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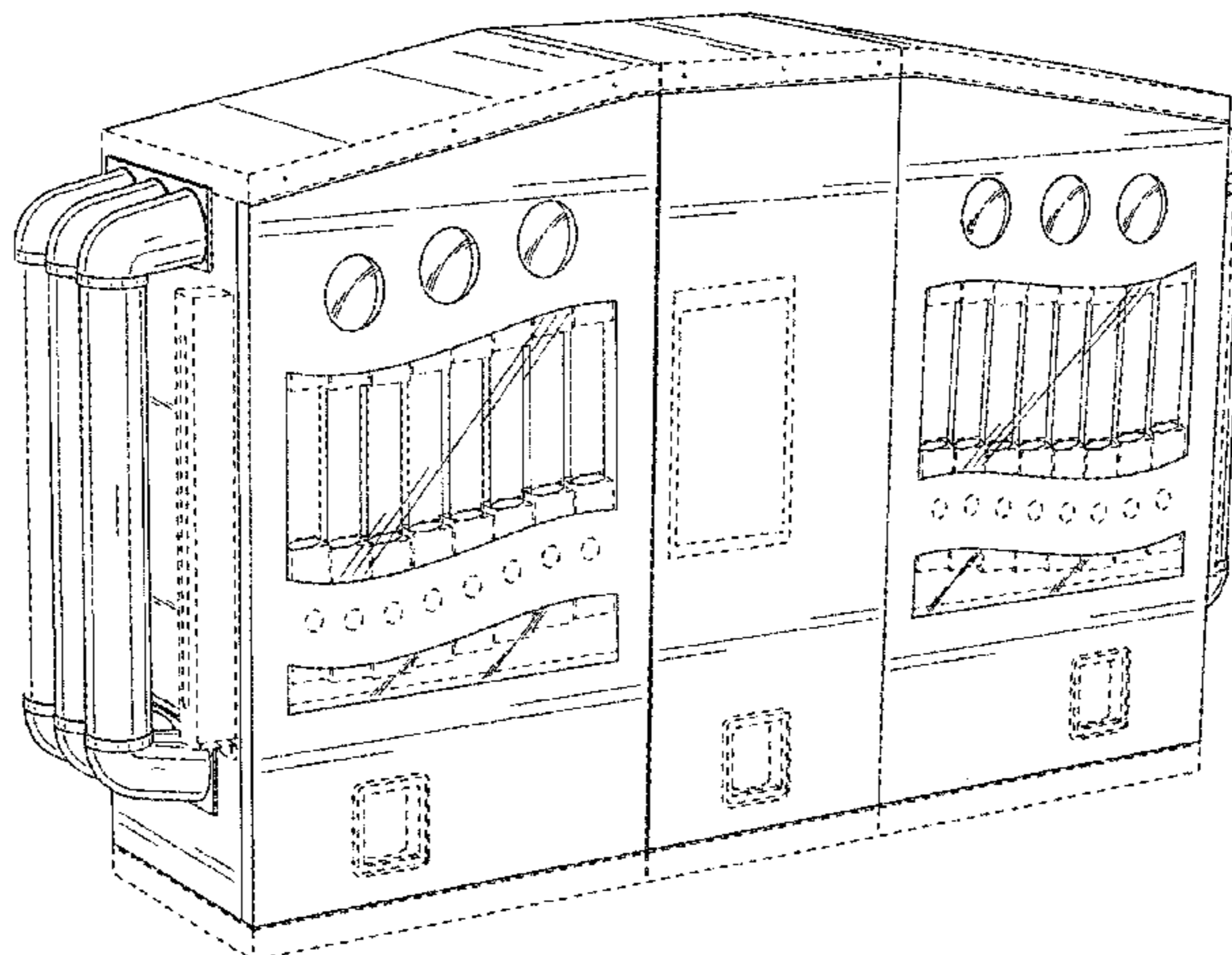
(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a vending apparatus, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front elevation view of a vending apparatus according to my novel design;
FIG. 2 is a rear elevation view of FIG. 1;
FIG. 3 is a left, side elevation view of FIG. 1;
FIG. 4 is a right, side elevation view of FIG. 1; and,
FIG. 5 is a left, front perspective view of FIG. 1.
The broken line disclosure in parts of the drawings is included for the purpose of illustrating use and environment and forms no part of the claimed design.

