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CLAIM

The ornamental design for a case, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is an isometric view of a case showing our new design.

FIG. 2 is a front view thereof.

FIG. 3 is a back view thereof.

FIG. 4 is a left side view thereof.

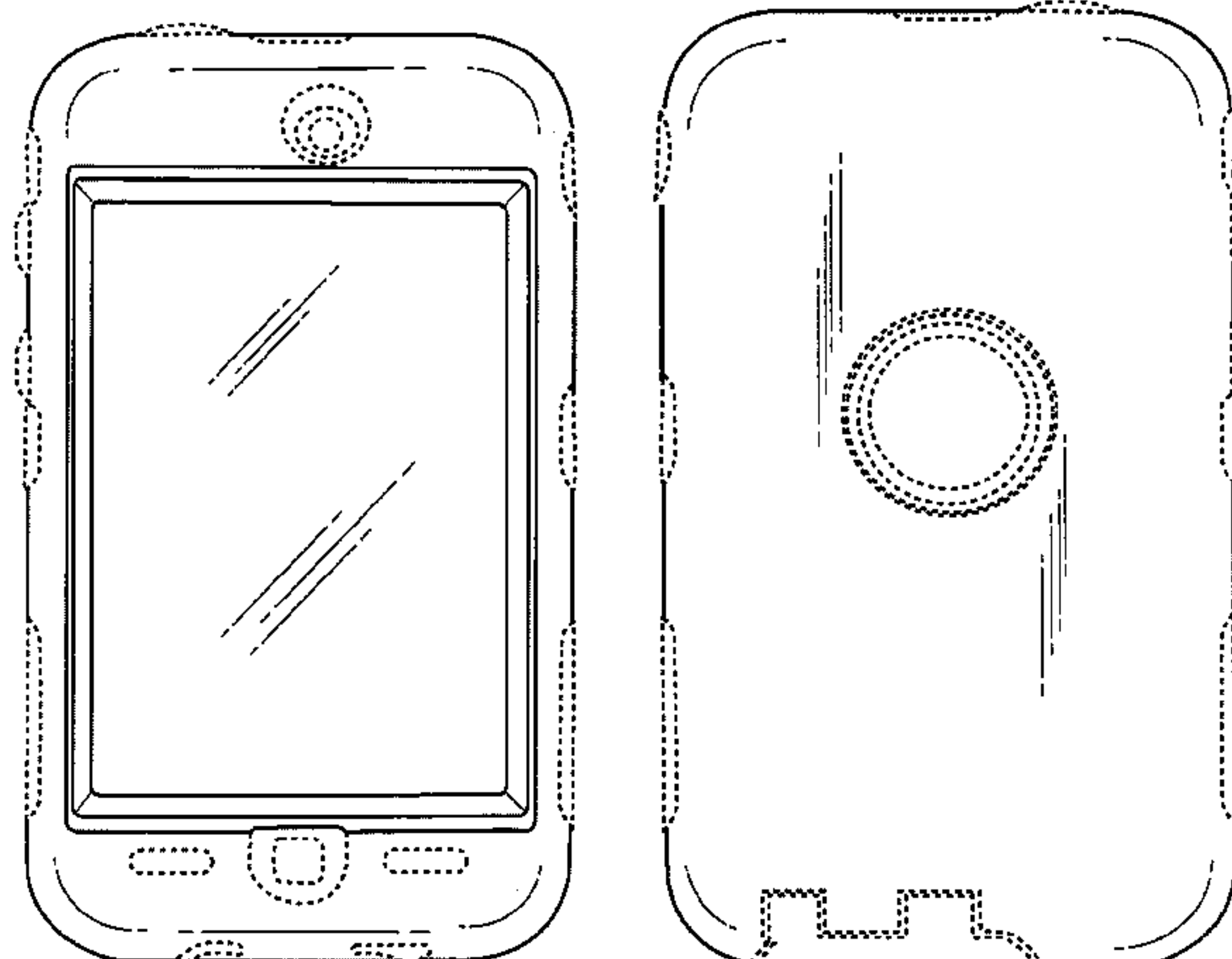
FIG. 5 is a right side view thereof.

FIG. 6 is a top view thereof; and,

FIG. 7 is a bottom view thereof.

The broken line portions of the disclosure are for illustrative purposes only and form no part of the claimed design.

