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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a docking station, as shown and
described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a top front perspective view of a docking station
showing our new design;

FIG. 2 is a bottom front perspective view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a top rear perspective view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a bottom rear perspective view thereof

FIG. 5 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 6 is a bottom plan view thereof;

FIG. 7 is a front view thereof;

FIG. 8 is rear view thereof;

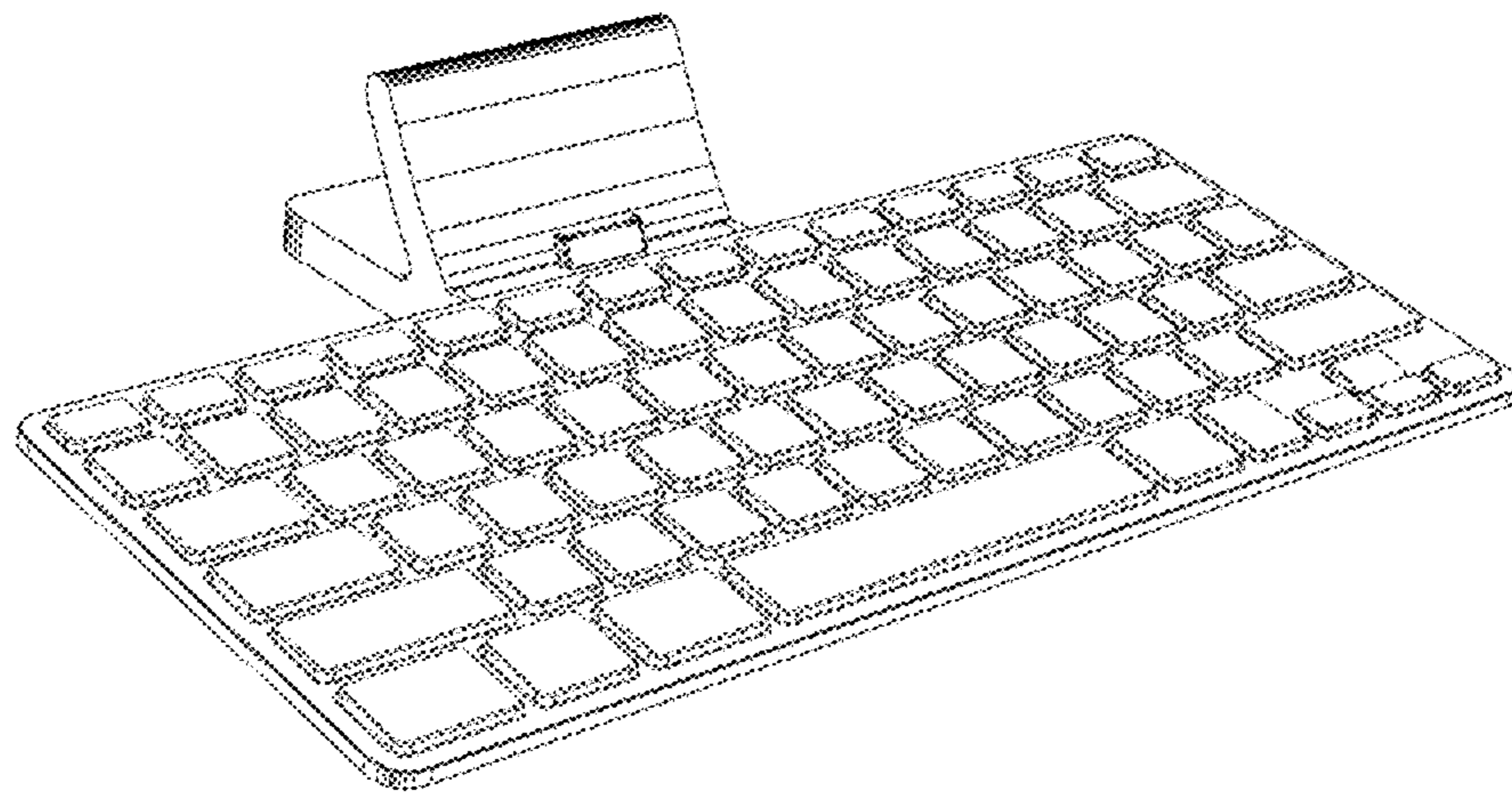
FIG. 9 is a side view thereof; and,

FIG. 10 is another side view thereof.

