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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a rope clip, as shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a rope clip of the present design;

FIG. 2 is a top view of FIG. 1;

FIG. 3 is a side view of FIG. 1;

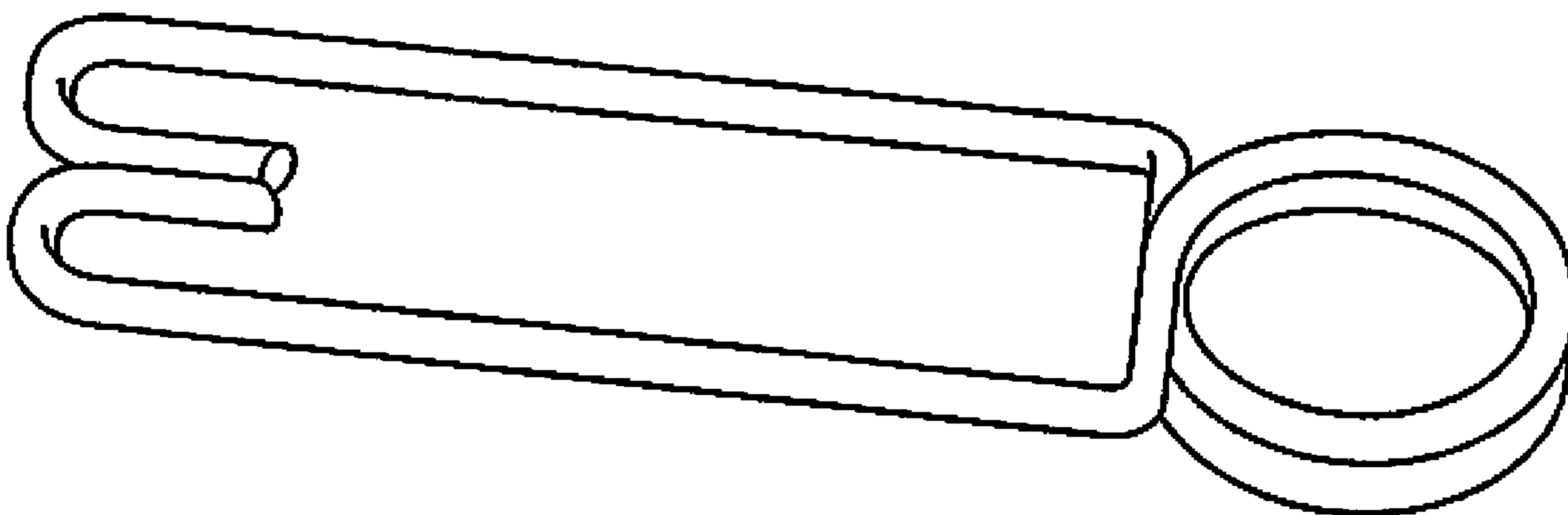
FIG. 4 is a left frontal view of FIGS. 1, 2 and 3;

FIG. 5 is a right frontal view of FIGS. 1, 2 and 3; and,

FIG. 6 is a reduced scale, environmental view of the present rope clip in use.

The broken lines showing a rope are for the purposes of illustrating environment and form no part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 5 Drawing Sheets



