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(57) **CLAIM**

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

**DESCRIPTION**

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

FIG. 2 is a rear isometric view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a front view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a rear view thereof;

FIG. 5 is a left view thereof;

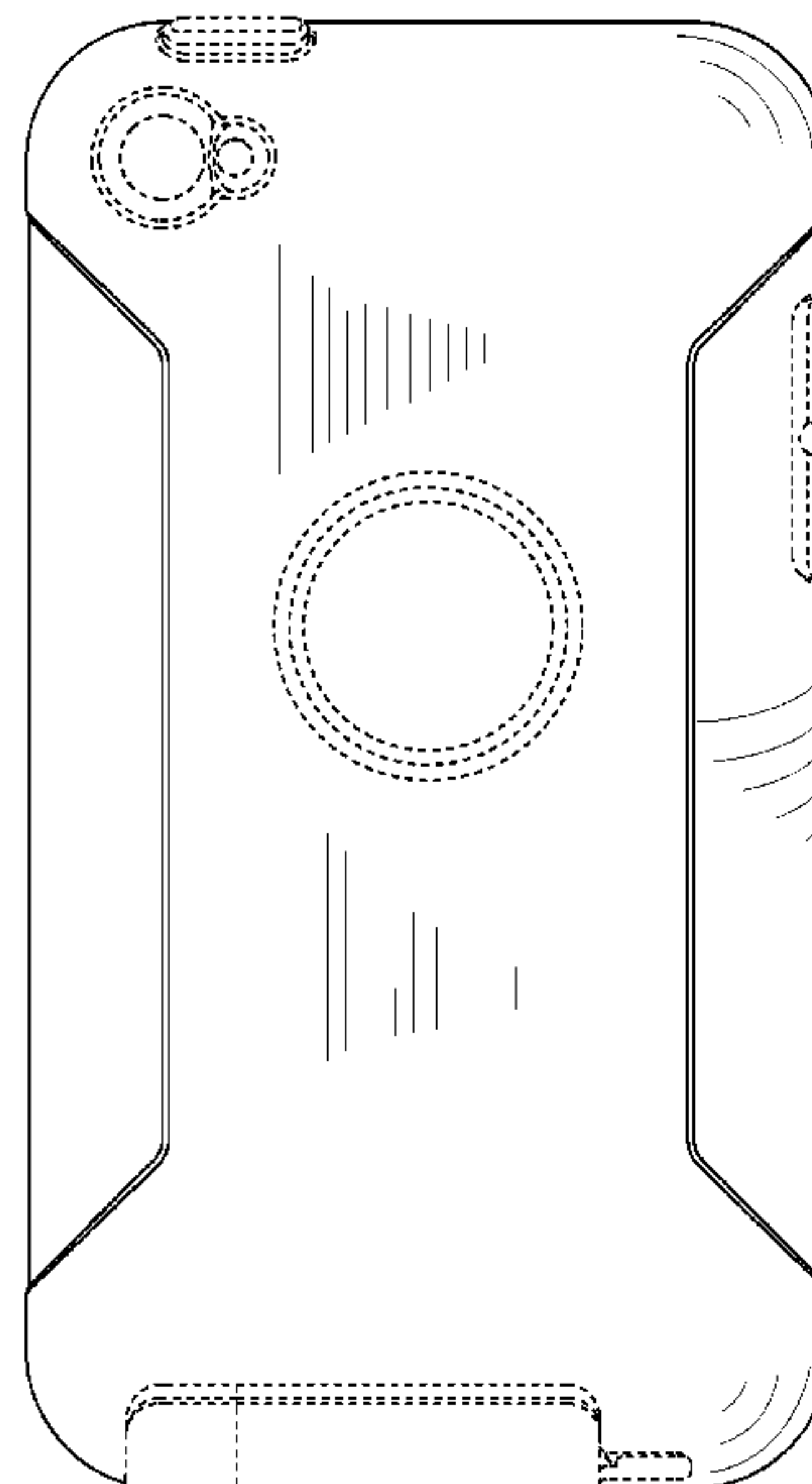
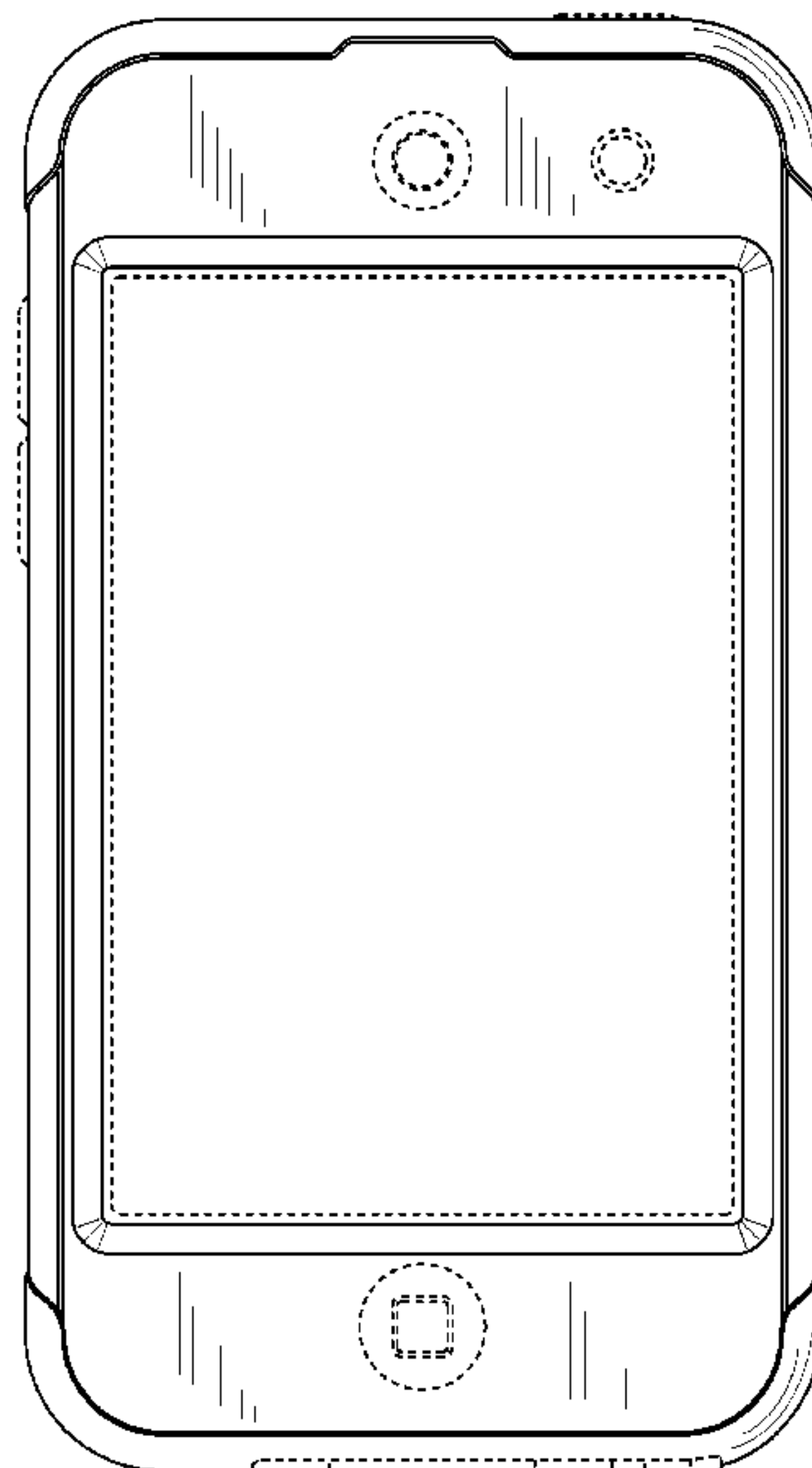
FIG. 6 is a right view thereof;

FIG. 7 is a top view thereof; and,

FIG. 8 is a bottom view thereof.

