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(54) **CHILD SAFETY SEAT**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a child safety seat, as shown and described.

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**DESCRIPTION**

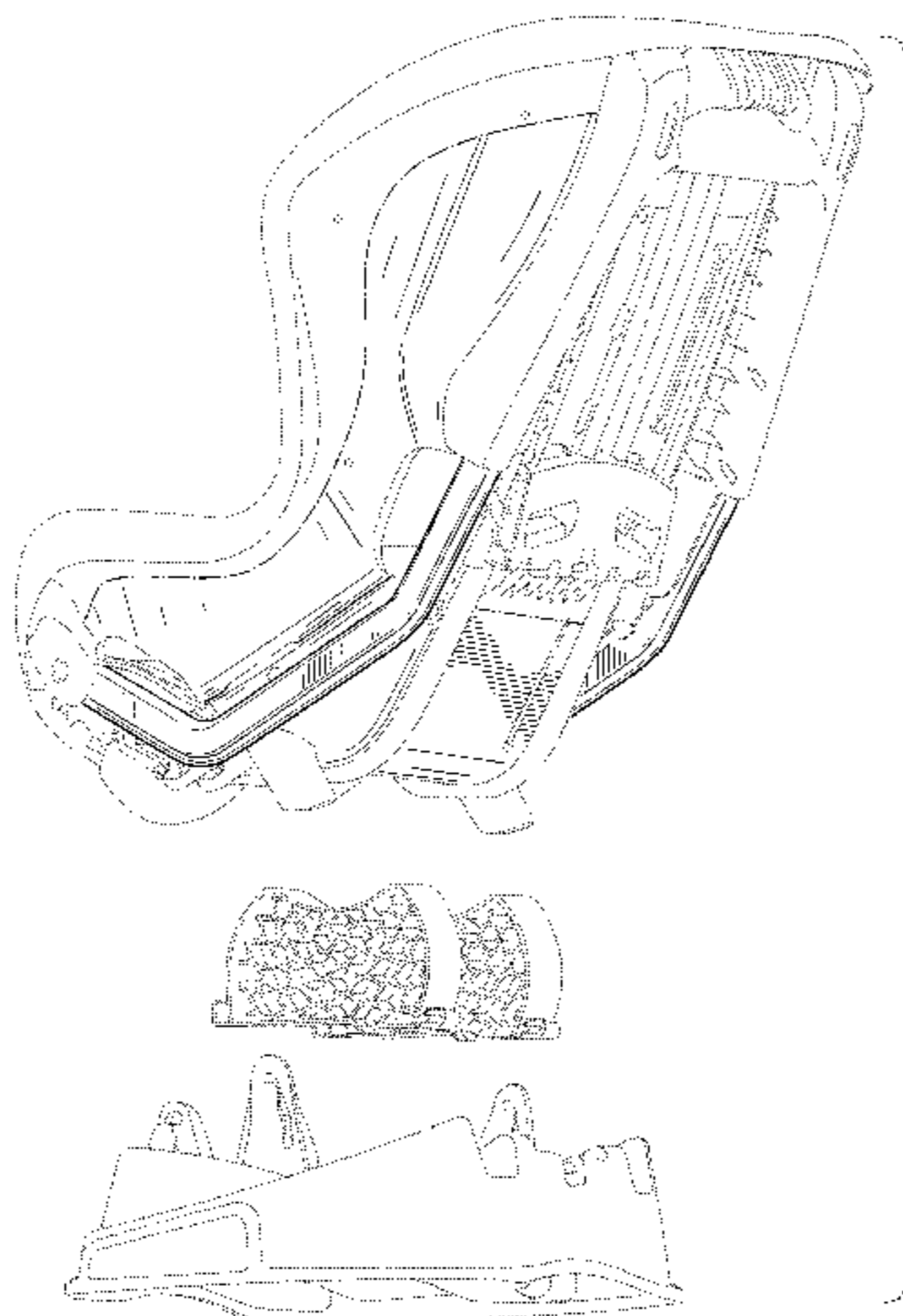
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FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a child safety seat according to our new design;  
 FIG. 2 is a left side elevation view thereof, the right side being a mirror image thereof;  
 FIG. 3 is a front plan view thereof;  
 FIG. 4 is a top plan view thereof;  
 FIG. 5 is a rear plan view thereof;  
 FIG. 6 is a bottom plan view thereof;  
 FIG. 7 is an exploded perspective view thereof including a base and an energy absorbing insert;  
 FIG. 8 is an exploded left side elevation view thereof including a base and an energy absorbing insert;  
 FIG. 9 is a perspective view thereof including a base; and,  
 FIG. 10 is a left side elevation view thereof including a base.  
 The broken lines immediately adjacent the shaded areas represent the bounds of the claimed design while all other broken lines are directed to environment and are for illustrative purposes only; the broken lines form no part of the claimed design.