The shade lines in the Figures show contour and not surface
ornamentation.

The broken lines in the figures show portions of the docking
station which form no part of the claimed design.

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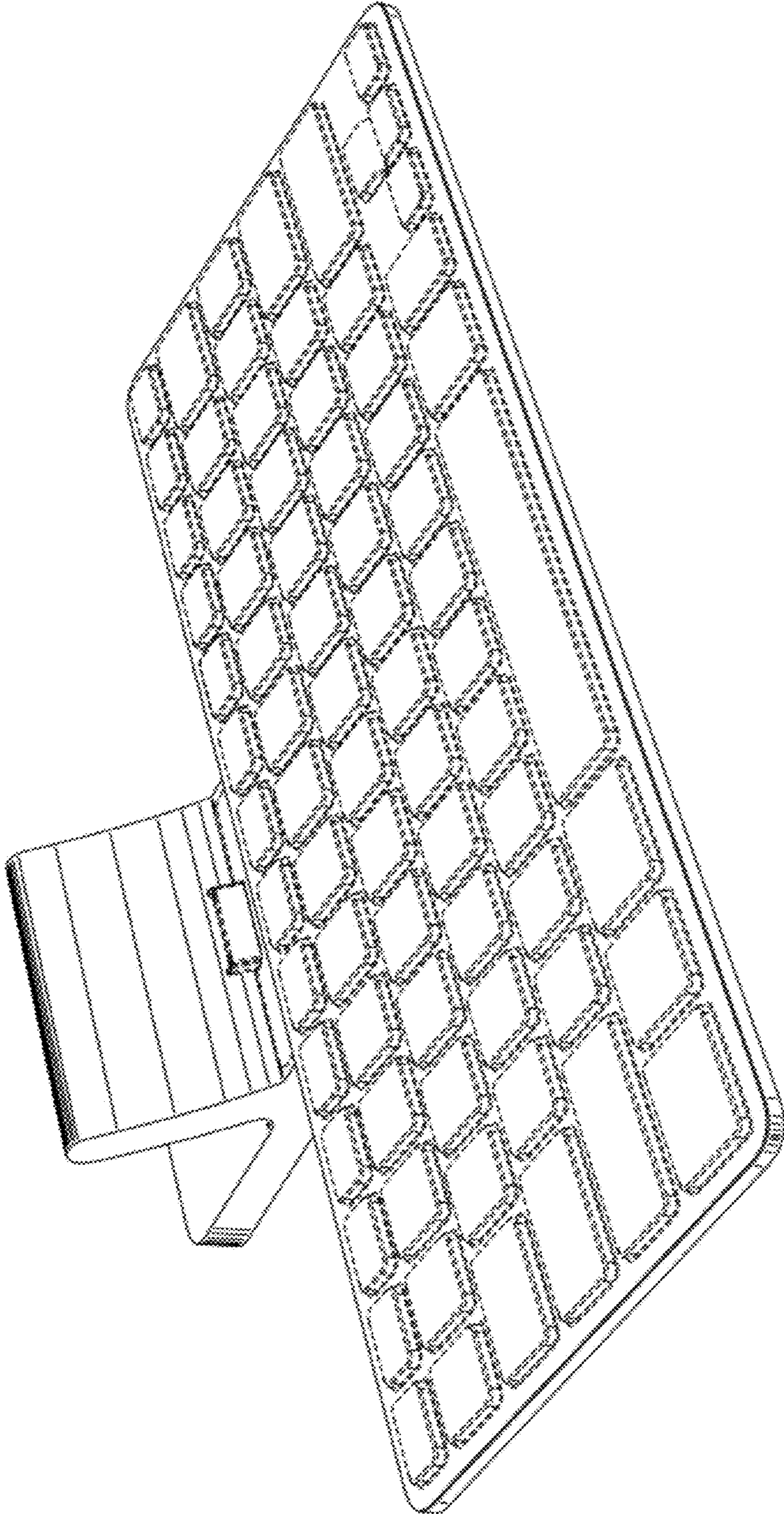


