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(12) **United States Design Patent**
Smith(10) **Patent No.:** **US D697,223 S**
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The ornamental design for the sample card holder, as shown in the Figures and as described.

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FIG. 1 is a perspective view of the sample card holder showing our new design.

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FIG. 2 is a left side view of the sample card holder of FIG. 1.

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FIG. 3 is a right side view of the sample card holder of FIG. 1.

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FIG. 4 is a front end view of the sample card holder of FIG. 1.

(58) **Field of Classification Search**

FIG. 5 is a rear end view of the sample card holder of FIG. 1 (shown inverted).

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FIG. 6 is a plan view of the sample card holder of FIG. 1; and,

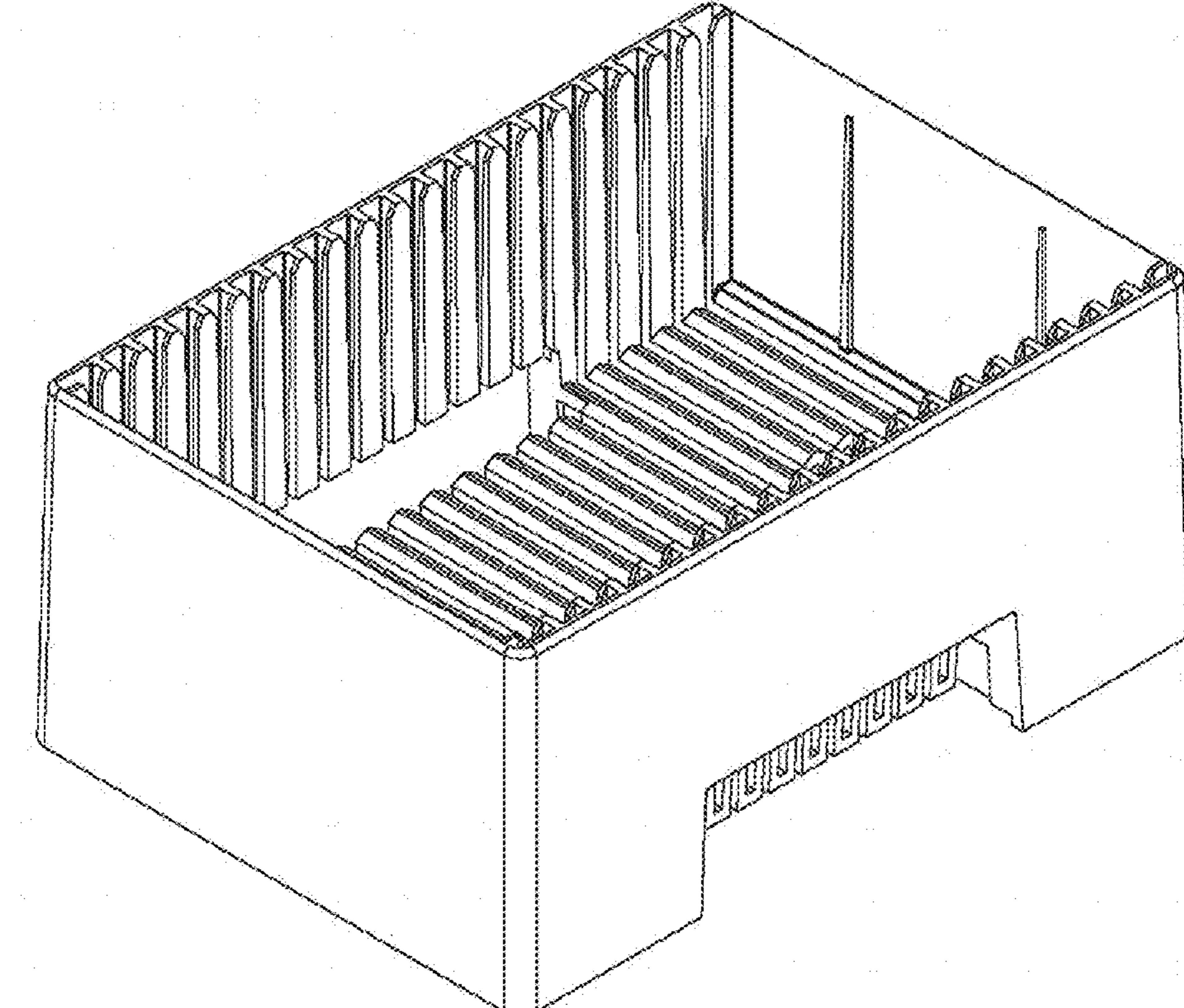
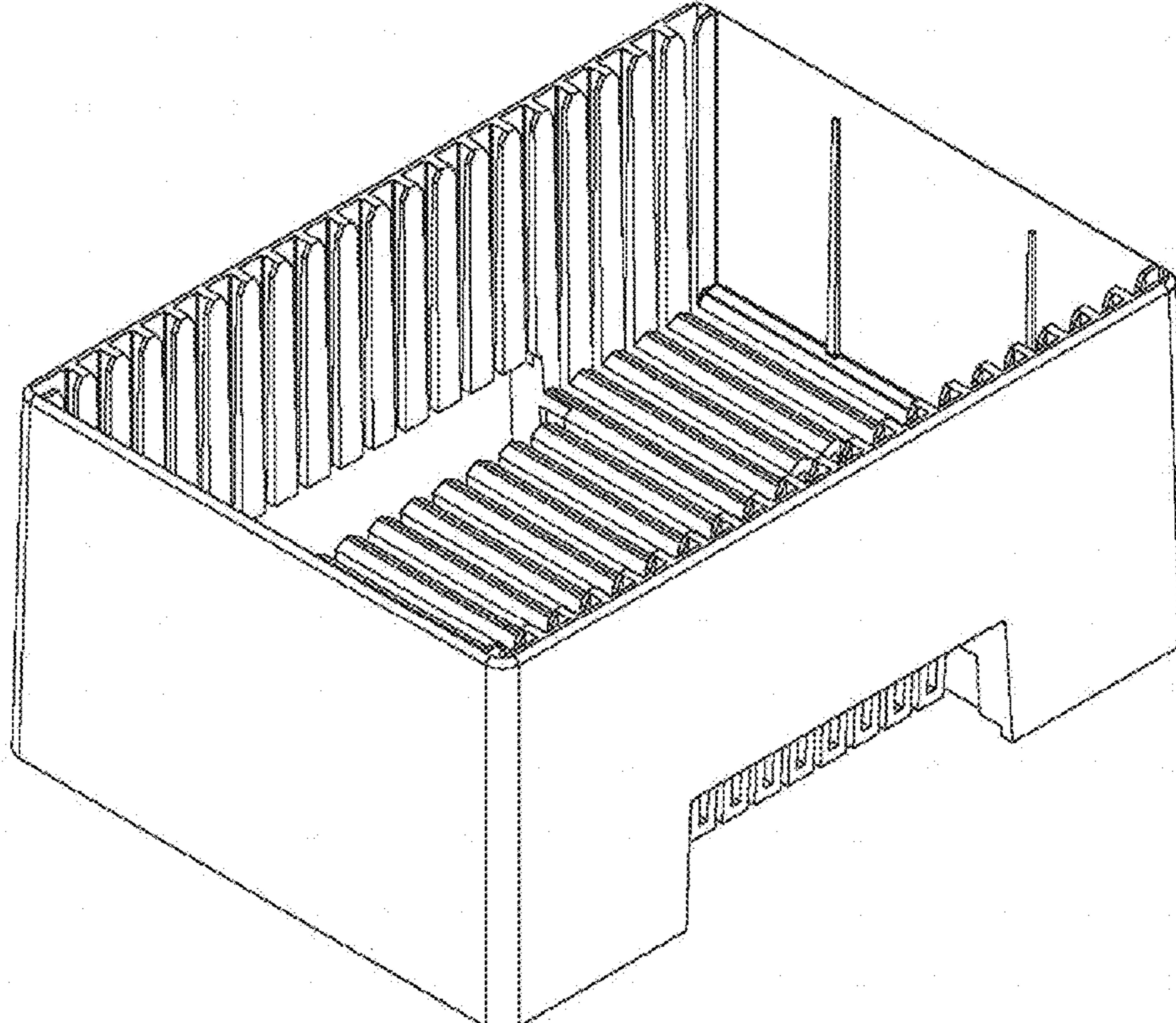
D3/203.1; D19/76, 90; 436/174, 807;

FIG. 7 is an underside view of the sample card holder of FIG. 1.

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See application file for complete search history.

The design is for a holder for multiple biological sample cards. The cards can be placed in parallel in the slots provided in the holder to maximize the density of the cards, and provide for simple mechanical picking of the cards from the holder when the holder is placed in or adjacent a card picking mechanism. The design is intended to be molded from plastics material.