**1 Claim, 10 Drawing Sheets**



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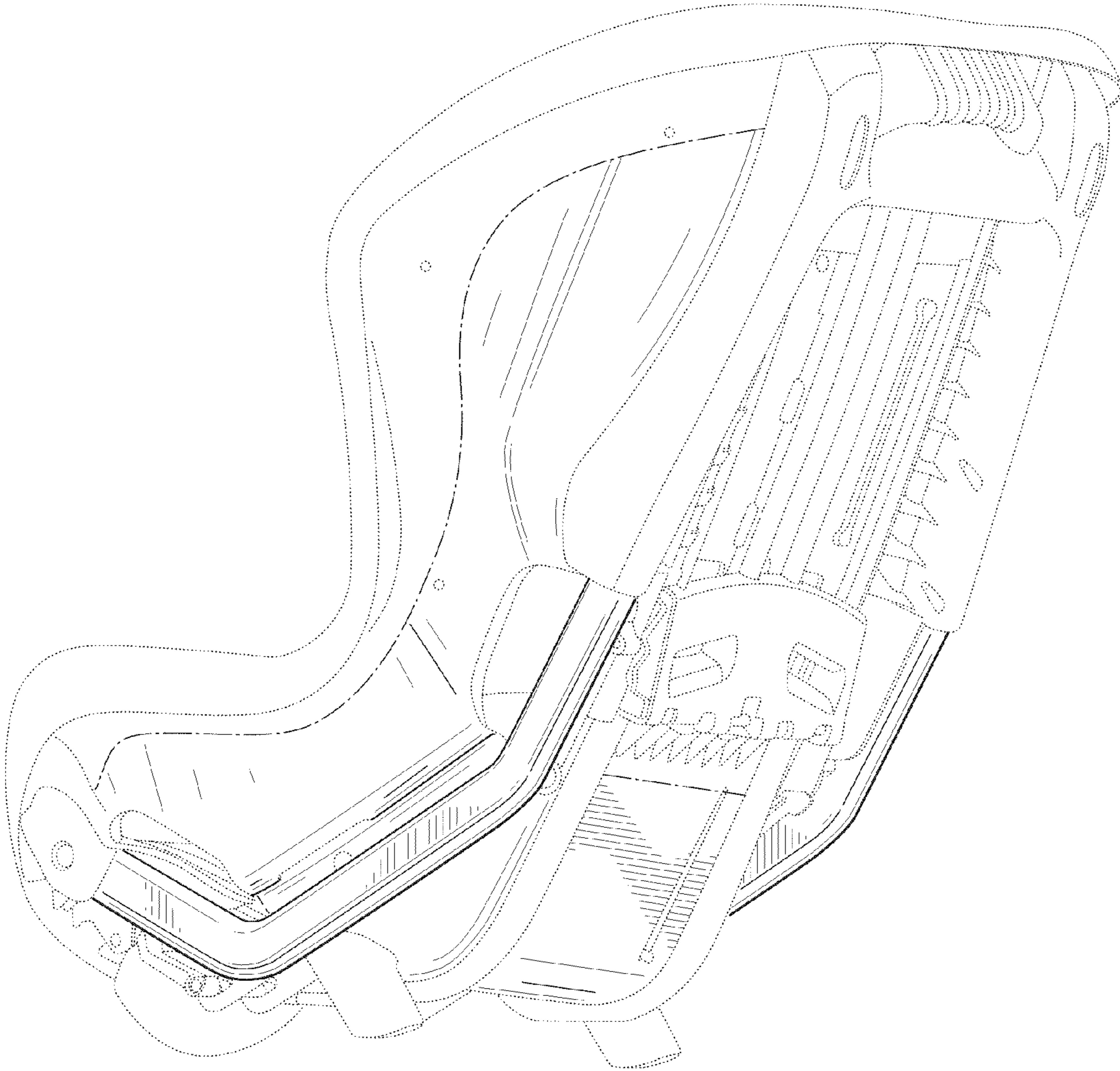