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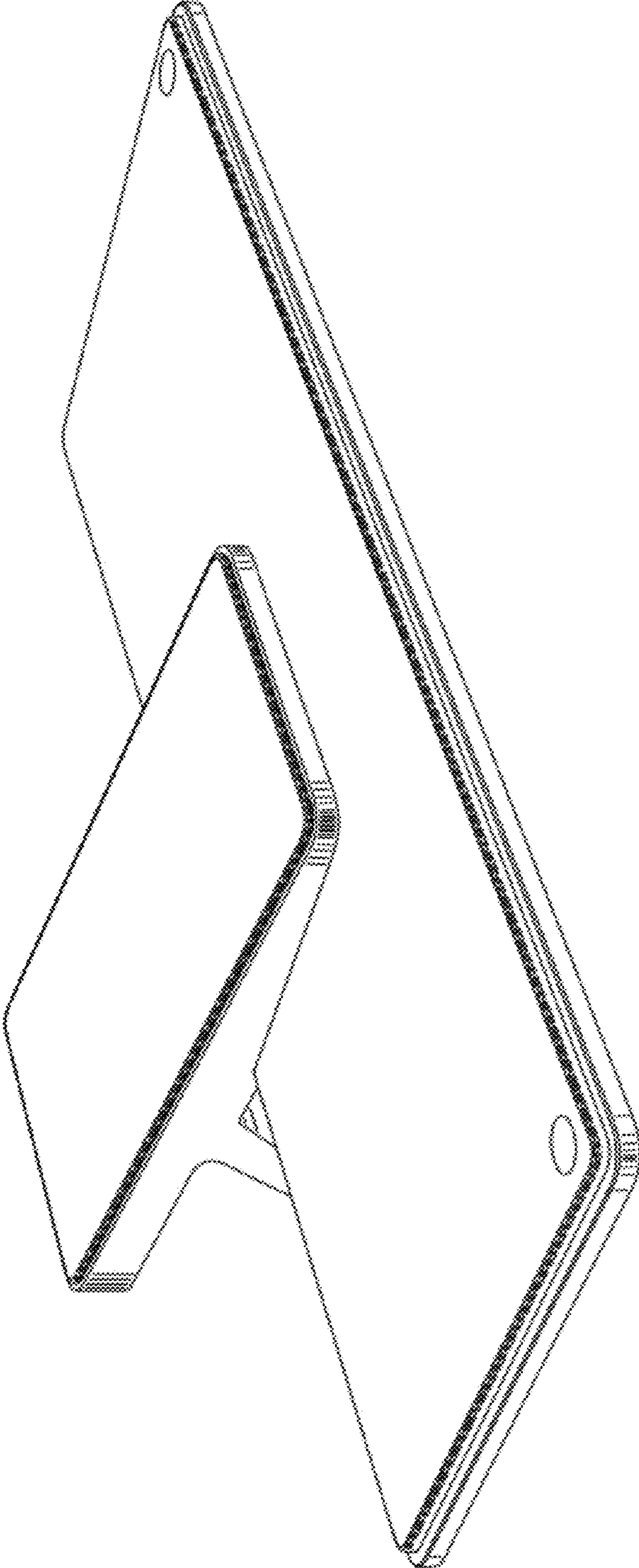


