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(54) **PORTABLE ARTICLE CARRIER**
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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a portable article carrier, as shown
and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a top, front, and left side perspective view of a
portable article carrier showing my new design;
FIG. 2 is a front elevation view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a rear elevation view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a left side elevation view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a right side elevation view thereof;
FIG. 6 is a top plan view thereof; and,
FIG. 7 is a bottom plan view thereof.

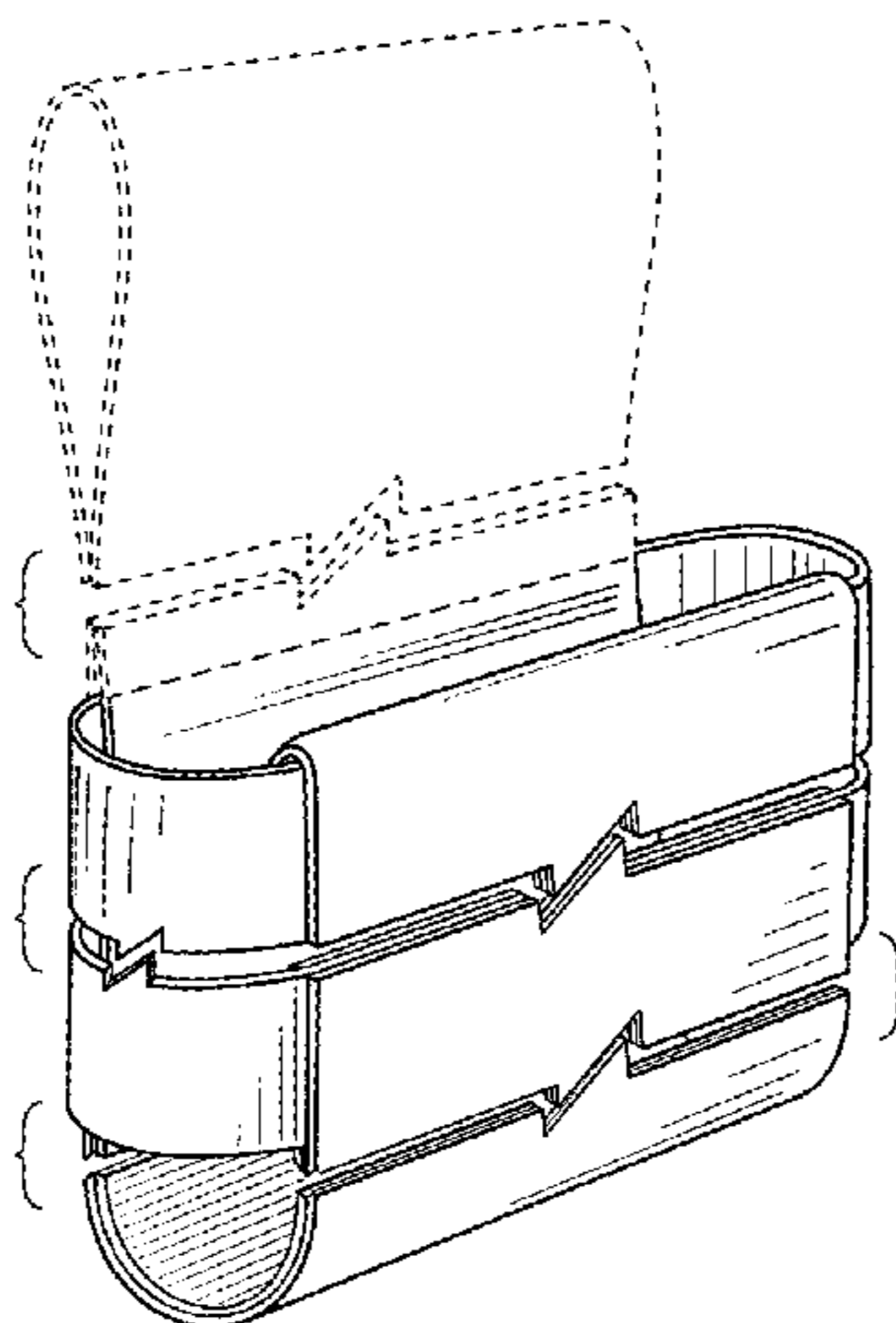
The surface shading illustrated in the drawings is provided
merely to highlight the contour of the design; it is not intended
to be illustrative of texture or surface ornamentation. The
broken lines in FIGS. 1-7 illustrate portions of the portable
article carrier that form no part of the claimed design. The
broken away and bracketed portions in FIGS. 1-5 indicate that
no particular length is claimed for those portions; such lines
and any portion of the article between such lines form no part
of the claimed design.