FIG. 1

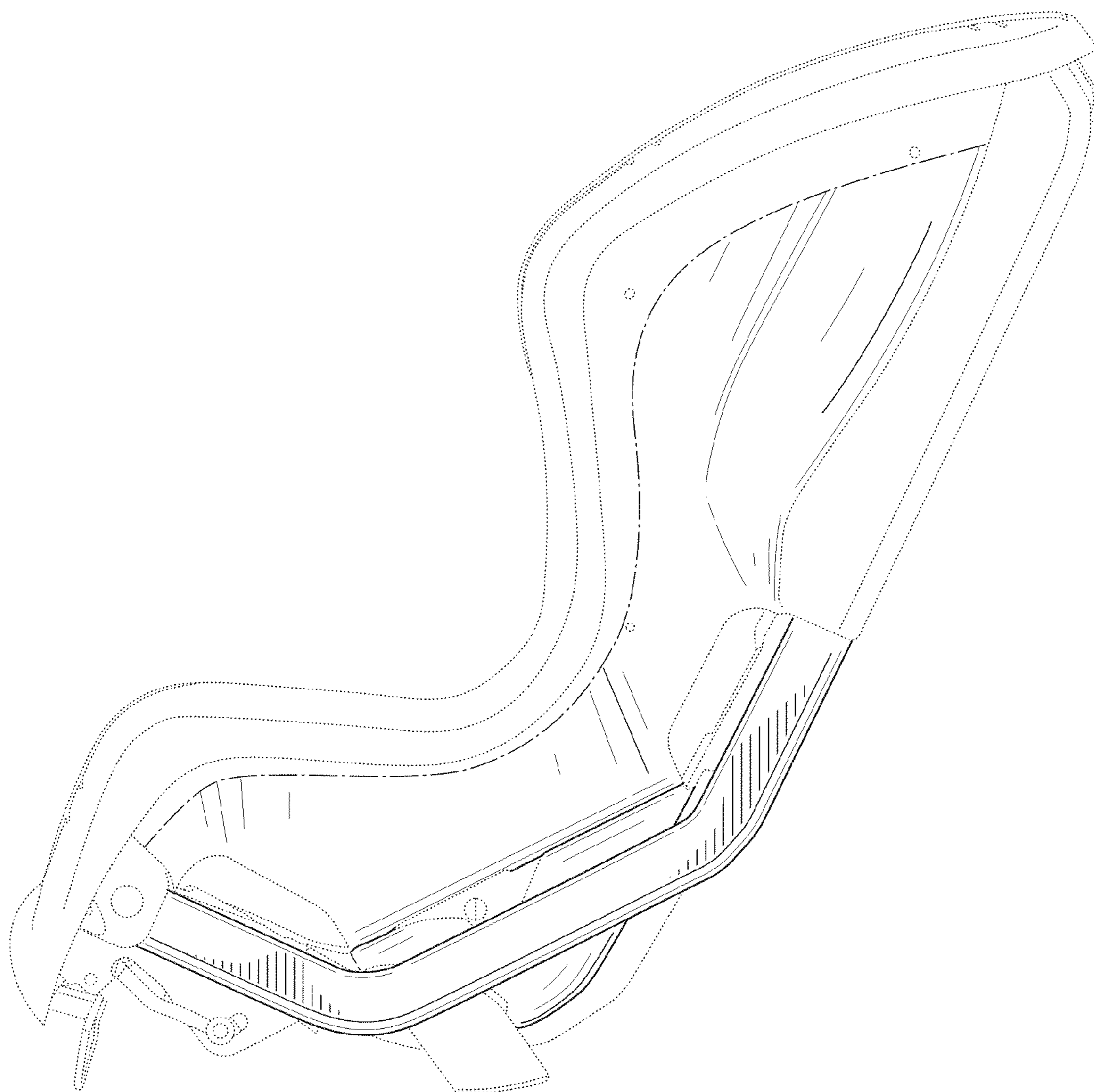
