



US00D705351S

(12) **United States Design Patent**
DeCarlo et al.

(10) **Patent No.:** **US D705,351 S**

(45) **Date of Patent:** **** May 20, 2014**

(54) **FILE FOLDER**

(71) Applicant: **Ideastream Consumer Products, LLC**,
Cleveland, OH (US)

(72) Inventors: **Anthony J. DeCarlo**, Parma, OH (US);
Curtis Patrick Taylor, Chagrin Falls,
OH (US); **Chanseol Chung**, Hollywood,
FL (US)

(73) Assignee: **Ideastream Consumer Products, LLC**,
Cleveland, OH (US)

(**) Term: **14 Years**

(21) Appl. No.: **29/464,580**

(22) Filed: **Aug. 19, 2013**

Related U.S. Application Data

(63) Continuation of application No. 29/415,798, filed on
Mar. 14, 2012, now Pat. No. Des. 688,302, which is a
continuation of application No. 29/368,350, filed on
Aug. 23, 2010, now abandoned, which is a
continuation of application No. 29/299,333, filed on
Dec. 21, 2007, now Pat. No. Des. 622,320.

(51) **LOC (10) Cl.** **19-04**

(52) **U.S. Cl.**

USPC **D19/26**

(58) **Field of Classification Search**

USPC D19/26-33, 86, 90, 99; 40/359, 641;
206/425; 211/46, 113, 126.13, 162;
229/67.1, 67.2, 67.3, 67.4; 281/29, 31,
281/45

See application file for complete search history.

(56) **References Cited**

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

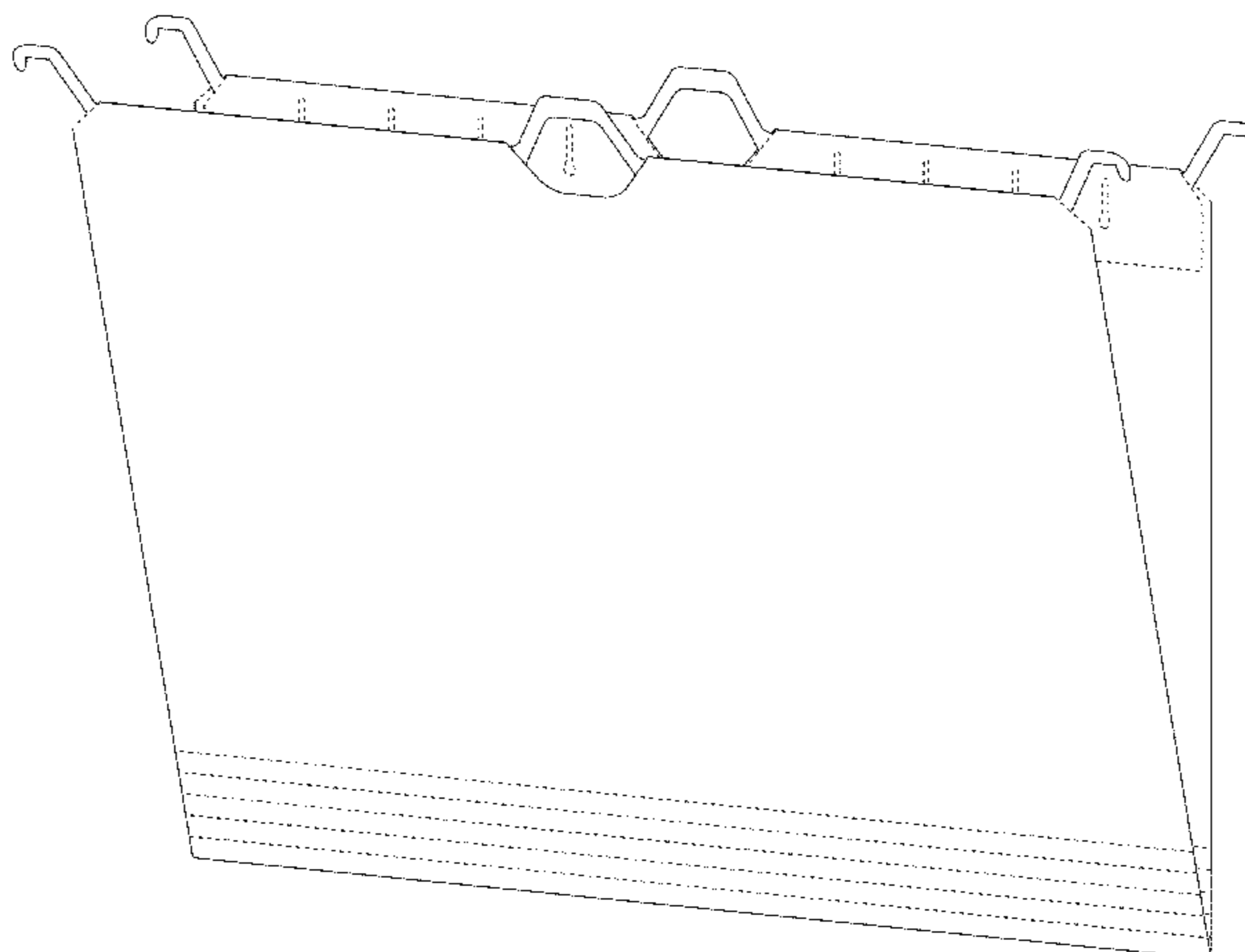
1,575,673 A * 3/1926 Cameron 40/119
2,257,052 A * 9/1941 Hanna 211/46
2,318,077 A * 5/1943 Jonas 211/46
2,468,897 A * 5/1949 Rothe 383/22
2,664,089 A * 12/1953 Meltzer 40/651

2,800,907 A * 7/1957 Jonas 211/162
D201,935 S * 8/1965 Kelley D19/86
3,667,854 A * 6/1972 Jonas 402/17
4,053,057 A * 10/1977 Snowden 211/126.13
4,255,888 A * 3/1981 Bastogne 40/359
4,294,028 A * 10/1981 Reymond 40/359
4,400,107 A * 8/1983 Pitts 402/4
4,526,277 A * 7/1985 Snowden et al. 211/46
D282,758 S * 2/1986 Hirsch D19/91
D298,265 S * 10/1988 Snider et al. D19/90
4,830,268 A * 5/1989 Pitts 229/67.1
5,052,646 A * 10/1991 Hawes et al. 248/214
5,066,045 A * 11/1991 Hawes et al. 281/45
5,226,734 A * 7/1993 Scott et al. 383/22
5,248,290 A * 9/1993 Hawes et al. 493/379
5,256,130 A * 10/1993 Kachel et al. 493/210
5,261,636 A * 11/1993 Hawes et al. 281/45
5,275,439 A * 1/1994 Hawes et al. 281/45
5,328,259 A * 7/1994 Meriaux 312/184
5,487,617 A * 1/1996 Cole et al. 402/4
5,515,980 A * 5/1996 Fotioo 211/46
5,570,833 A * 11/1996 Dusek 229/67.2
5,645,353 A * 7/1997 Linnell et al. 383/22
5,692,673 A * 12/1997 De Safey 229/67.2
5,721,531 A * 2/1998 Garver et al. 340/8.1
5,779,331 A * 7/1998 Fox et al. 312/184
5,833,271 A * 11/1998 Foster et al. 281/45
5,873,642 A * 2/1999 Domenig 312/183
D407,441 S * 3/1999 Greenberg et al. D19/90
5,941,450 A * 8/1999 De Safey 229/67.2
5,971,166 A * 10/1999 Ong 211/46
6,063,226 A * 5/2000 Foster et al. 156/250
6,508,376 B1 * 1/2003 Chiang 220/485
6,883,460 B2 * 4/2005 Weisenfeld 116/313
6,976,449 B2 * 12/2005 Weisenfeld 116/319
7,025,382 B2 * 4/2006 Wiggins 283/36
7,059,483 B2 * 6/2006 Scudder 211/46
7,383,652 B2 * 6/2008 Glasberg 40/641
D622,320 S * 8/2010 DeCarlo et al. D19/90
7,900,813 B2 * 3/2011 Dodson 229/67.2
7,954,694 B2 * 6/2011 DeCarlo et al. 229/67.2
8,550,330 B2 * 10/2013 Black et al. 229/67.2
8,567,659 B2 * 10/2013 Chung 229/67.1
2006/0016112 A1 * 1/2006 McCarthy et al. 40/641
2008/0030016 A1 * 2/2008 Black et al. 281/45
2008/0218044 A1 * 9/2008 Unda et al. 312/321
2009/0045246 A1 * 2/2009 Dodson et al. 229/67.2

* cited by examiner

Primary Examiner — Elizabeth Albert

(74) *Attorney, Agent, or Firm* — Calfee, Halter & Griswold
LLP



(57)

CLAIM

The ornamental design for a file folder, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a top plan view of a file folder showing our new design, wherein the folder is shown in the open position;
 FIG. 2 is a bottom plan view of the file folder of FIG. 1;
 FIG. 3 is a front elevational view of the file folder of FIG. 1;
 FIG. 4 is a rear elevational view of the file folder of FIG. 1;
 FIG. 5 is a left side elevational view of the file folder of FIG. 1;
 FIG. 6 is a right side elevation view of the file folder of FIG. 1;
 FIG. 7 is a top plan view of the file folder of FIG. 1, wherein the folder is shown in the closed position;
 FIG. 8 is another top plan view of the file folder of FIG. 7;
 FIG. 9 is a bottom plan view of the file folder of FIG. 8;
 FIG. 10 is an isometric view of the file folder of FIG. 1, wherein the folder is shown in the partially closed position;
 FIG. 11 is a top plan view of a second embodiment of the file folder shown in the open position;
 FIG. 12 is a bottom plan view of the file folder of FIG. 11;
 FIG. 13 is a front elevational view of the file folder of FIG. 11;
 FIG. 14 is a rear elevational view of the file folder of FIG. 11;
 FIG. 15 is a left side elevational view of the file folder of FIG. 11;
 FIG. 16 is a right side elevational view of the file folder of FIG. 11;
 FIG. 17 is a top plan view of the file folder of FIG. 11, wherein the folder is shown in the closed position;
 FIG. 18 is another top plan view of the file folder of FIG. 17;
 FIG. 19 is a bottom plan view of the file folder of FIG. 18;
 FIG. 20 is an isometric view of the file folder of FIG. 11, wherein the folder is shown in the partially closed position;

FIG. 21 is a top plan view of a third embodiment of the file folder shown in the open position;
 FIG. 22 is a bottom plan view of the file folder of FIG. 21;
 FIG. 23 is a front elevational view of the file folder of FIG. 21;
 FIG. 24 is a rear elevational view of the file folder of FIG. 21;
 FIG. 25 is a left side elevational view of the file folder of FIG. 21;
 FIG. 26 is a right side elevational view of the file folder of FIG. 21;
 FIG. 27 is a top plan view of the file folder of FIG. 21, wherein the folder is shown in the closed position;
 FIG. 28 is another top plan view of the file folder of FIG. 27;
 FIG. 29 is a bottom plan view of the file folder of FIG. 28;
 FIG. 30 is an isometric view of the file folder of FIG. 21, wherein the folder is shown in the partially closed position;
 FIG. 31 is a top plan view of a fourth embodiment of the file folder shown in the open position;
 FIG. 32 is a bottom plan view of the file folder of FIG. 31;
 FIG. 33 is a front elevational view of the file folder of FIG. 31;
 FIG. 34 is a rear elevational view of the file folder of FIG. 31;
 FIG. 35 is a left side elevational view of the file folder of FIG. 31;
 FIG. 36 is a right side elevational view of the file folder of FIG. 31;
 FIG. 37 is a top plan view of the file folder of FIG. 31, wherein the folder is shown in the closed position;
 FIG. 38 is another top plan view of the file folder of FIG. 37;
 FIG. 39 is a bottom plan view of the file folder of FIG. 38; and,
 FIG. 40 is an isometric view of the file folder of FIG. 31, wherein the folder is shown in the partially closed position.
 The features on the file folder and another folder inside it in broken lines are included to show features on the file folder and an article in the environment that form no part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 28 Drawing Sheets

