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(54) **STORAGE CONTAINER FOR USE WITH A VEHICLE**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a storage container for use with a vehicle, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is an isometric view of a storage container for use with a vehicle in a non-erected configuration.

FIG. 2 is a side view of the storage container for use with a vehicle of FIG. 1 in the non-erected configuration.

FIG. 3 is another side view of the storage container for use with a vehicle of FIG. 1 in the non-erected configuration.

FIG. 4 is another side view of the storage container for use with a vehicle of FIG. 1 in the non-erected configuration.

FIG. 5 is another side view of the storage container for use with a vehicle of FIG. 1 in the non-erected configuration.

FIG. 6 is a top plan view of the storage container for use with a vehicle of FIG. 1 in the non-erected configuration; and,

FIG. 7 is a bottom plan view of the storage container for use with a vehicle of FIG. 1 in the non-erected configuration.

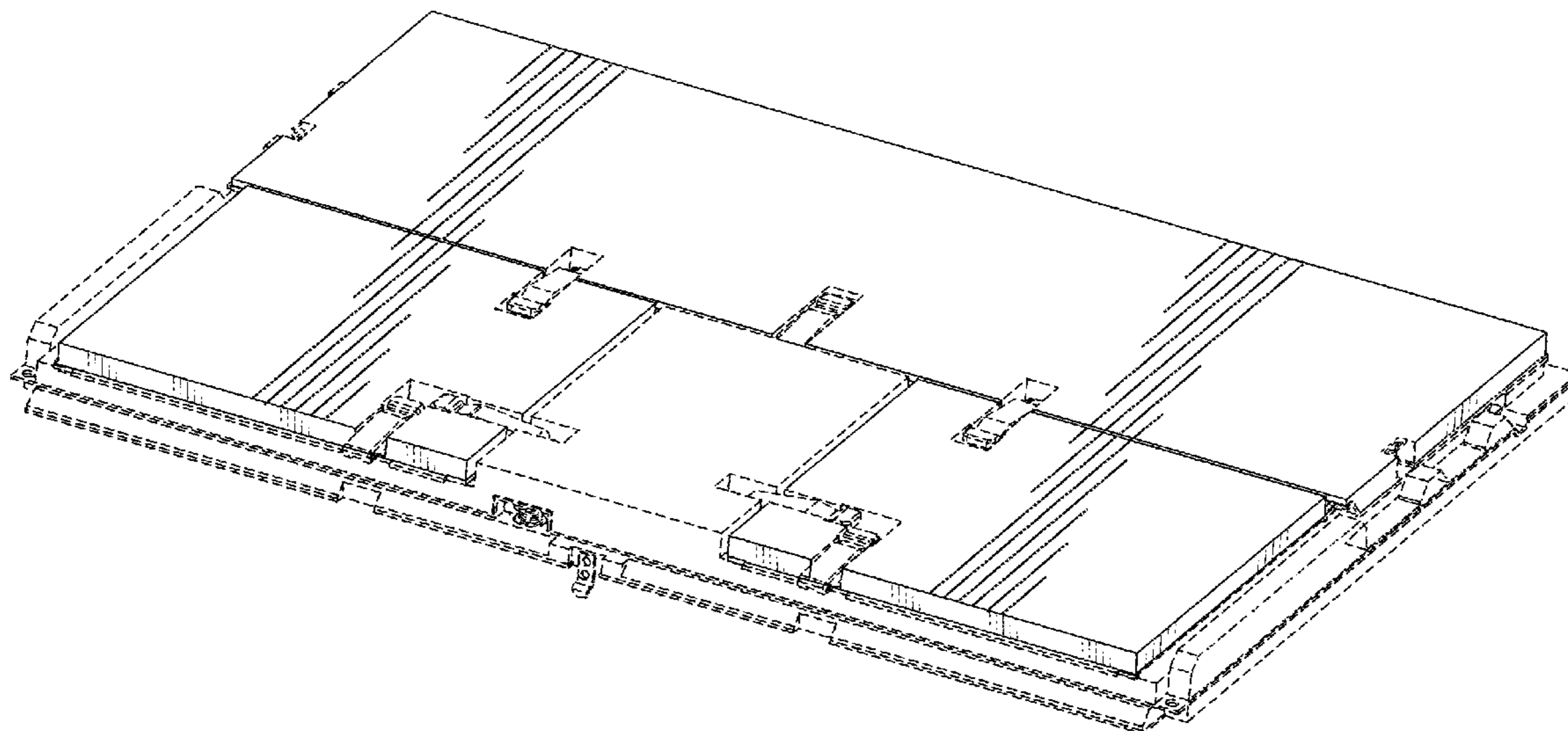
The features shown in broken lines are for illustrative purposes only and do not form part of the claimed design.