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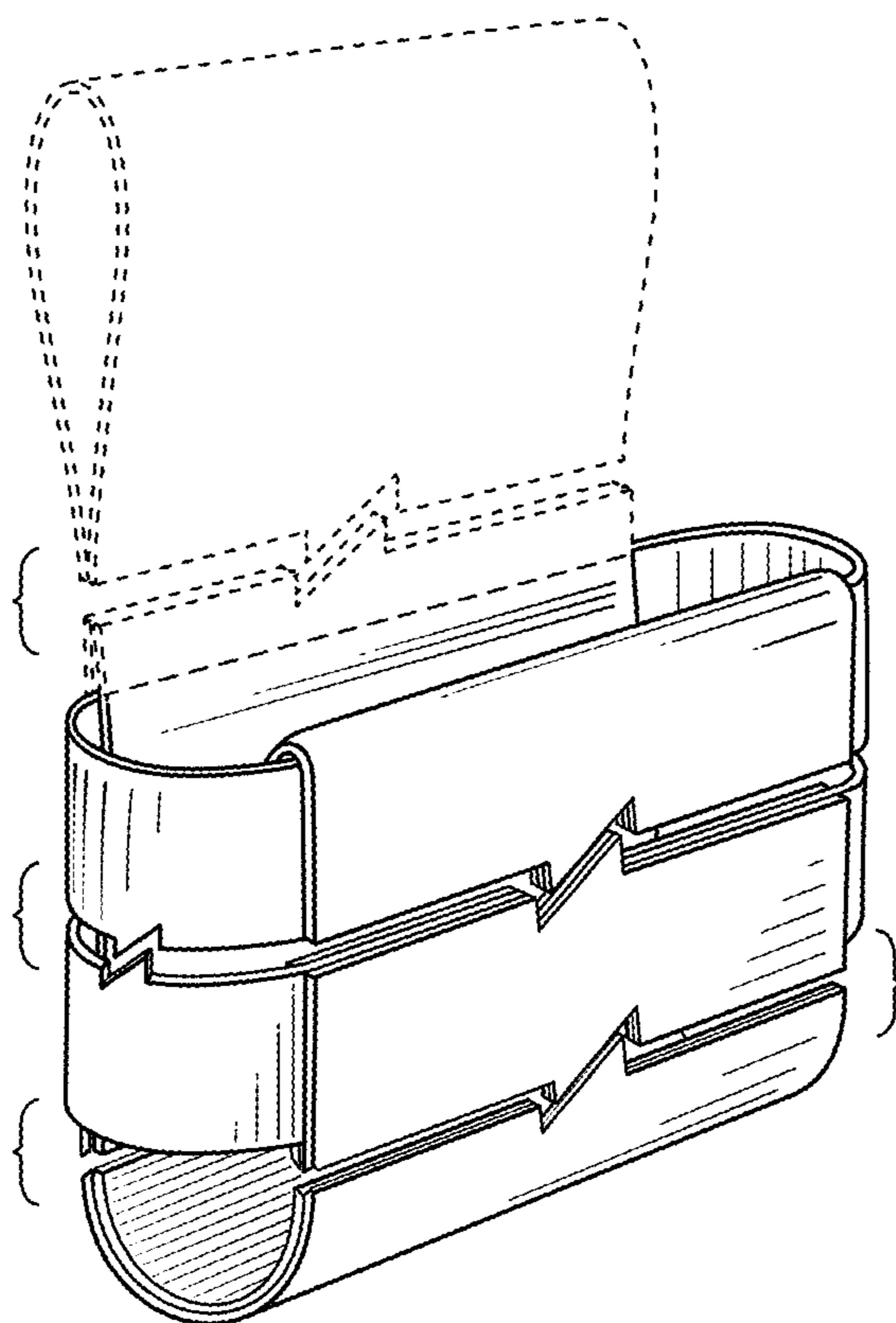