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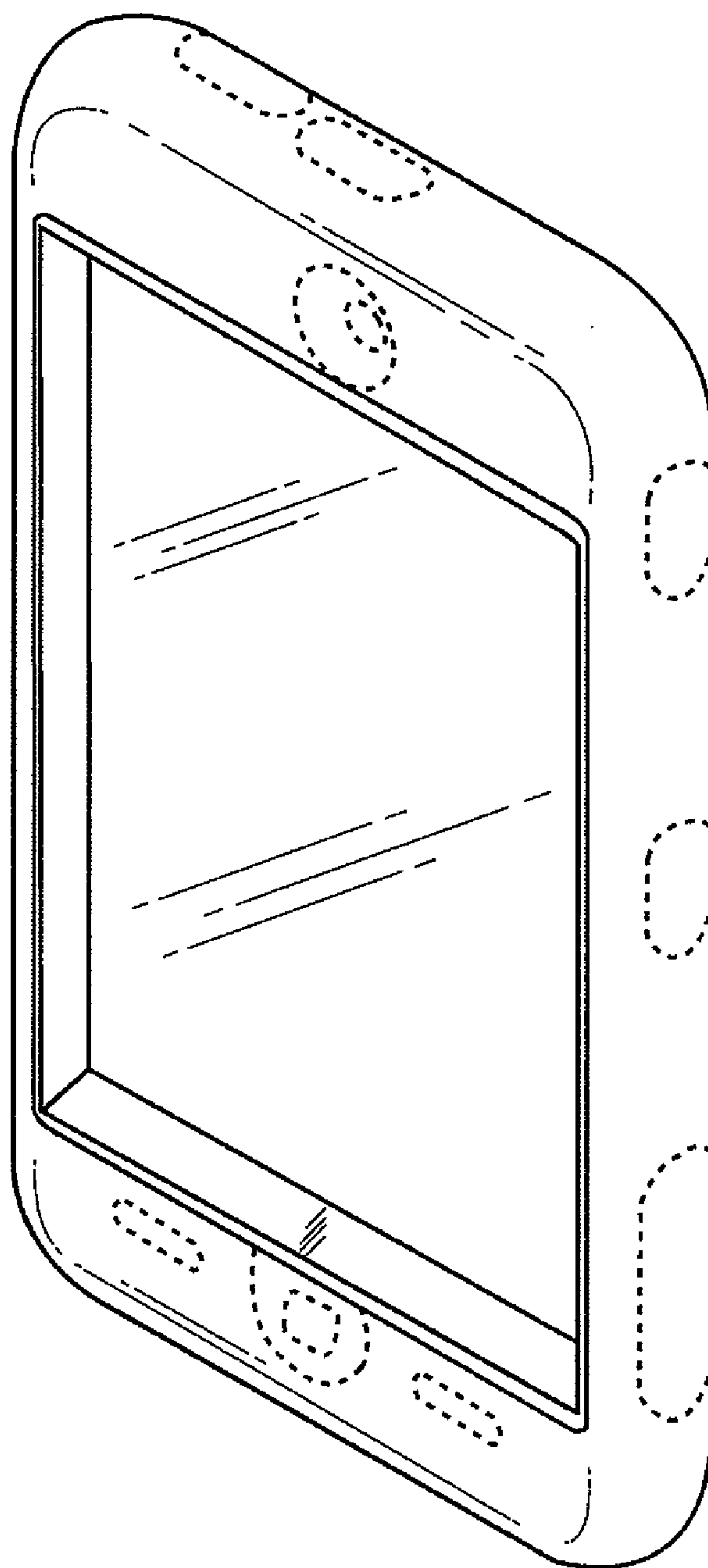