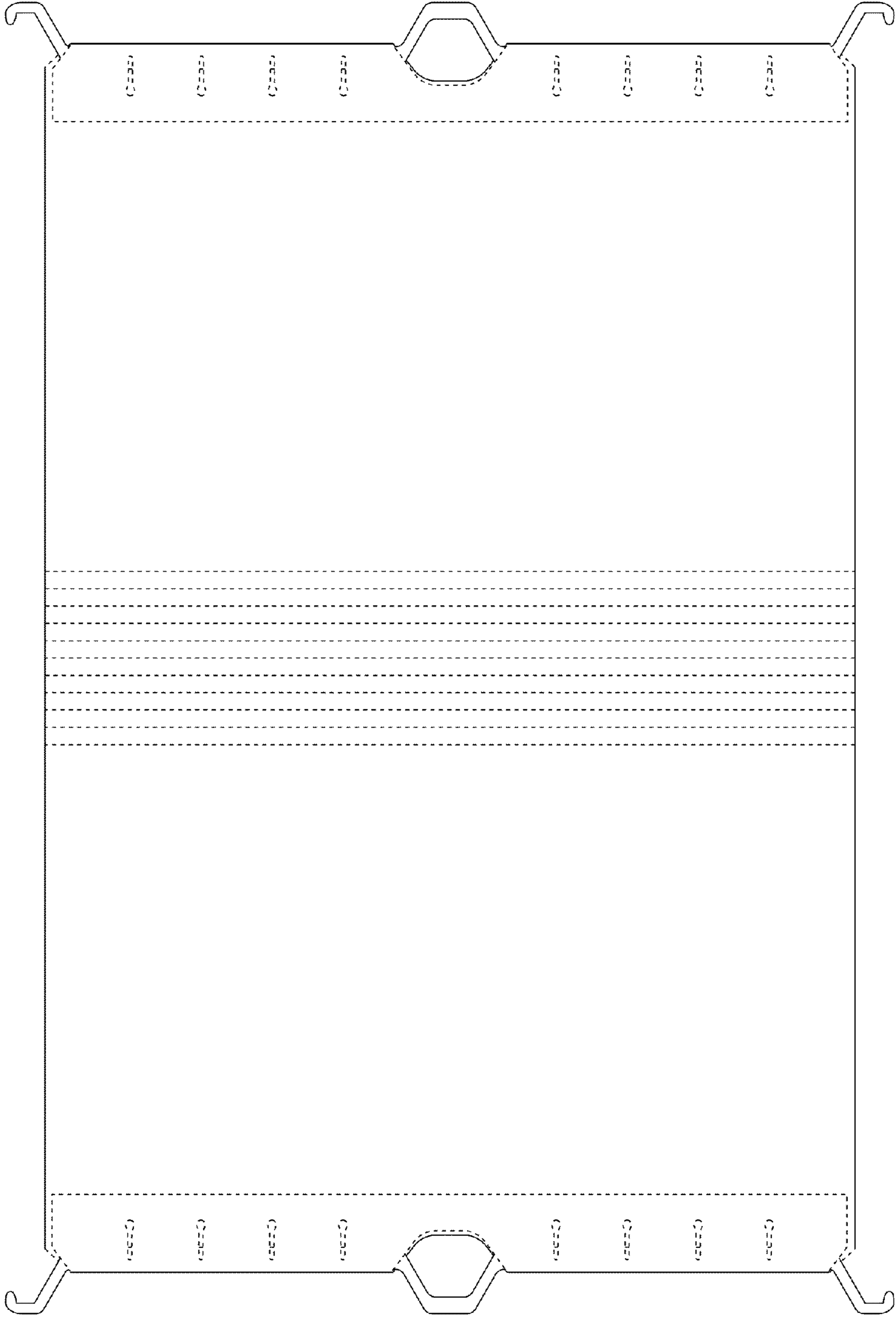


FIG. 1

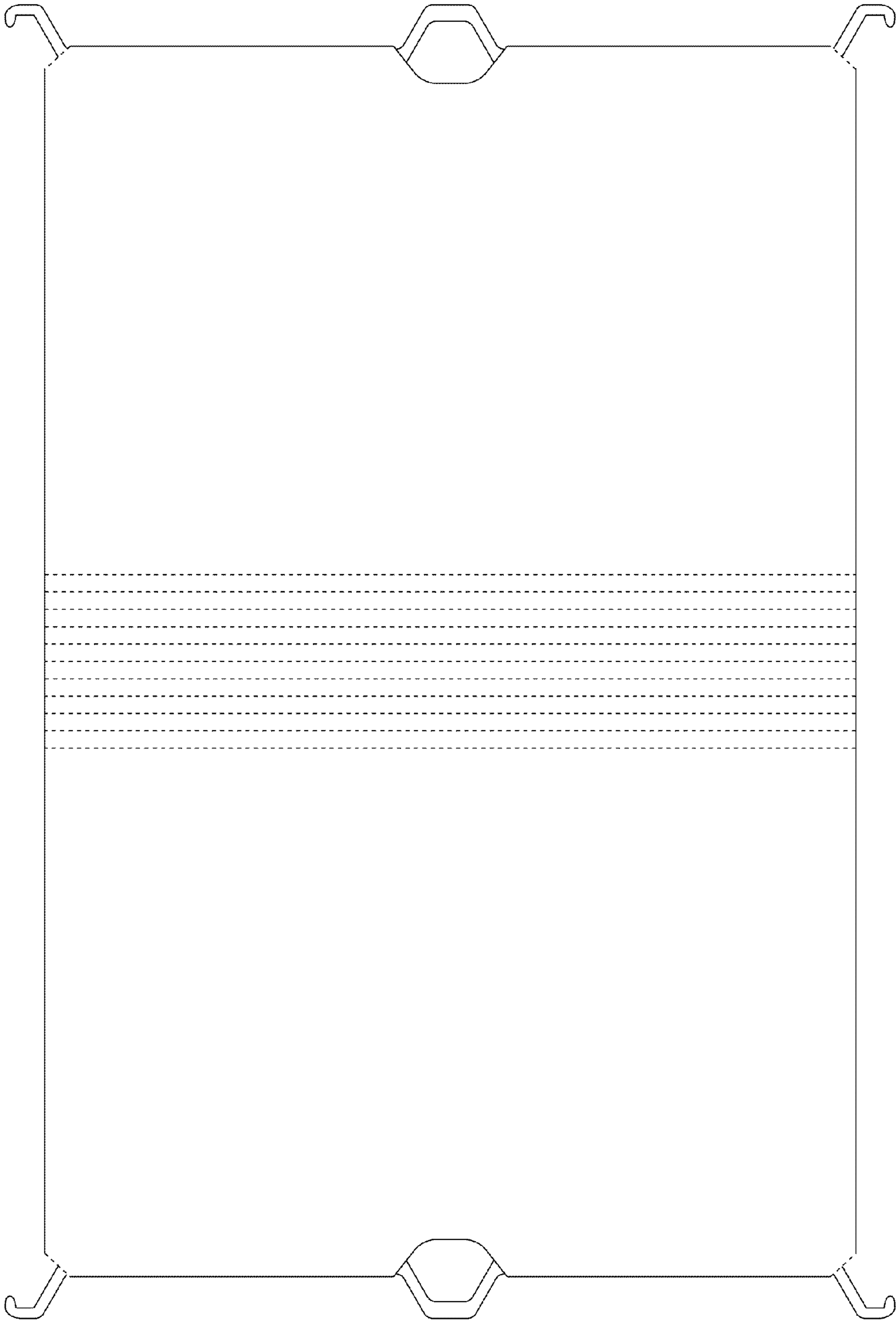


FIG. 2

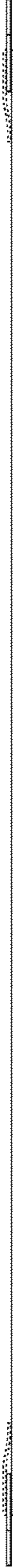


FIG. 3



FIG. 4



FIG. 5



FIG. 6

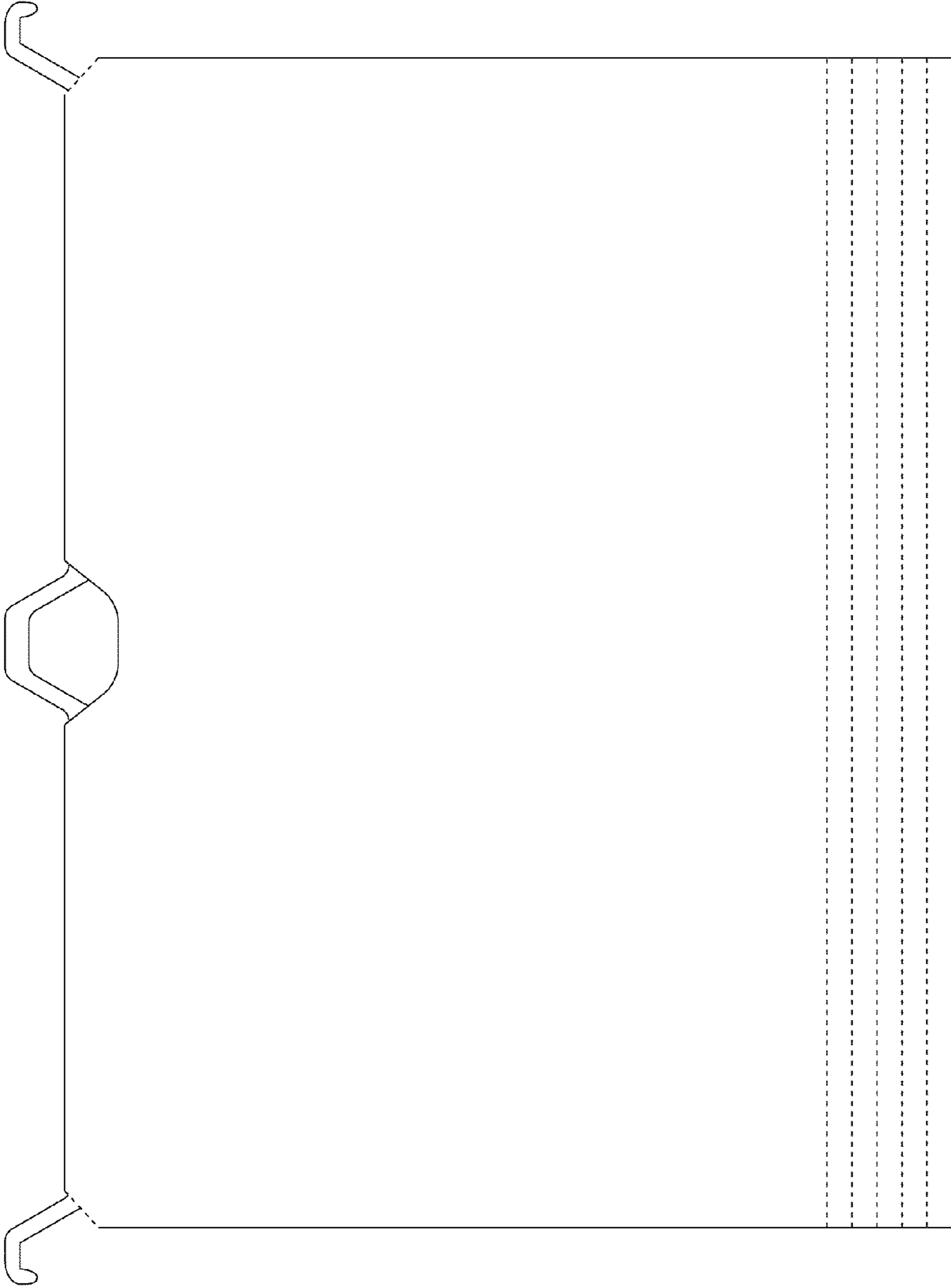


FIG. 7