FIG. 1

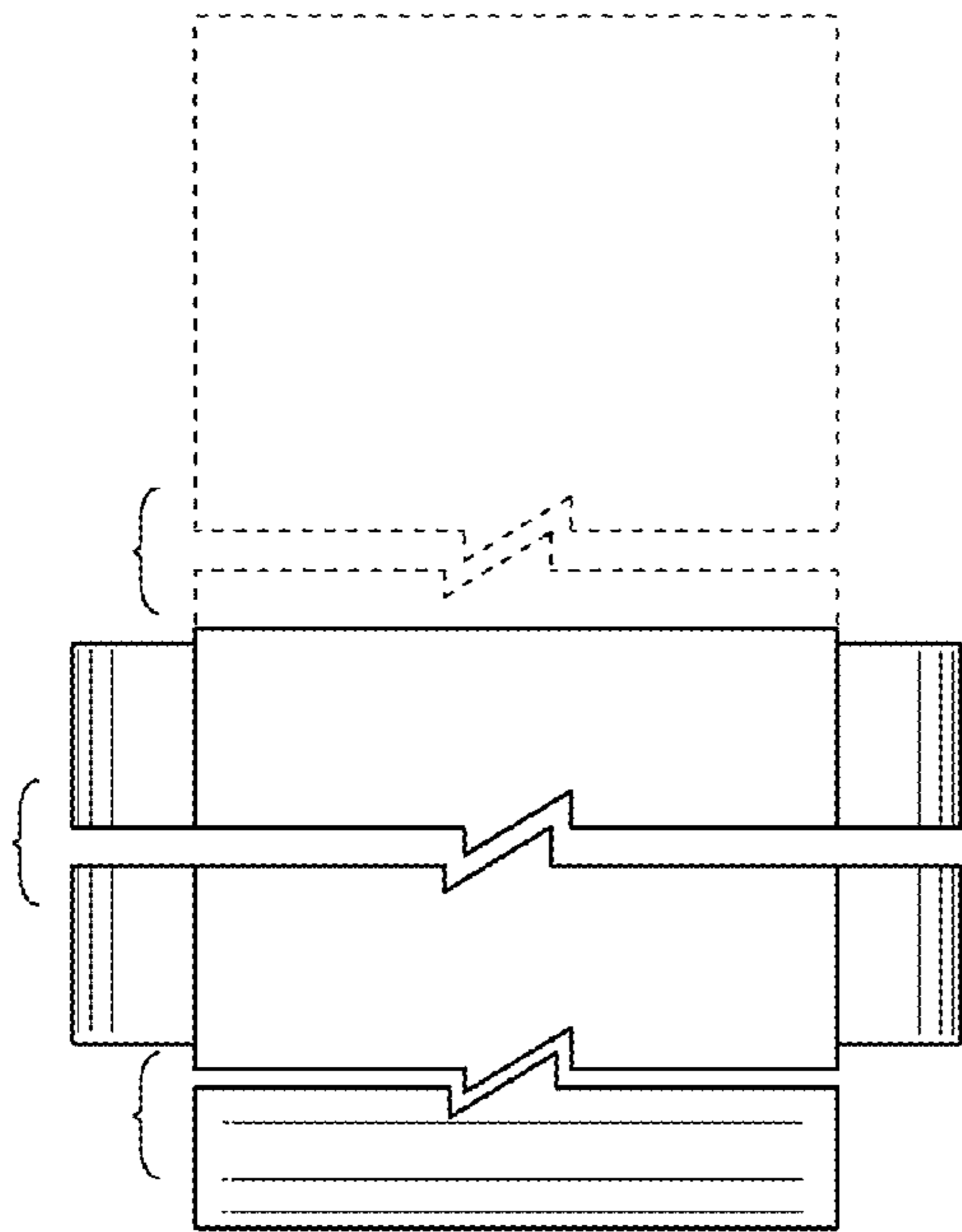


FIG. 2

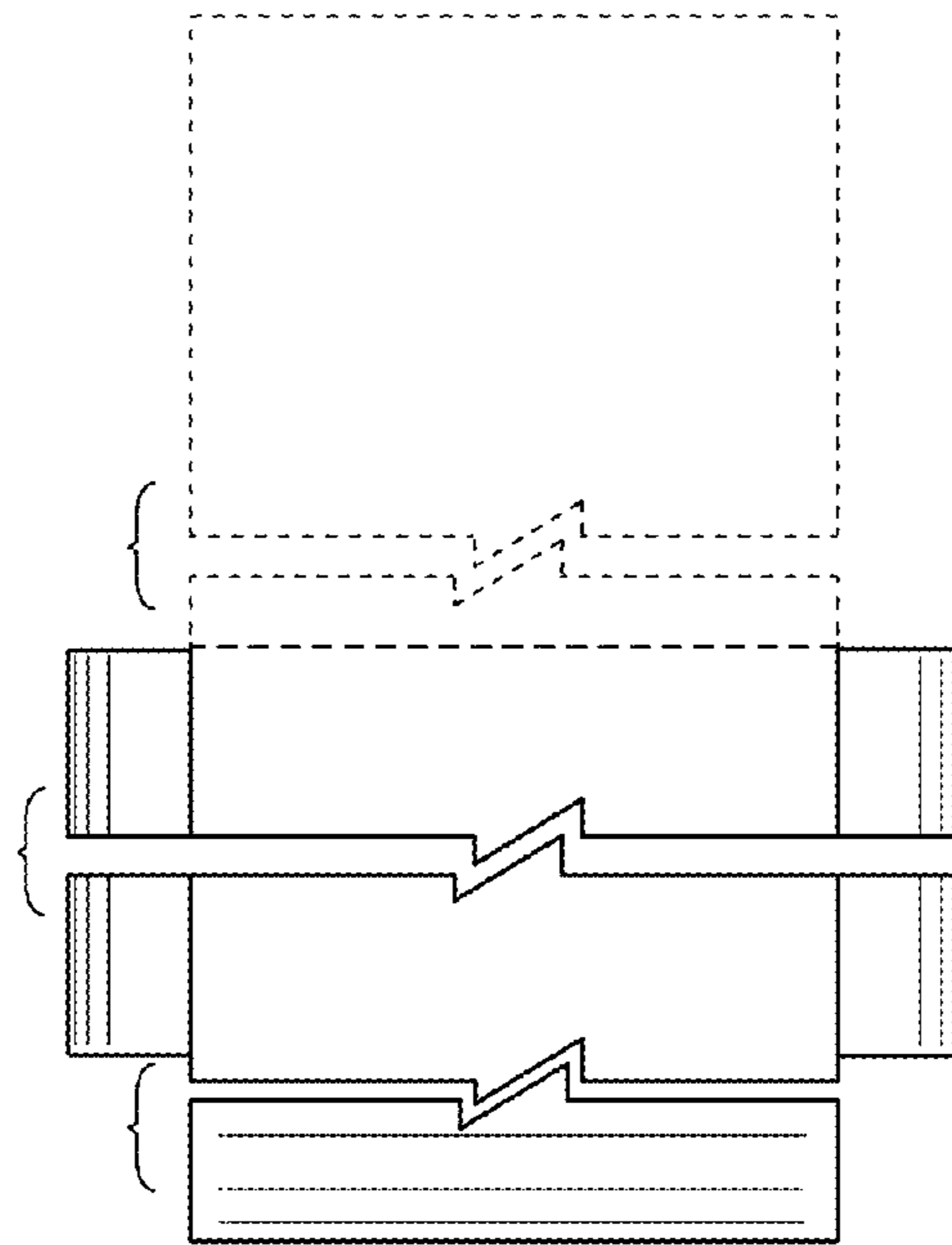