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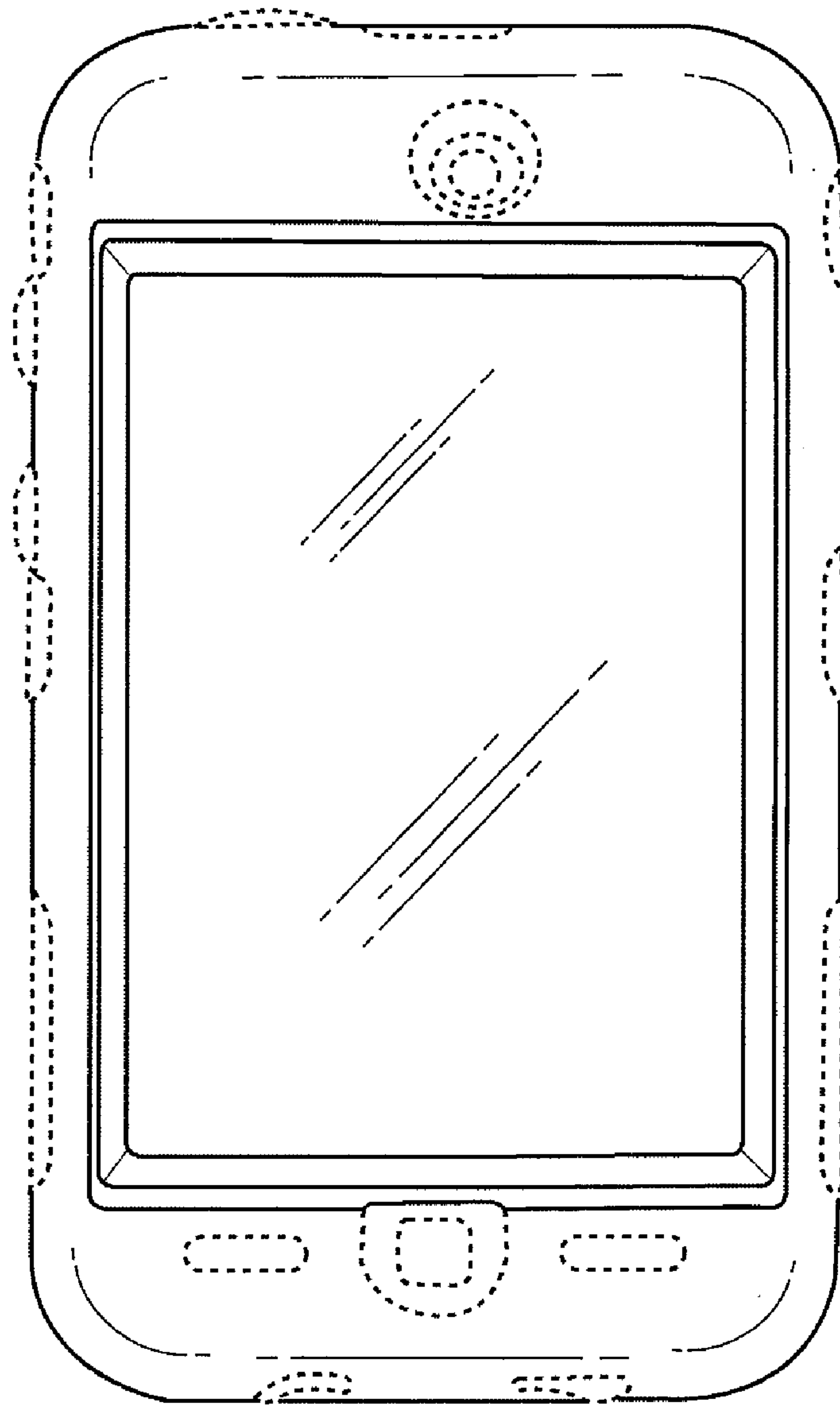