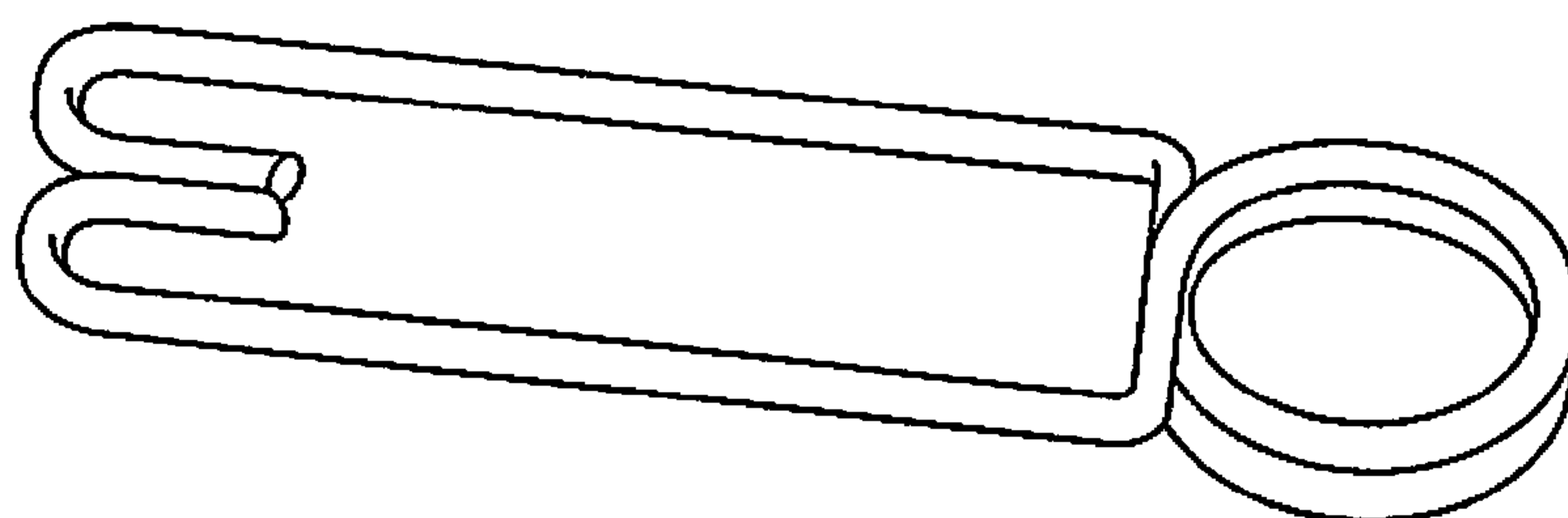


FIG. 1

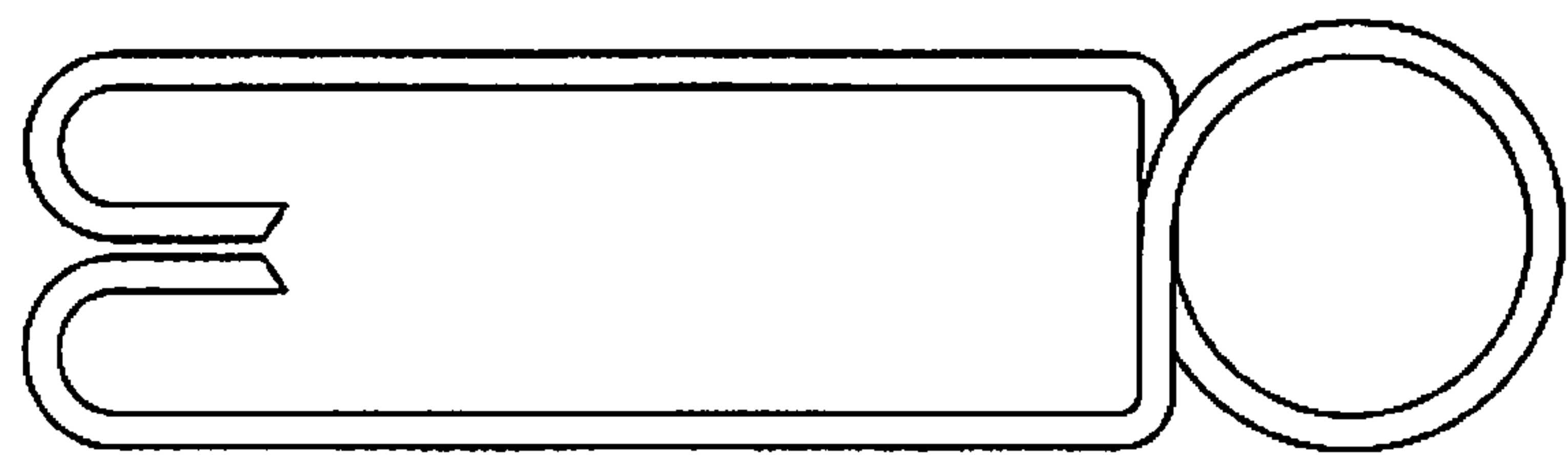


FIG. 2

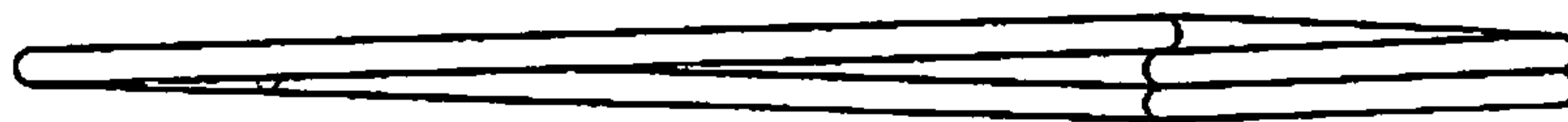