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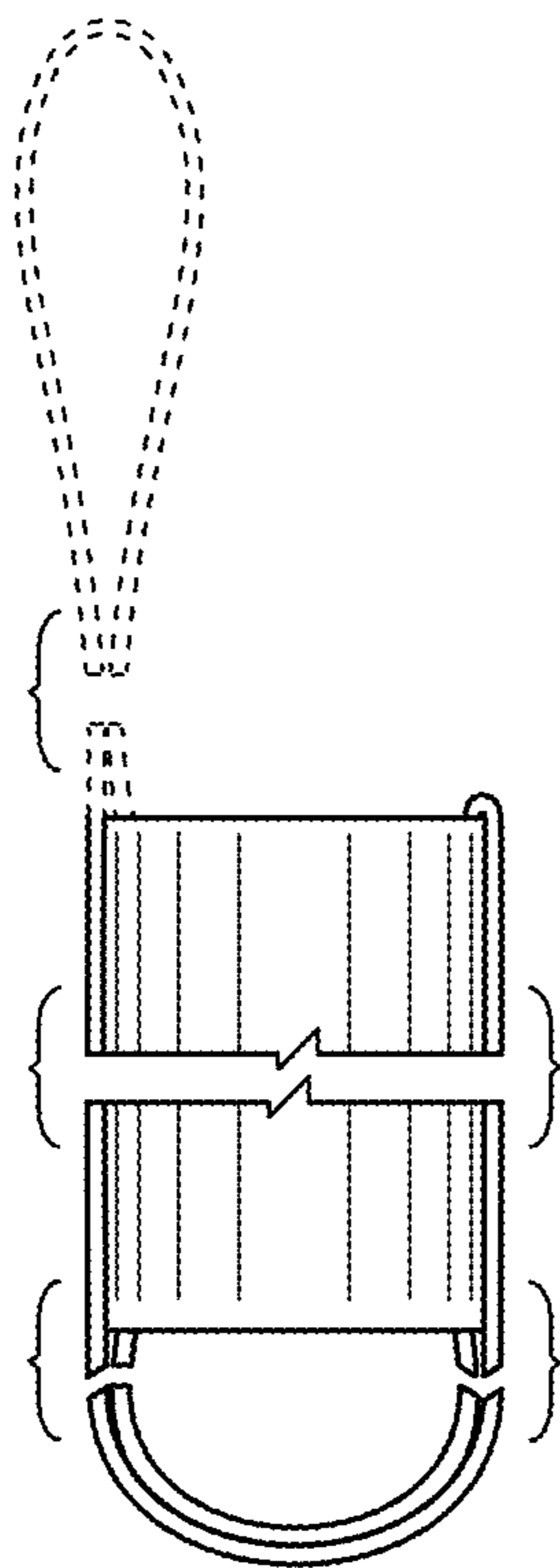