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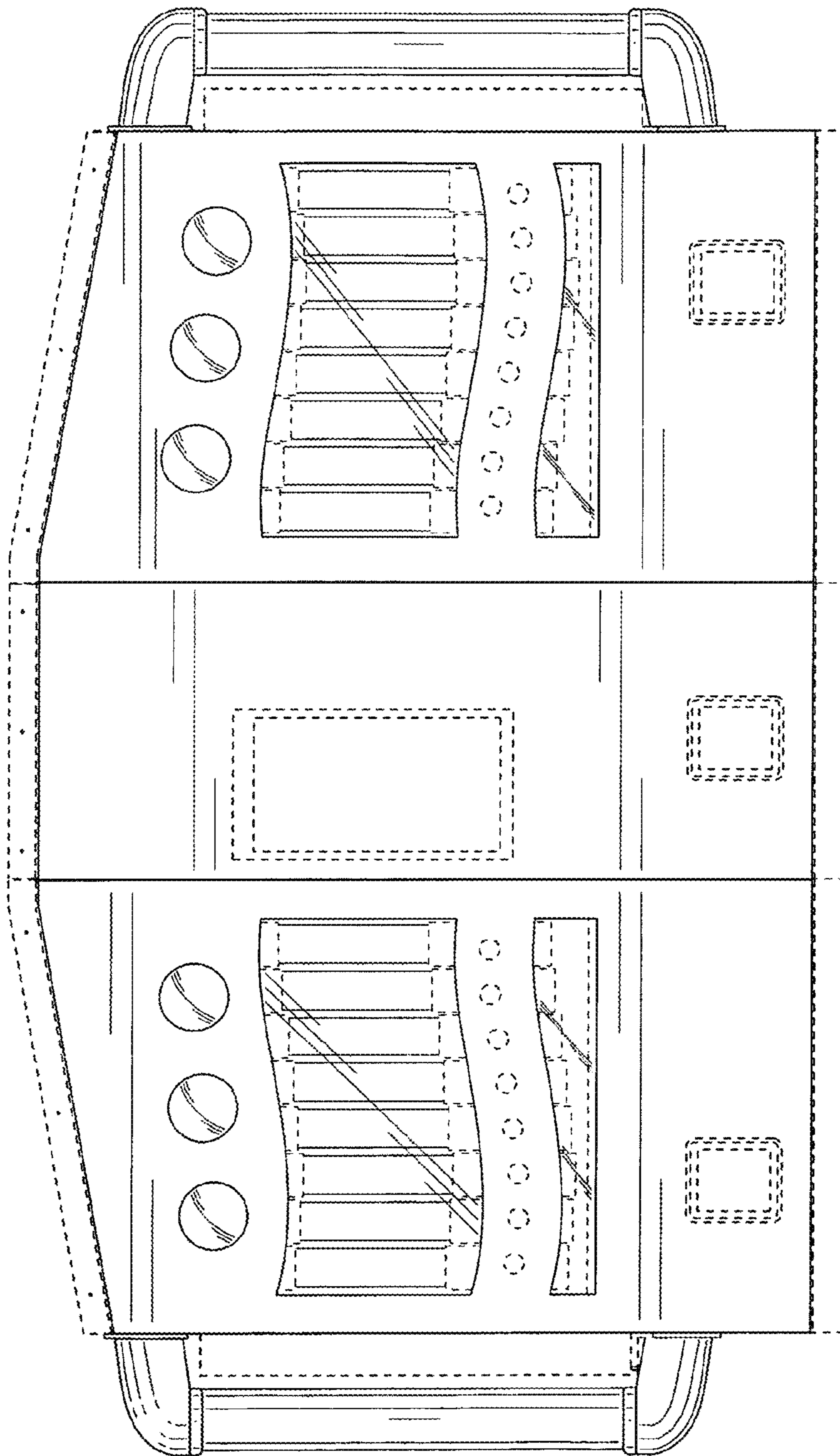


