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(57) CLAIM

The ornamental design for a beverage container, as shown and described.

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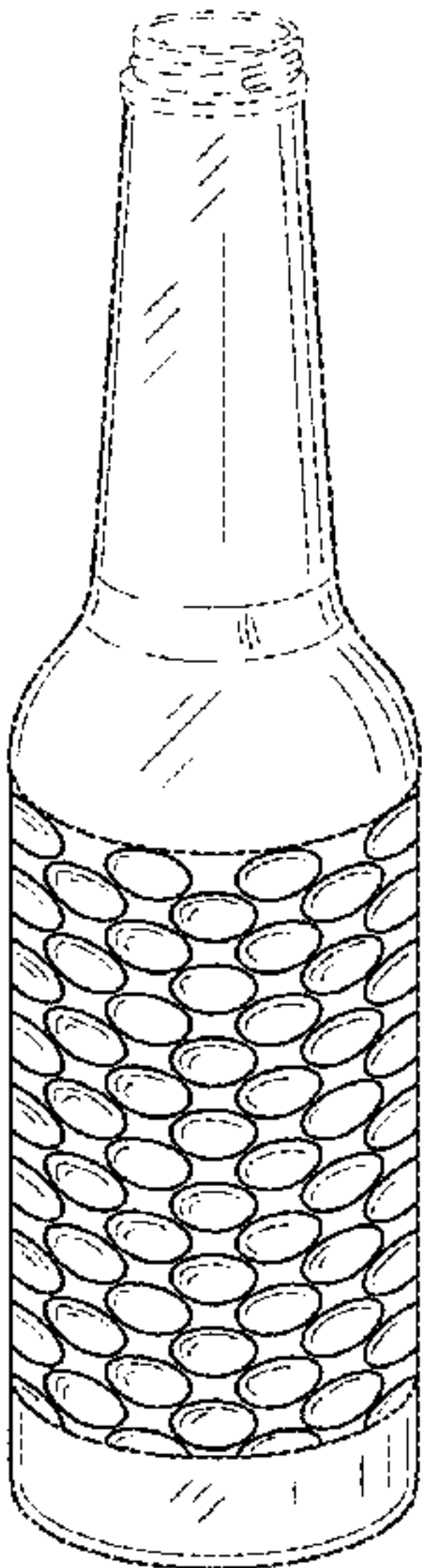
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DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a beverage container in a first embodiment;  
FIG. 2 is a top plan view of the beverage container of FIG. 1;  
FIG. 3 is a front elevation view of the beverage container of FIG. 1, left and right side elevation views and a rear elevation view being the same; and,  
FIG. 4 is bottom plan view of the beverage container of FIG. 1.

1 Claim, 1 Drawing Sheet





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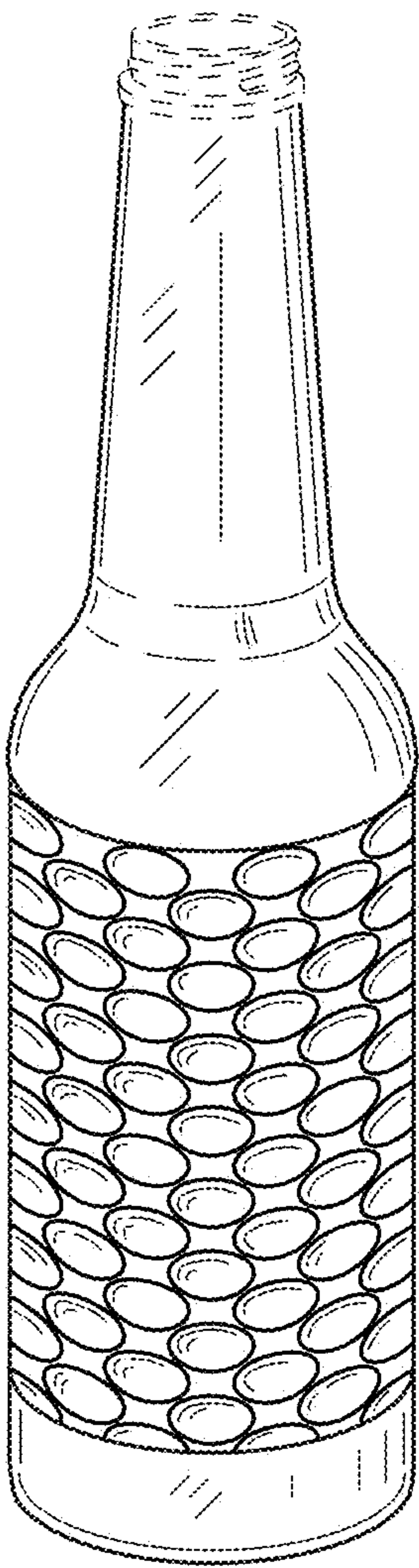


