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- (54) **SHOWER CURTAIN**
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(57) **CLAIM**

I claim the ornamental design for a shower curtain, as shown and described above.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front detail view of the shower curtain illustrated in area 1 circumscribed on FIG. 8;
 FIG. 2 is a front left perspective view of a shower curtain of the present invention shown in use on a shower curtain rod;
 FIG. 3 is a front view thereof;
 FIG. 4 is a back view thereof;
 FIG. 5 is a right side view thereof (FIG. 5 being a view when the right front portion of the shower curtain is viewed along the axis of the curtain rod), with the left side view being a minor image thereof;
 FIG. 6 is a top view thereof;
 FIG. 7 is a bottom view thereof; and,
 FIG. 8 is a front view of the shower curtain of FIG. 2 when not in use on a shower curtain rod.
 The back of the design shown in FIG. 4 is not included in the claim.
 The broken lines on the shower curtain depict features of the article that form no part of the claimed design.
 The rod drawn in broken lines showing the shower curtain in use illustrates environmental subject matter not included in the claim.
 The jagged line and the area between the jagged line and the solid lines of the claim depict portions of a shower curtain that form no part of the claim.

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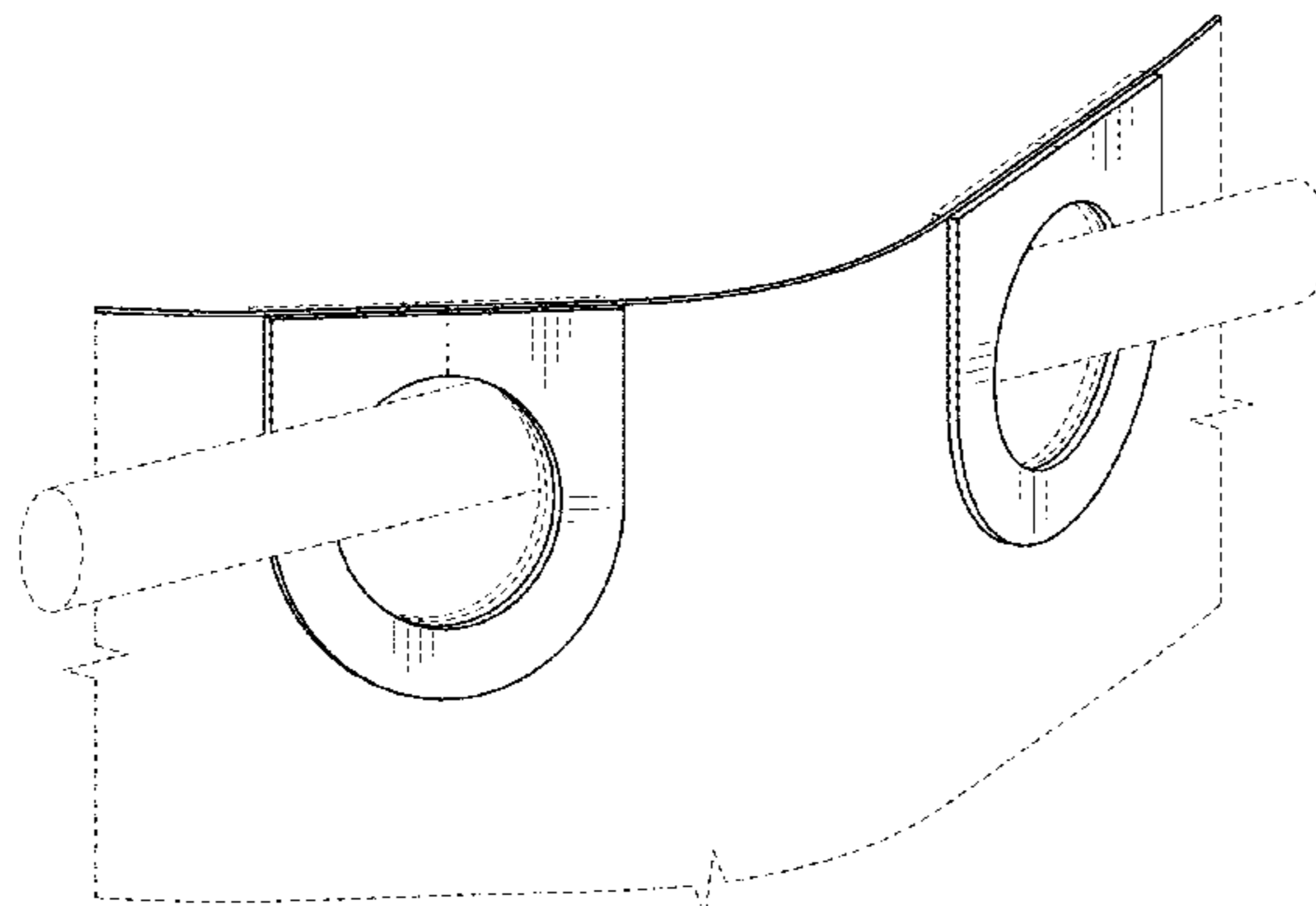
