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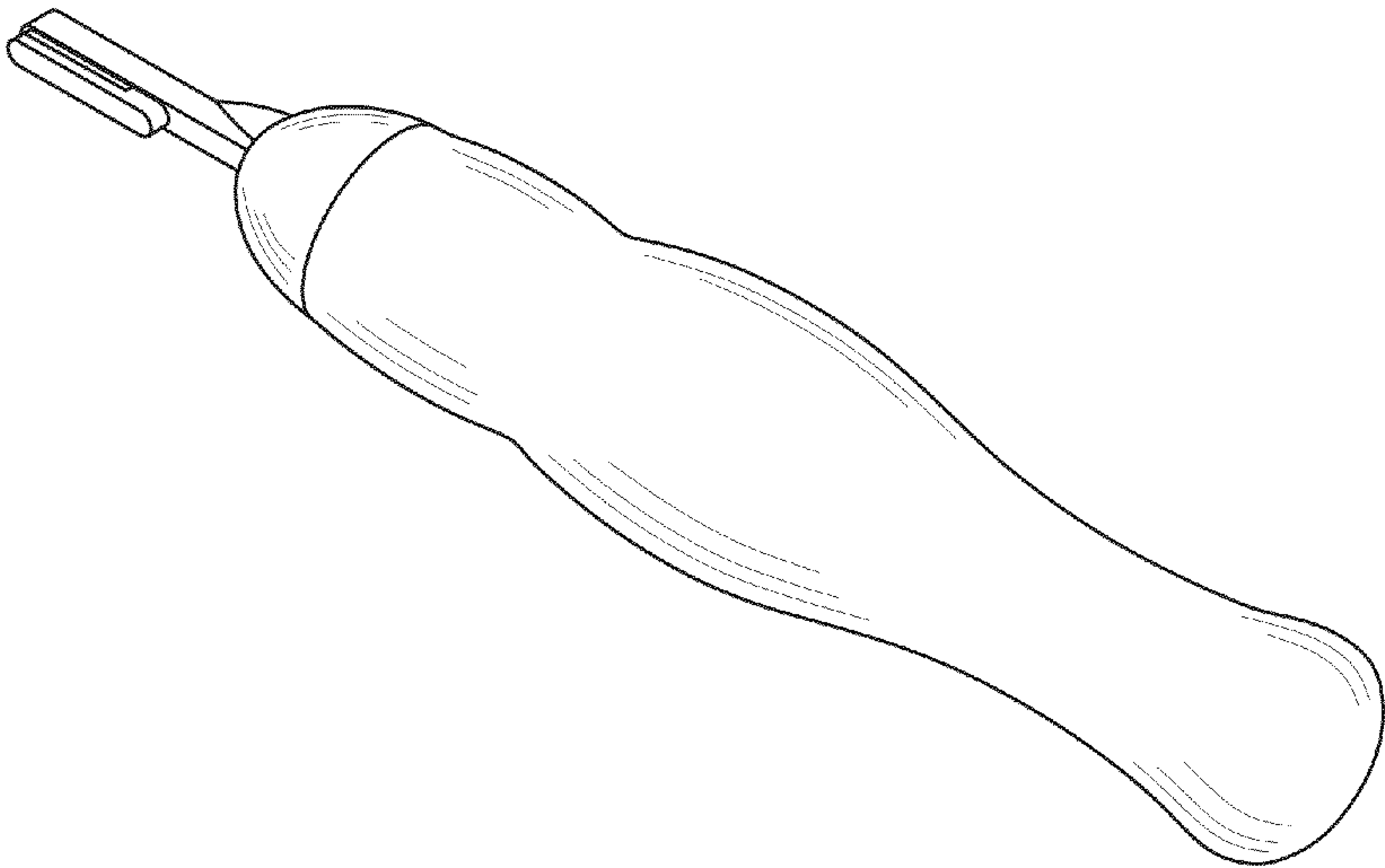
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(57) **CLAIM**
The ornamental design for a scalpel handle, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a side elevation view of a scalpel handle.
FIG. 2 is a rear perspective view of the scalpel handle; and,
FIG. 3 is a front elevation view of the scalpel handle.
The broken line showing is for environmental purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design.
It is designed to receive a scalpel blade and be used by medical personnel during surgical procedures.

