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(57) **CLAIM**

What is claimed is an ornamental design for a tab, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a top plan view of the tab showing our new design; and,  
FIG. 2 is an enlarged top plan view of the tab of FIG. 1.  
The broken lines presented in FIGS. 1 and 2 are for environmental purposes only and form no part of the claimed design.

**1 Claim, 2 Drawing Sheets**



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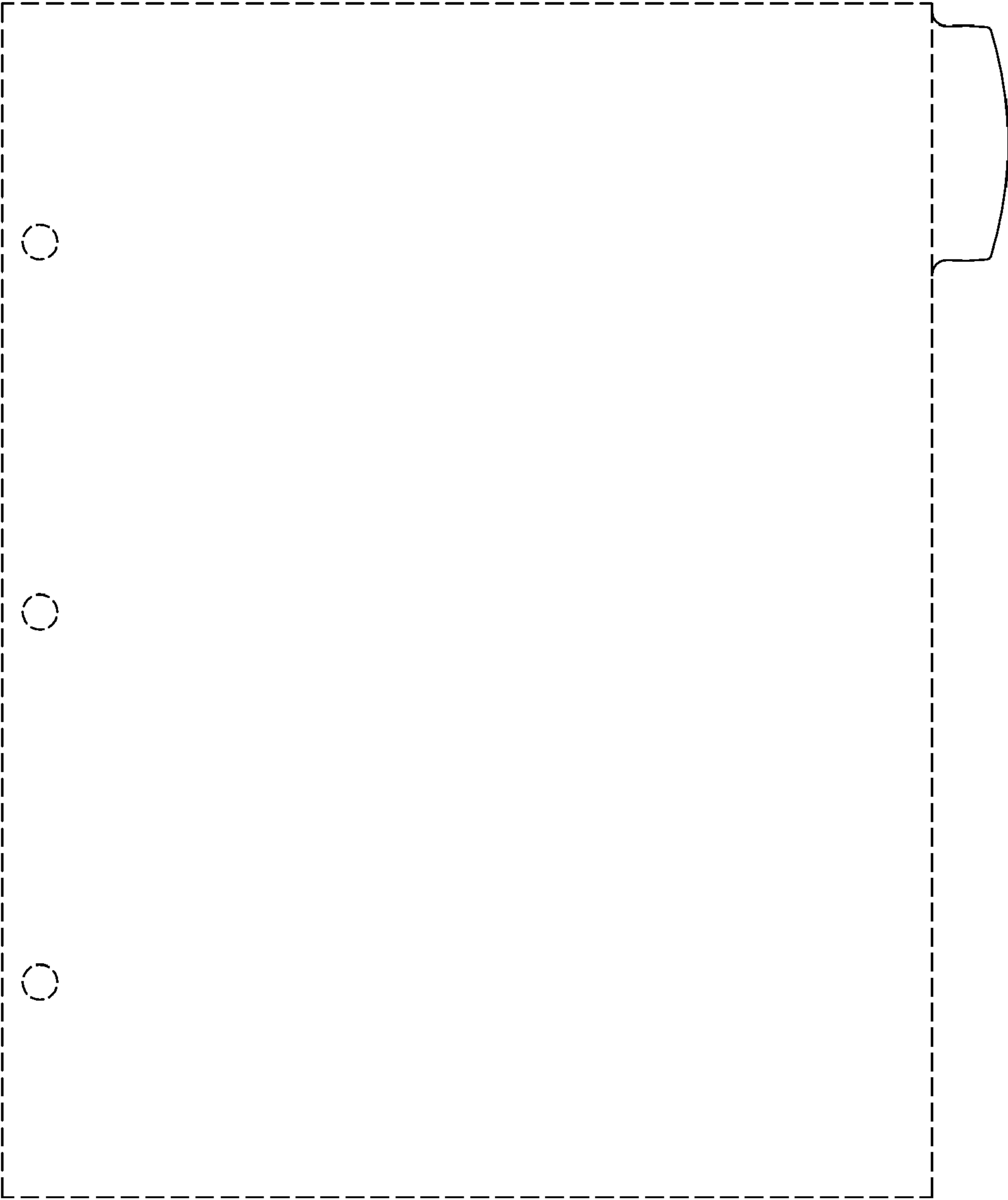


FIG. 1

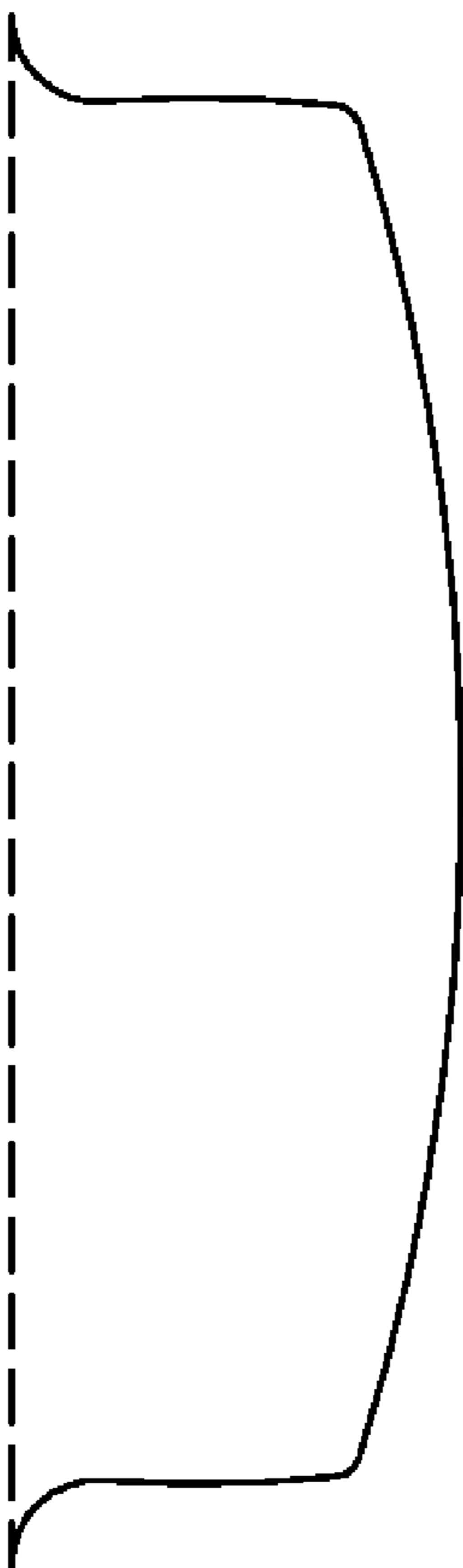


FIG. 2