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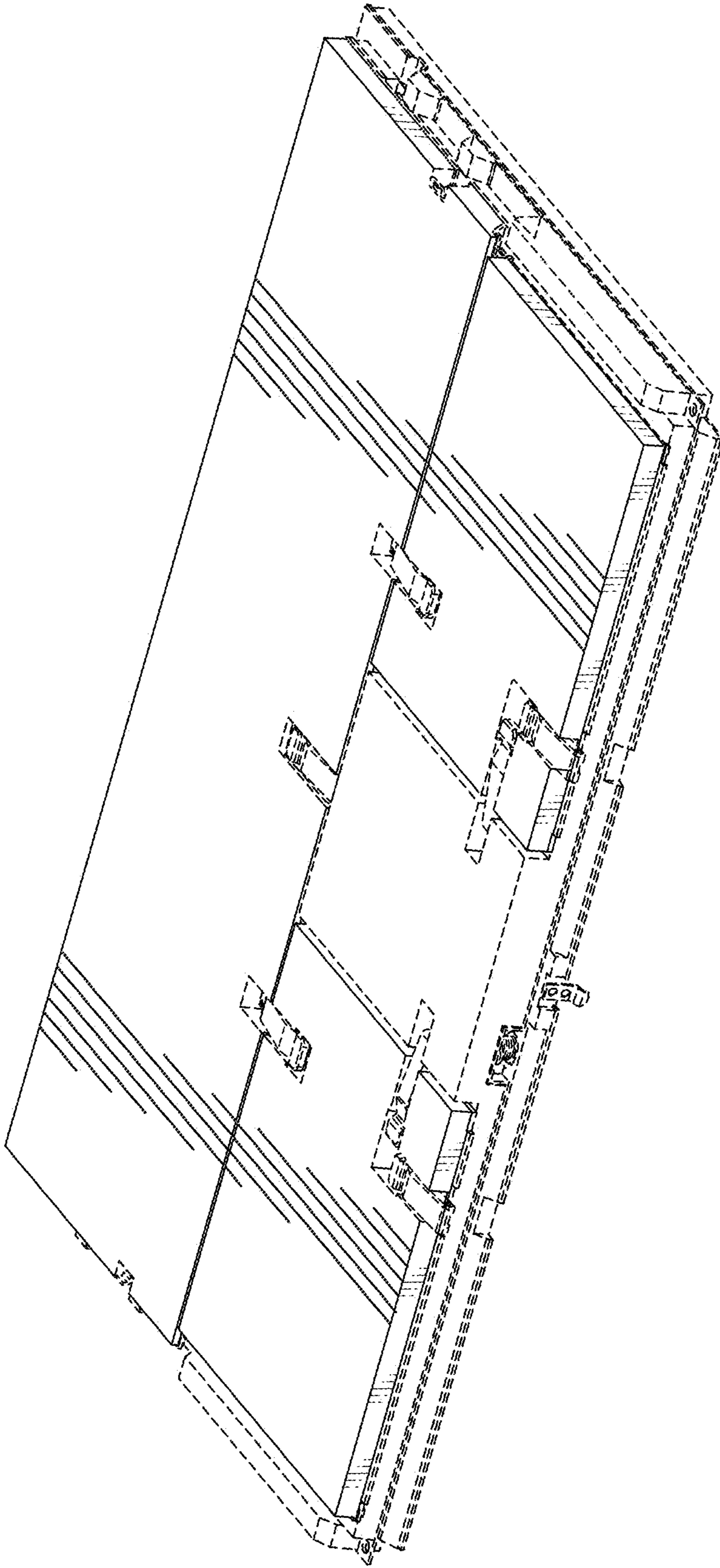


FIG. 1

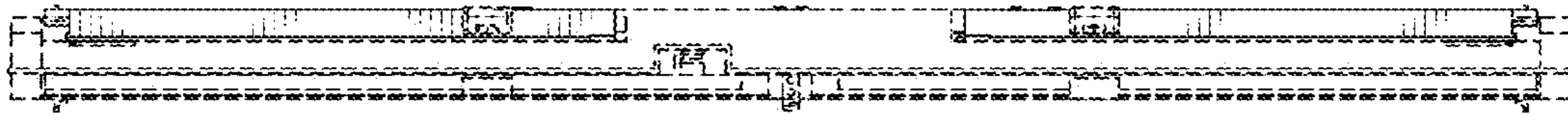


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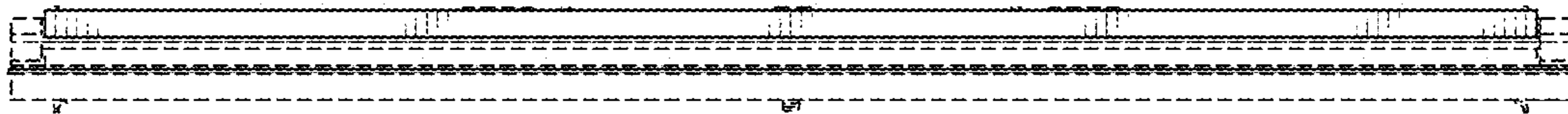


