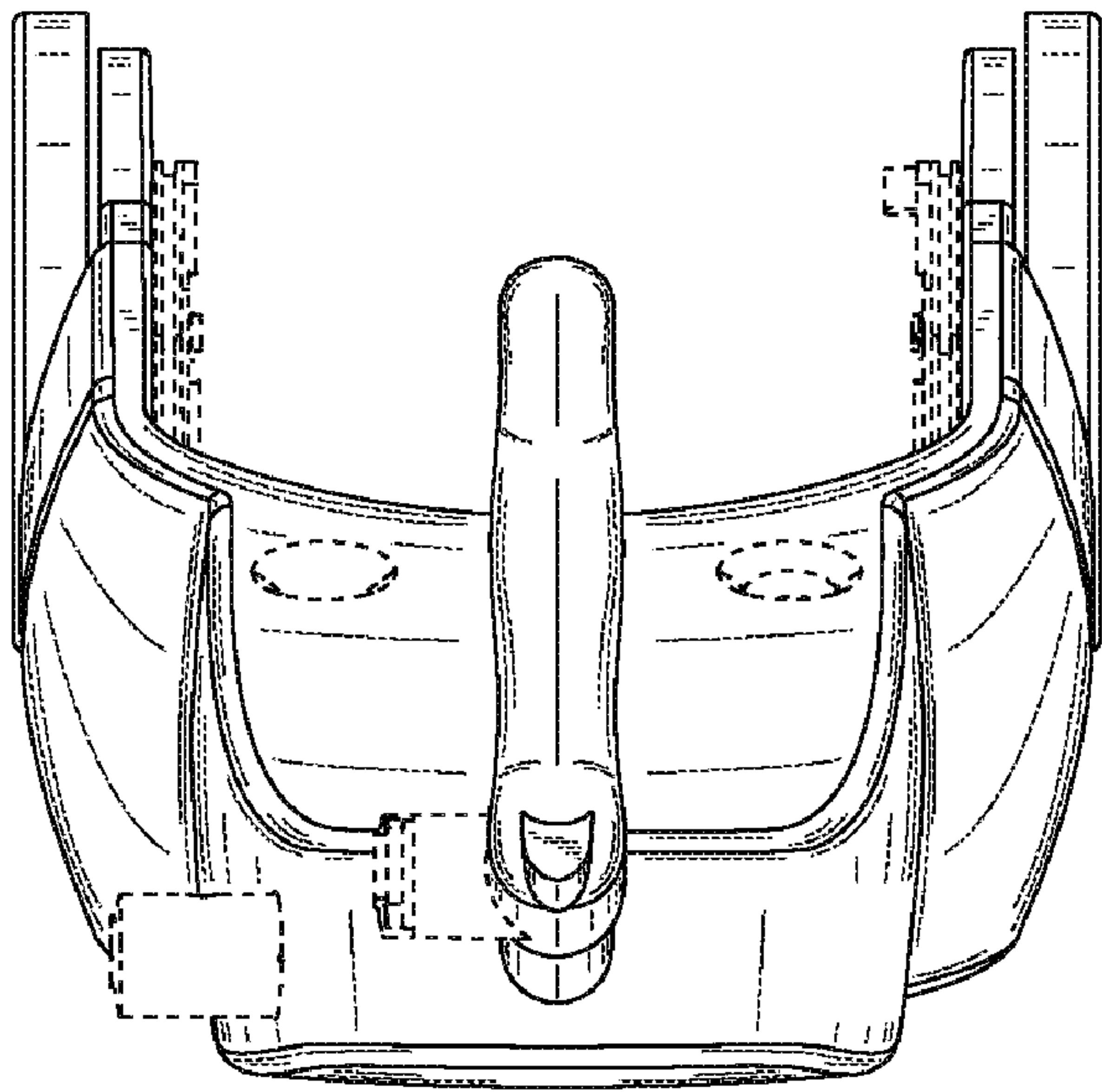


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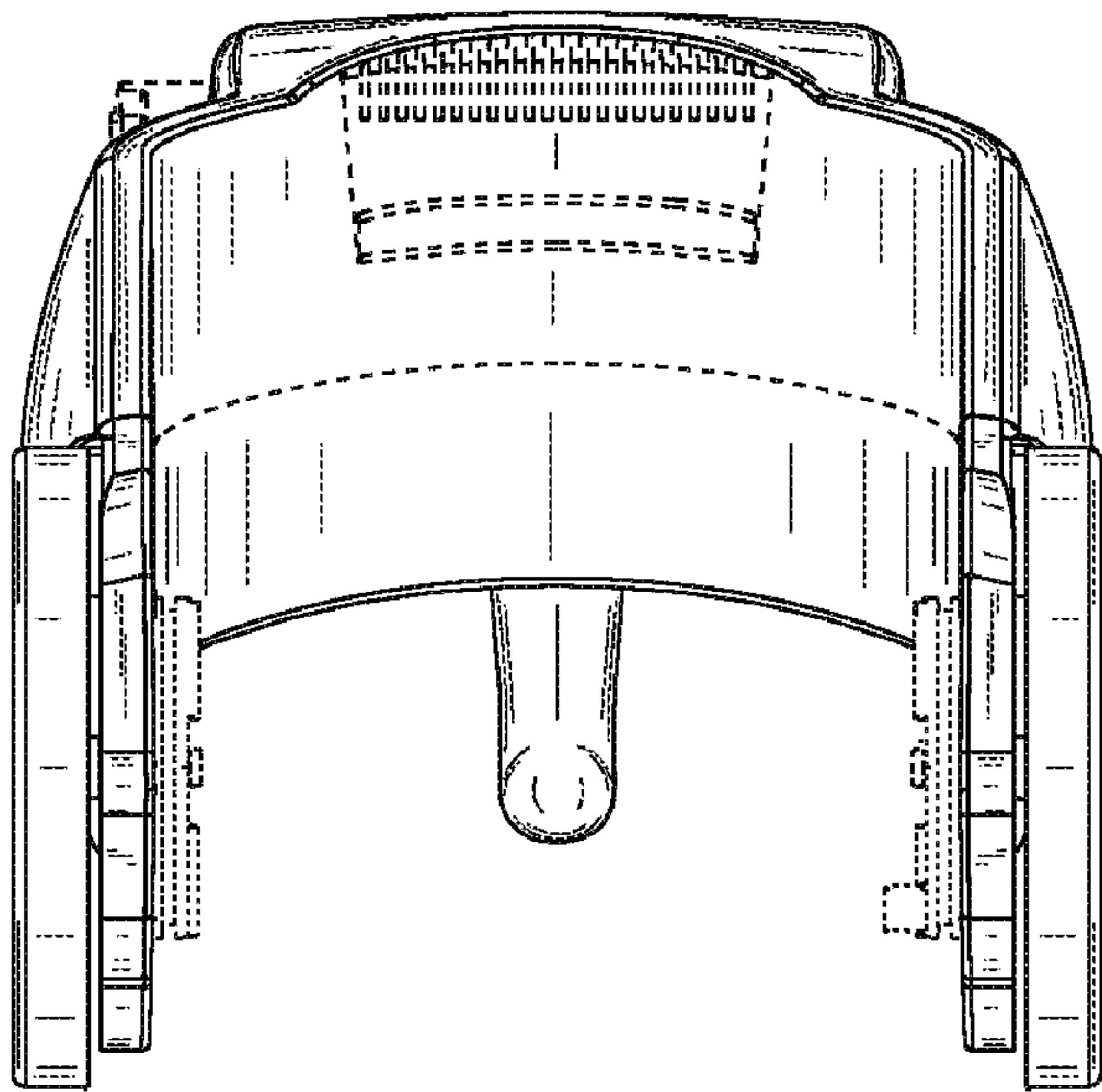