FIG. 1

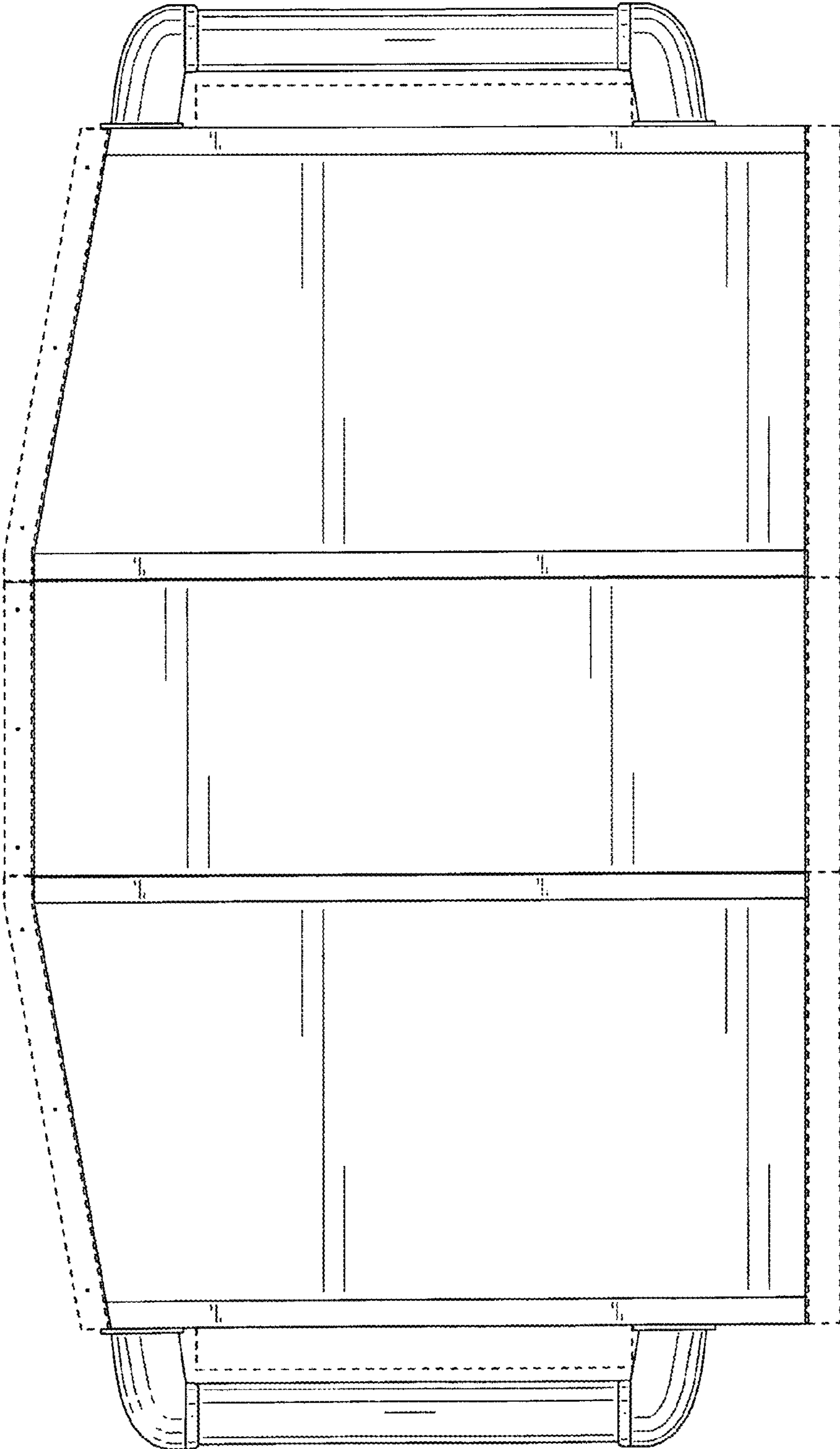


FIG. 2

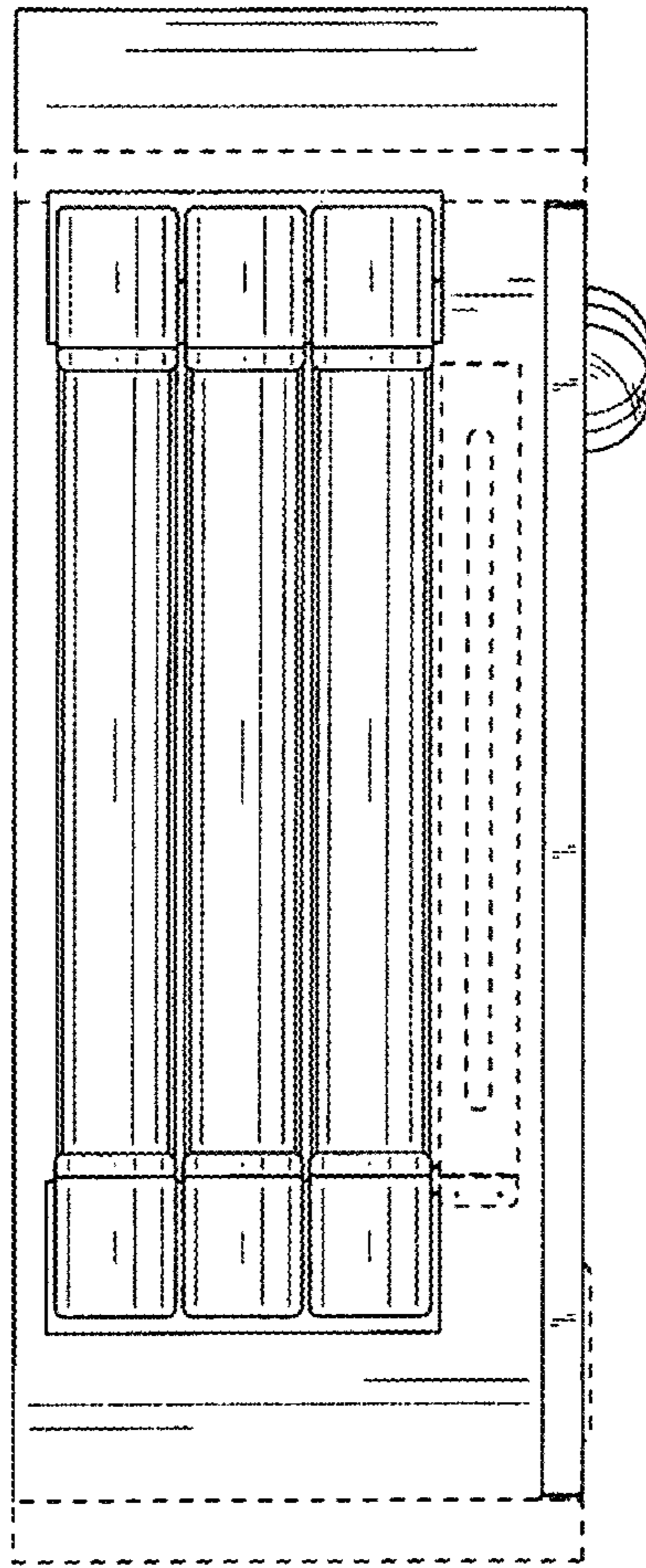