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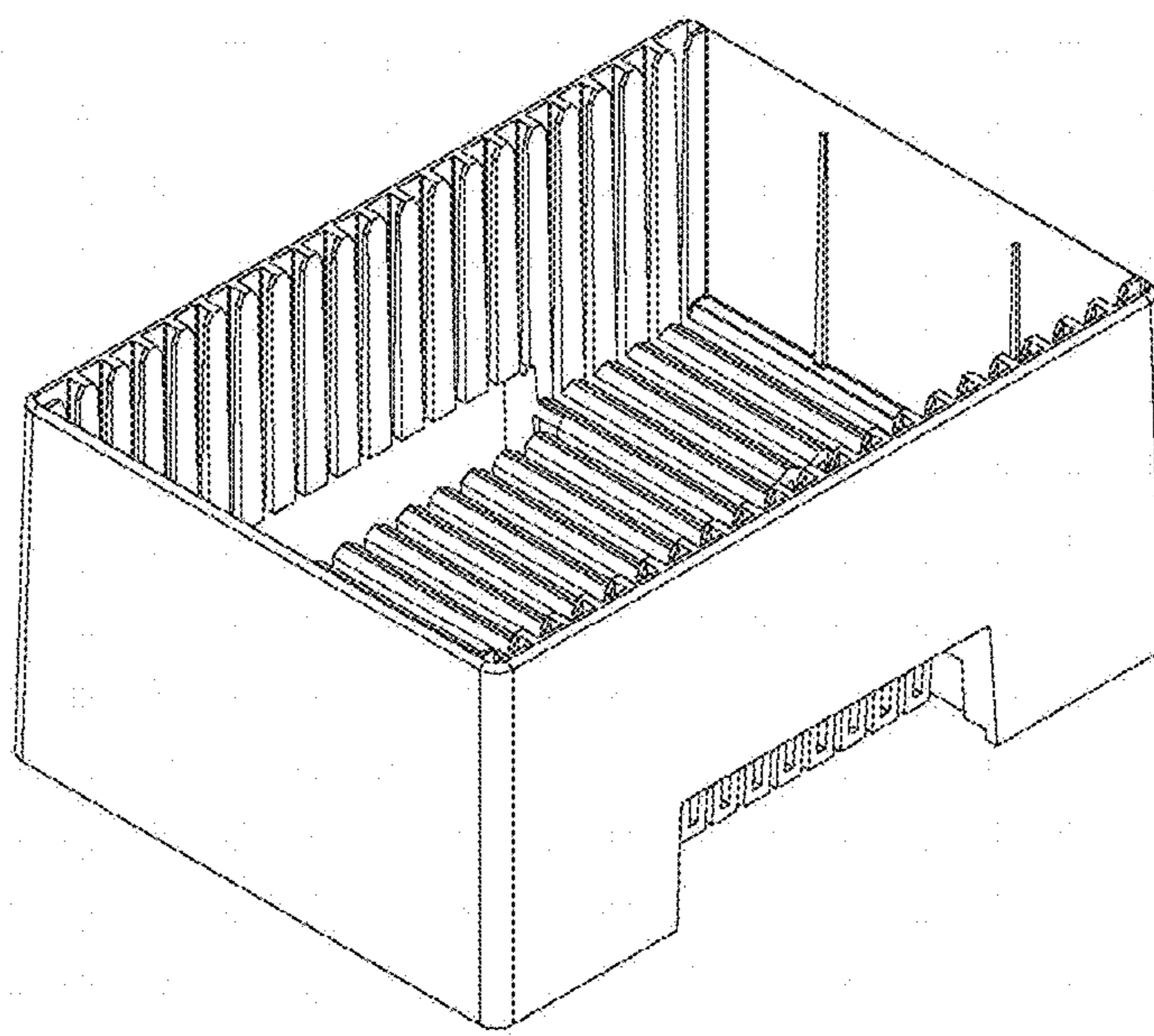