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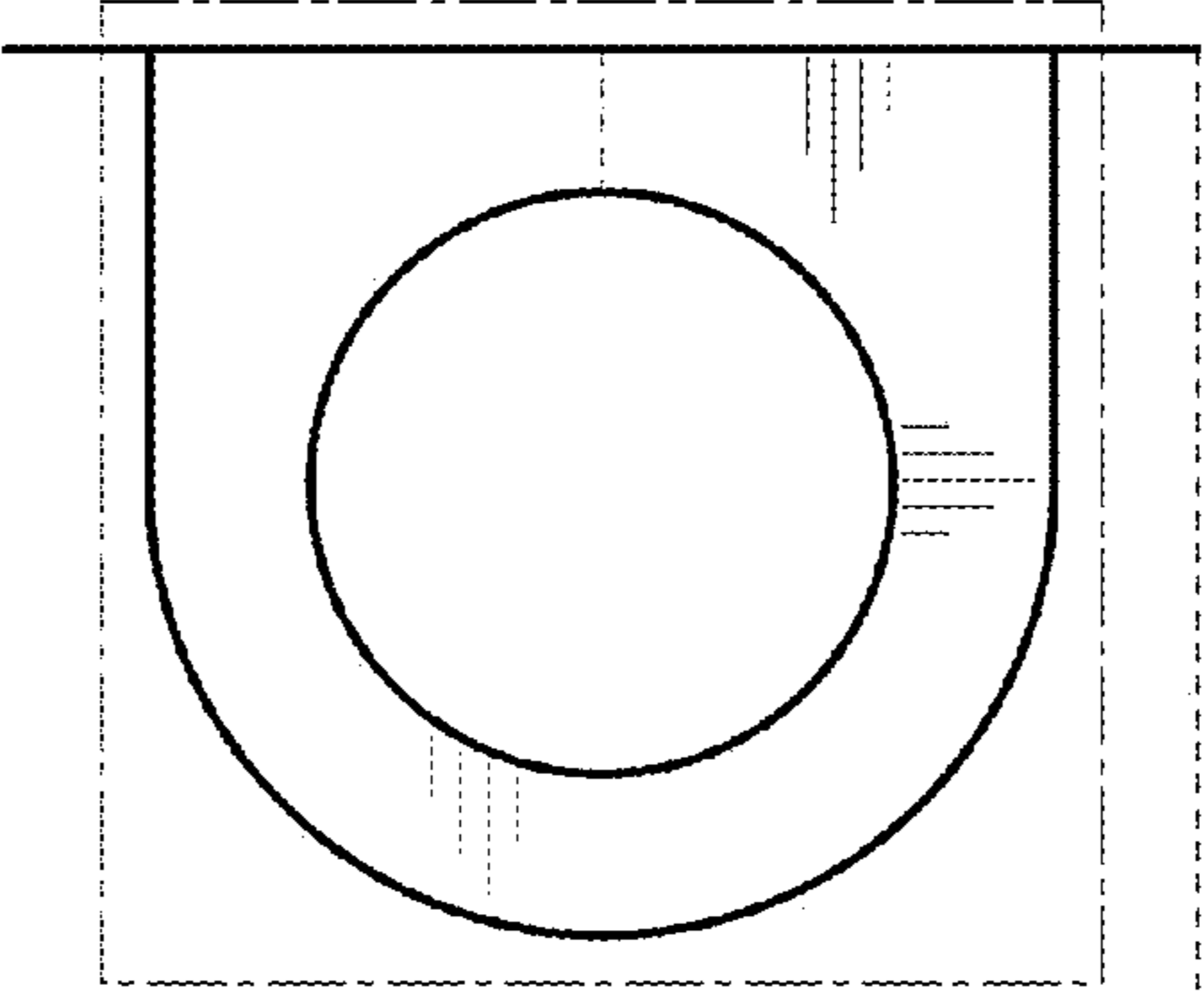


FIG. 1

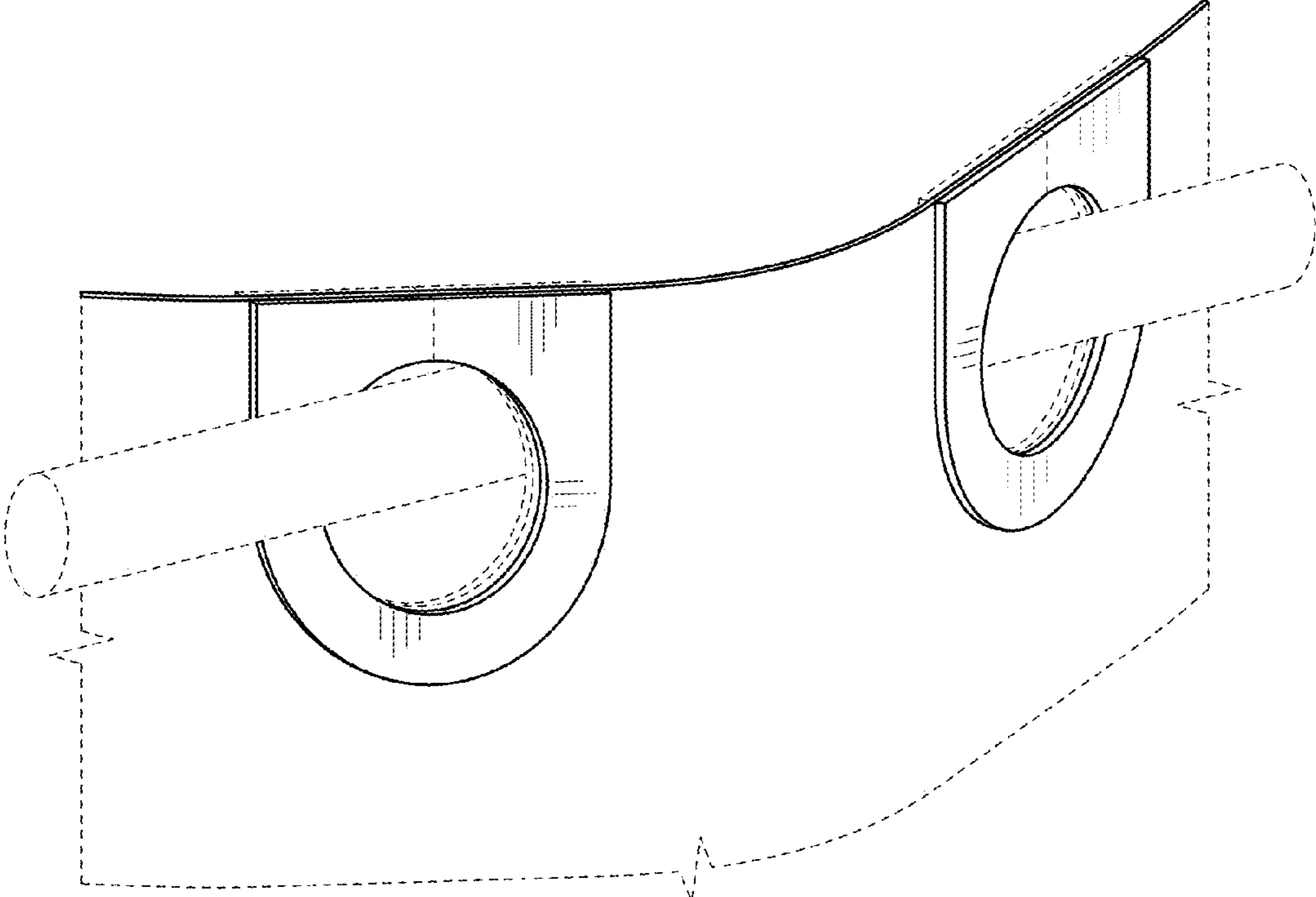


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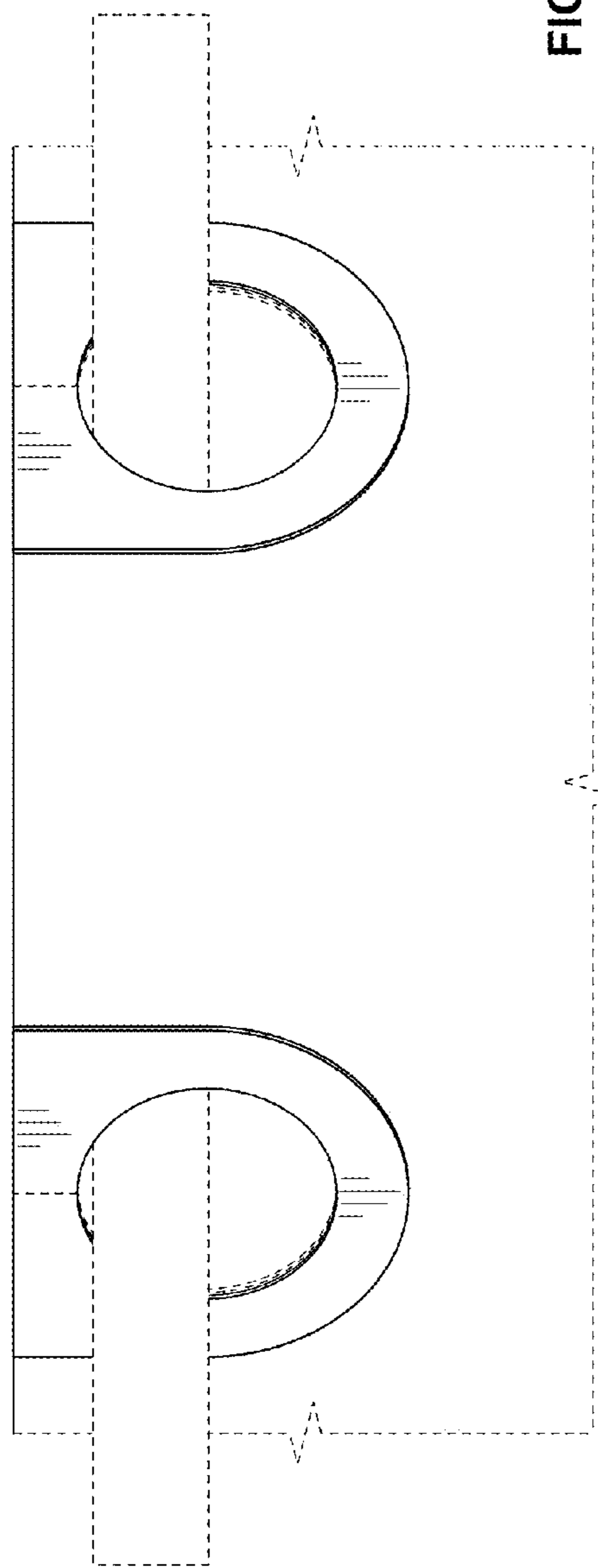