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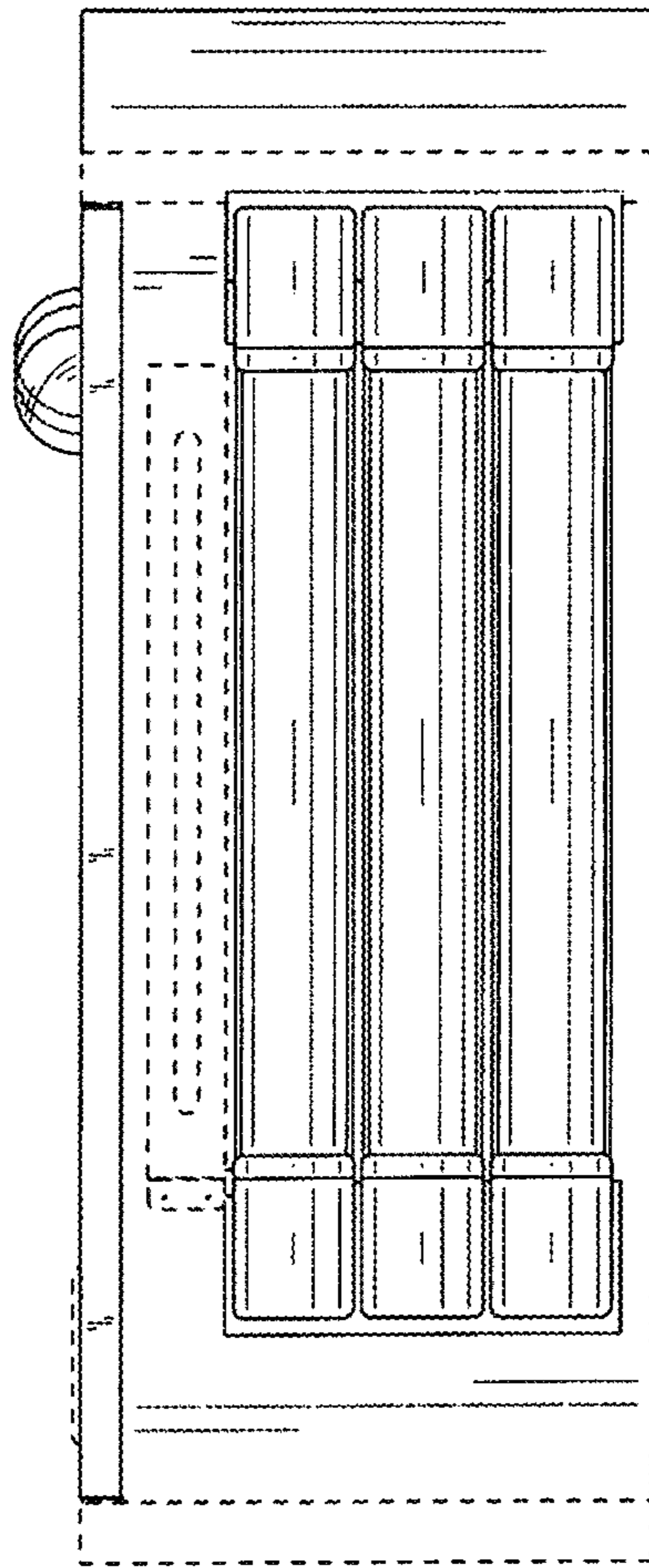