FIG. 1

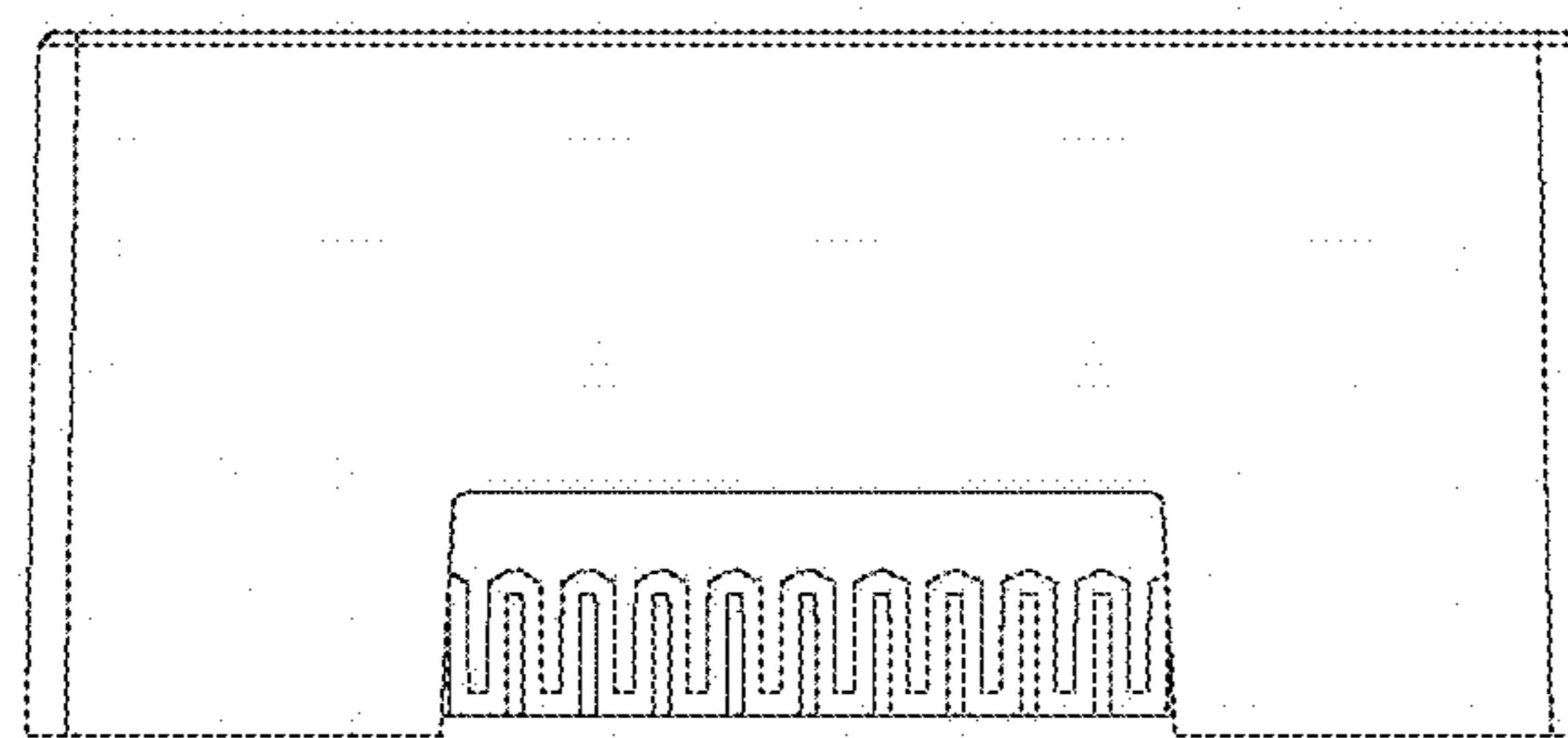


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