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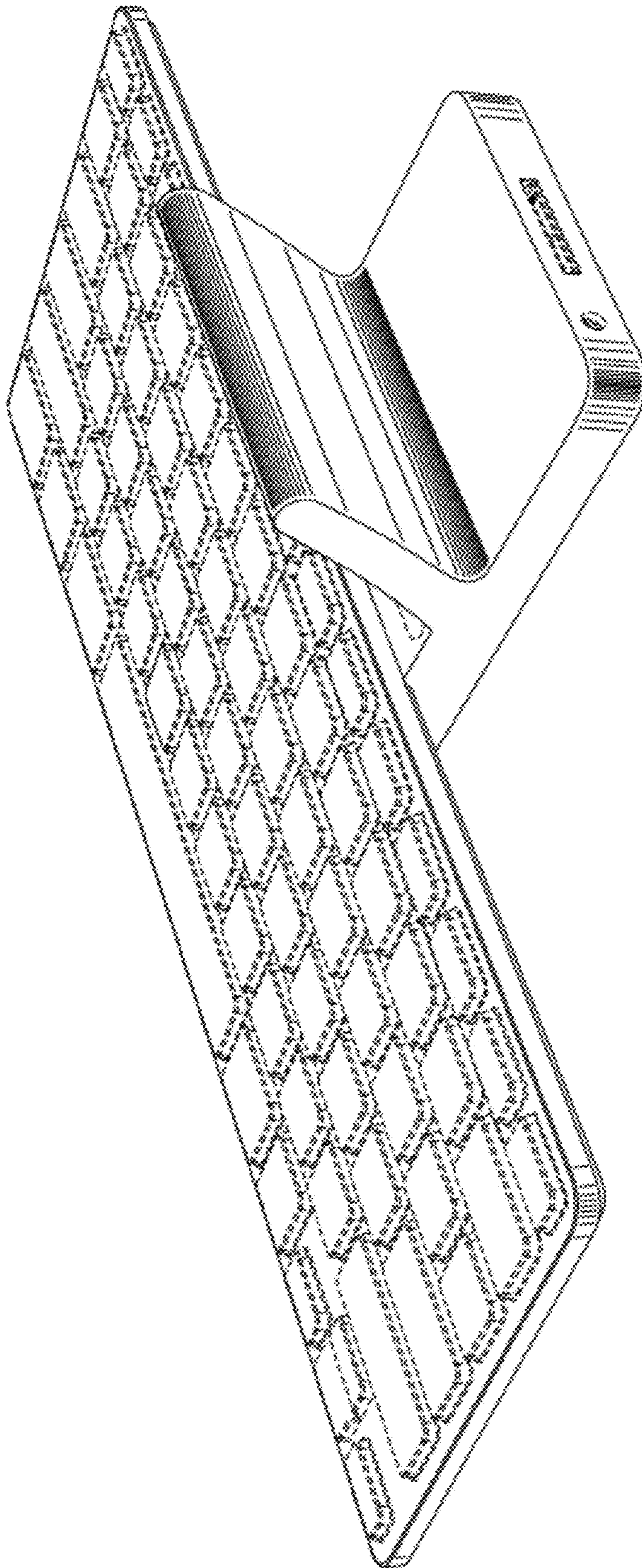


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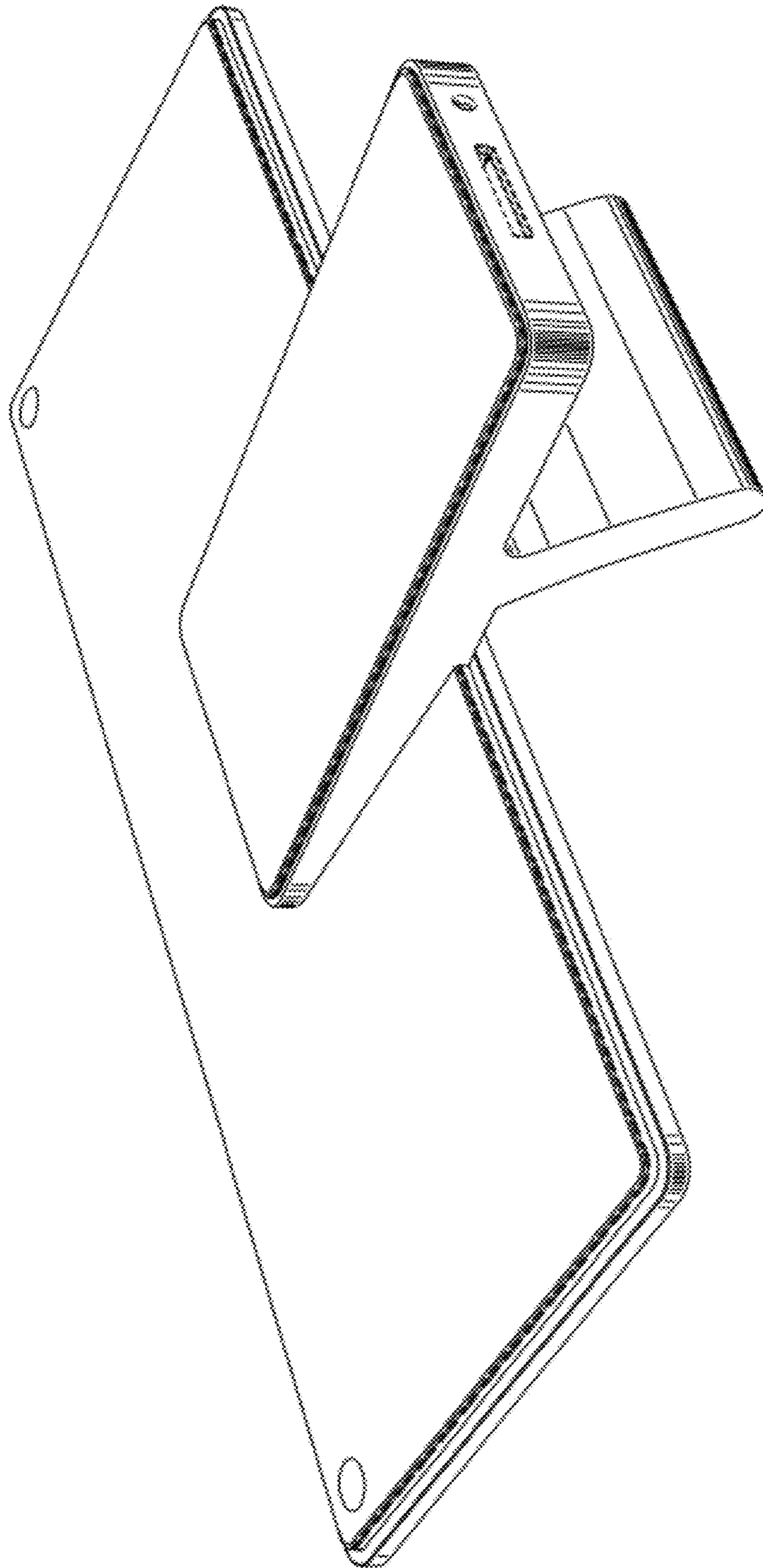


