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(54) **FLEXIBLE PACKAGE WITH INTEGRAL TAB**

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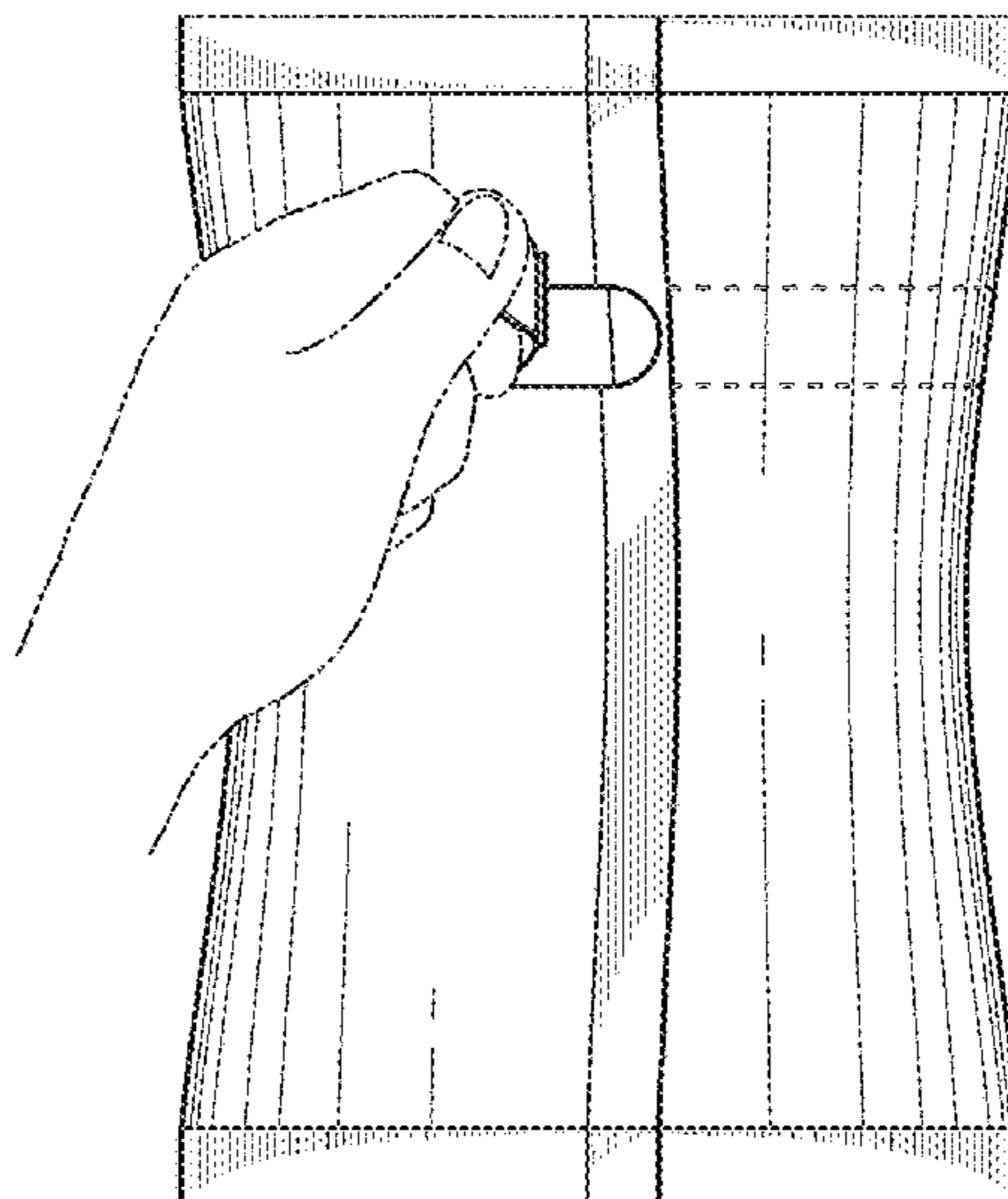
The ornamental design for the flexible package with integral tab, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of the flexible package with integral tab according to our new design; FIG. 2 is a back elevational view thereof; FIG. 3 is a front elevational view thereof; FIG. 4 is a bottom view, the other end being a mirror image thereof; FIG. 5 is a side elevation view thereof; FIG. 6 is a perspective view of the flexible package with integral tab in a partially open position; and, FIG. 7 is perspective view of a flexible package with integral tab in a partially open position, according to the first embodiment.