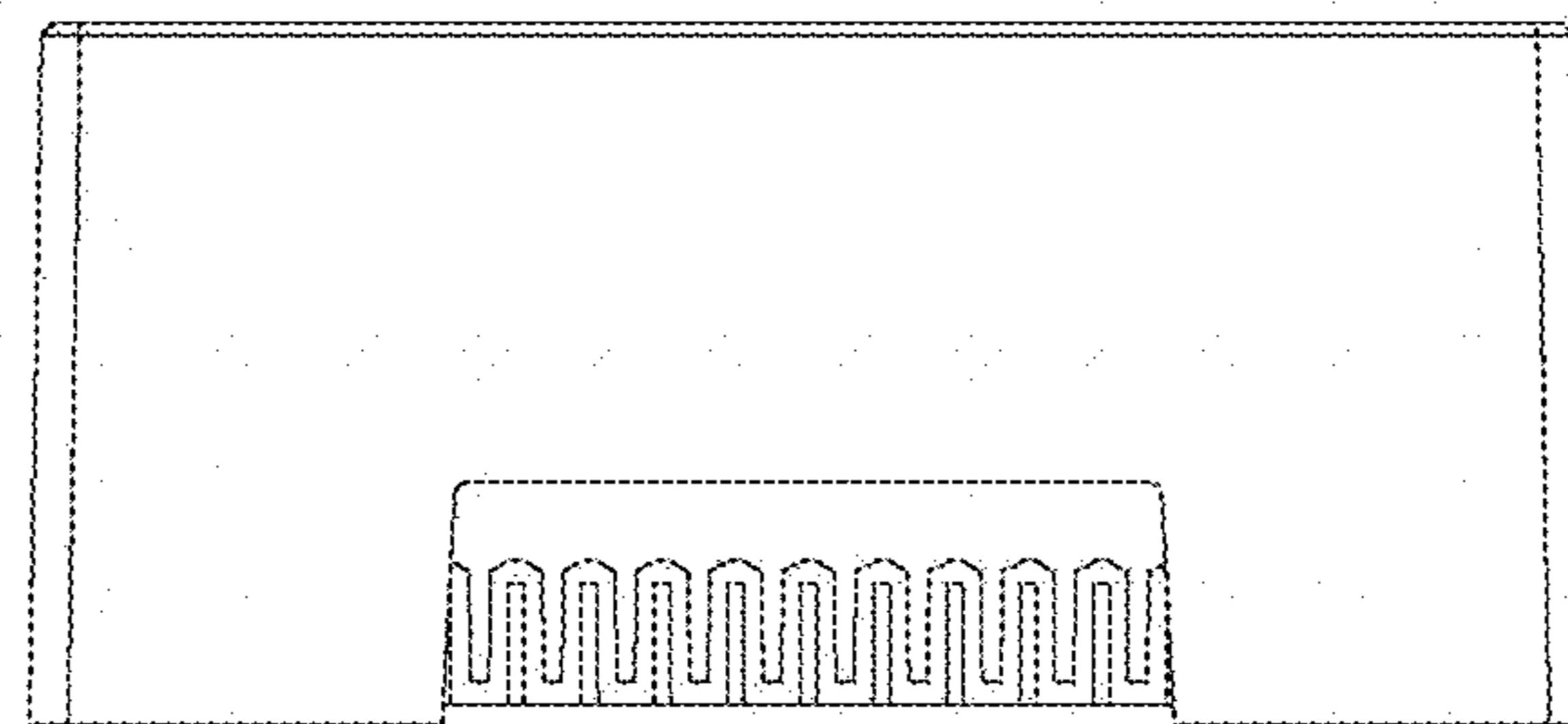


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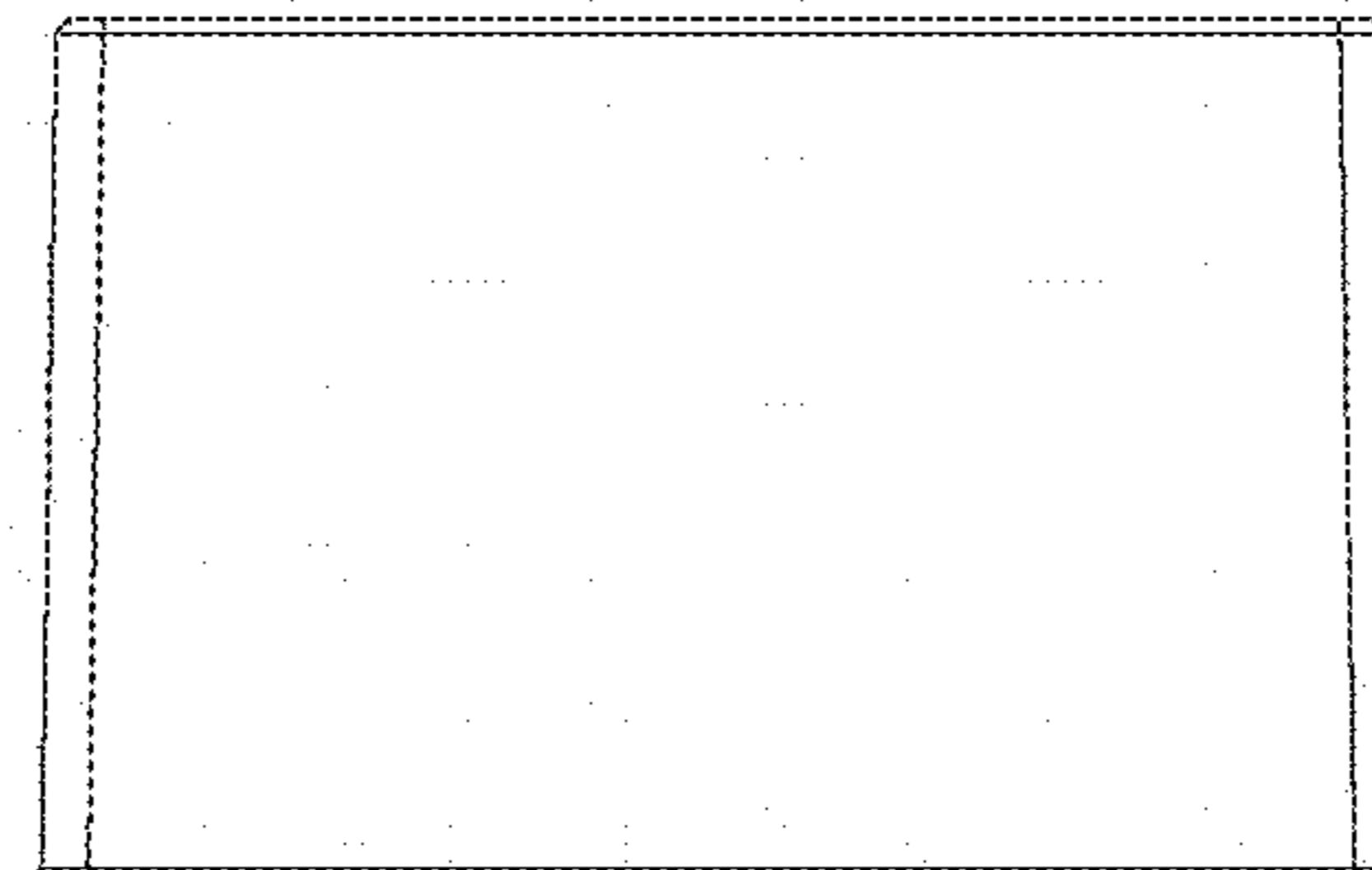