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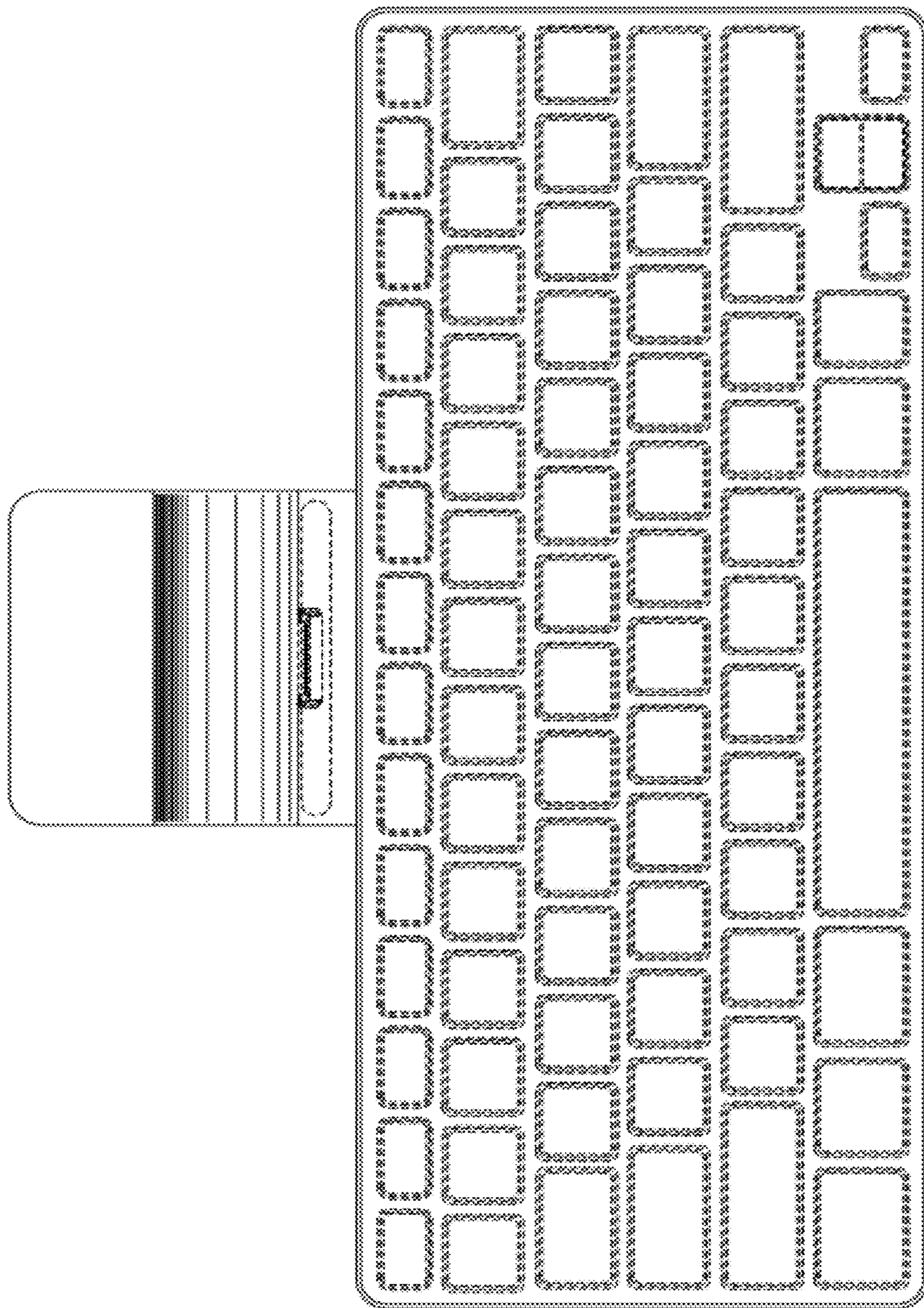