The broken line perimeter of the large unshaded rectangular region on the front of the case in FIGS. 1 and 3 represents a boundary of the claimed design. All other broken lines depict unclaimed environment. The broken lines and unshaded regions bounded by broken lines form no part of the claimed design.

**1 Claim, 6 Drawing Sheets**



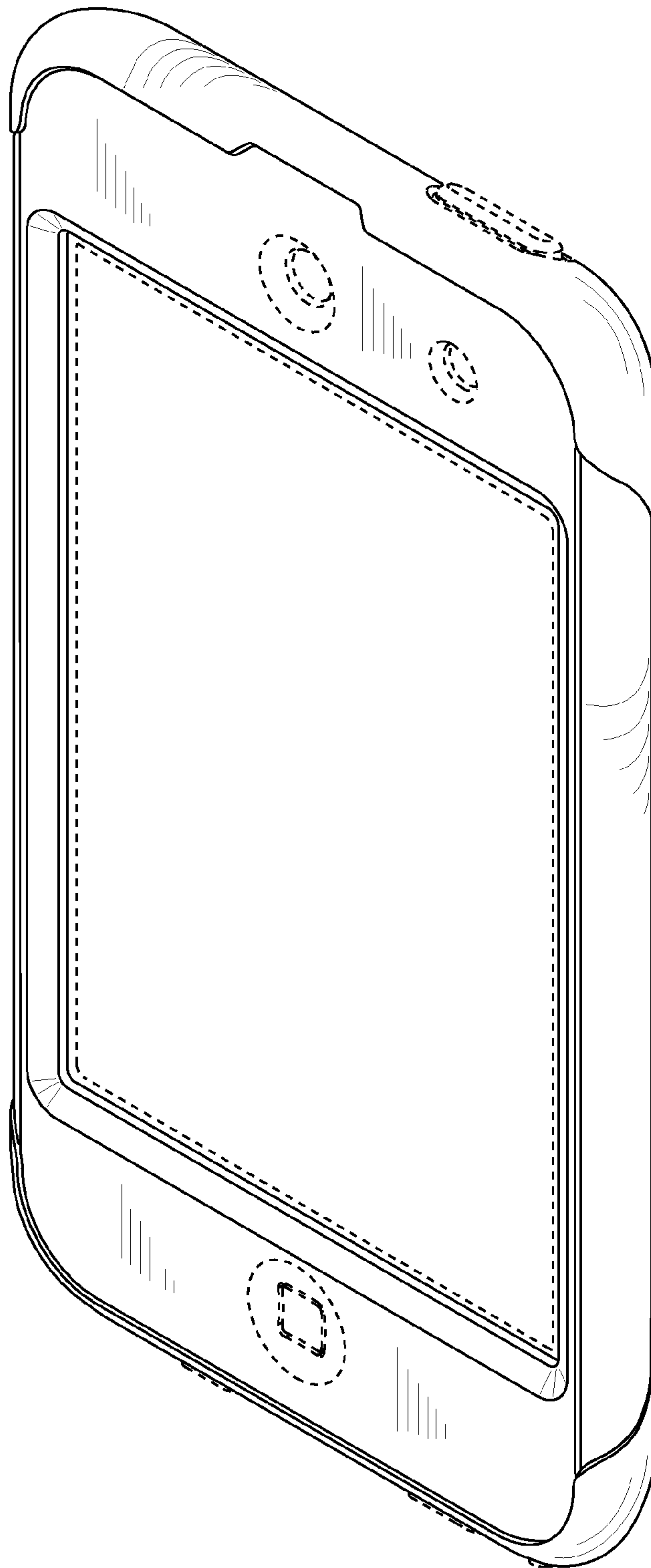


FIG. 1

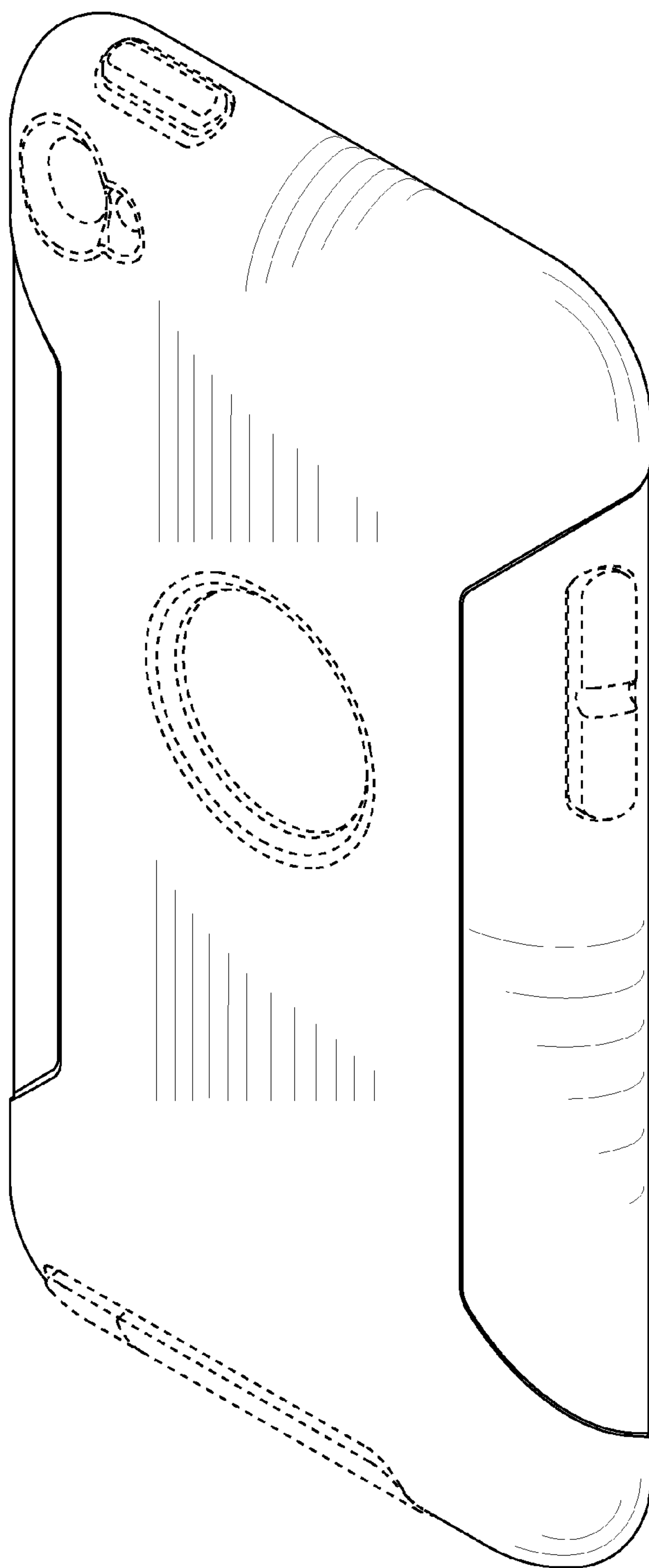


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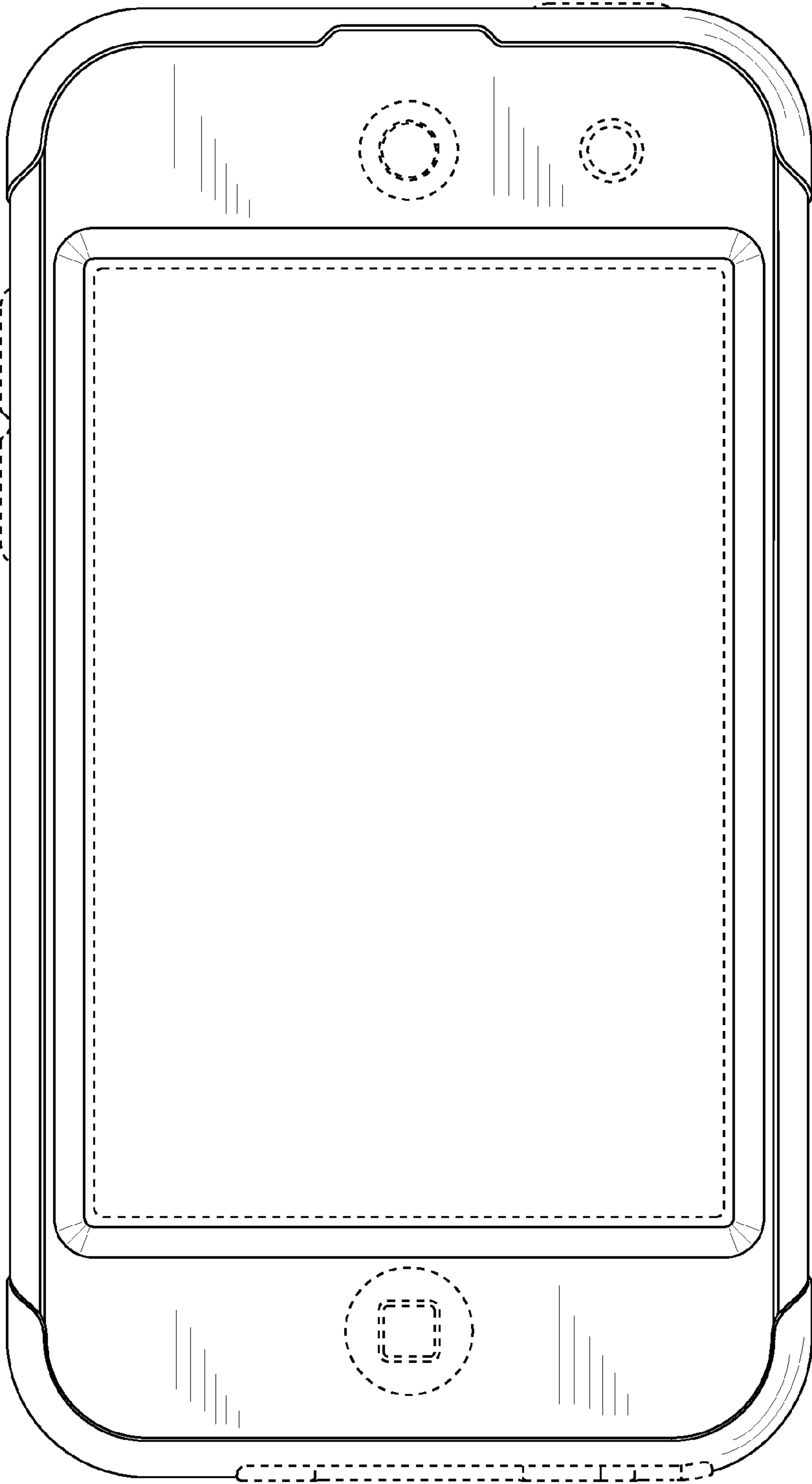