FIG. 4

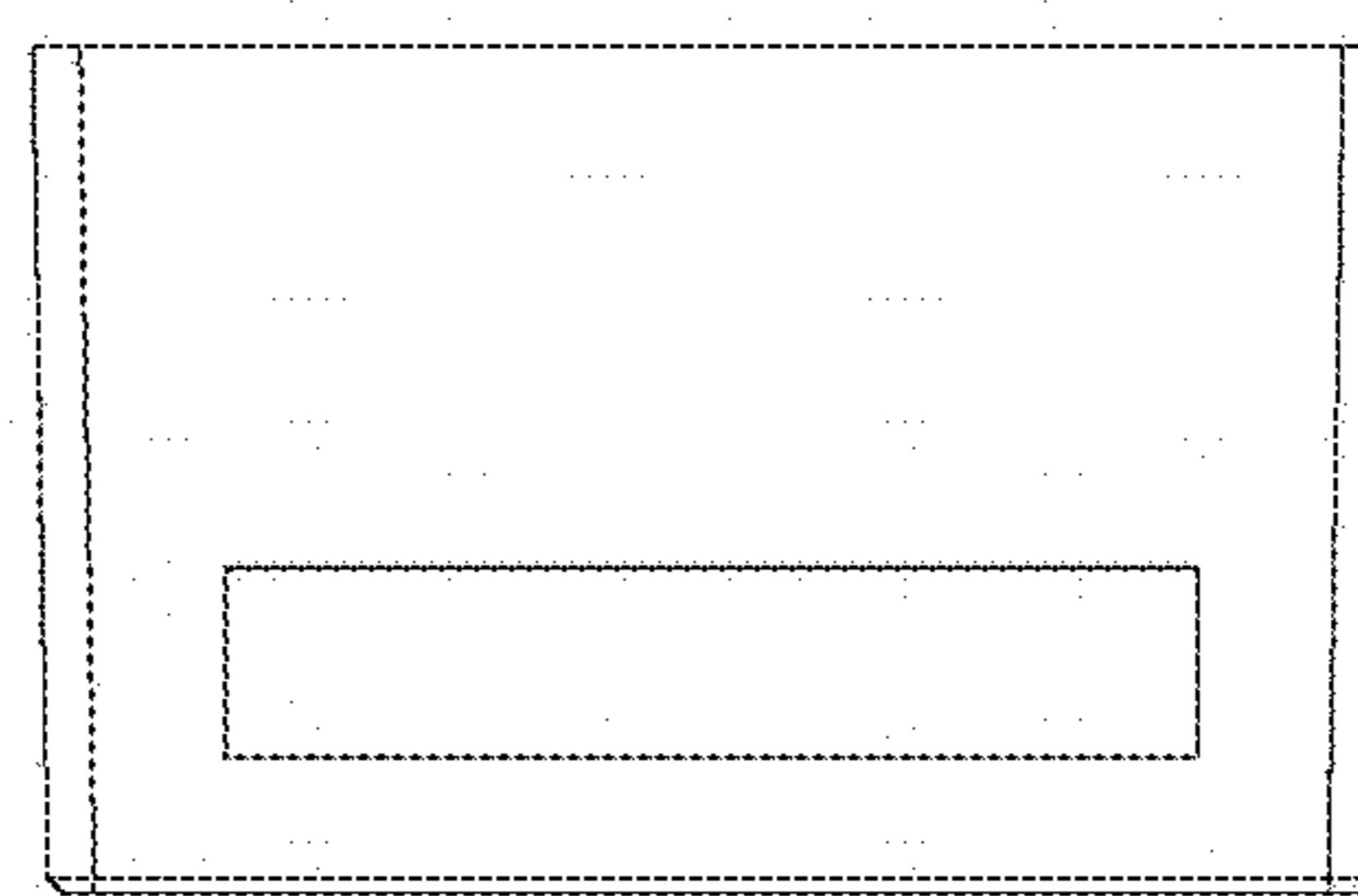