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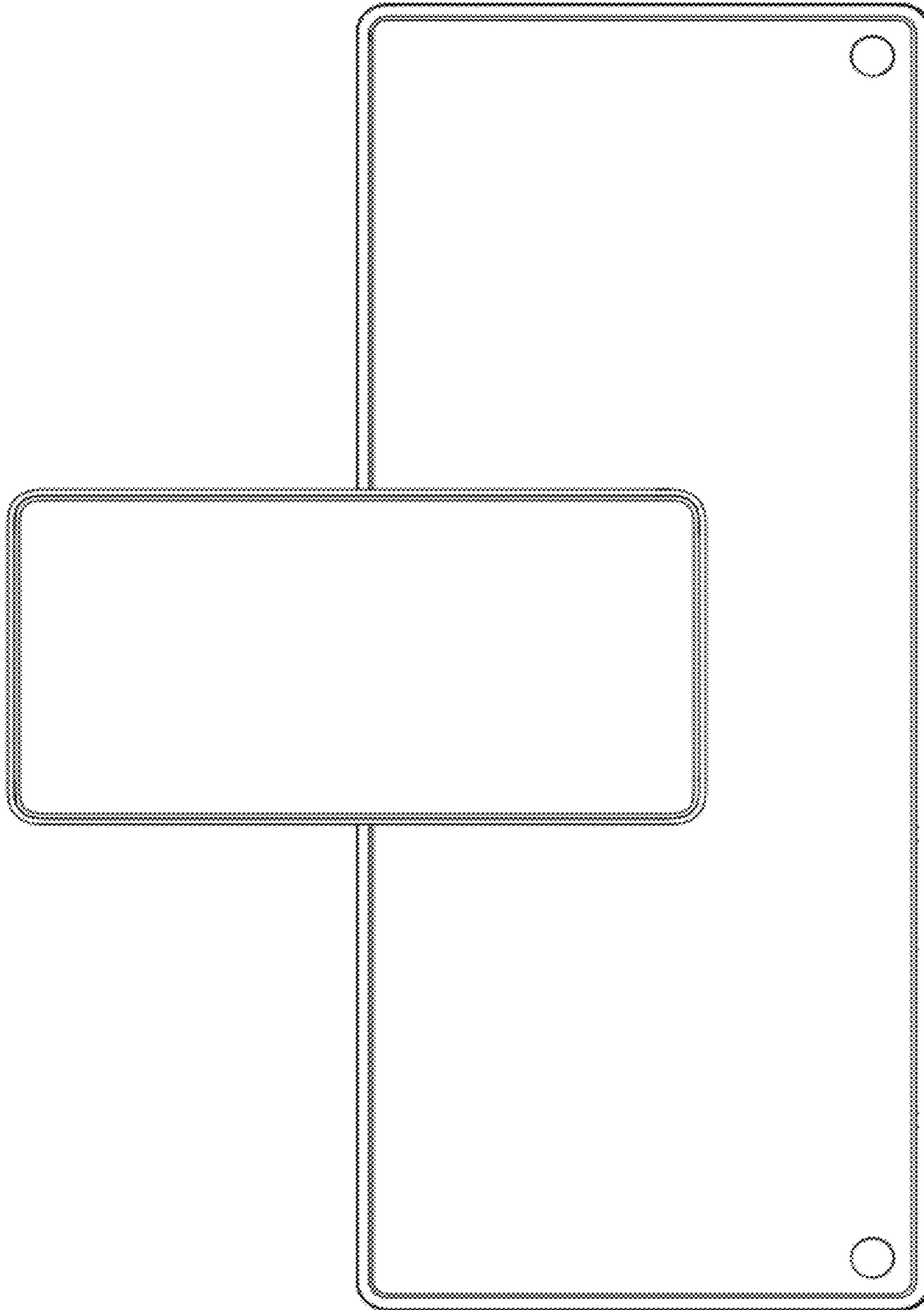