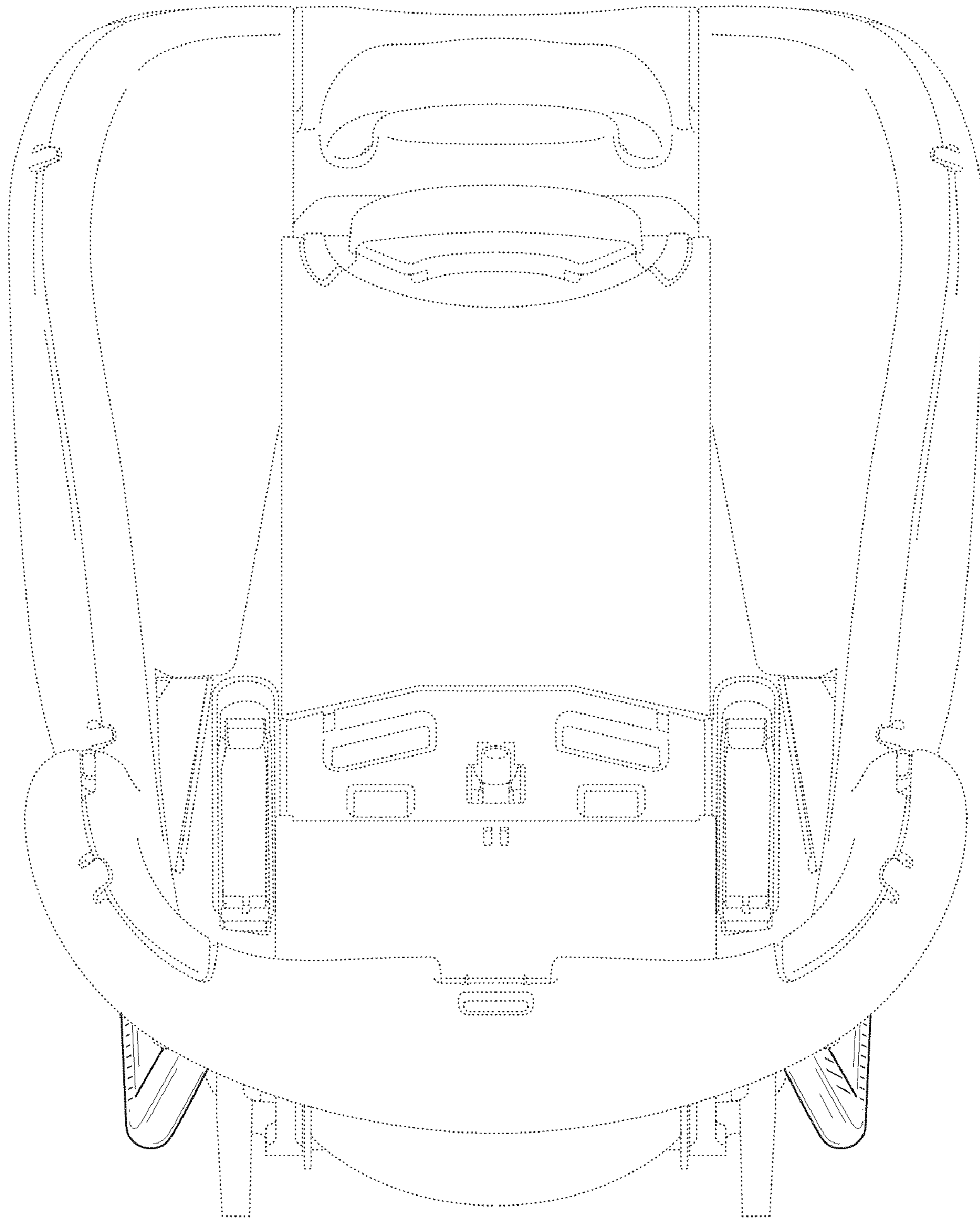
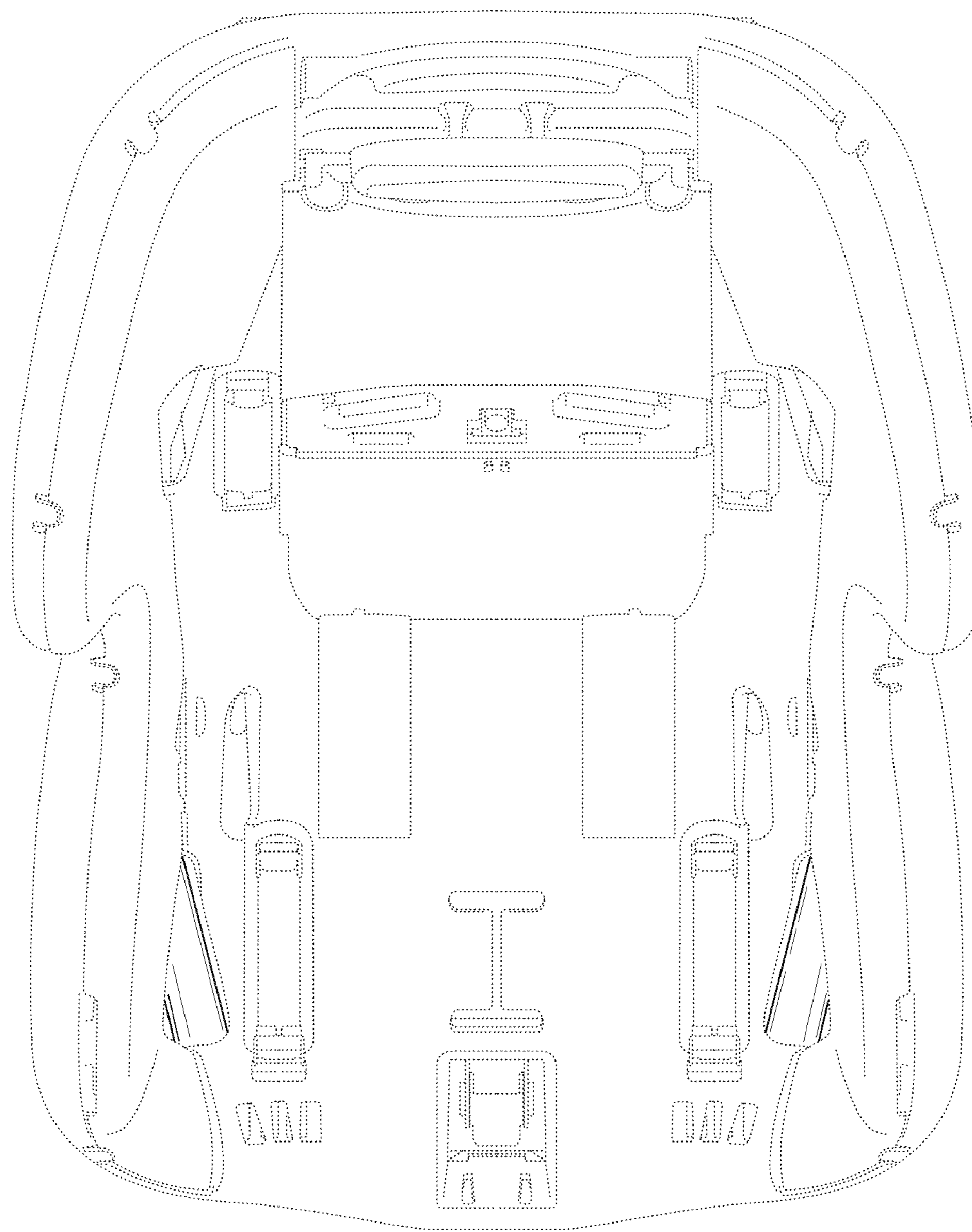