In the drawings, the dashed lines represent a tear-able line of weakness in the flexible package with integral tab and form a part of the claimed design. The smaller broken lines are for the purpose of illustrating environment only and form no part of the claimed design.

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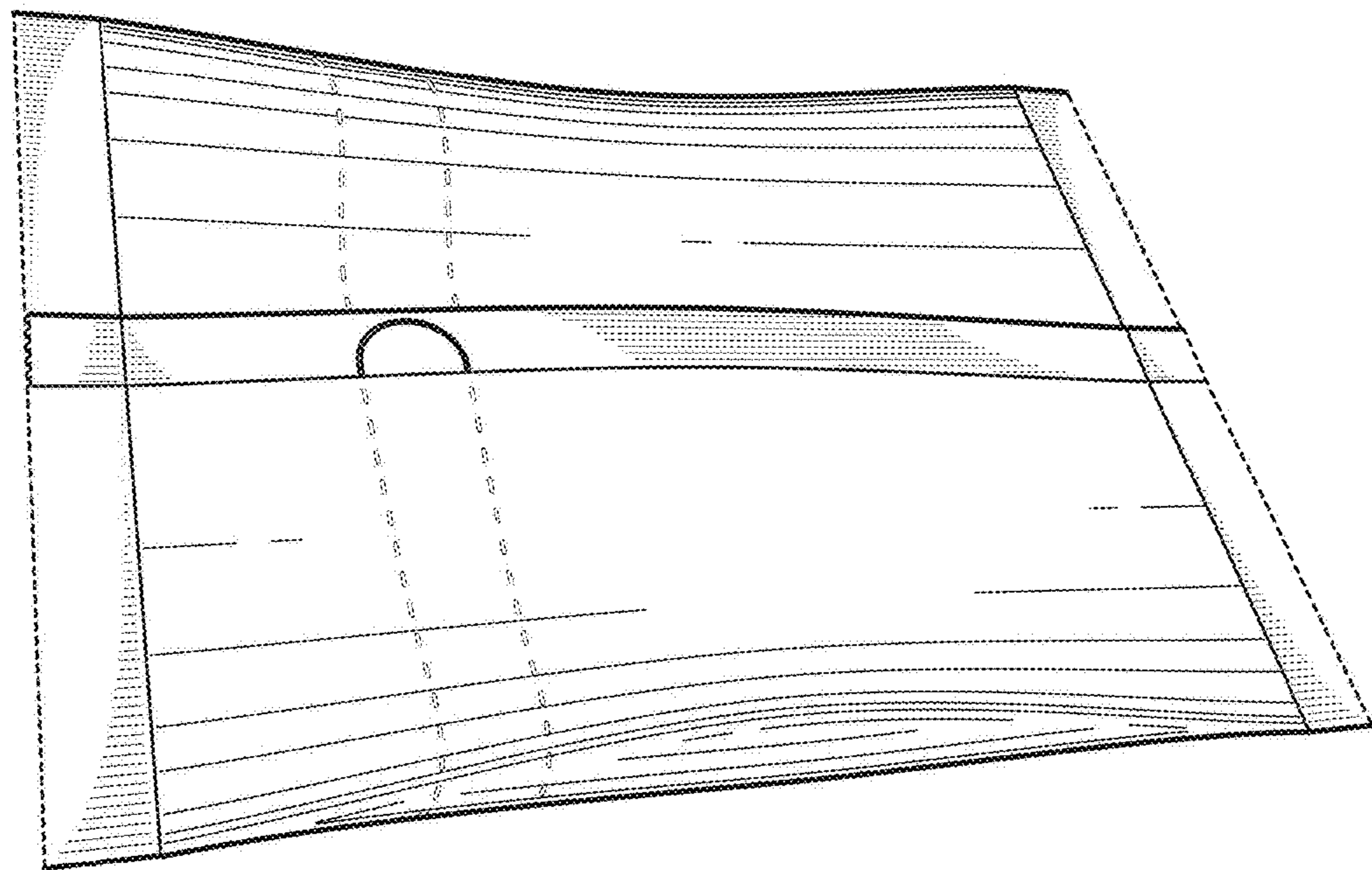