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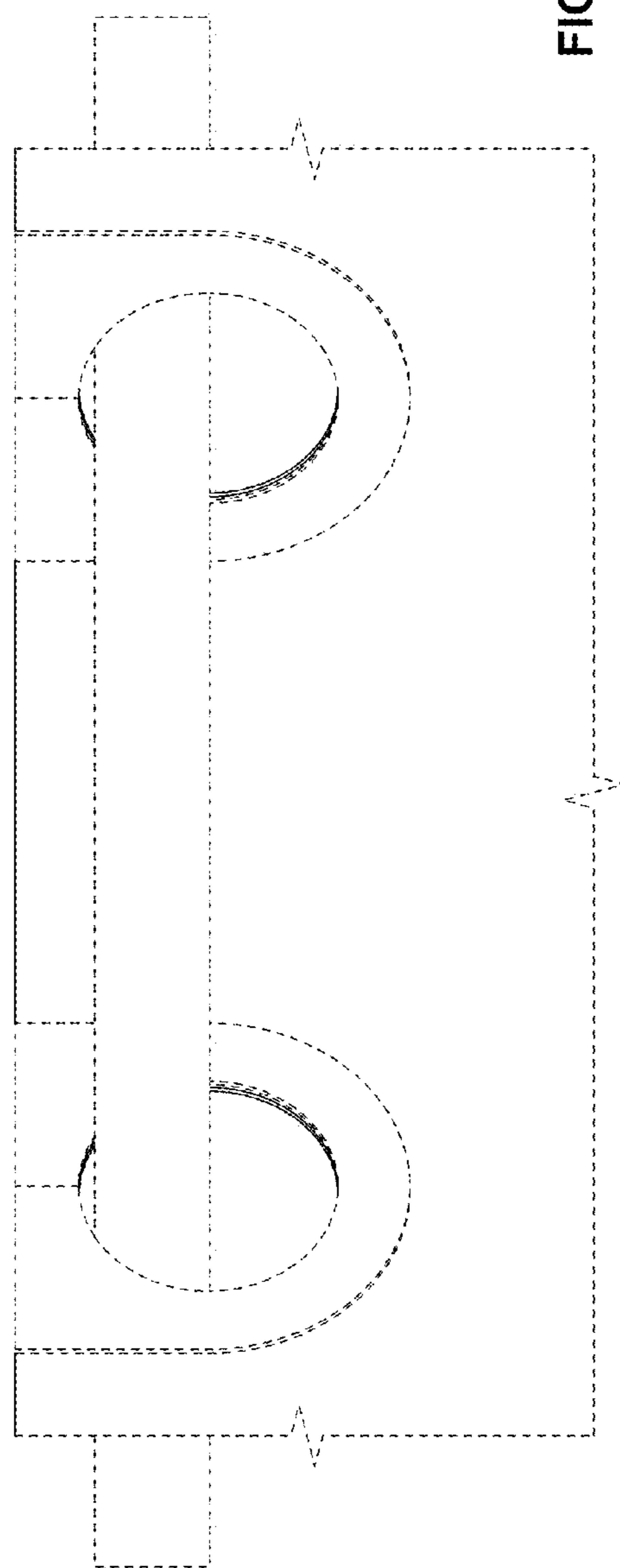


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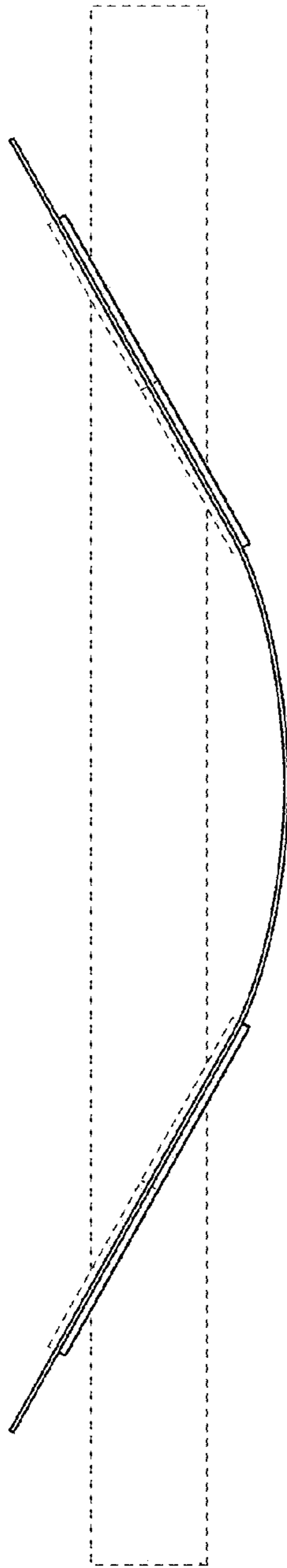


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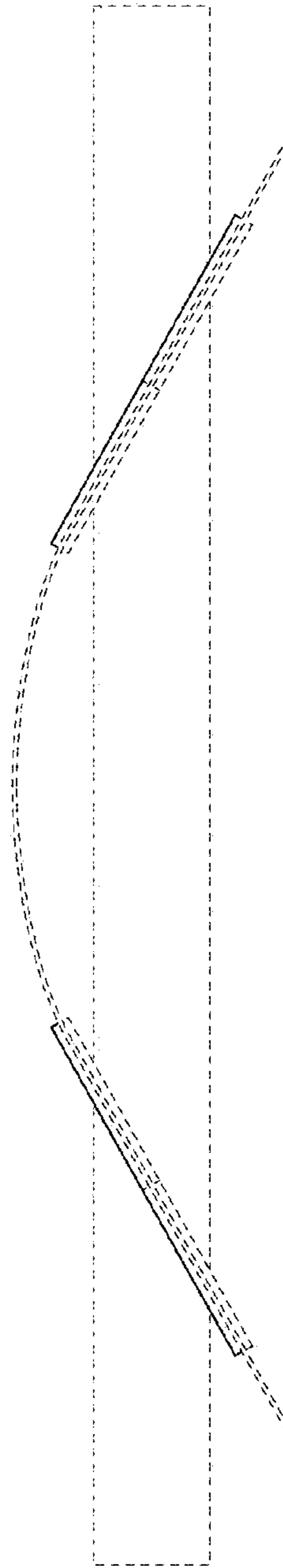


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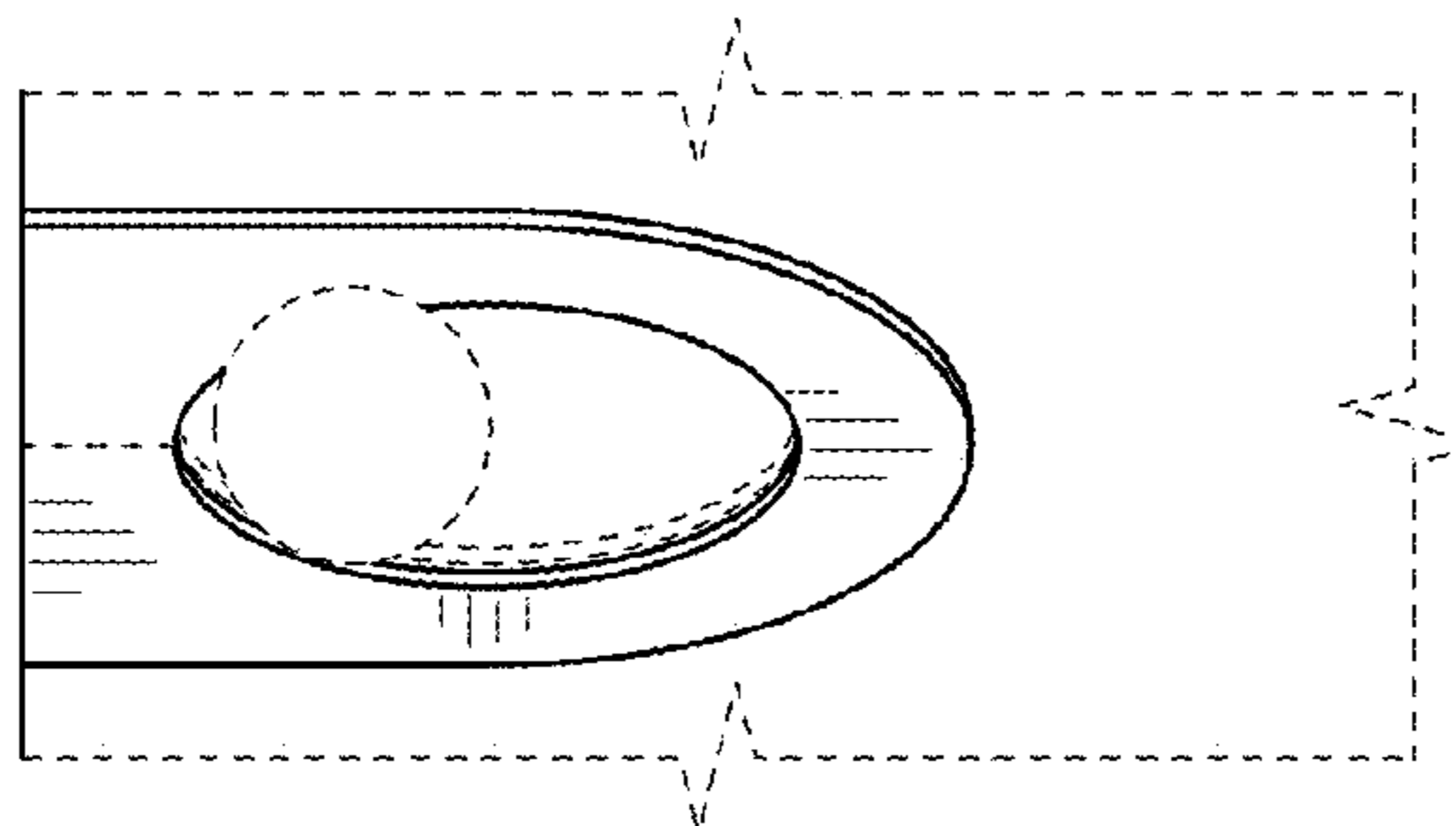