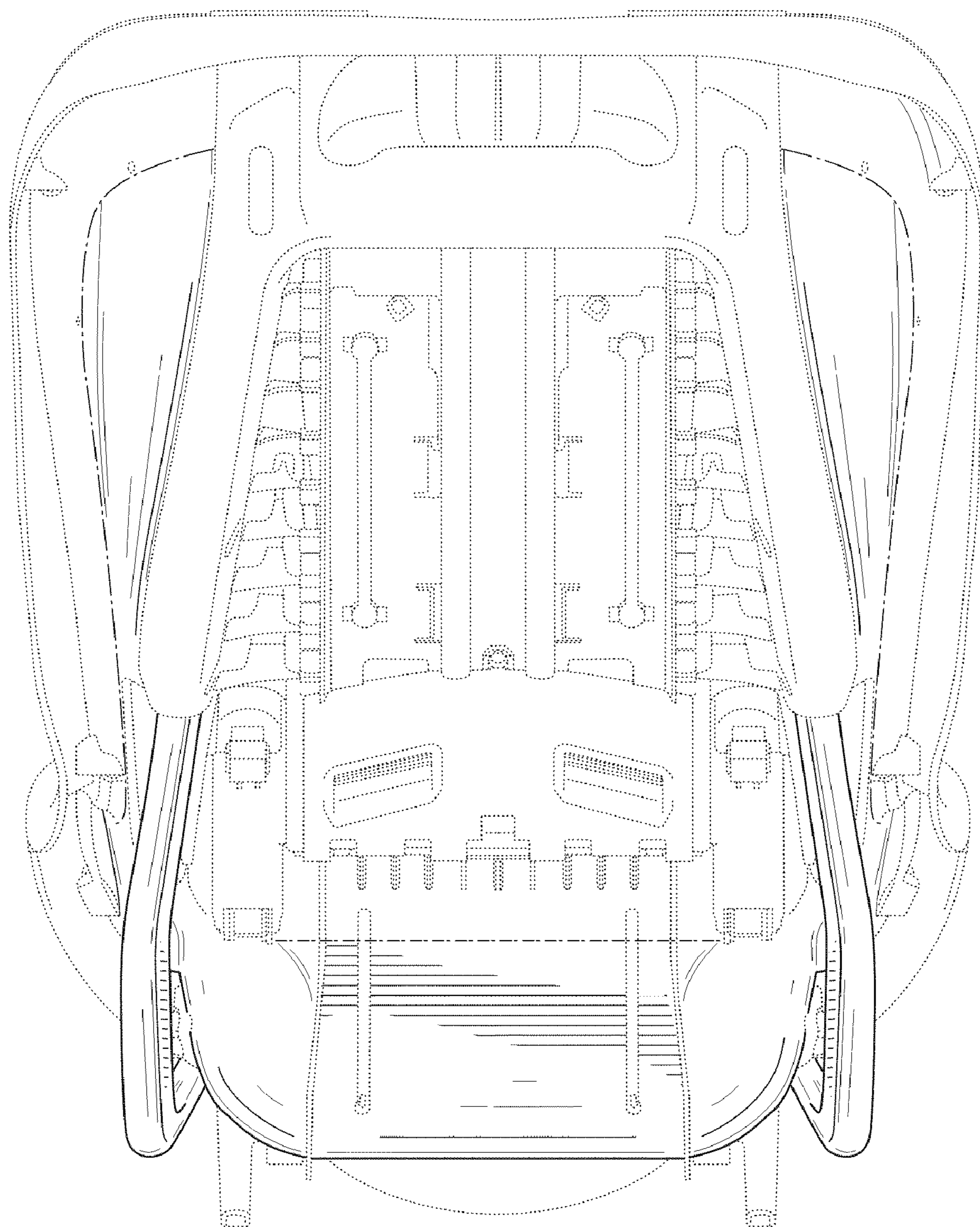
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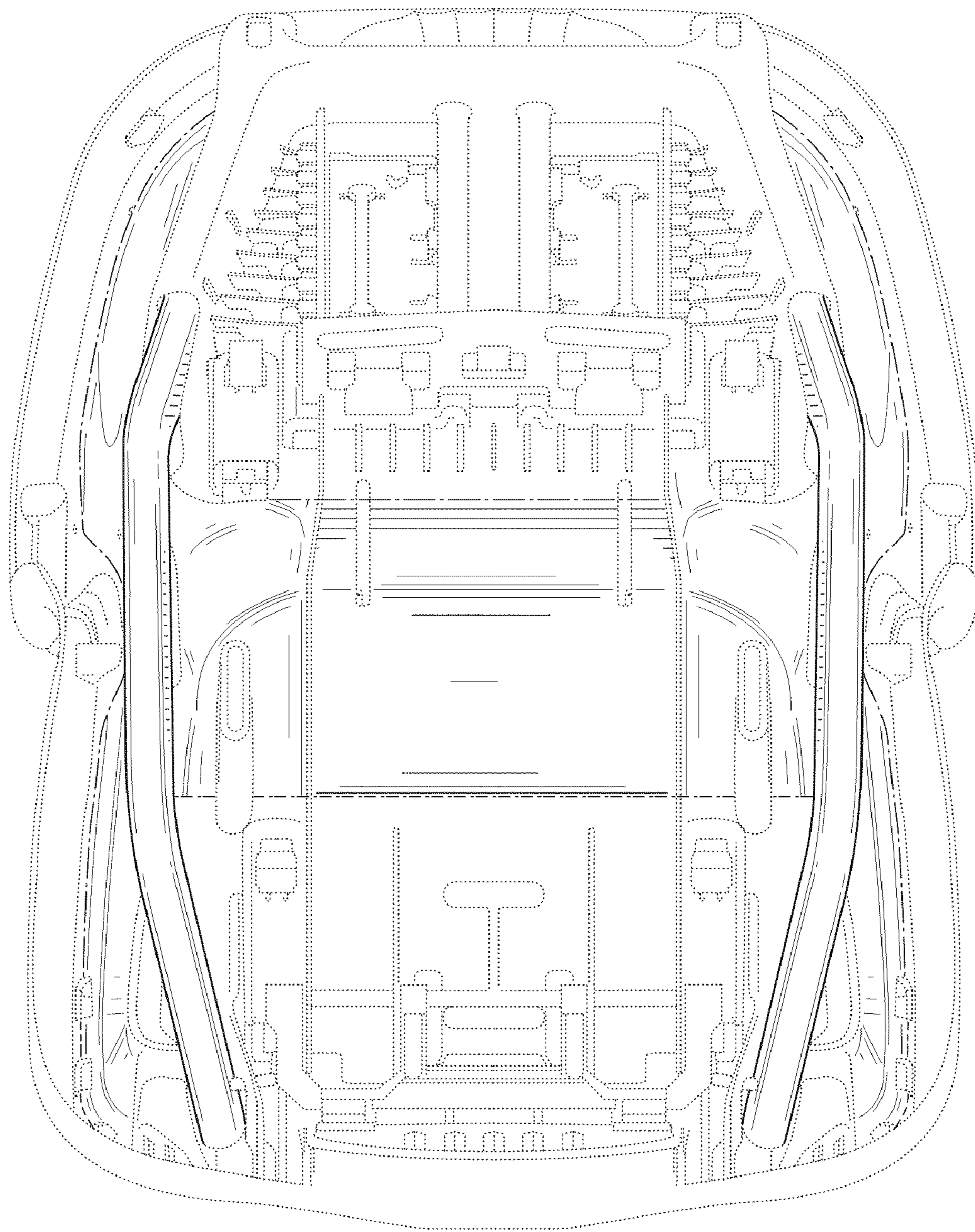
**FIG. 3**