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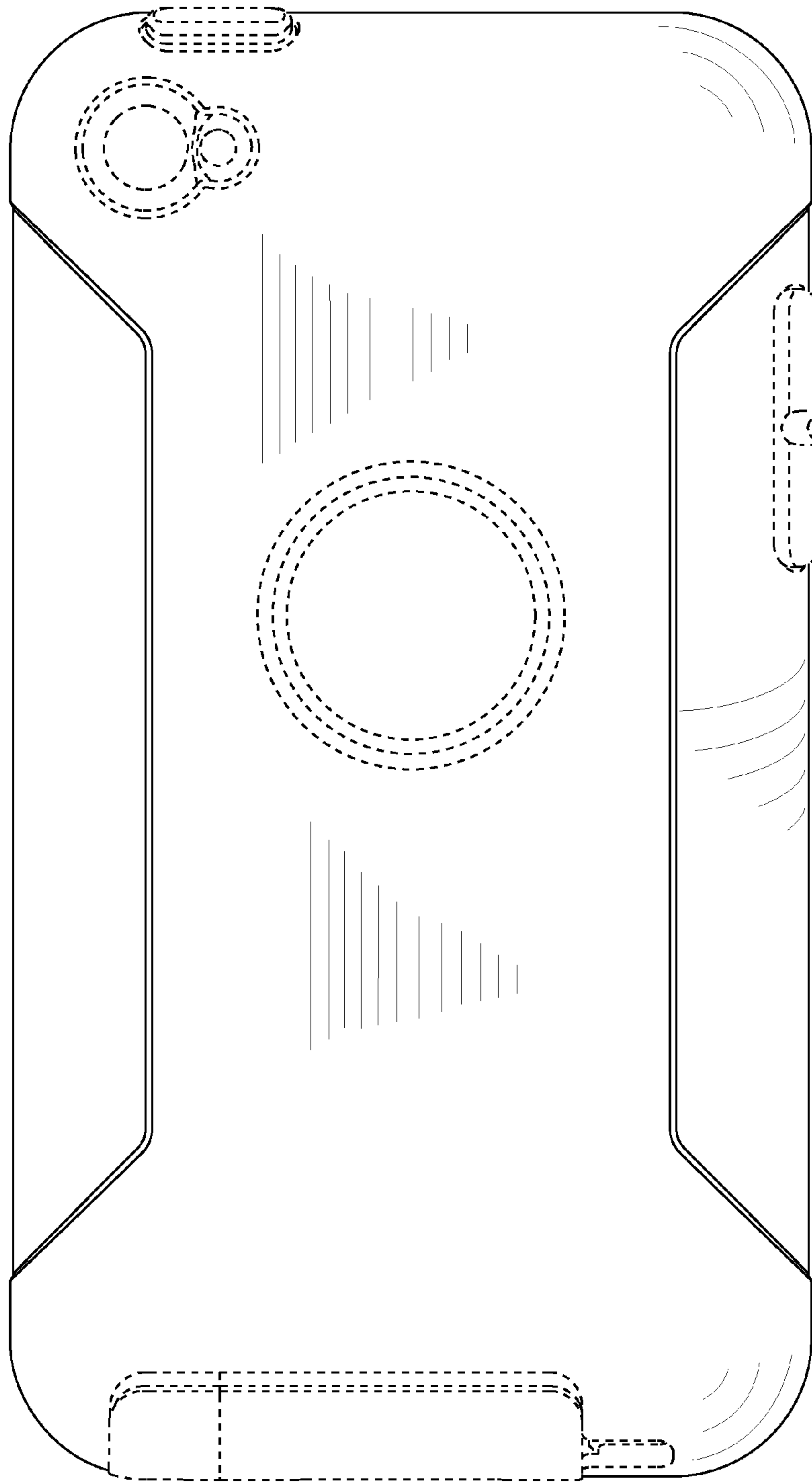


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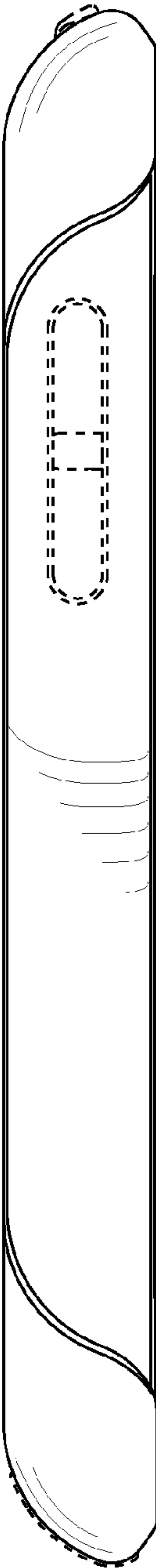