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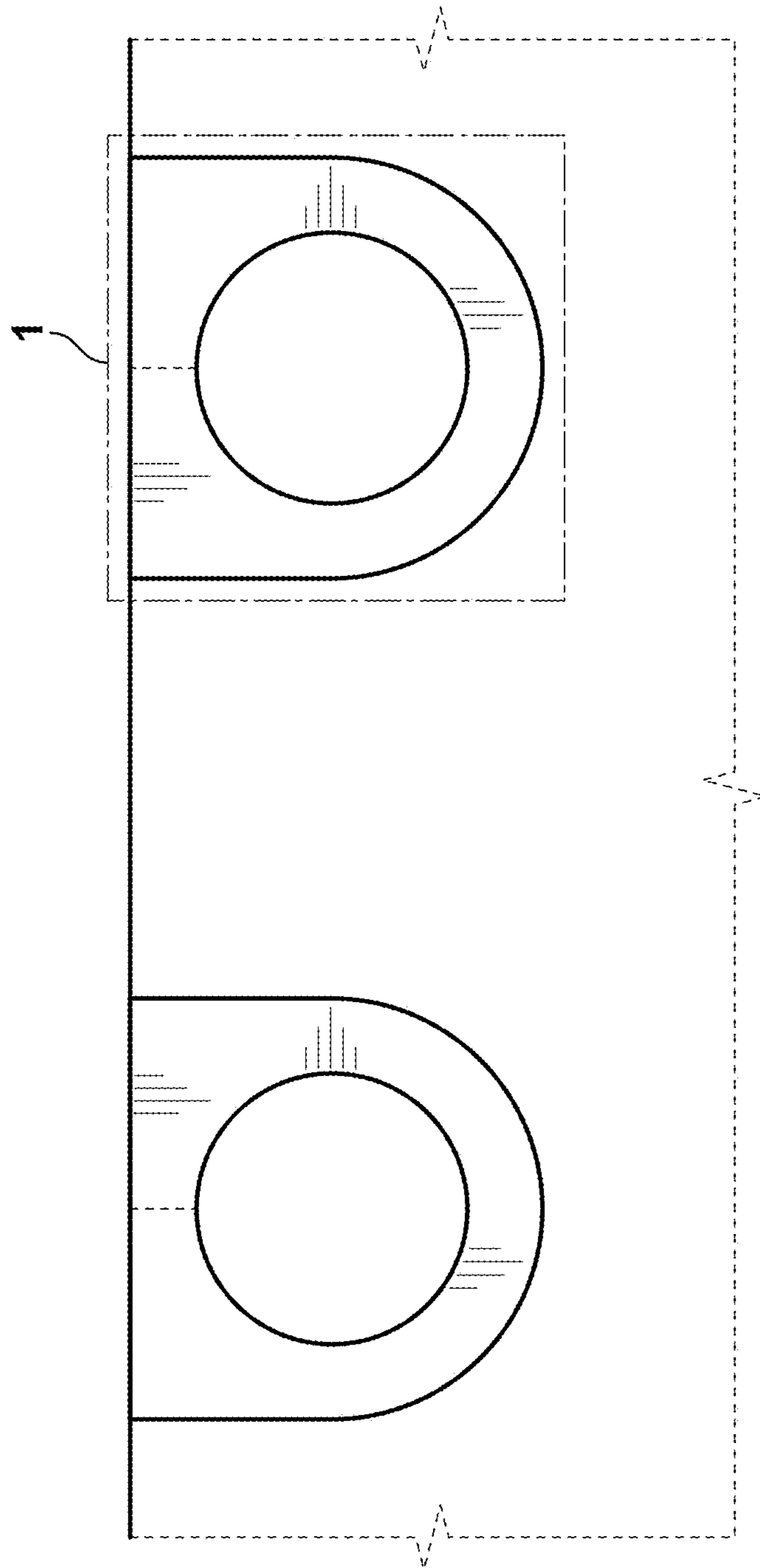


FIG. 8



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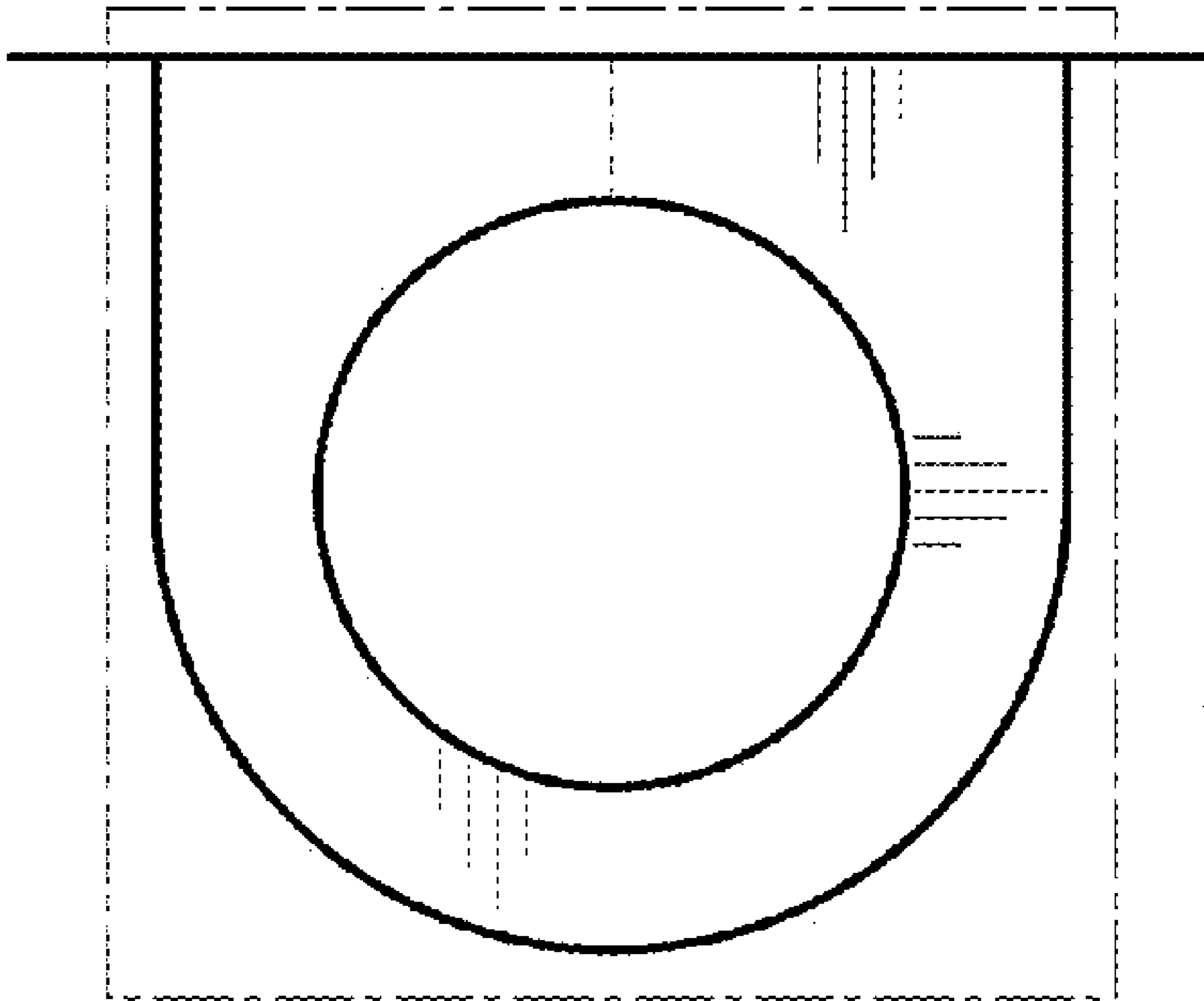
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