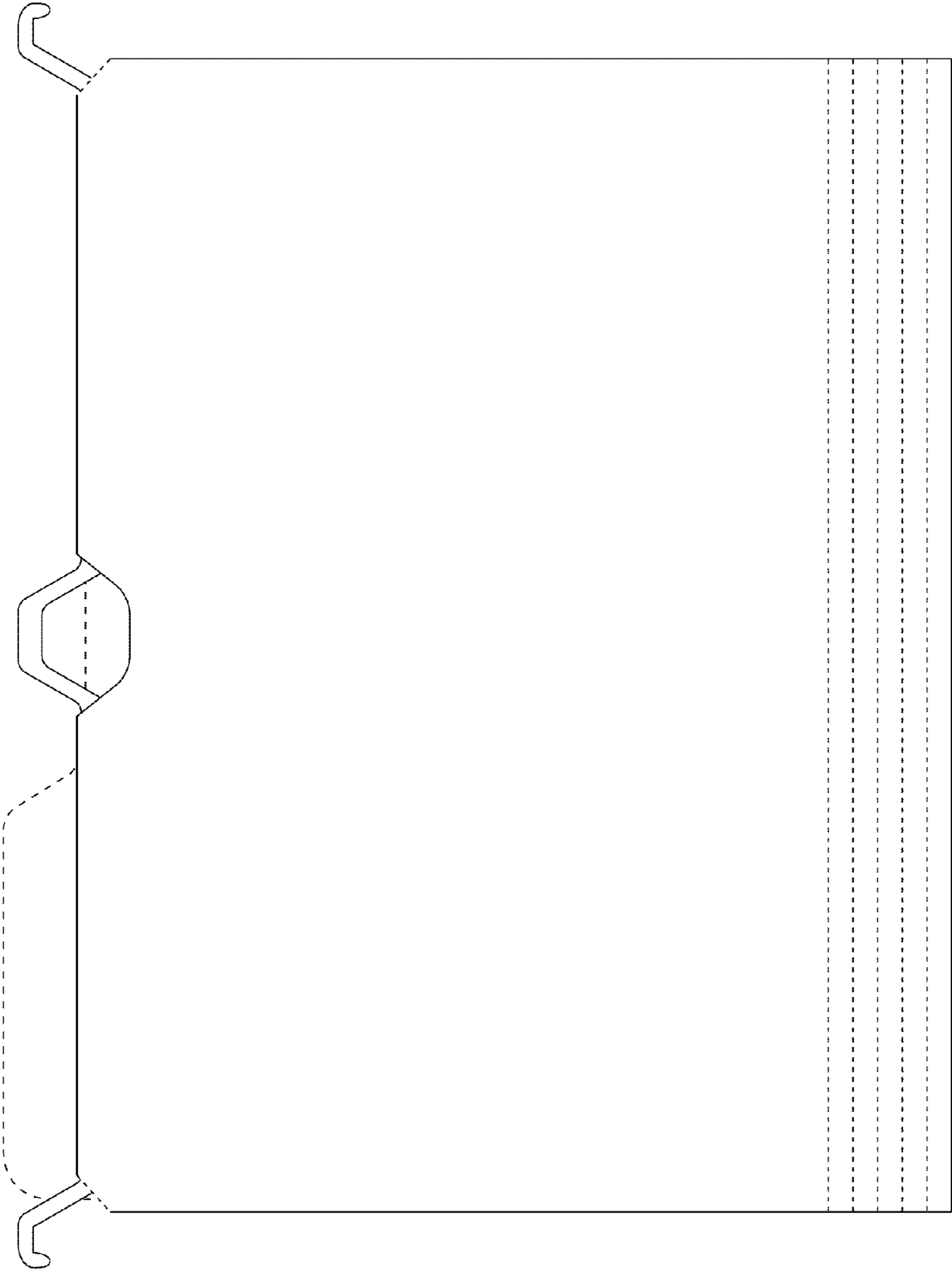


FIG. 8

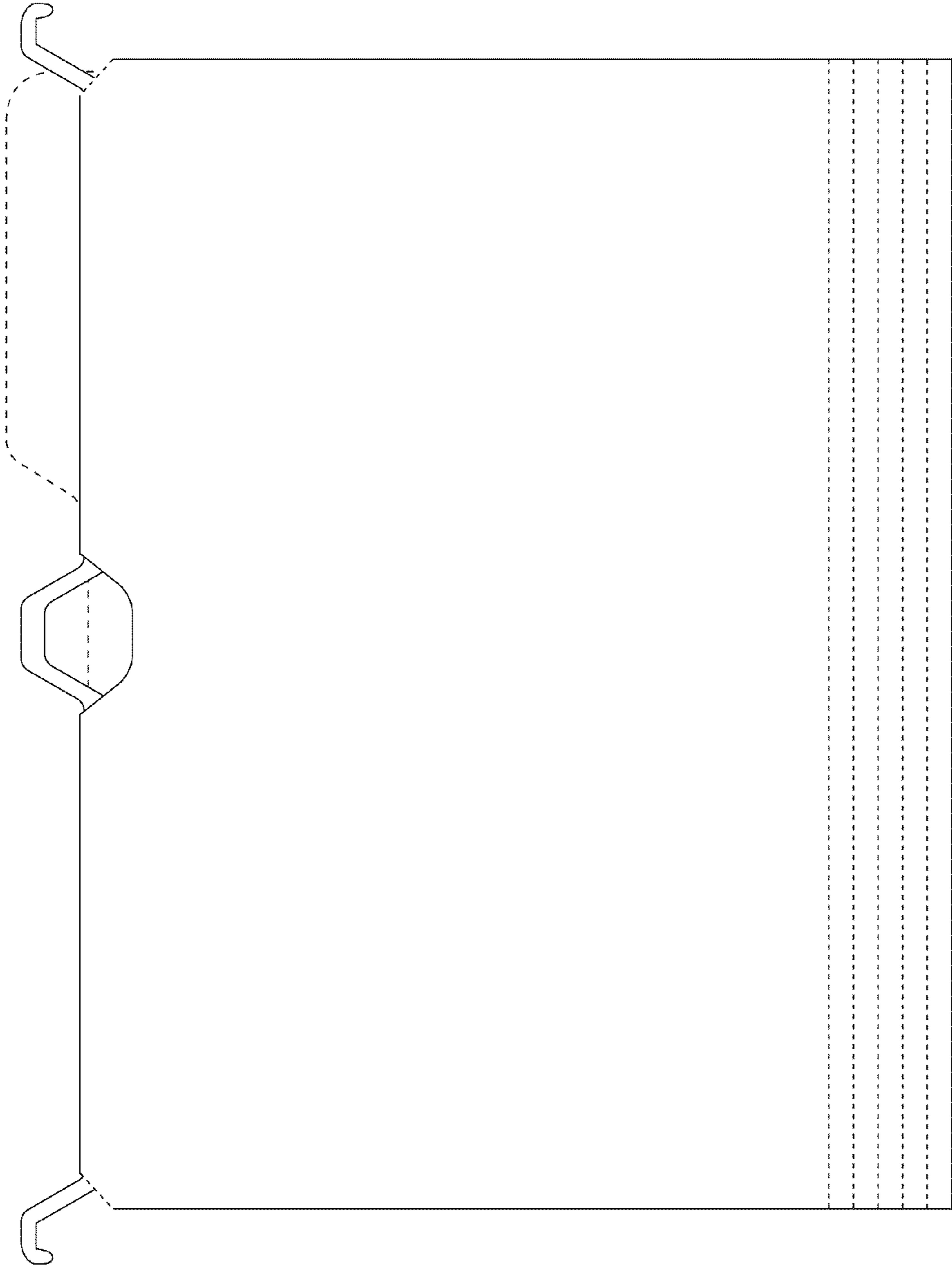


FIG. 9

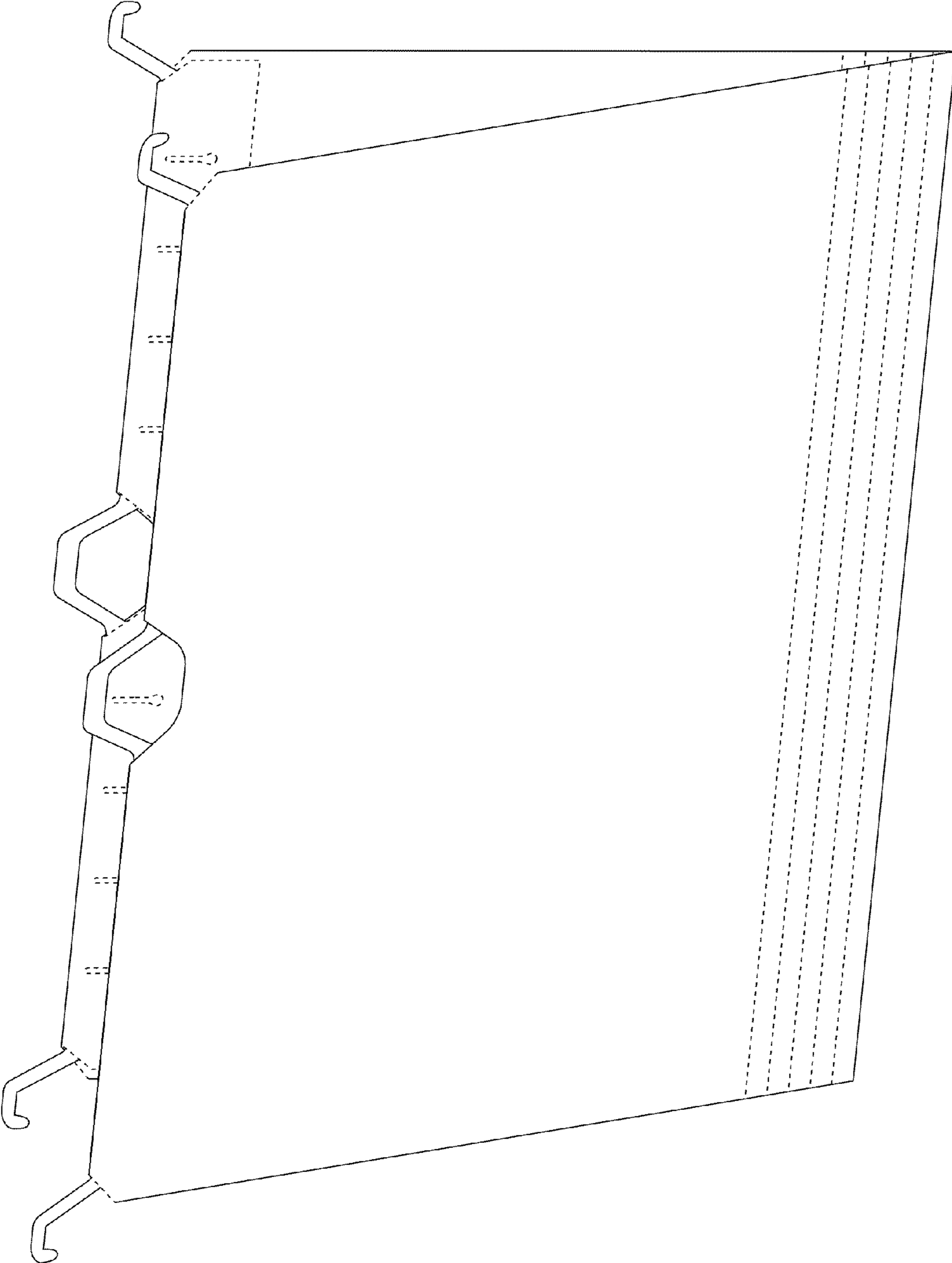


FIG. 10

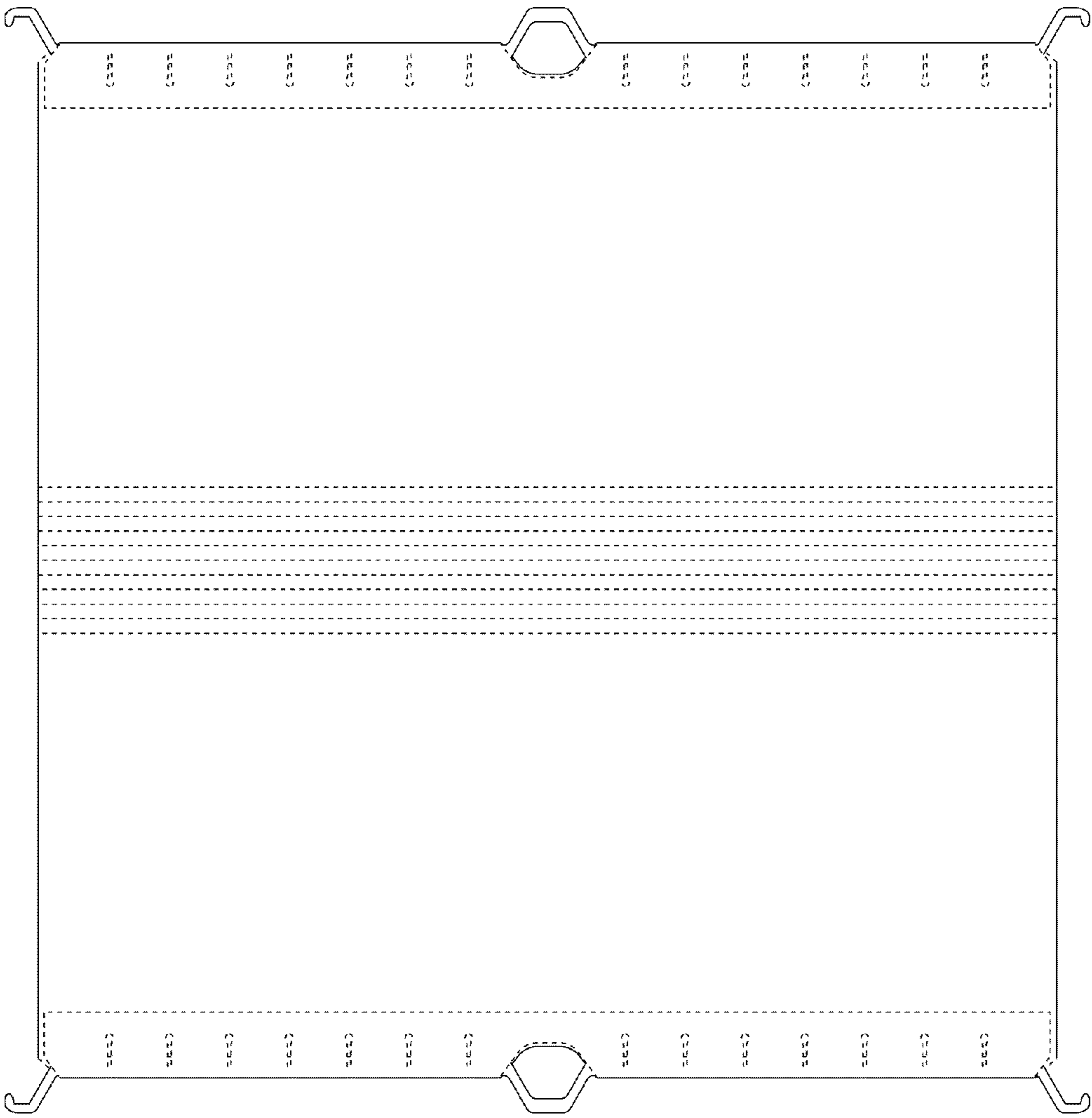


FIG. 11

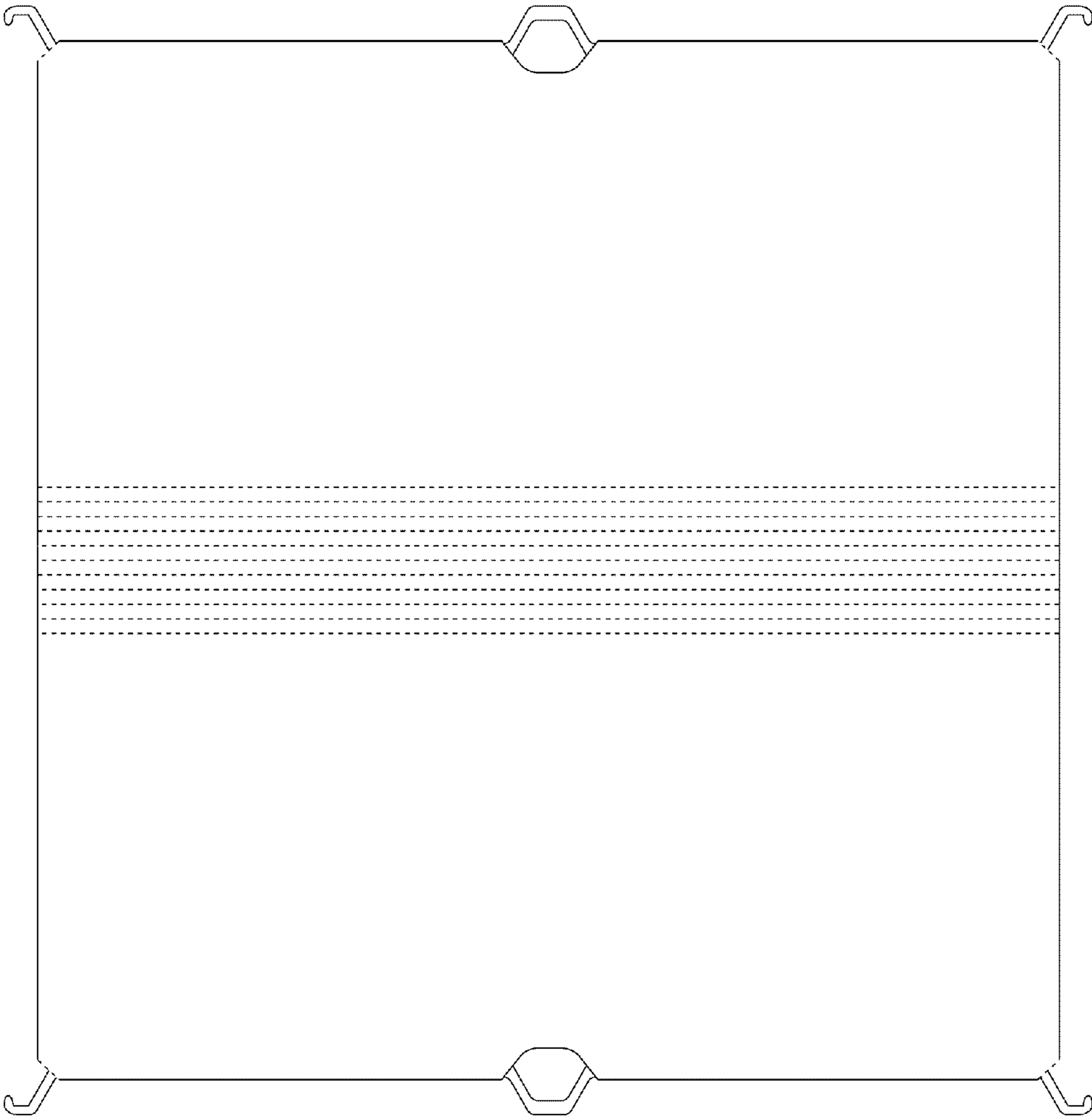