**FIG. 4**

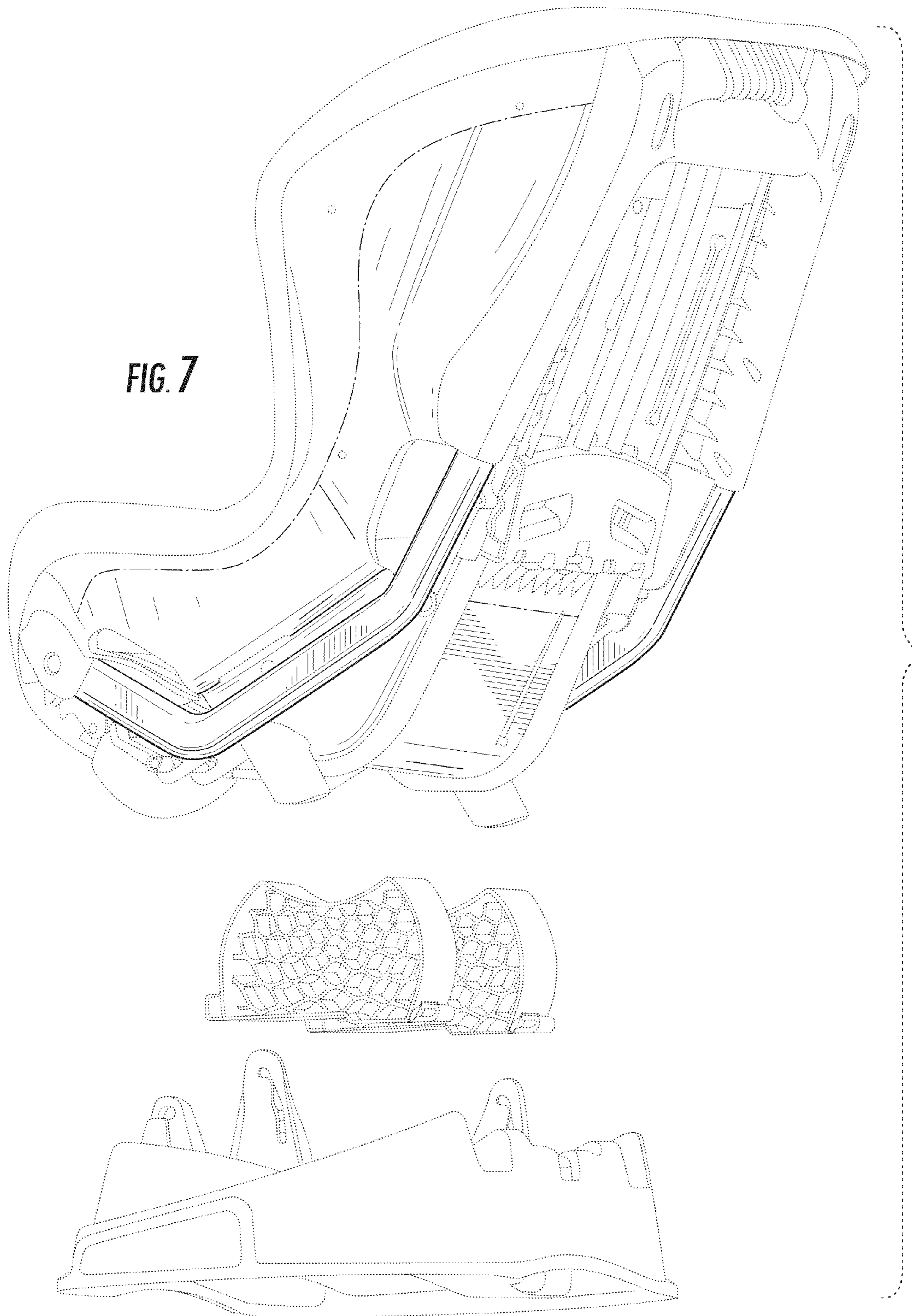


**FIG. 5**



**FIG. 6**