FIG.1

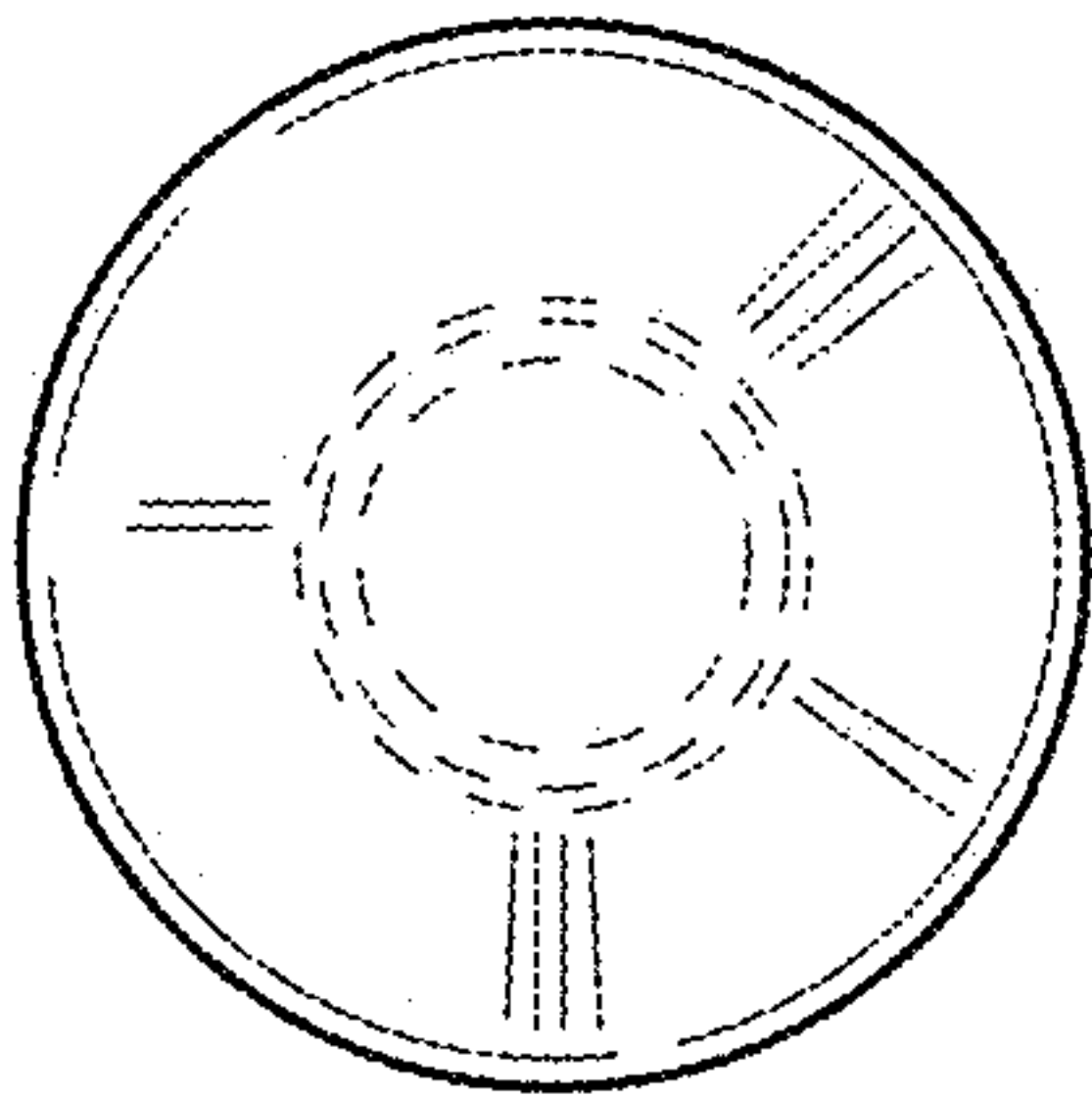


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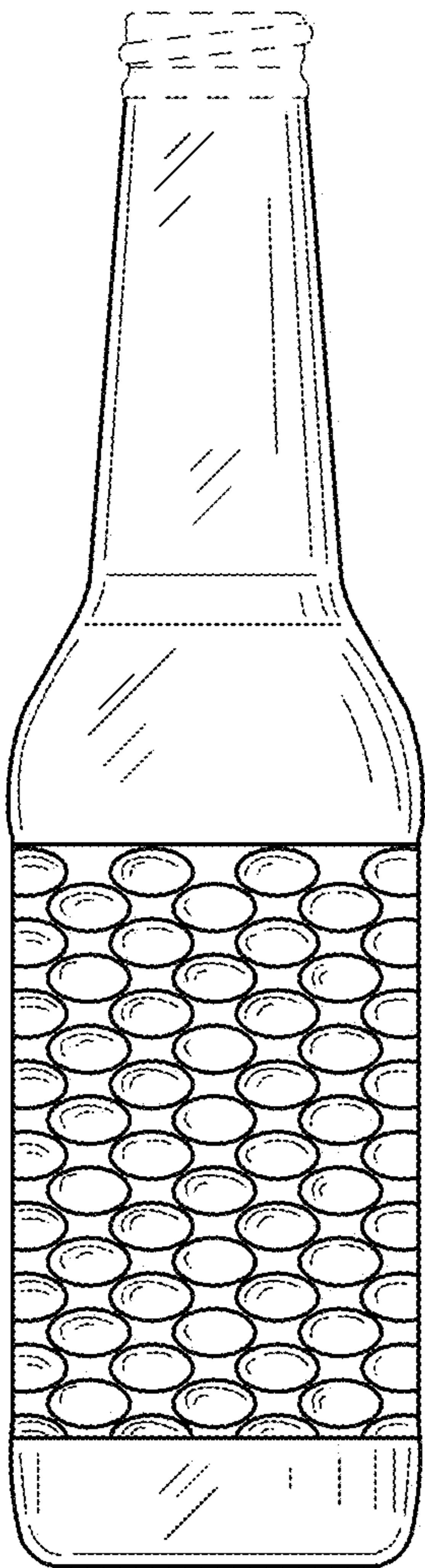