FIG. 12



FIG. 13



FIG. 14



FIG. 15



FIG. 16

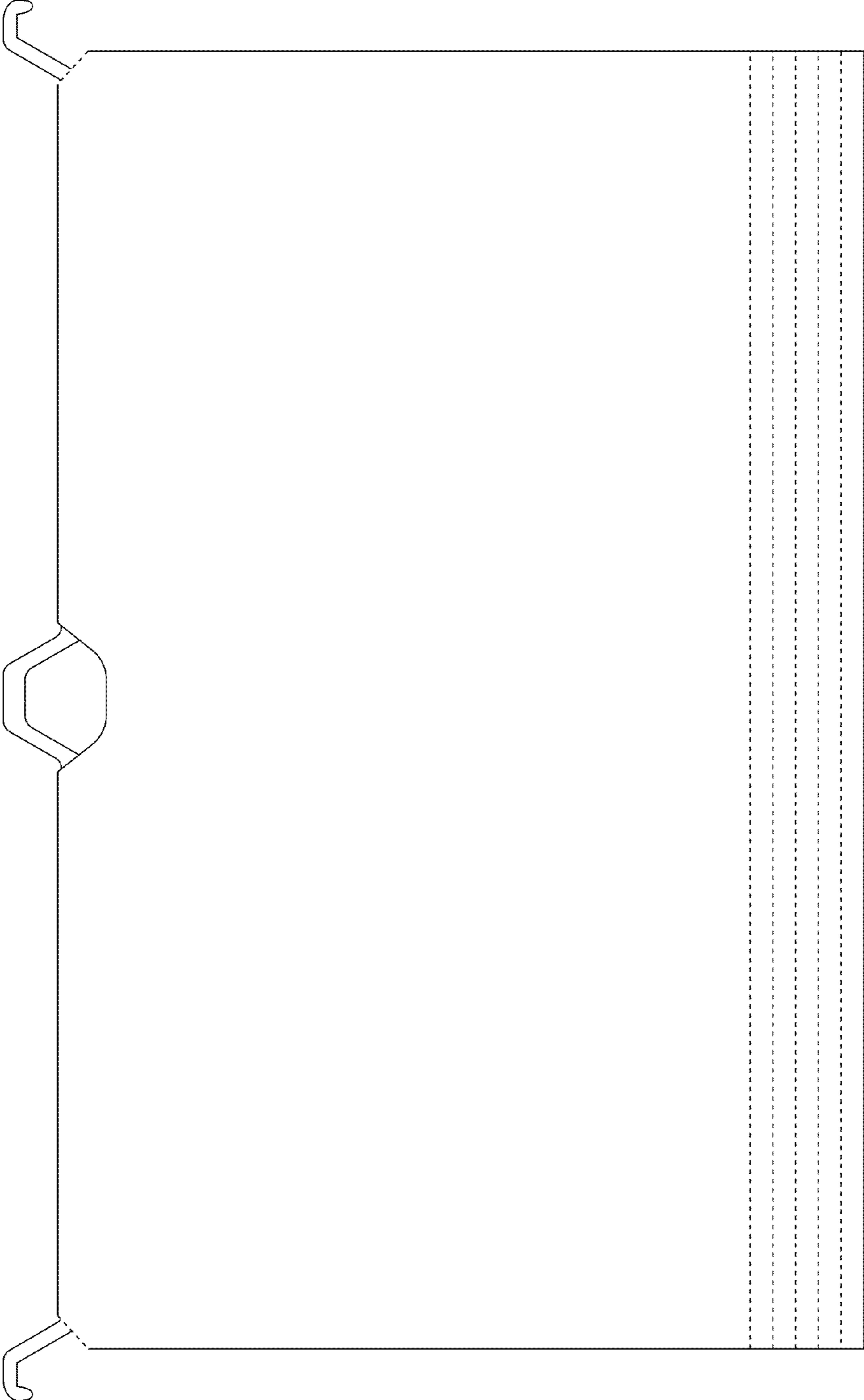


FIG. 17

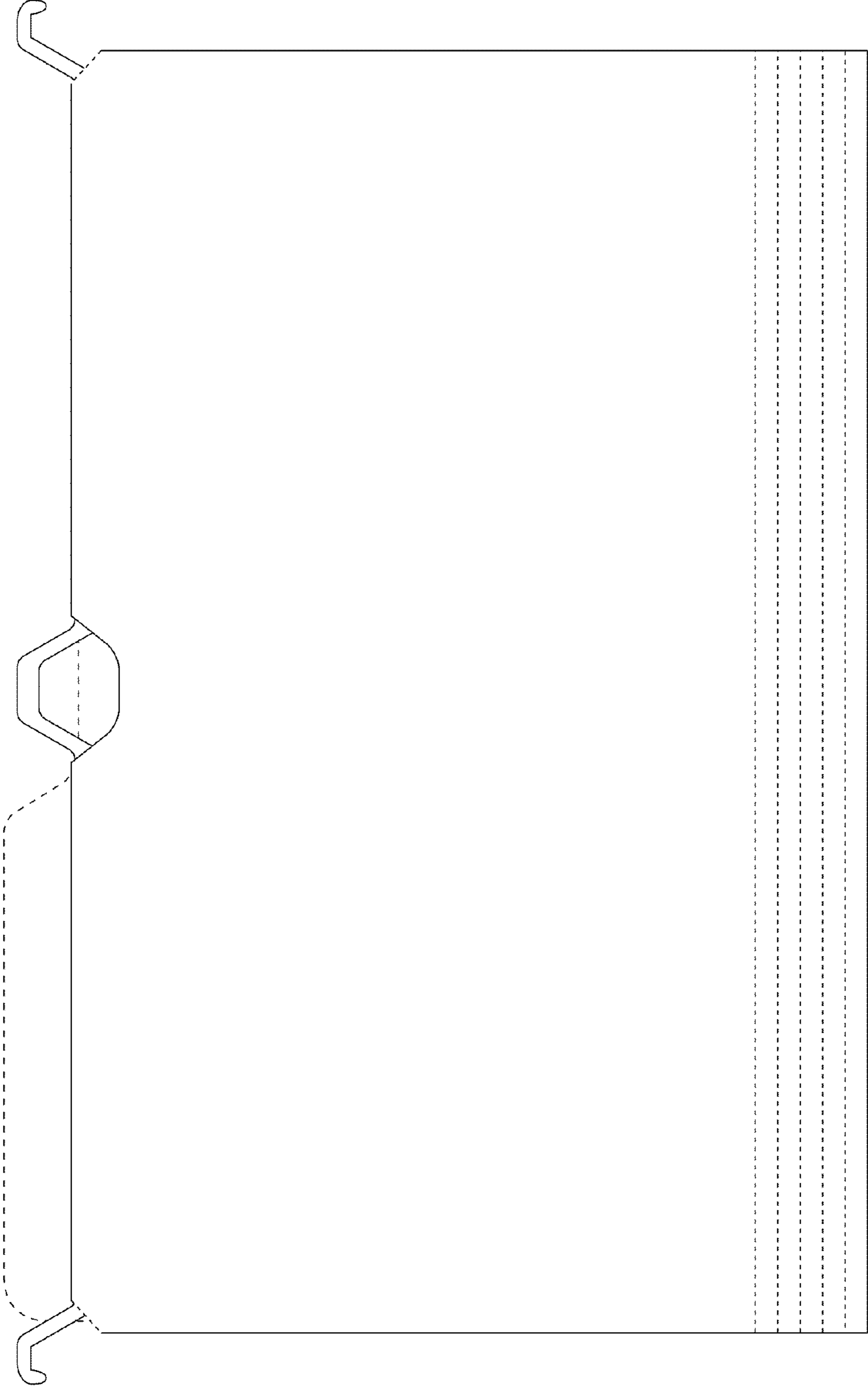


FIG. 18

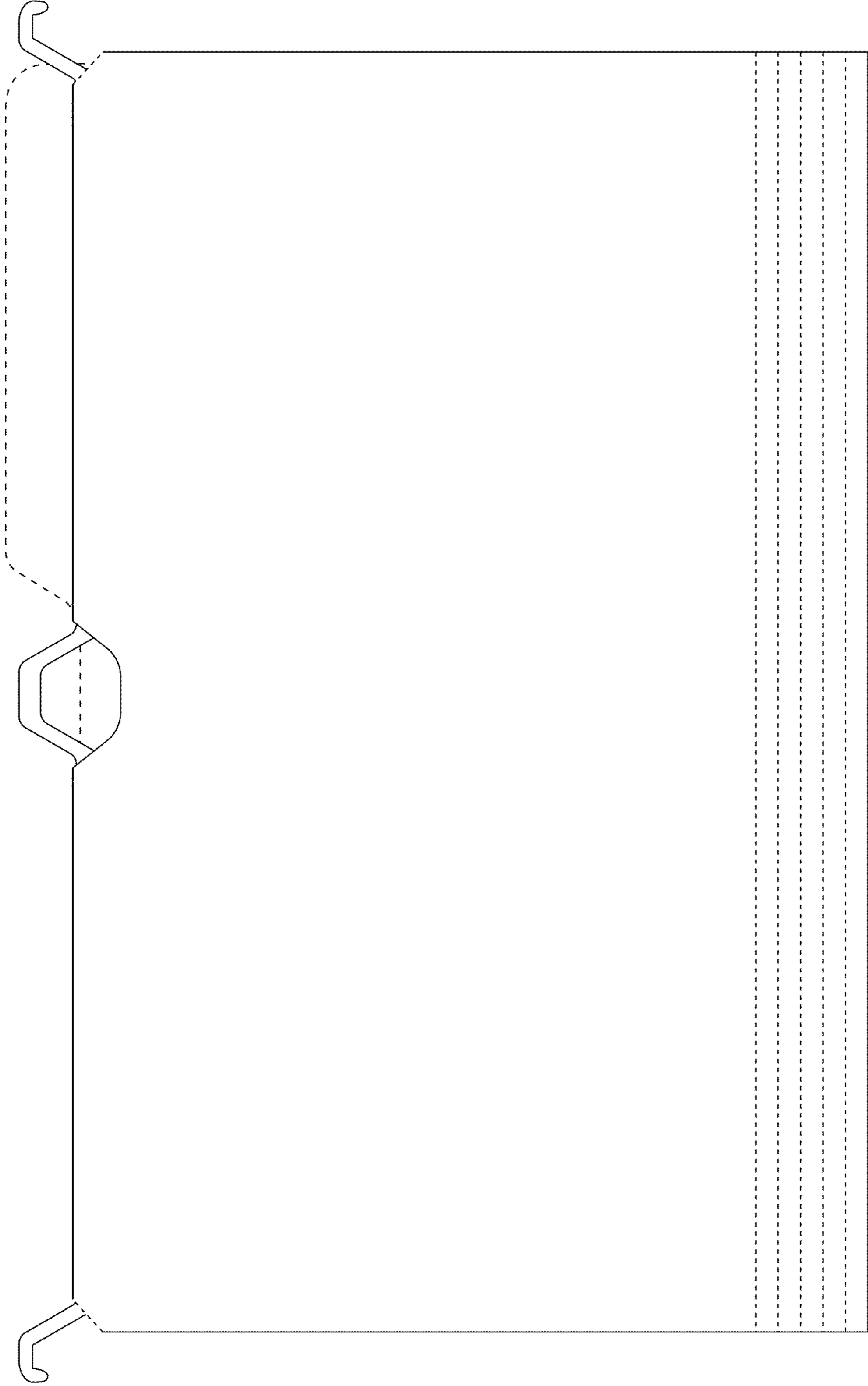


FIG. 19