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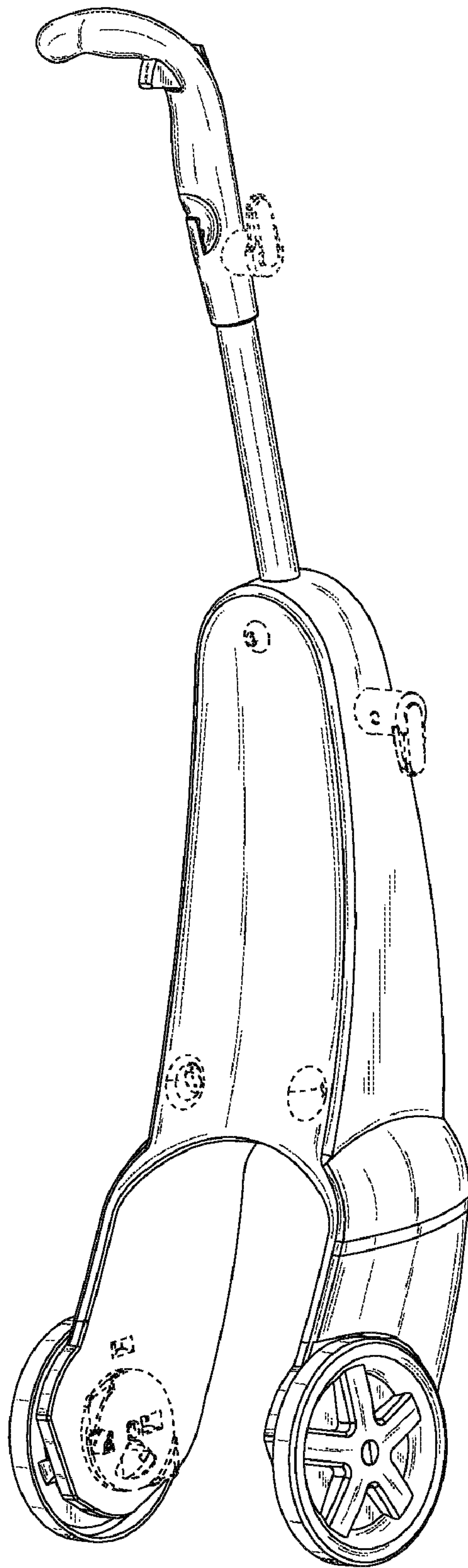


Fig. 8