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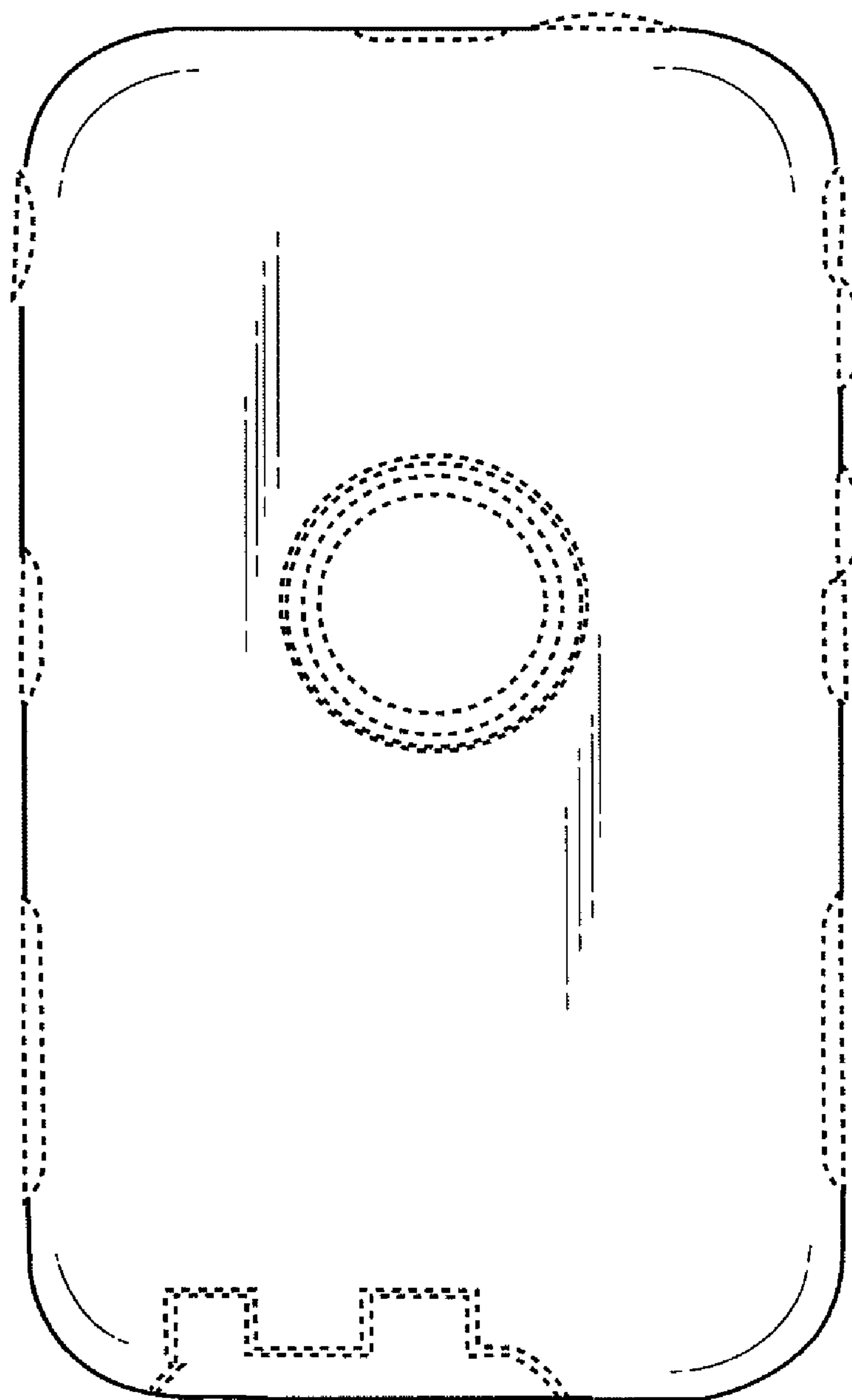


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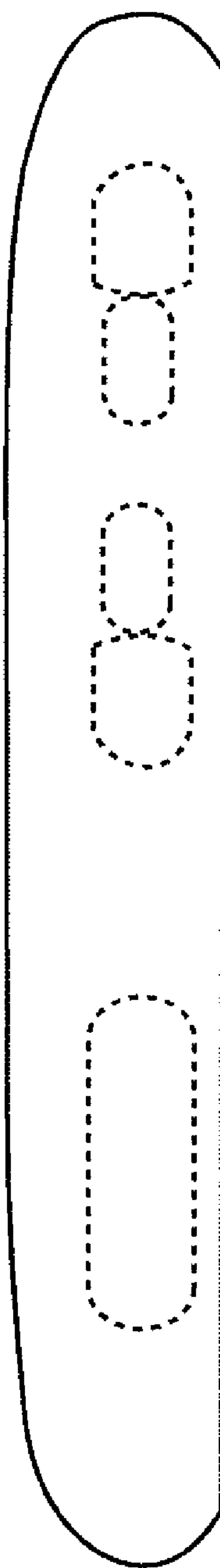


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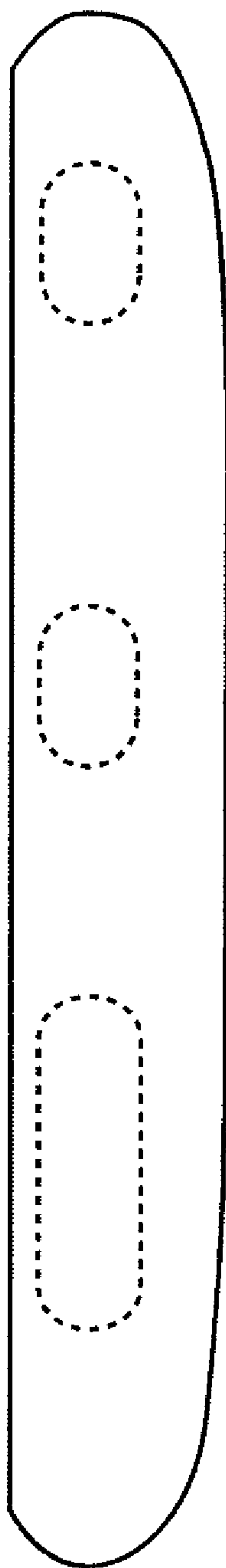