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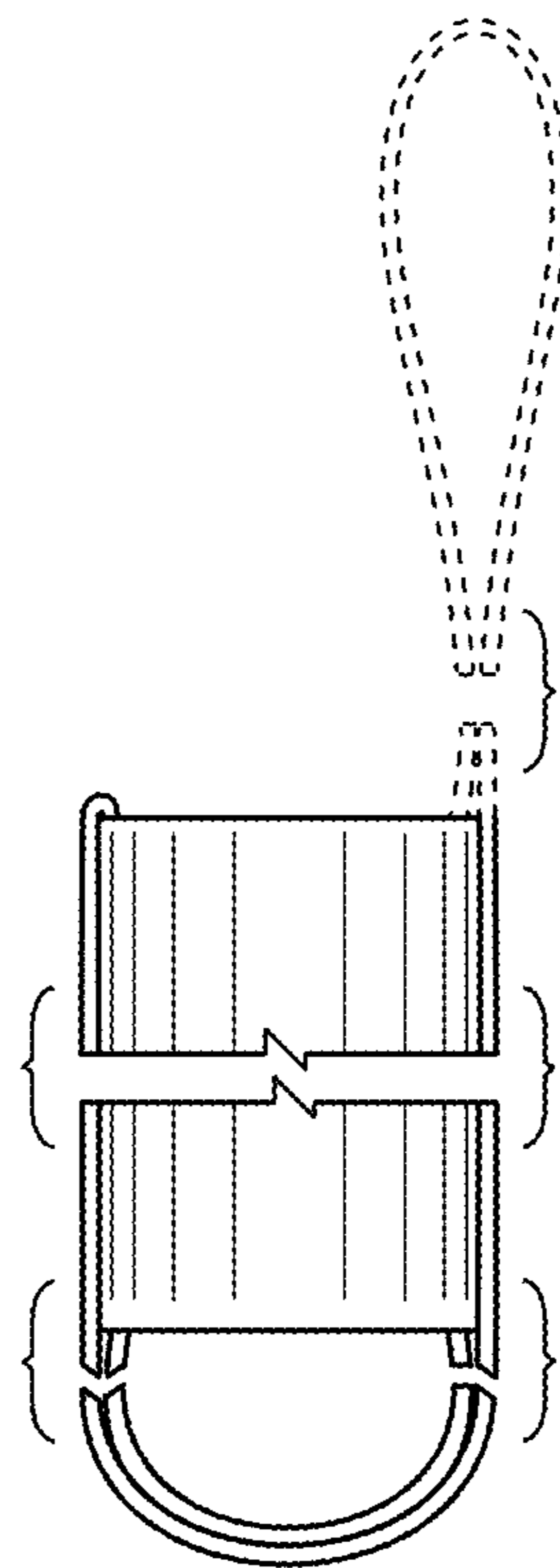