FIG. 5

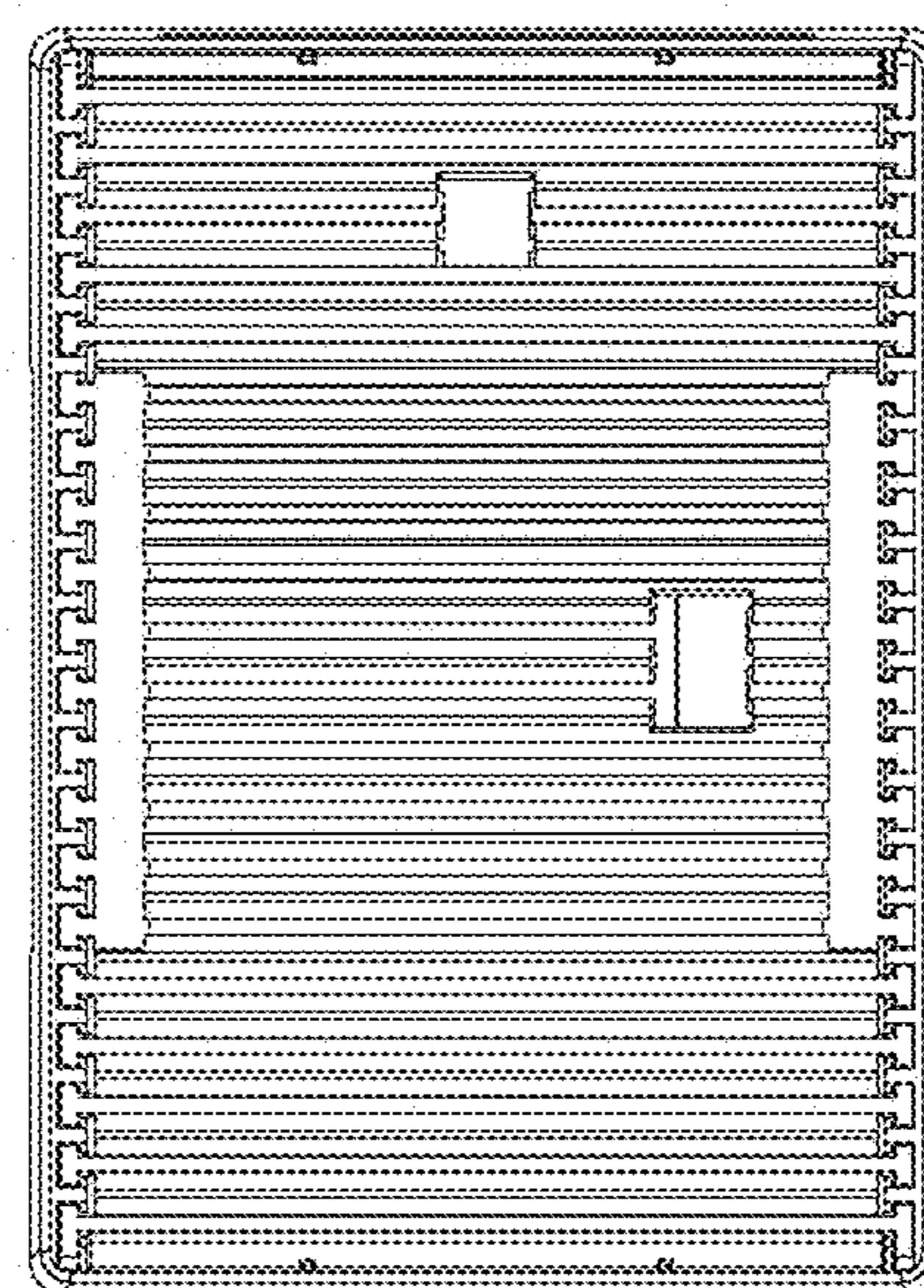