FIG. 3



FIG. 4

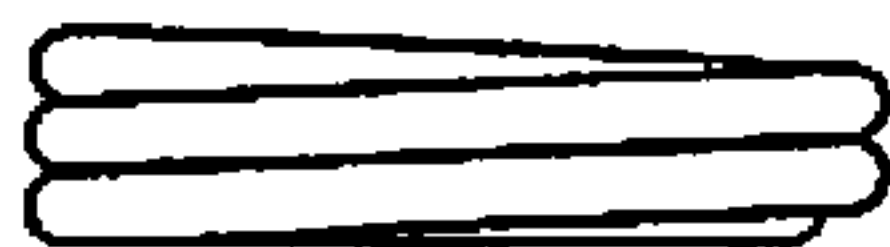


FIG. 5

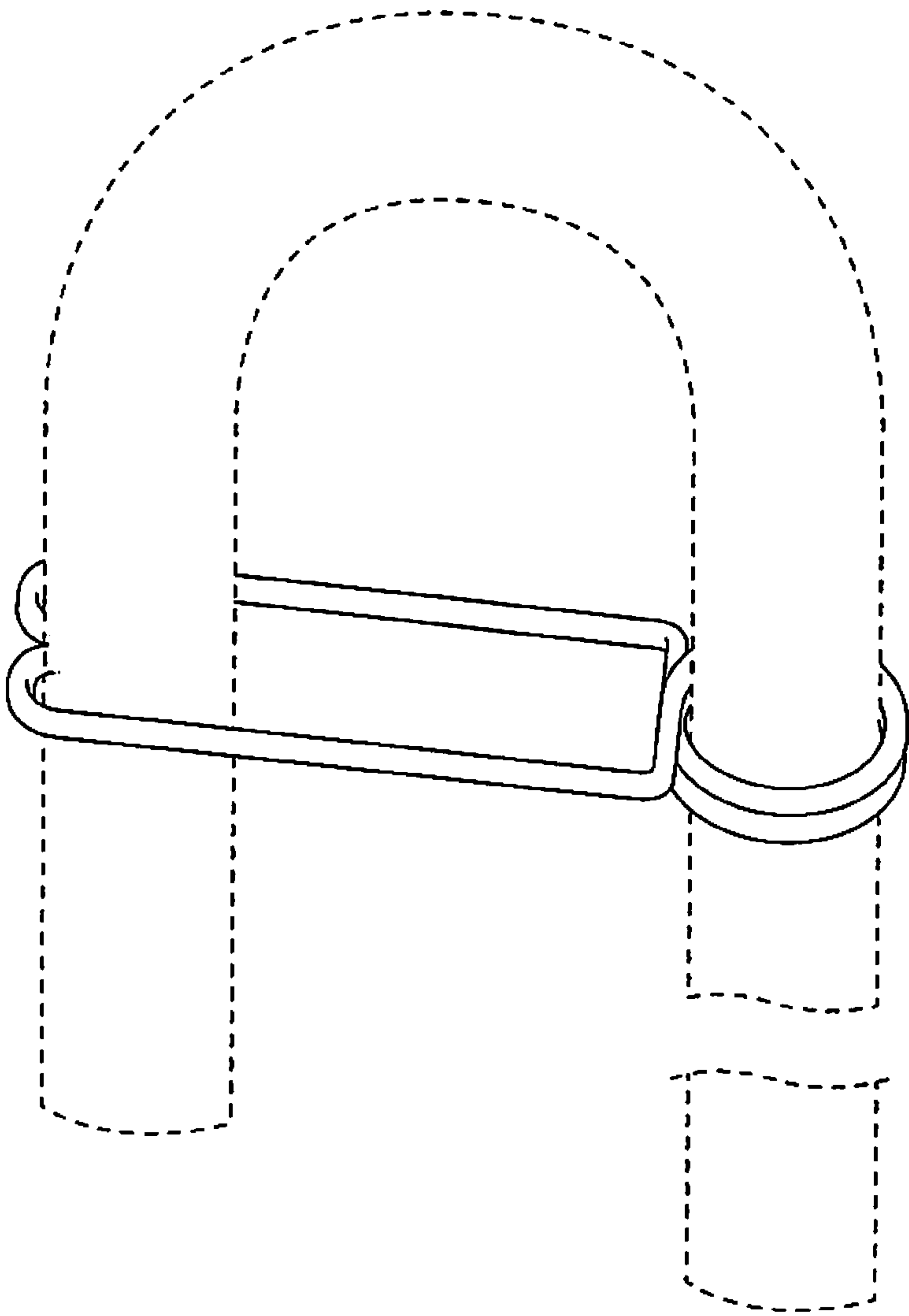


FIG. 6