FIG. 3



FIG. 4

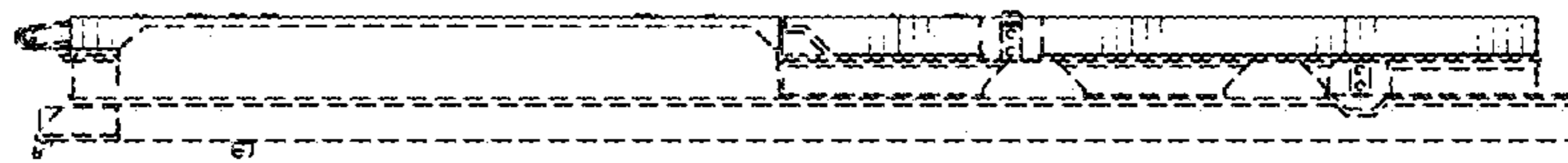


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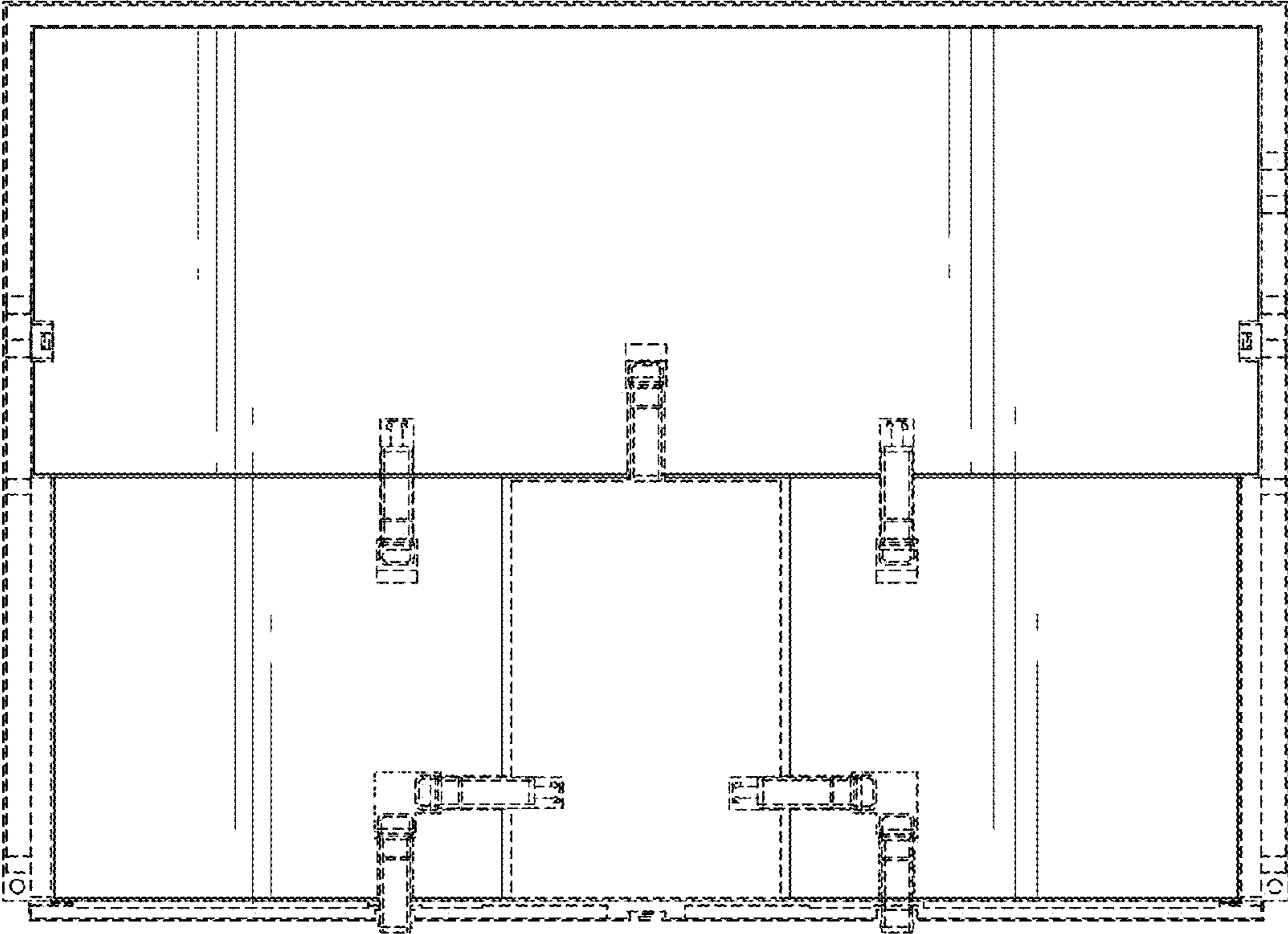