FIG.3

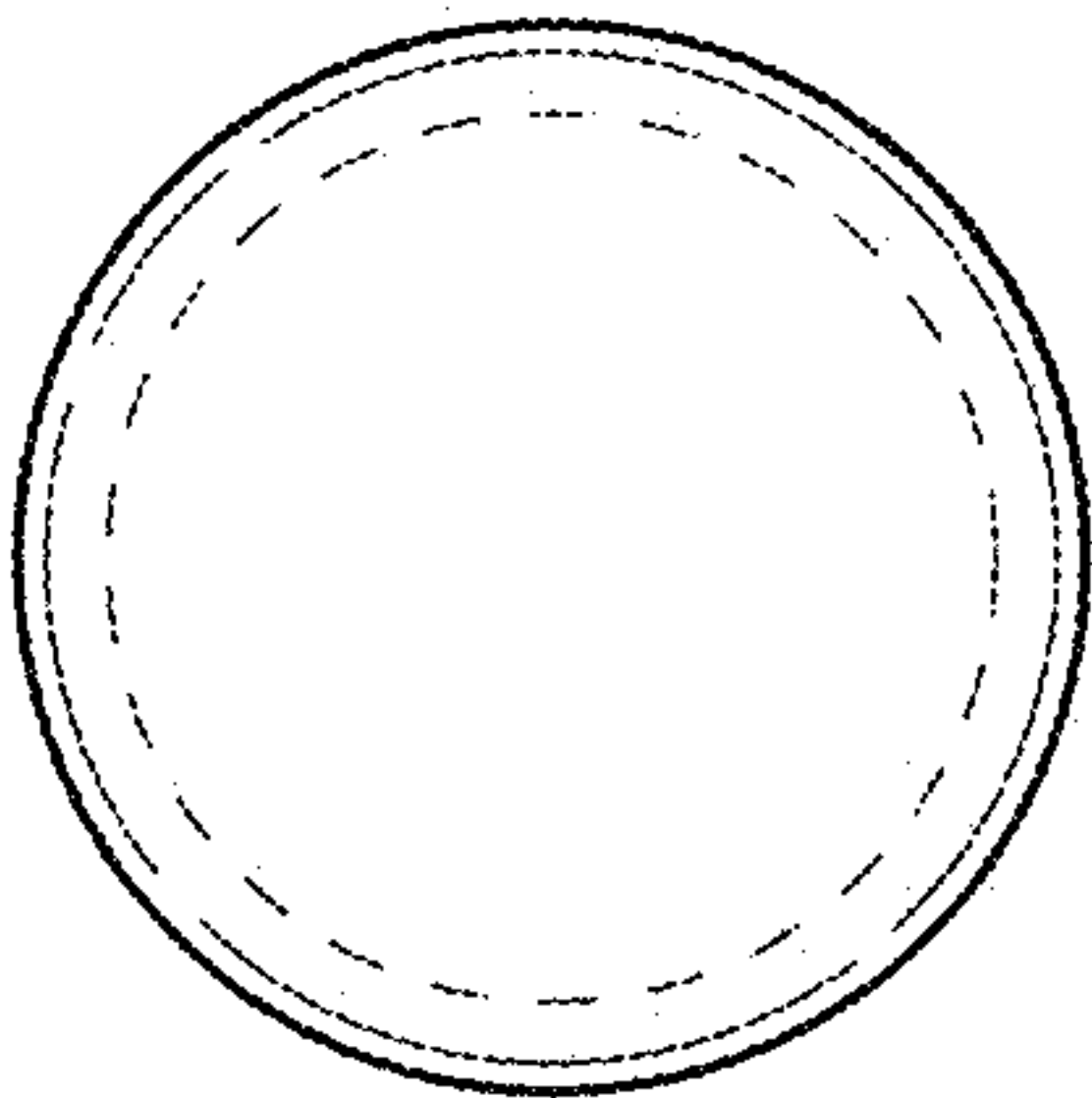


FIG.4