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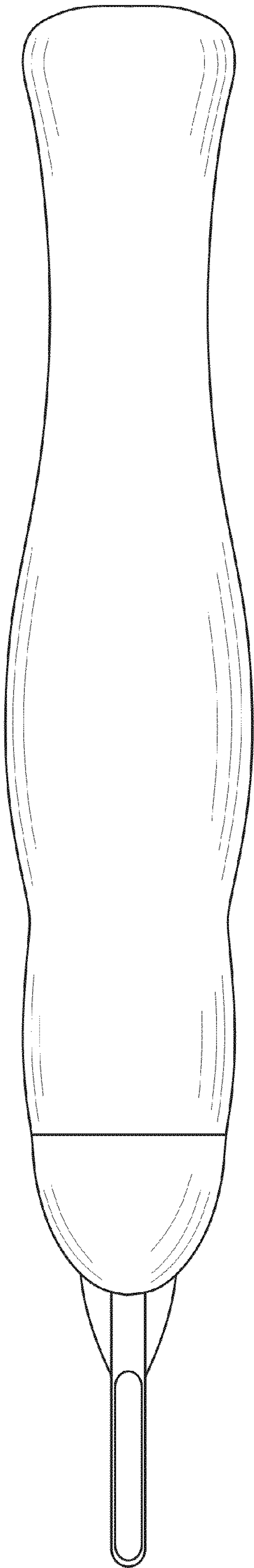