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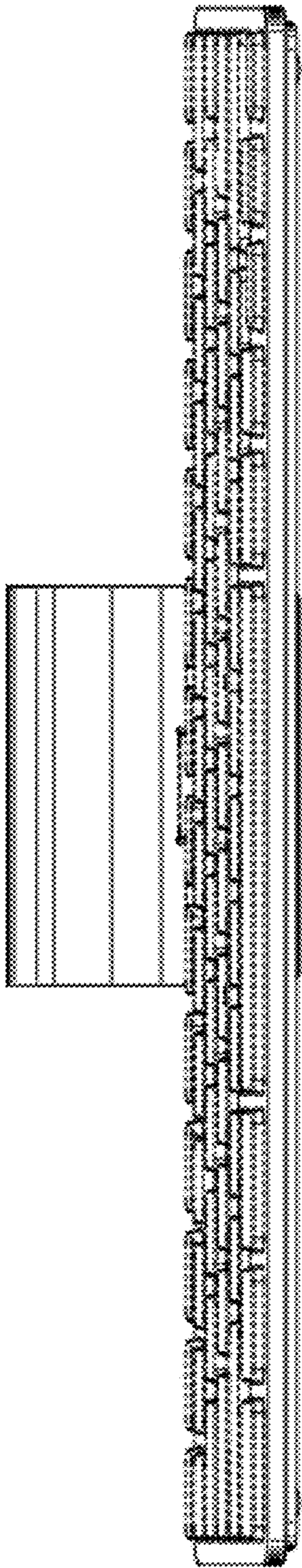


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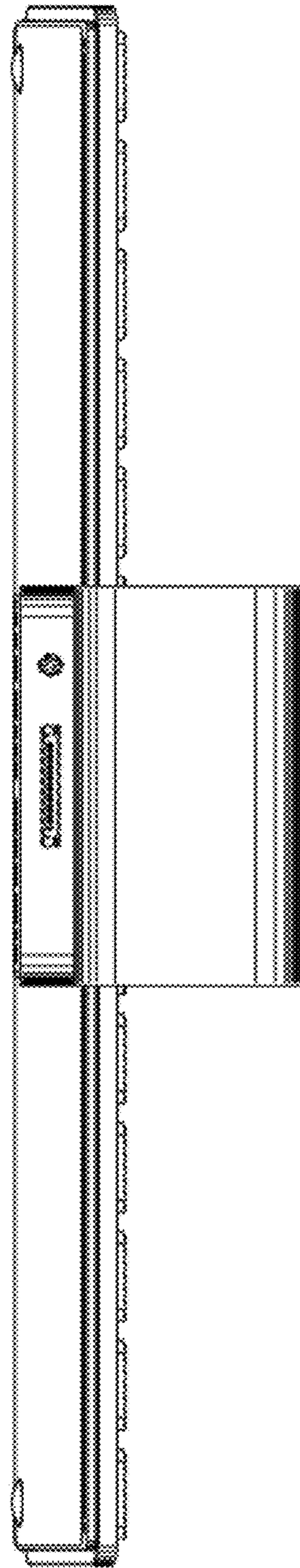