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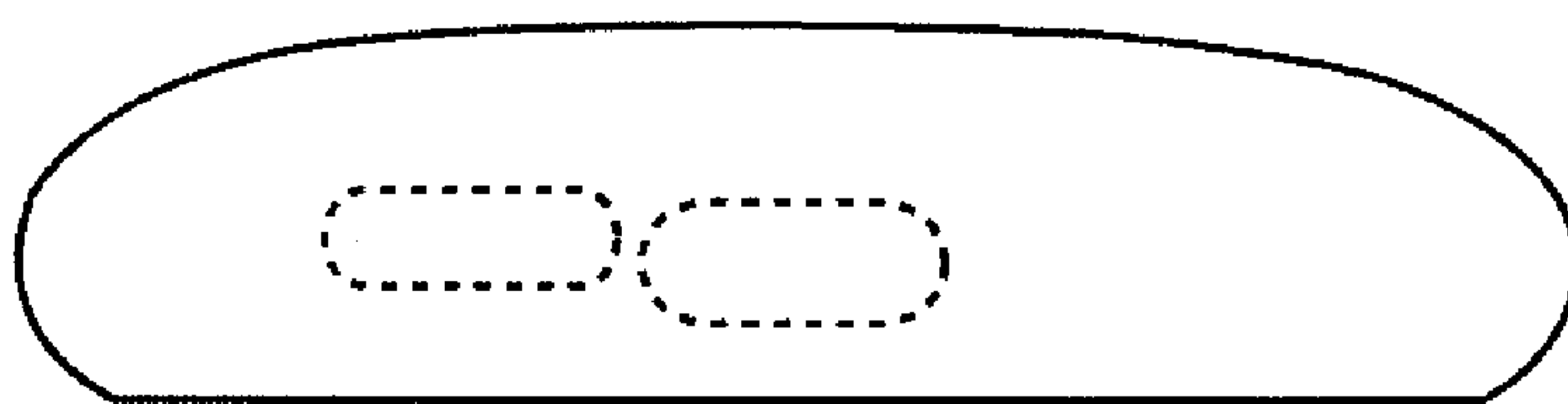


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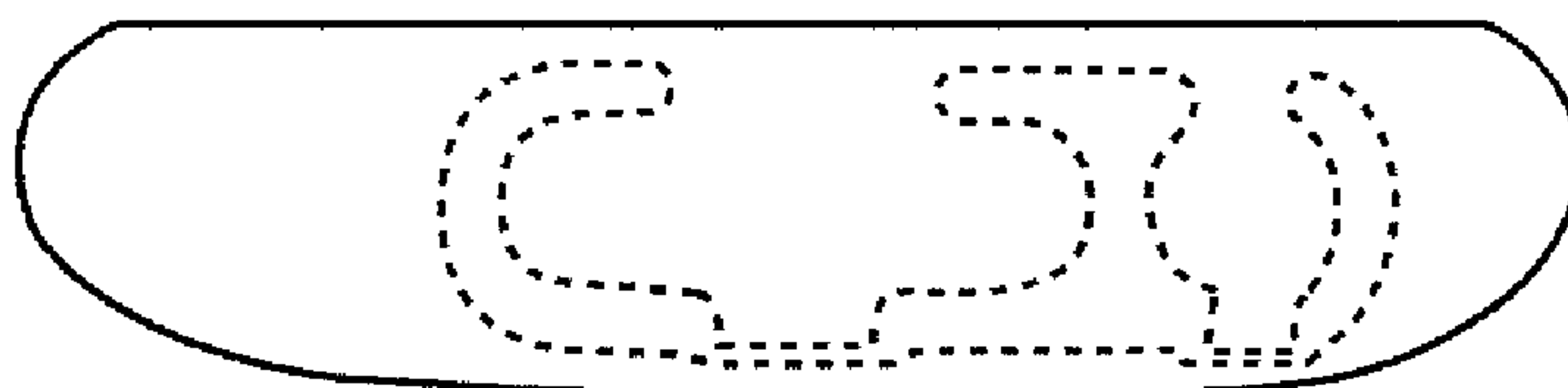


FIG. 7