FIG. 1

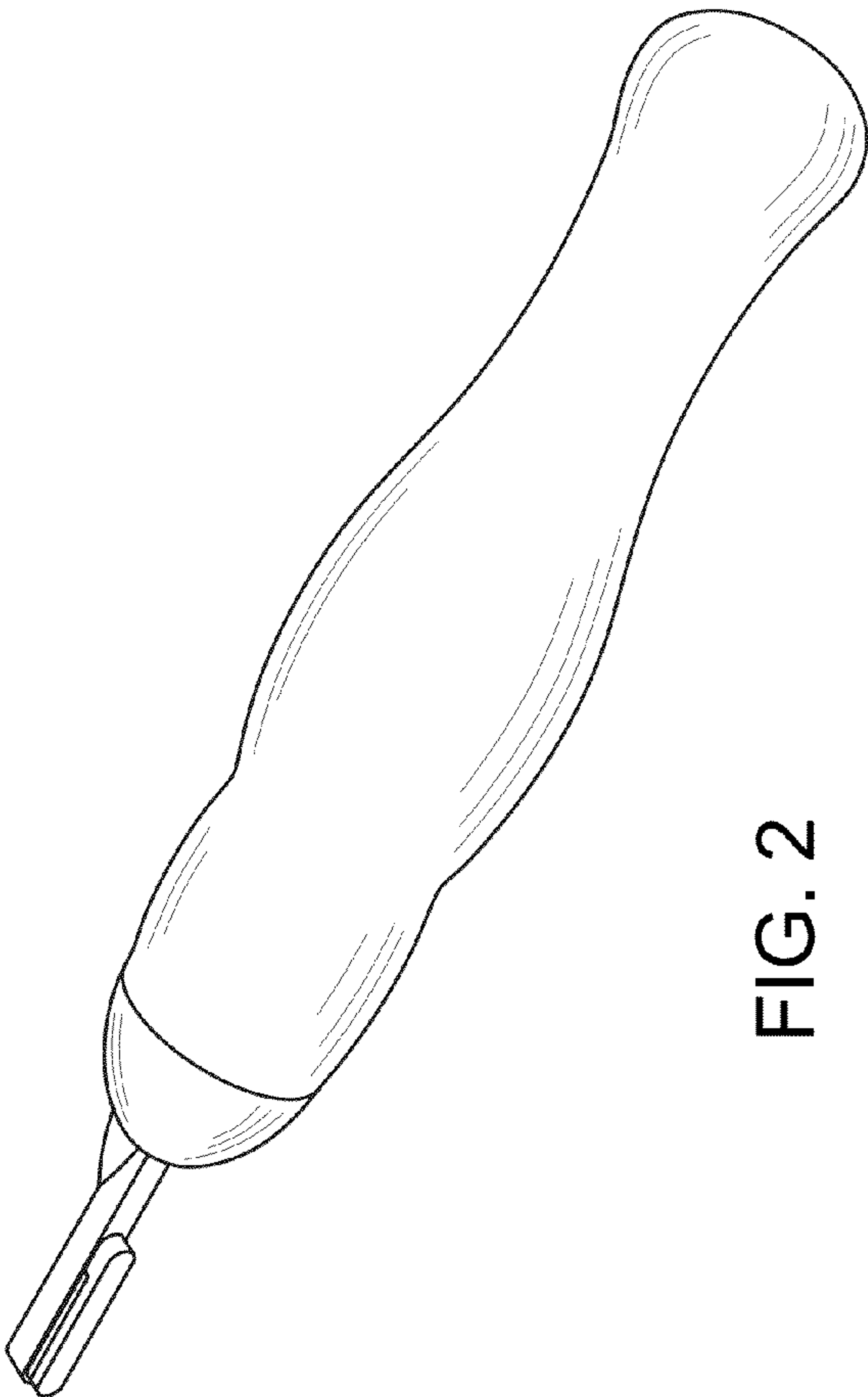


FIG. 2

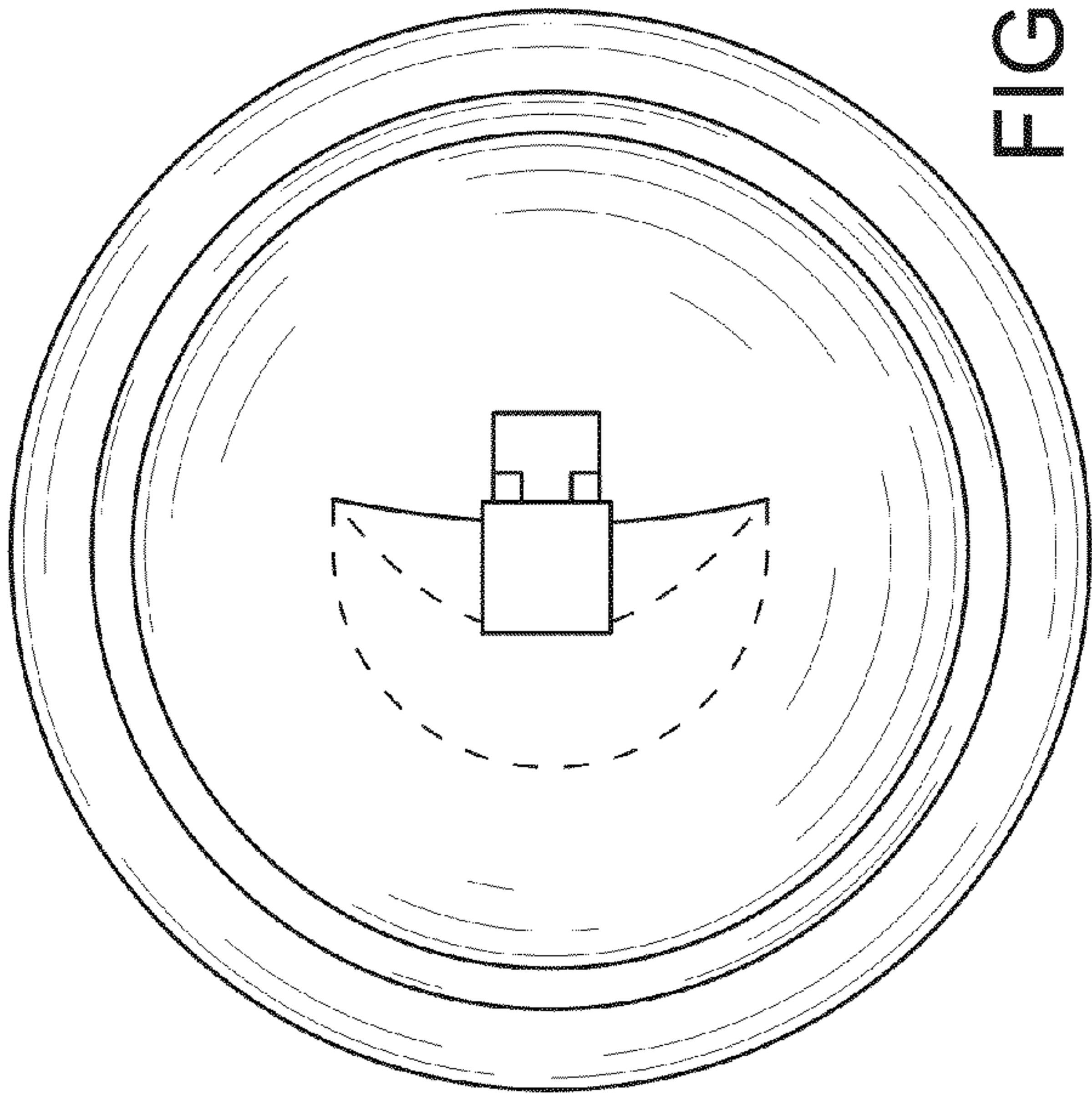


FIG. 3