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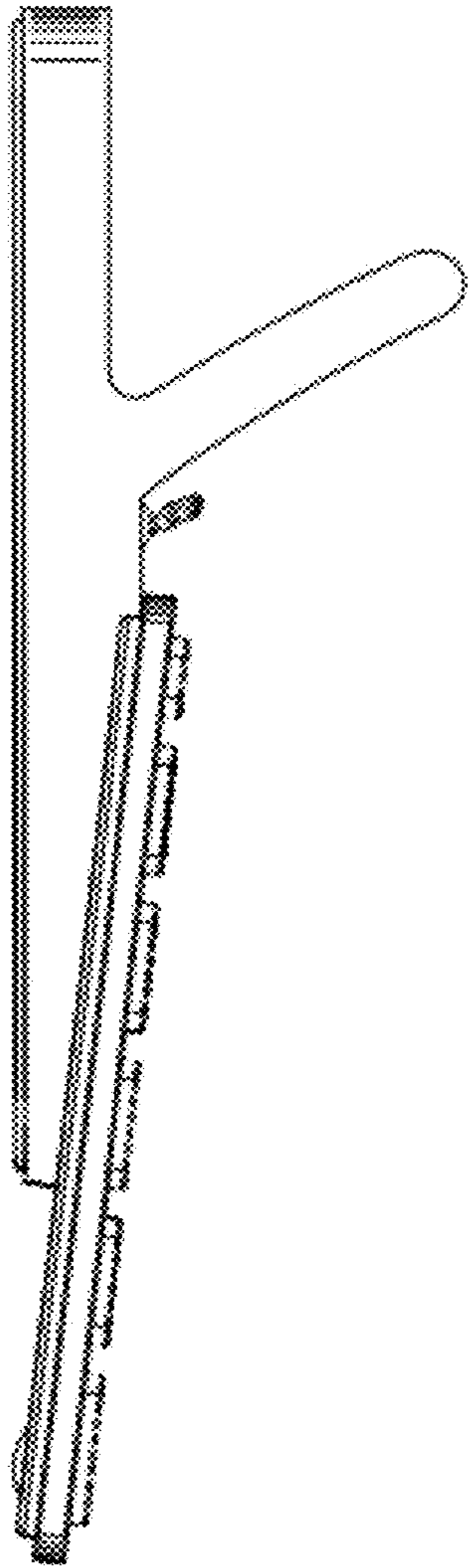


FIG. 9

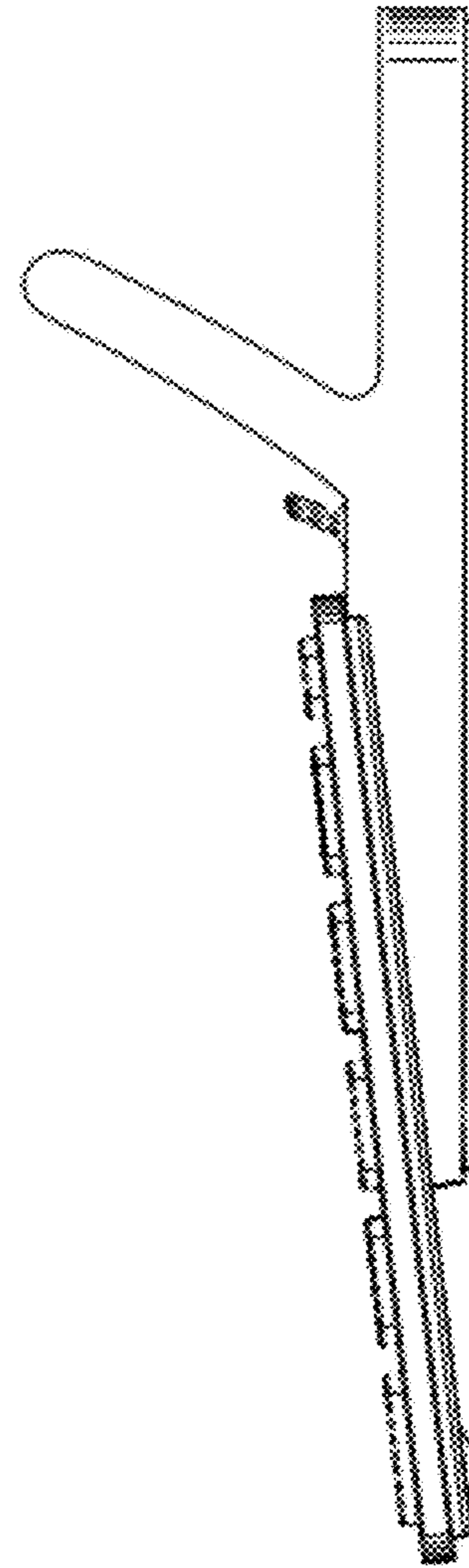


FIG. 10