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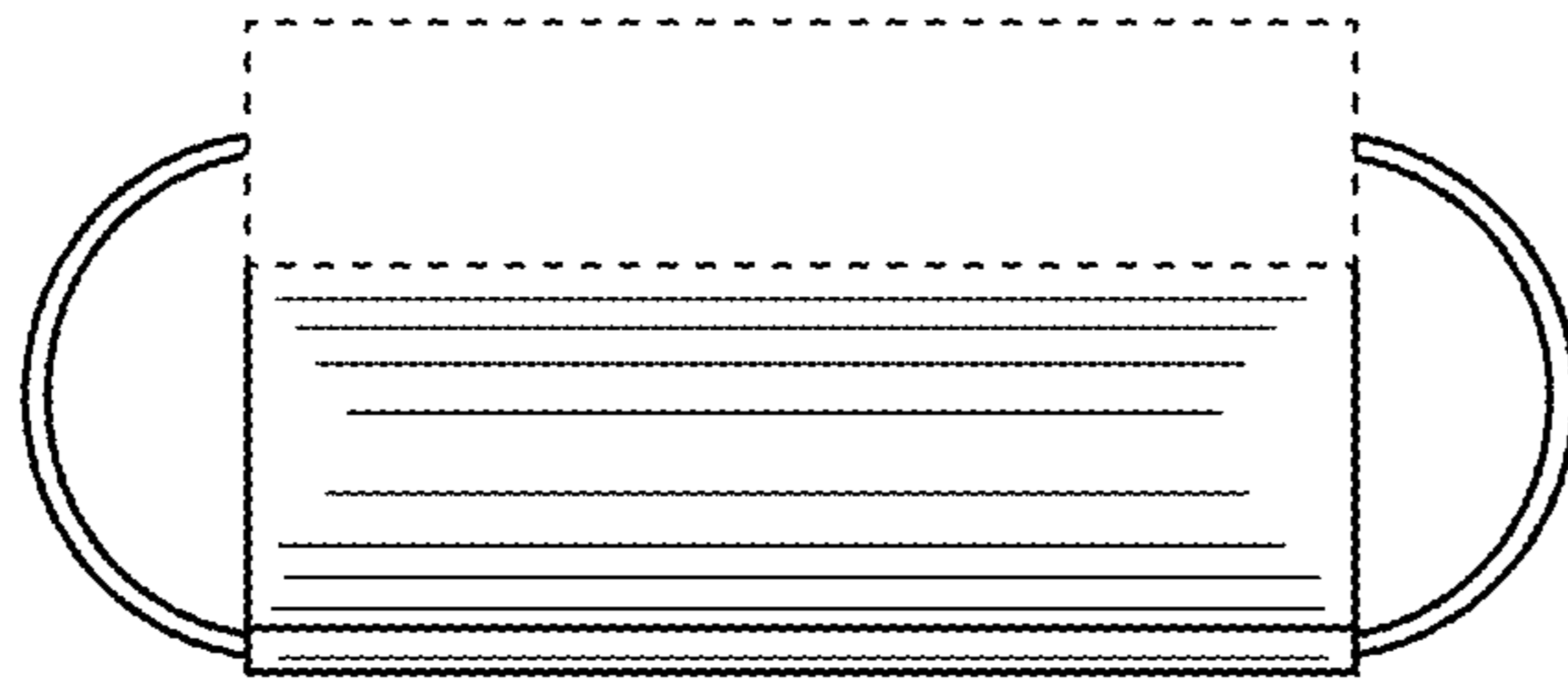