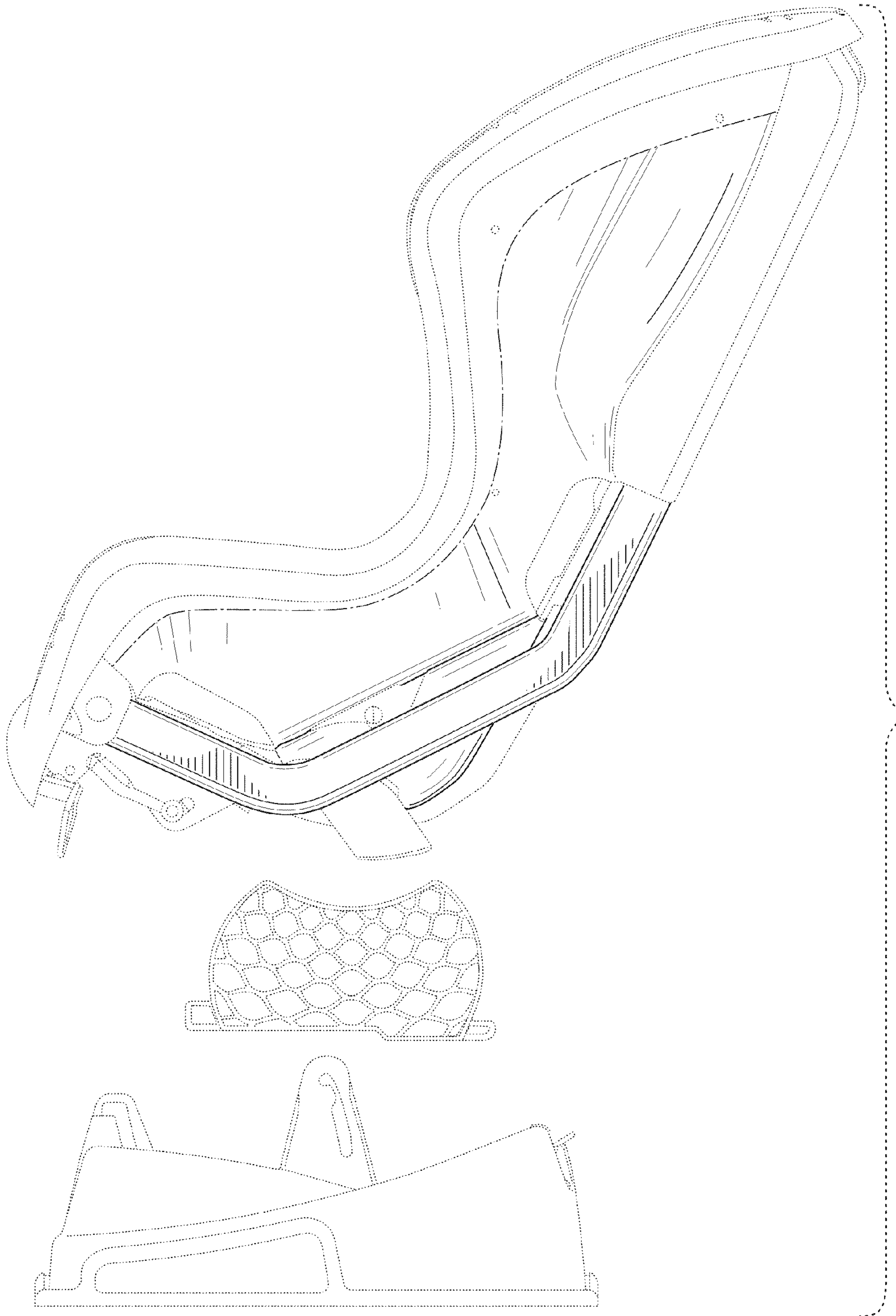


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