FIG. 6

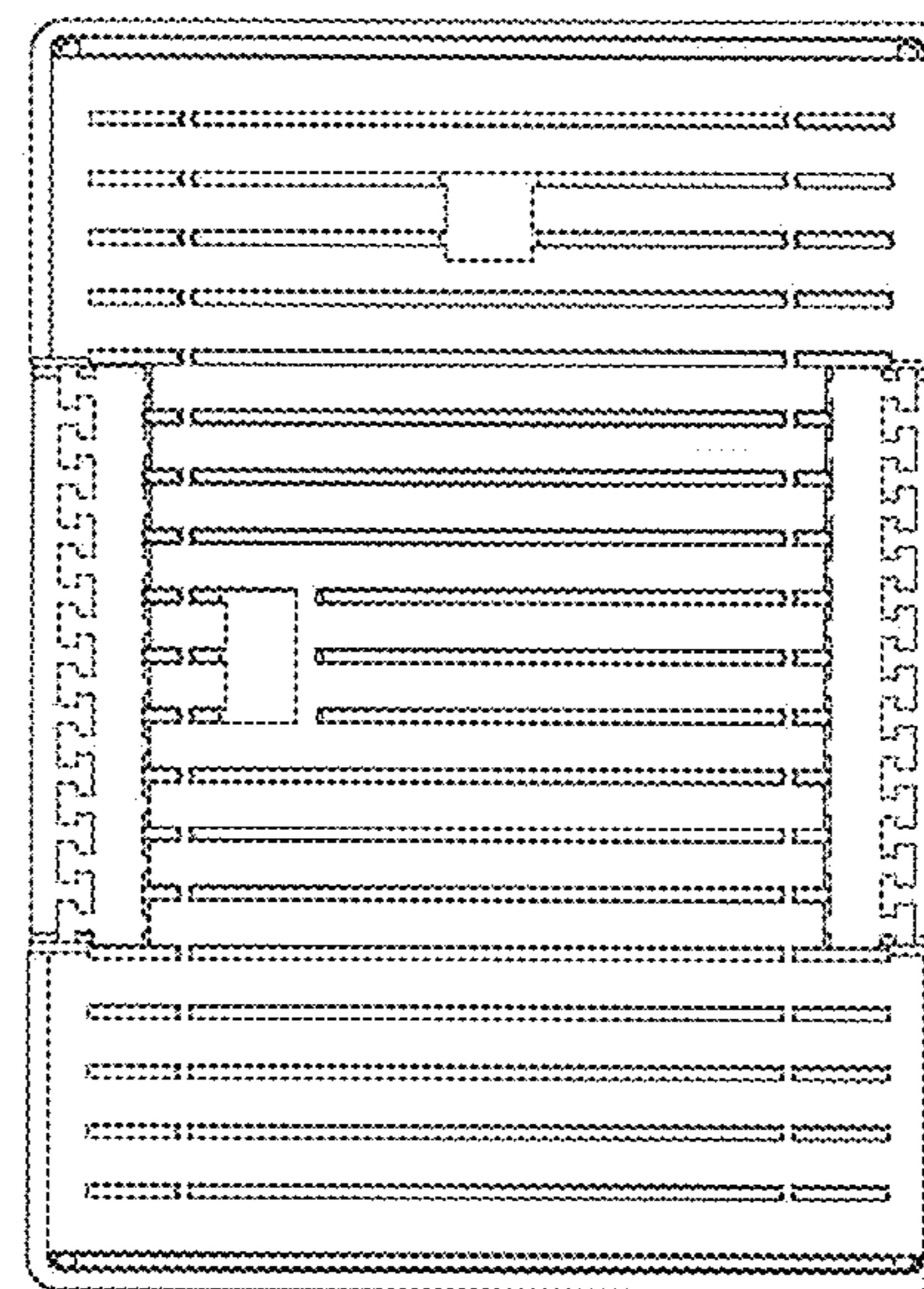


FIG. 7