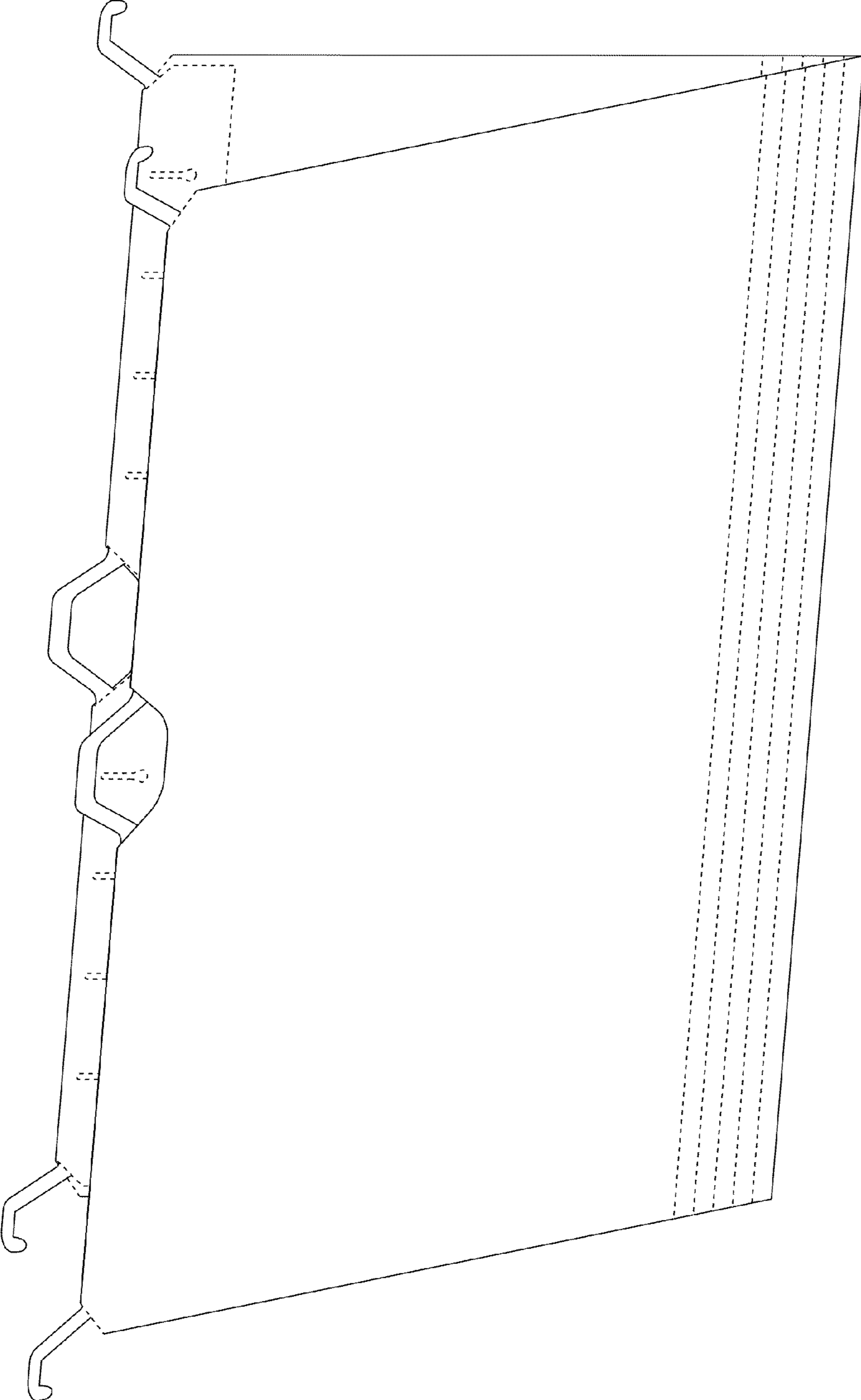


FIG. 20

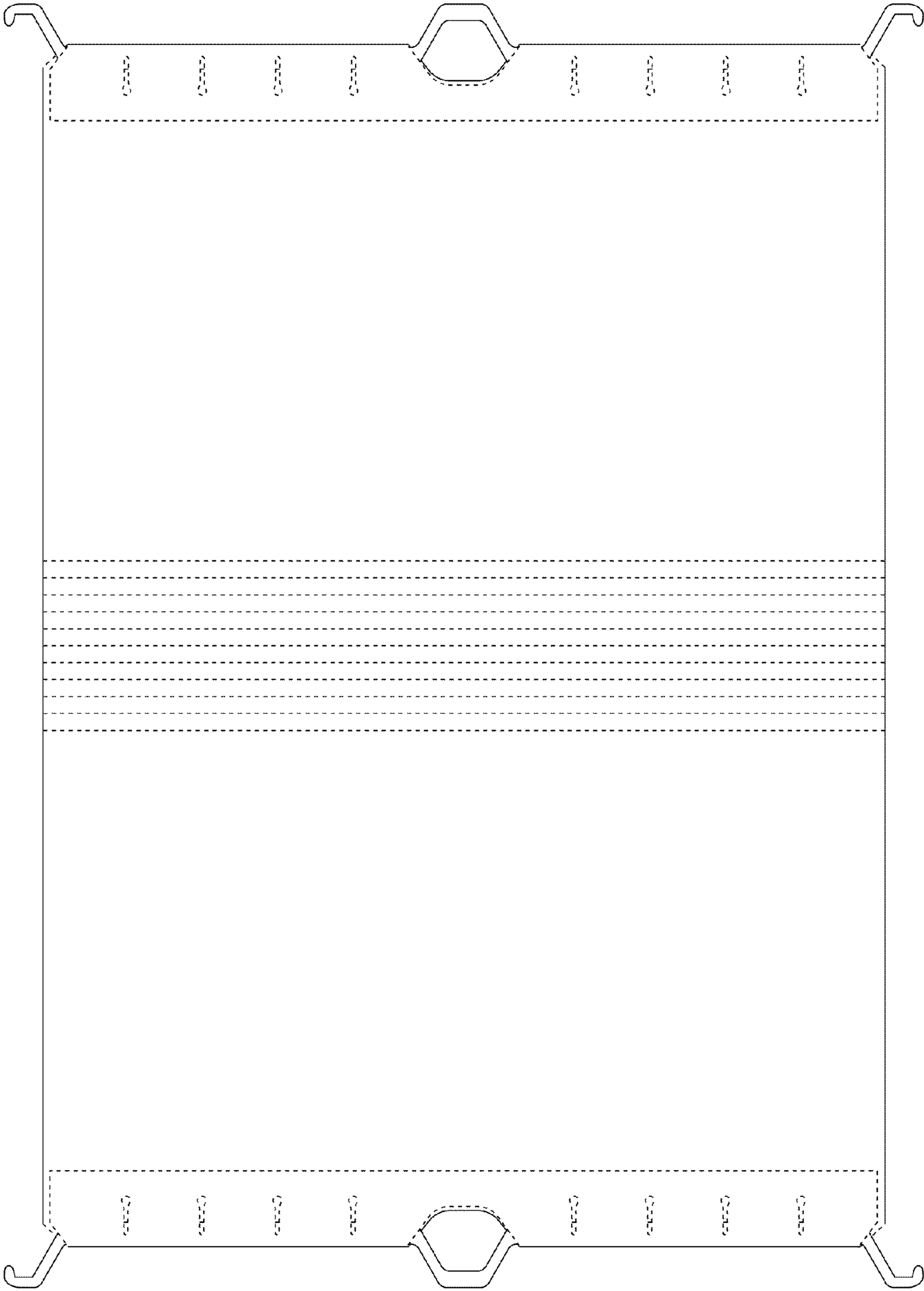


FIG. 21

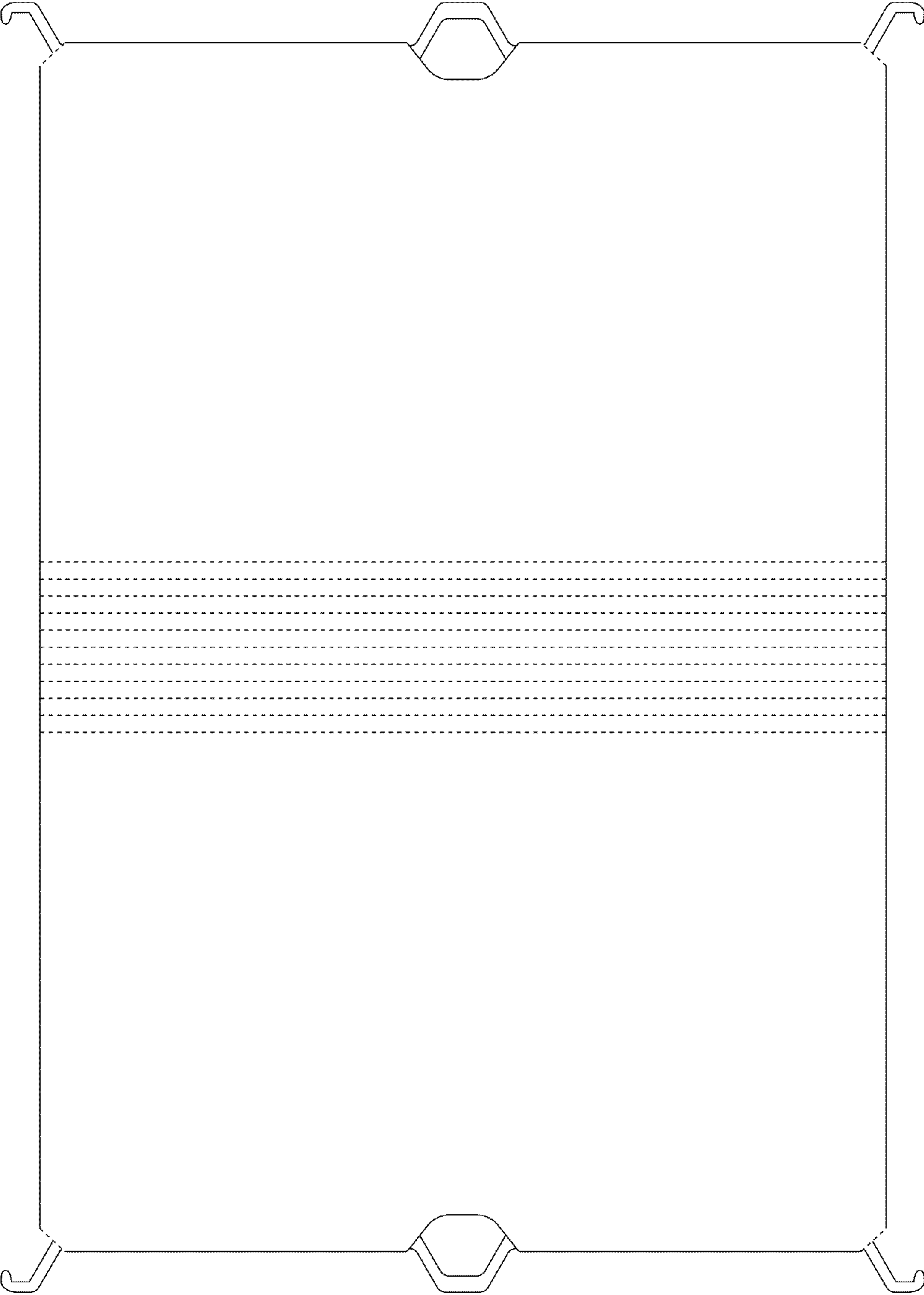


FIG. 22



FIG. 23

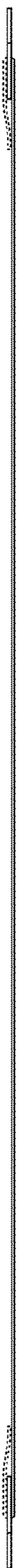


FIG. 24