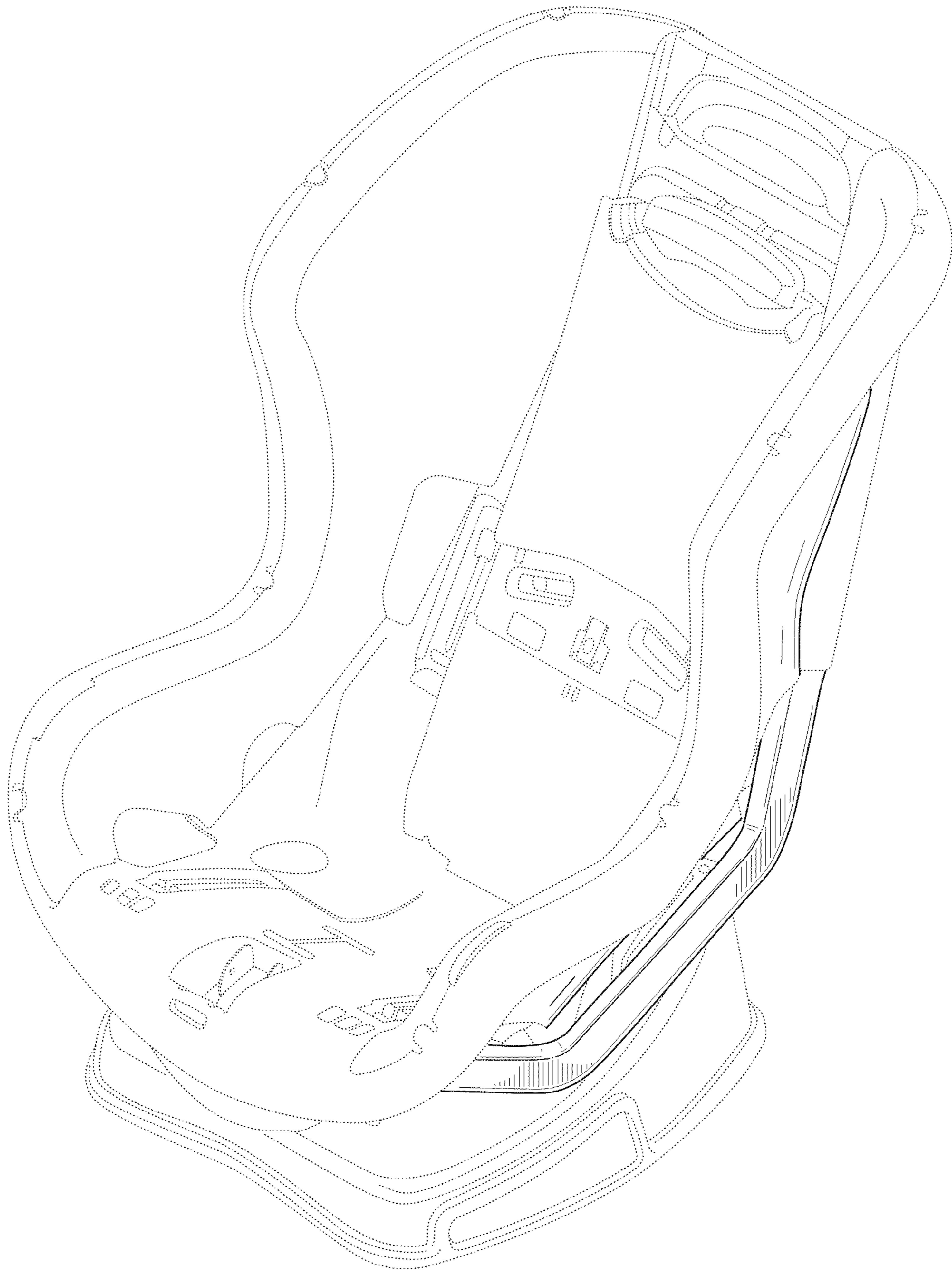
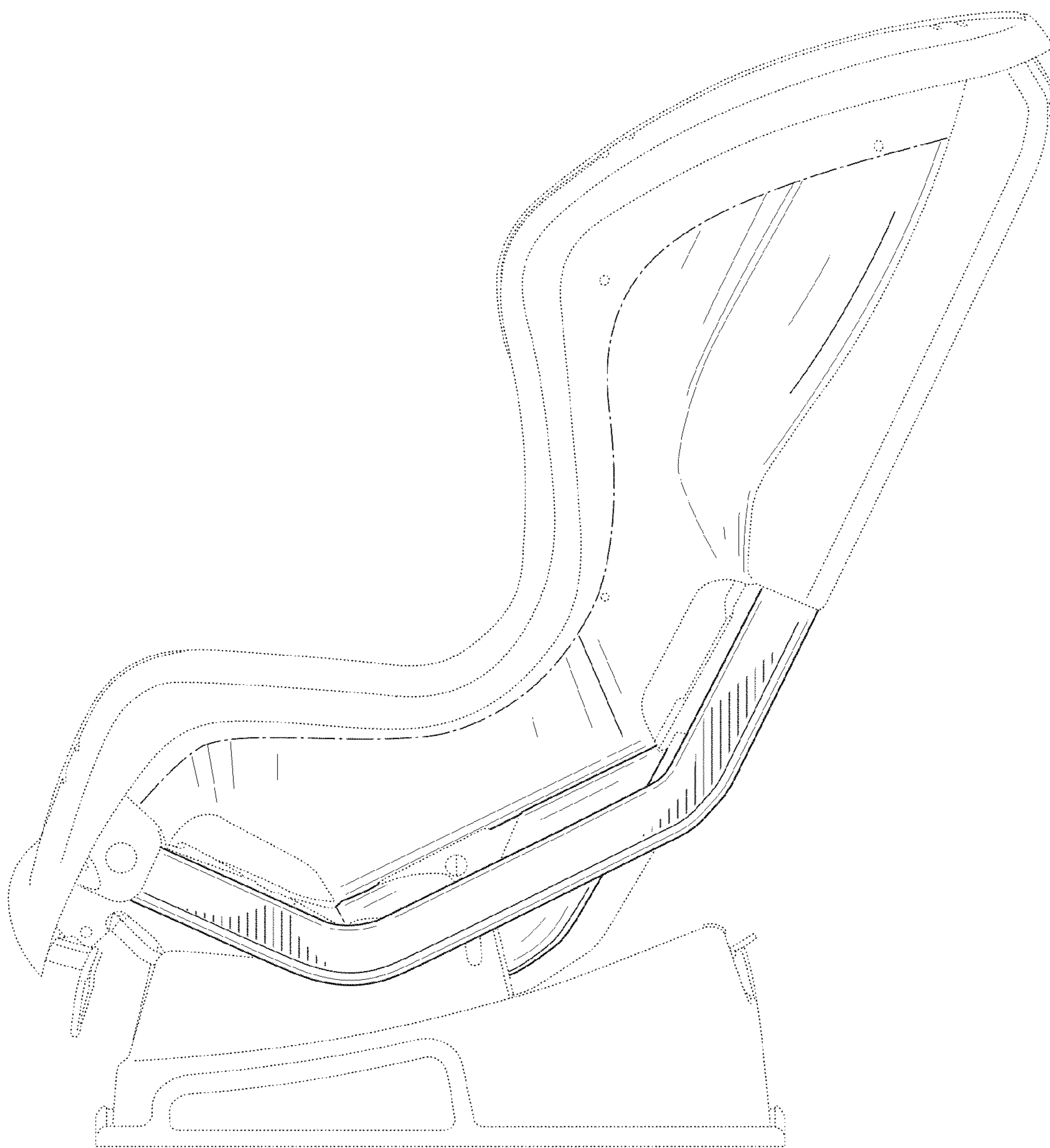


FIG. 9



**FIG. 10**