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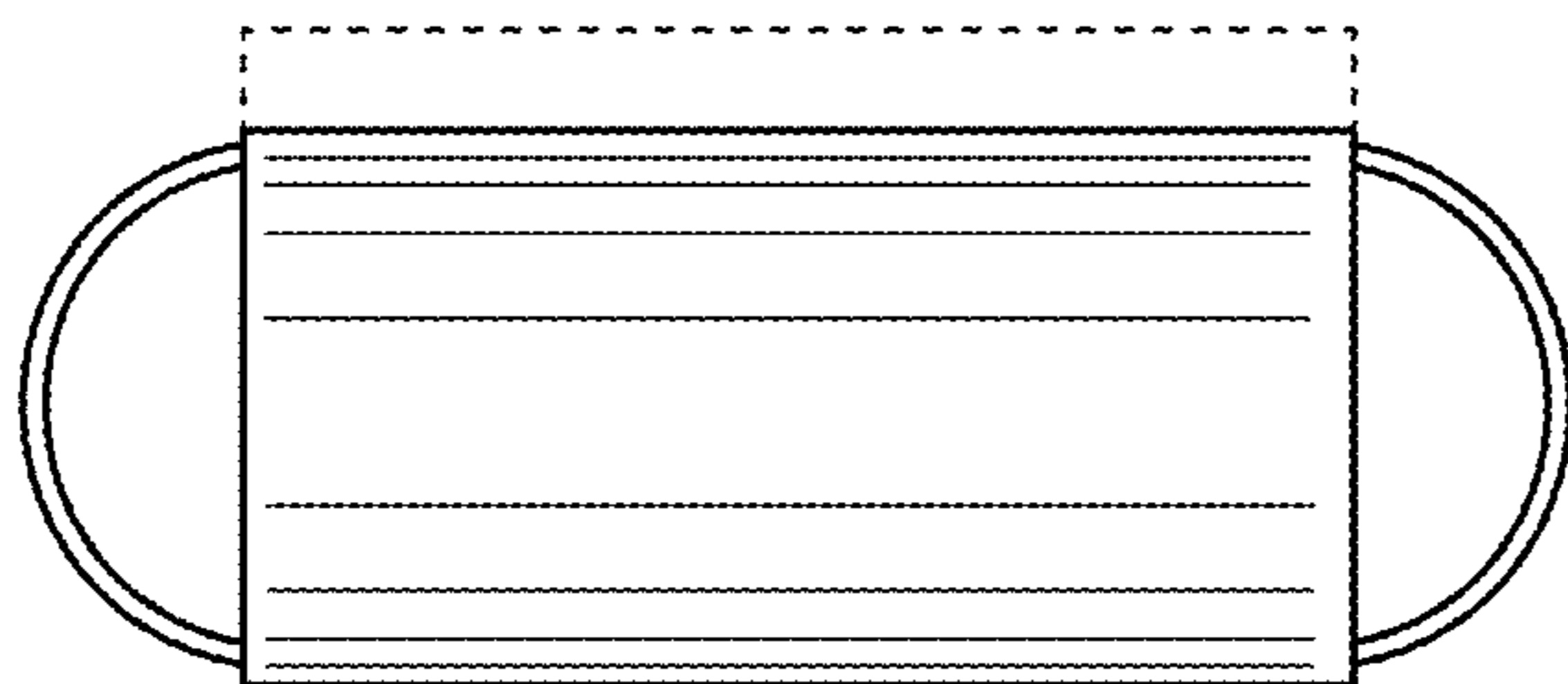


FIG. 7