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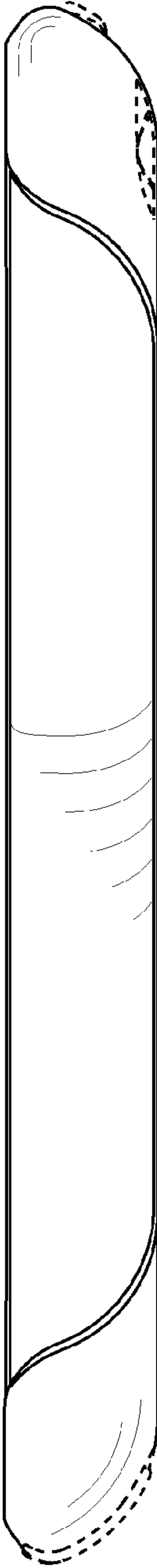


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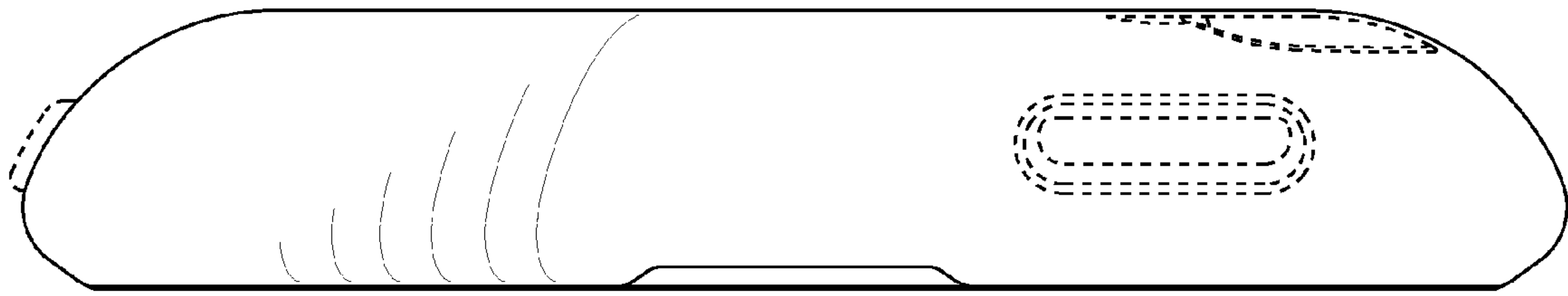


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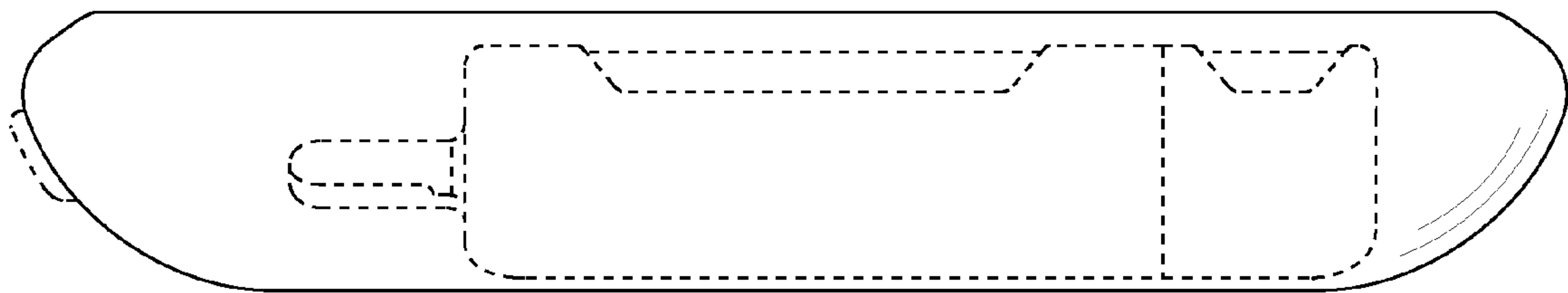


FIG. 8