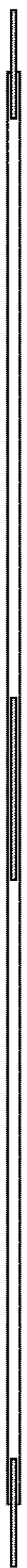


FIG. 25

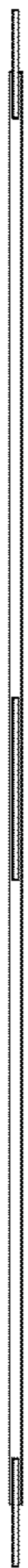


FIG. 26

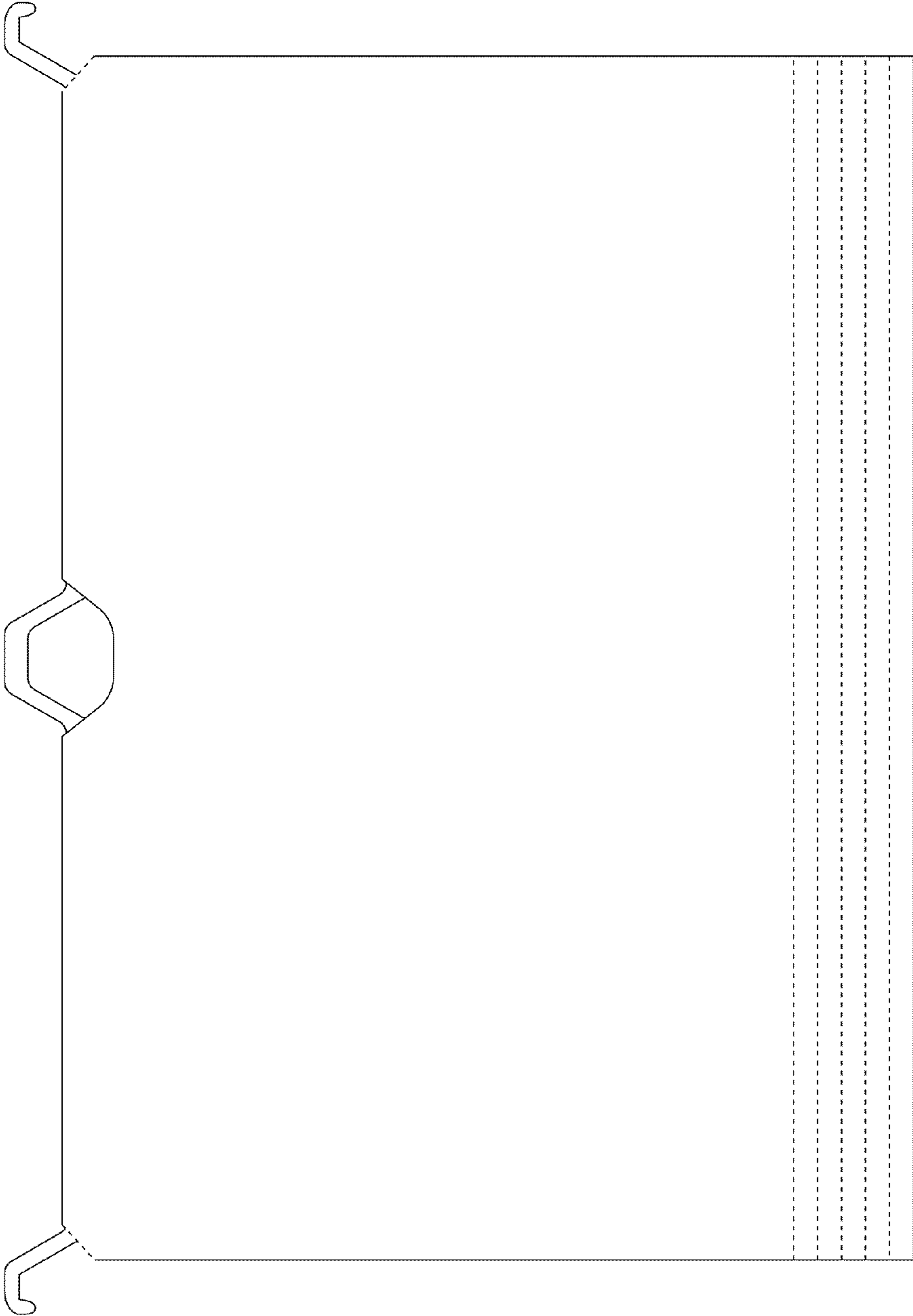


FIG. 27

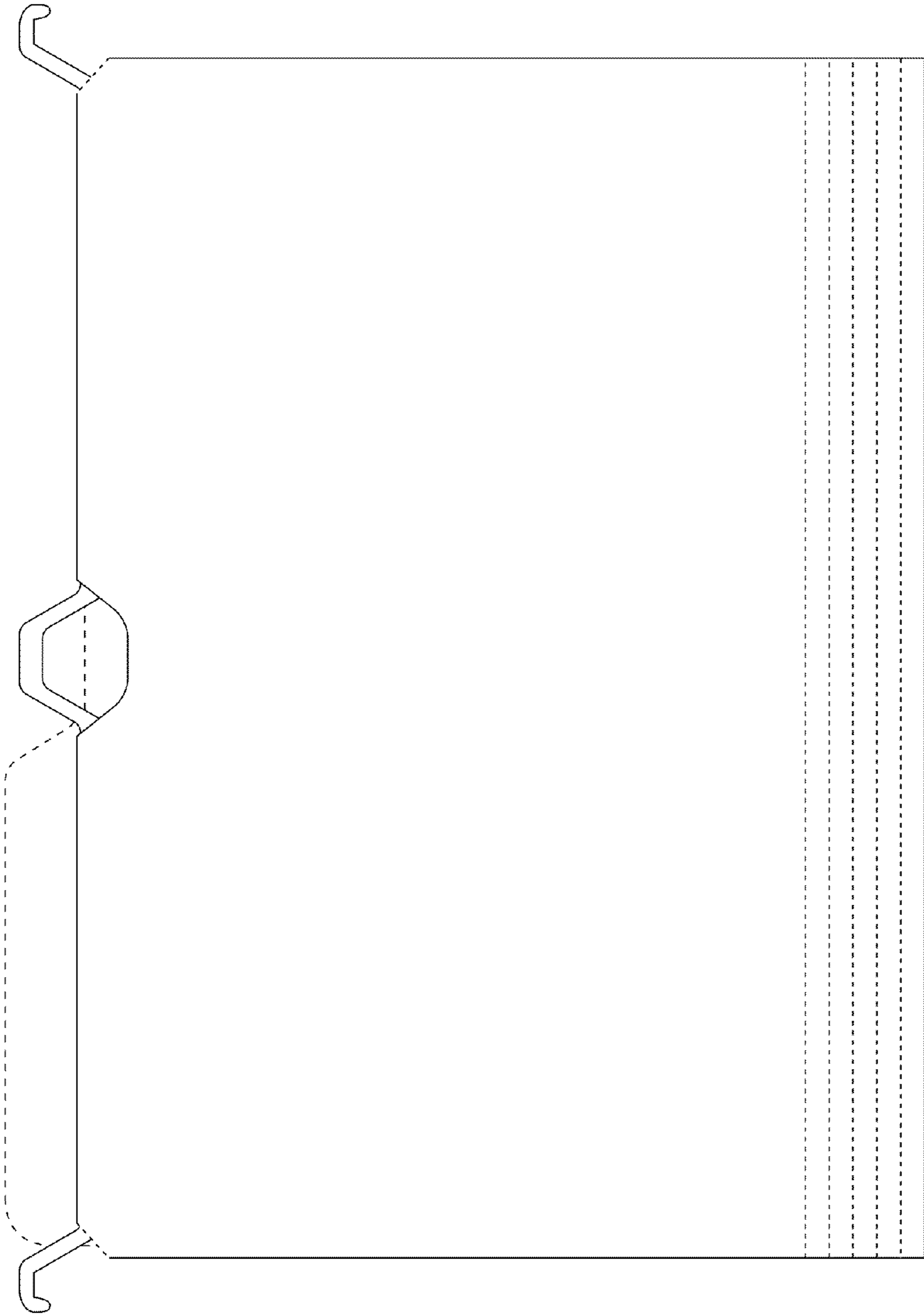


FIG. 28

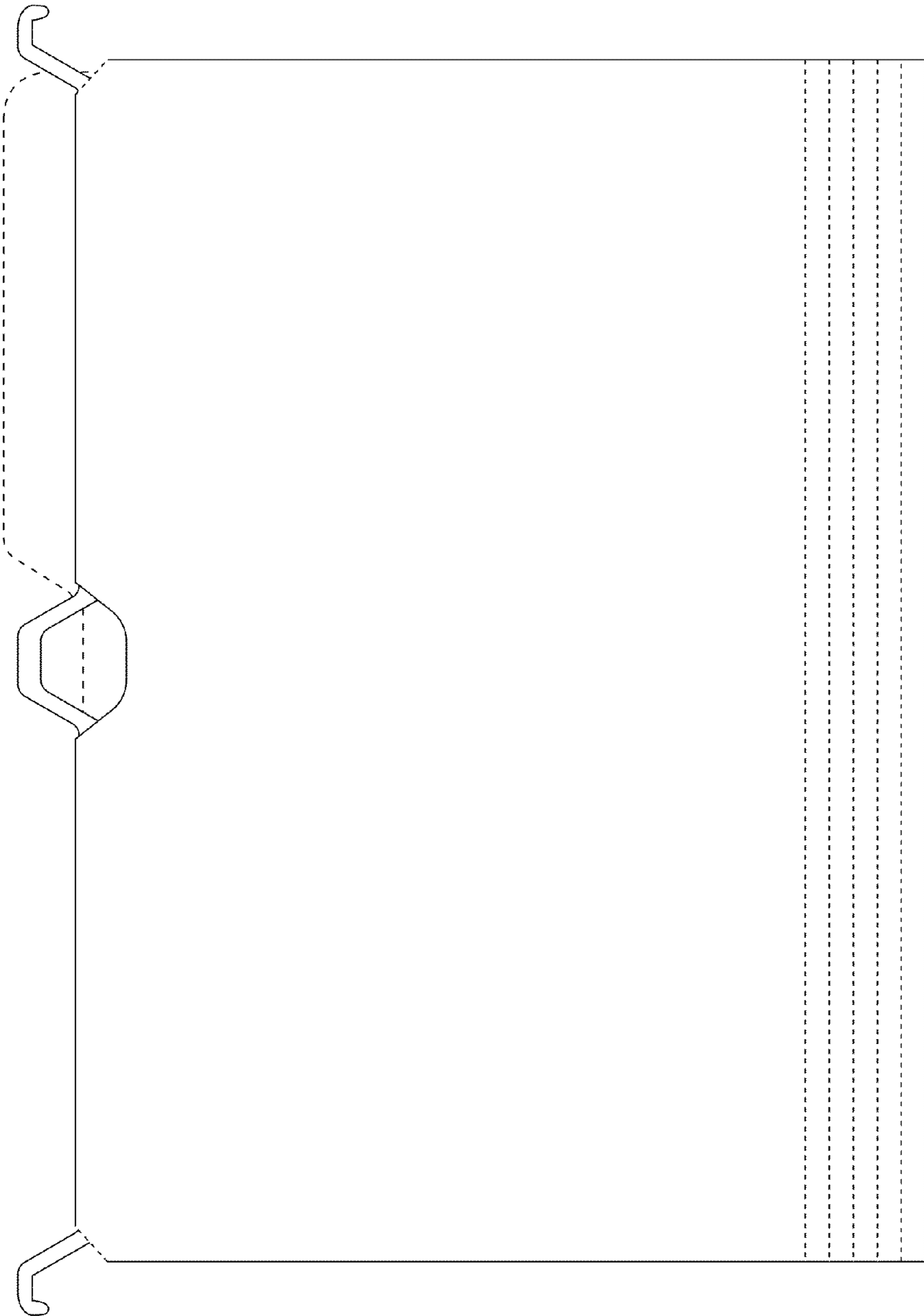