FIG. 4

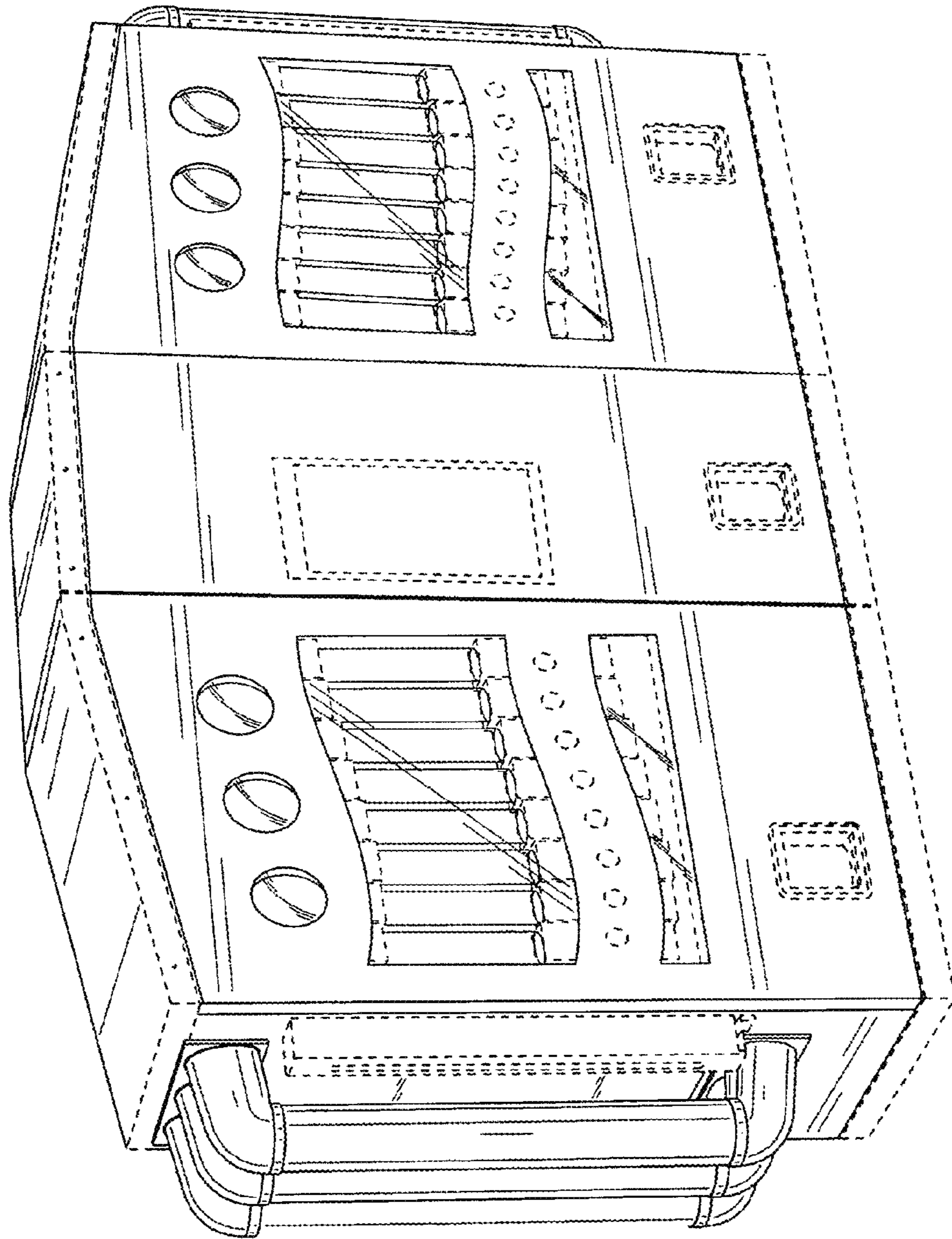


FIG. 5