FIG. 6

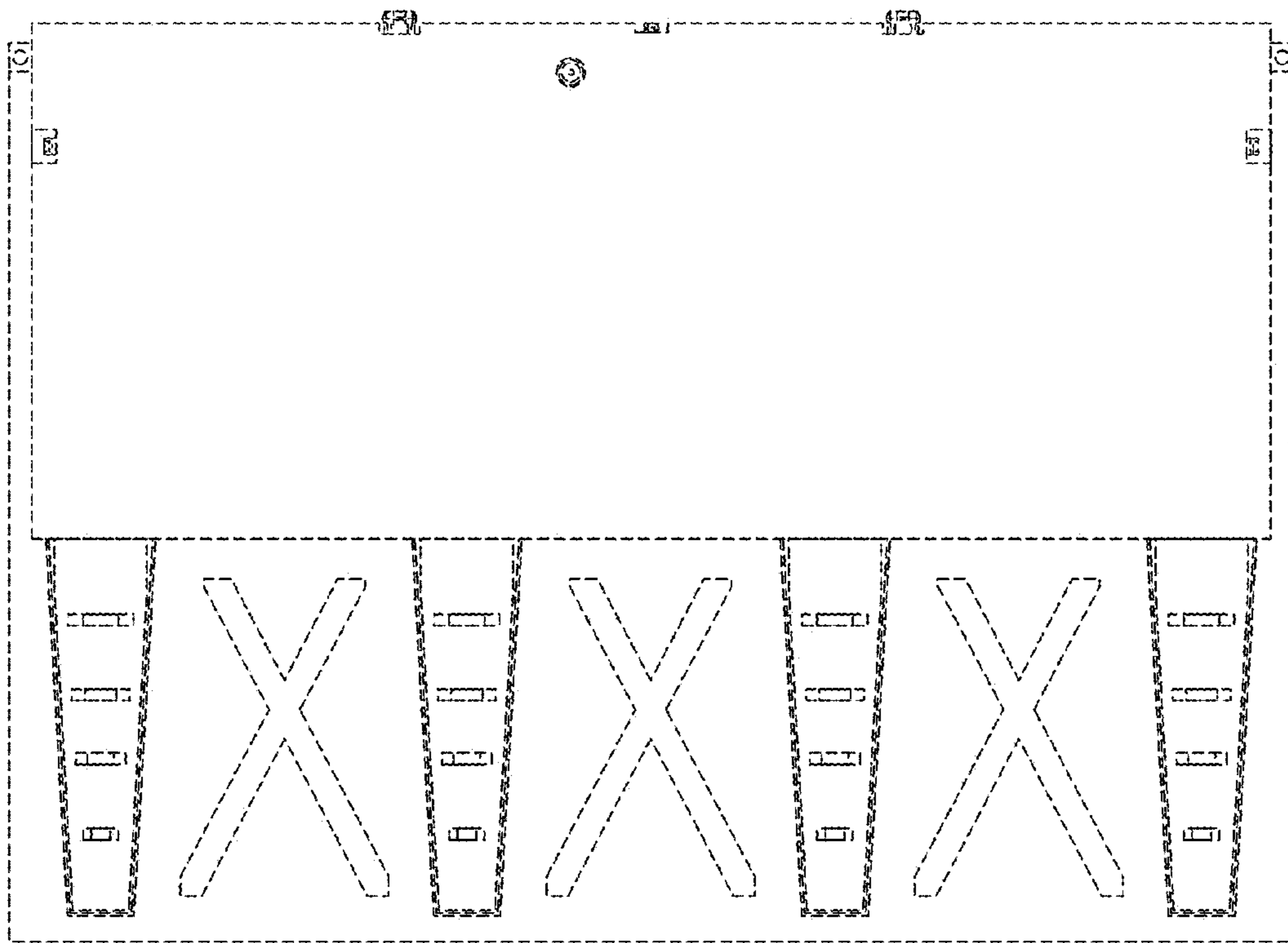


FIG. 7