FIG. 29

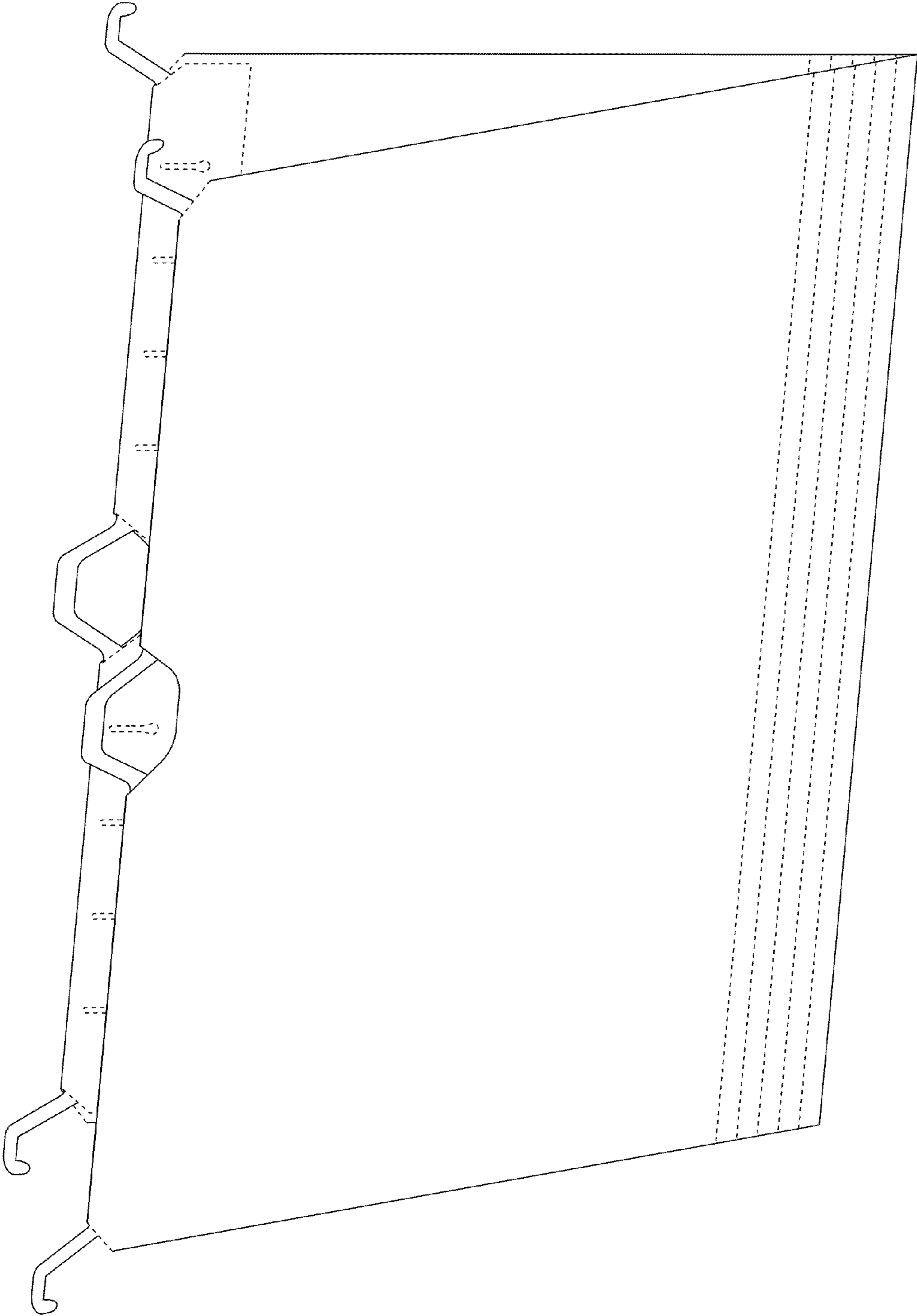


FIG. 30

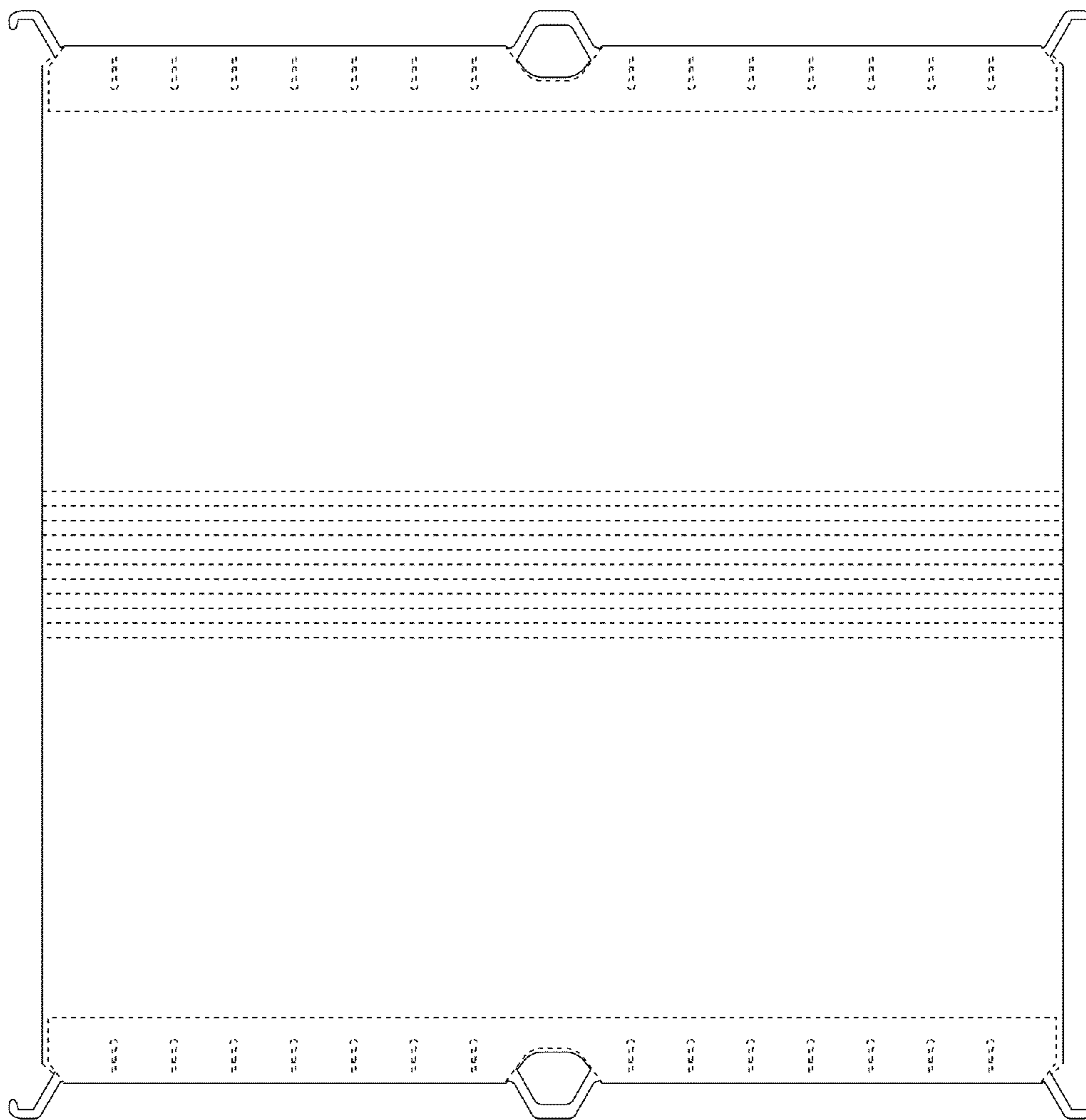


FIG. 31

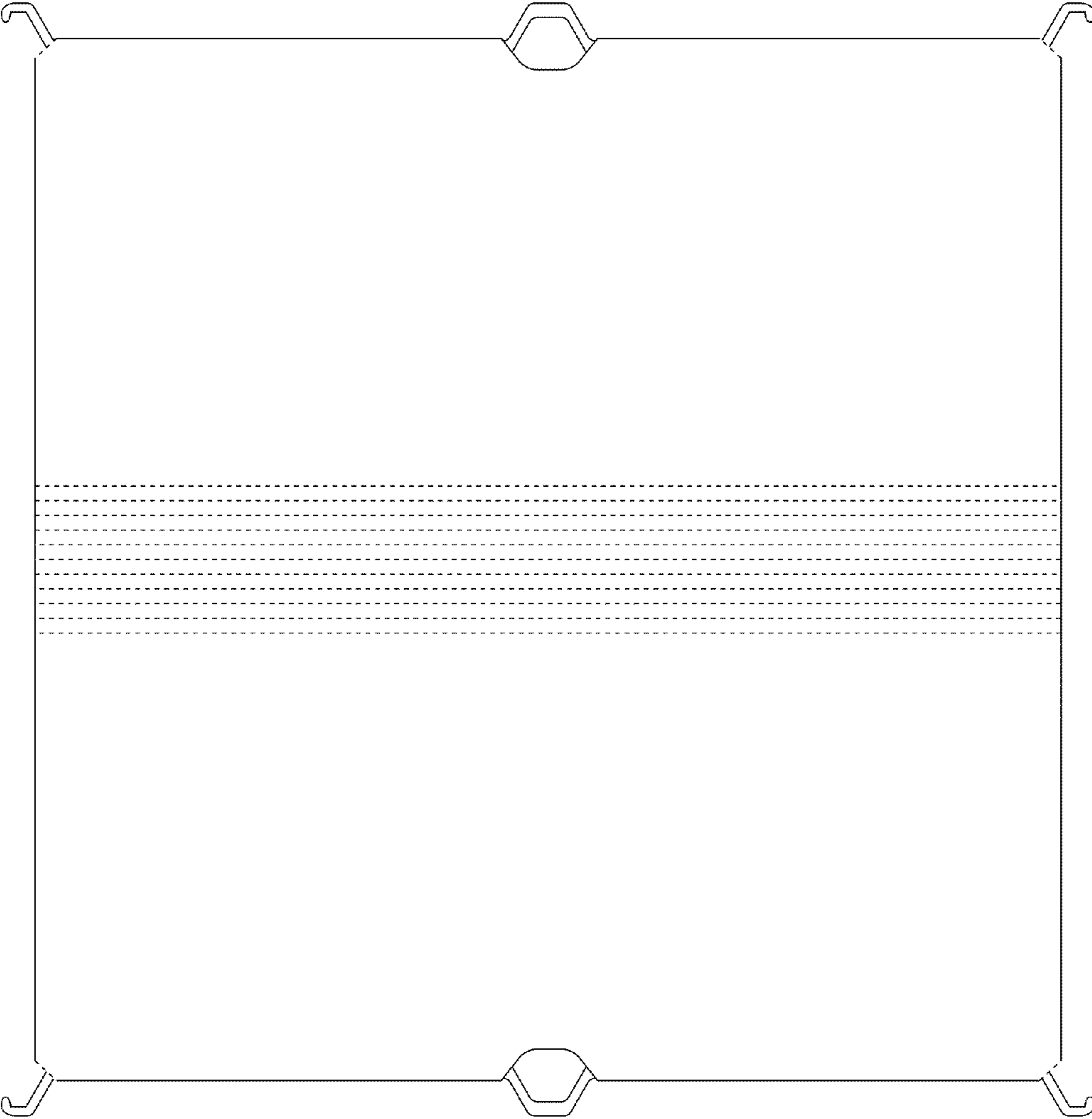


FIG. 32



FIG. 33



FIG. 34



FIG. 35

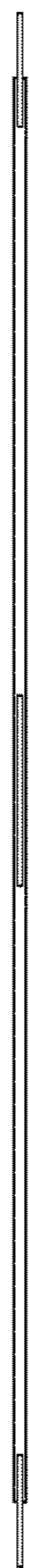


FIG. 36

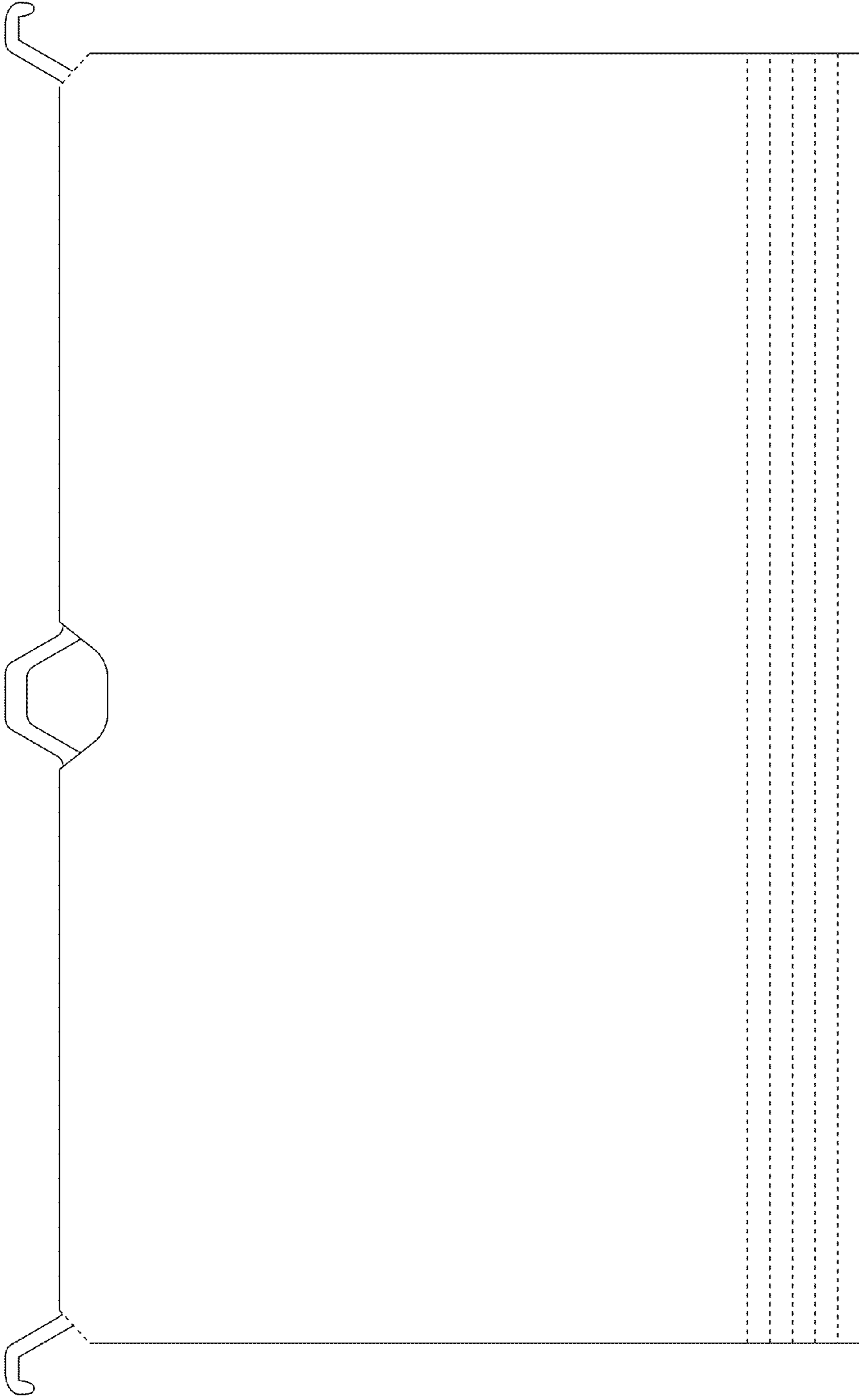


FIG. 37

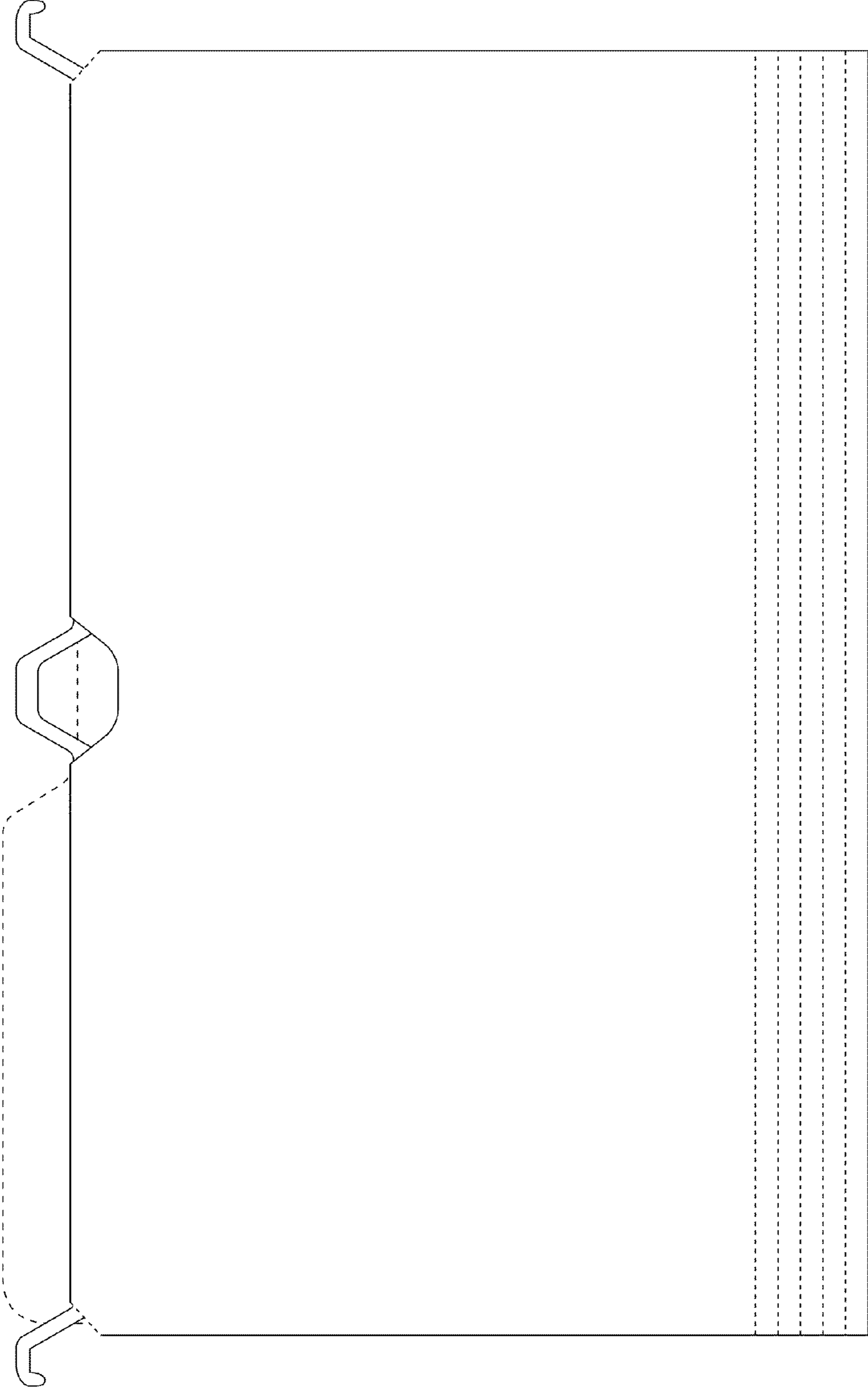


FIG. 38

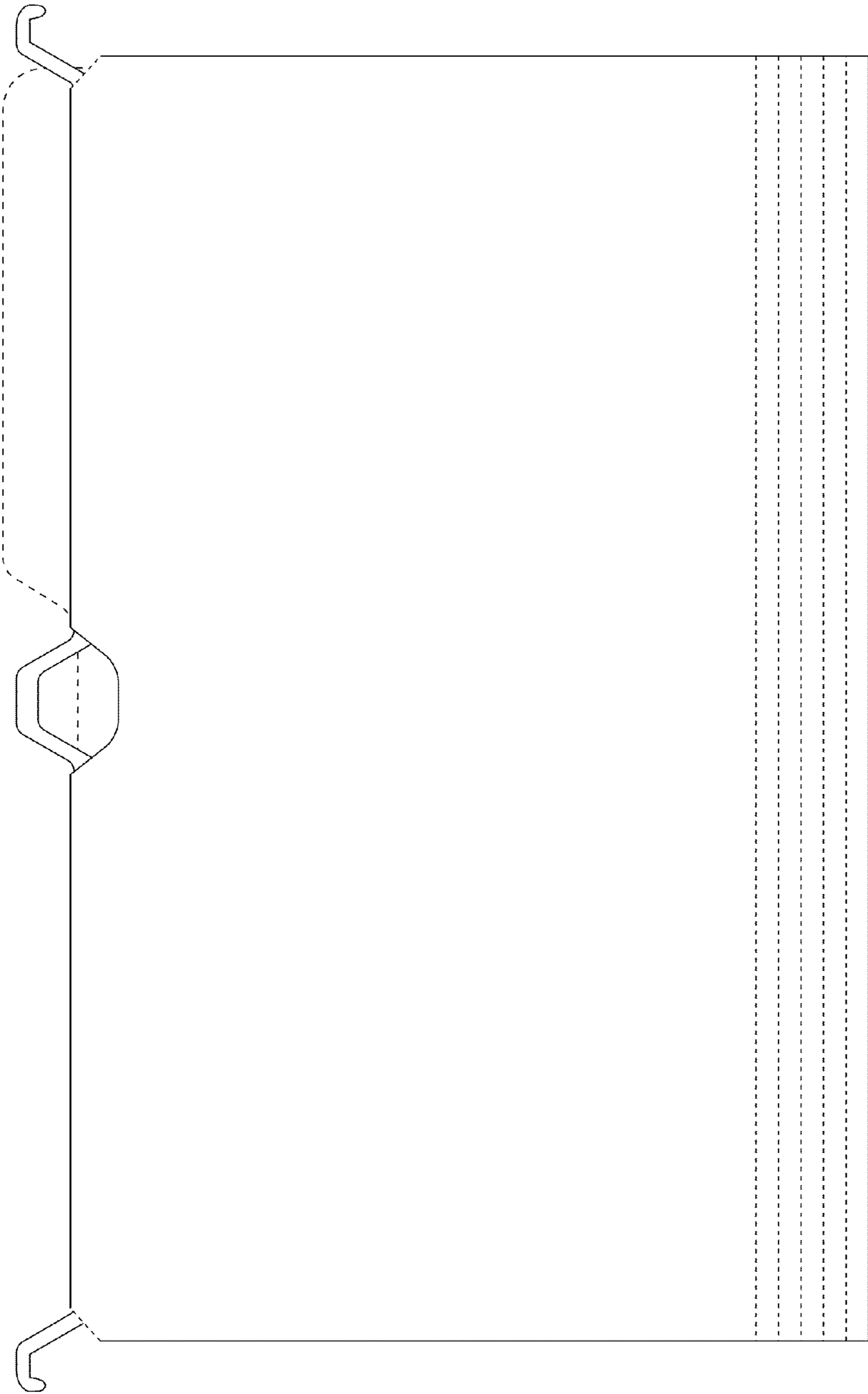


FIG. 39

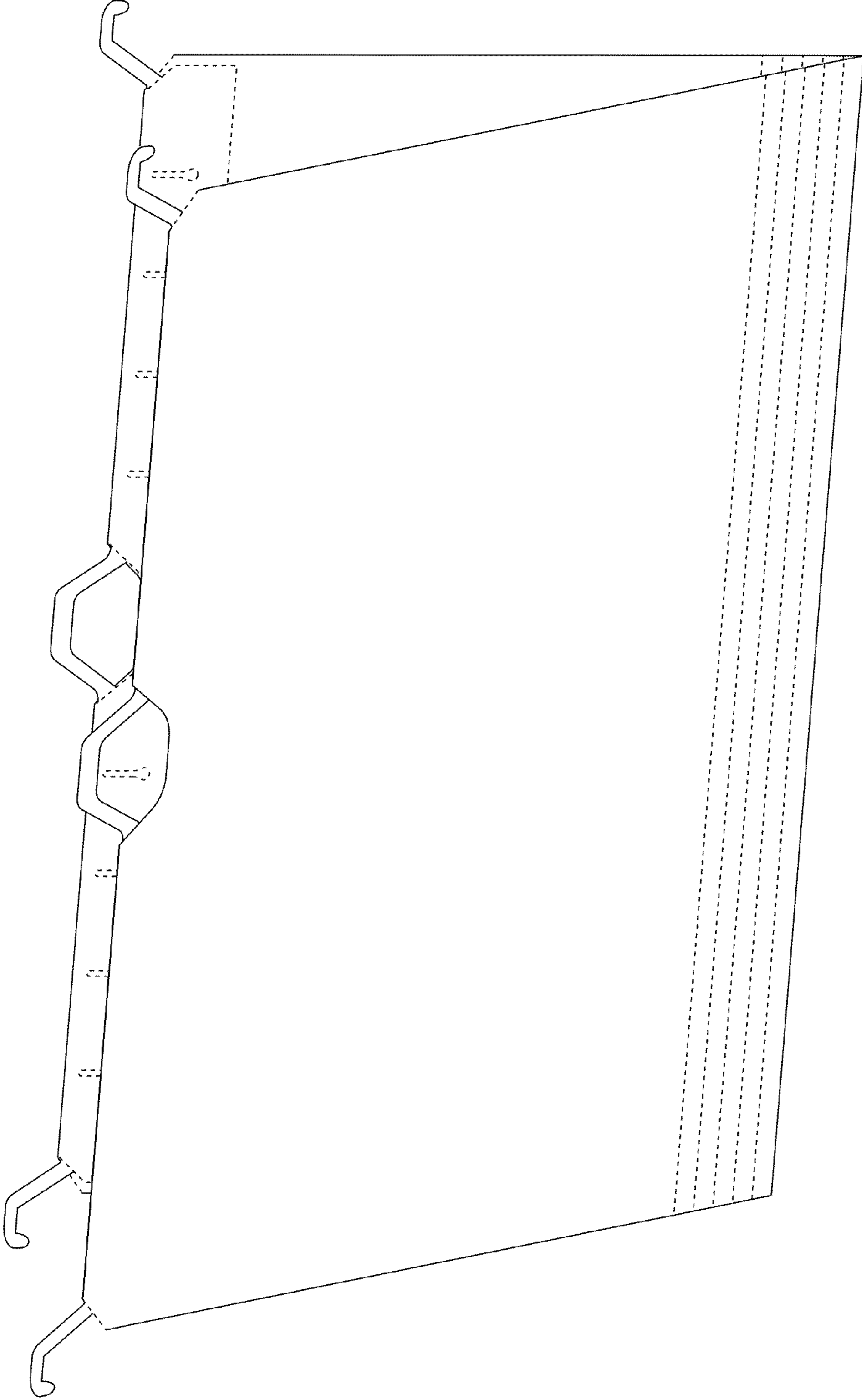


FIG. 40