FIG. 1

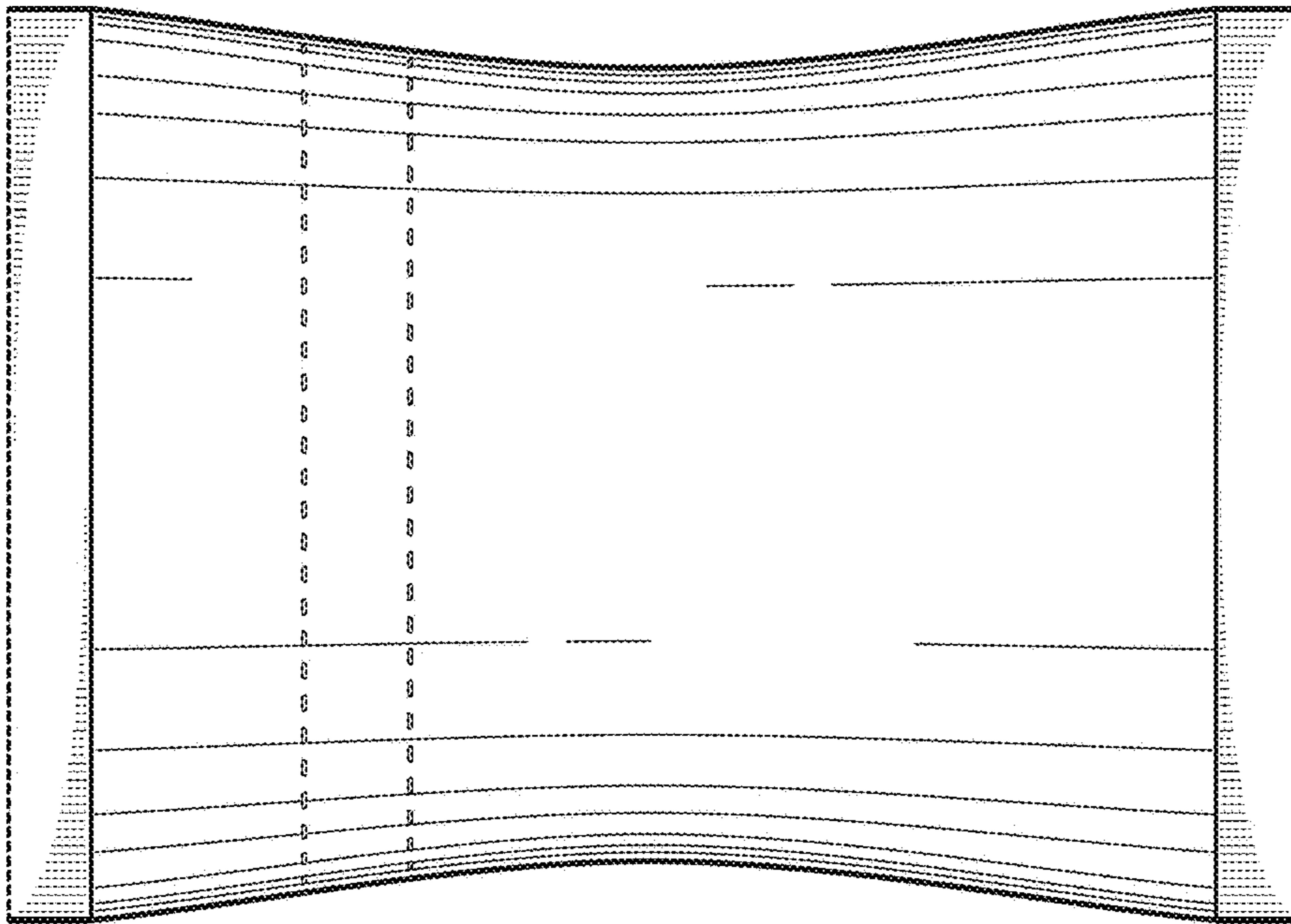


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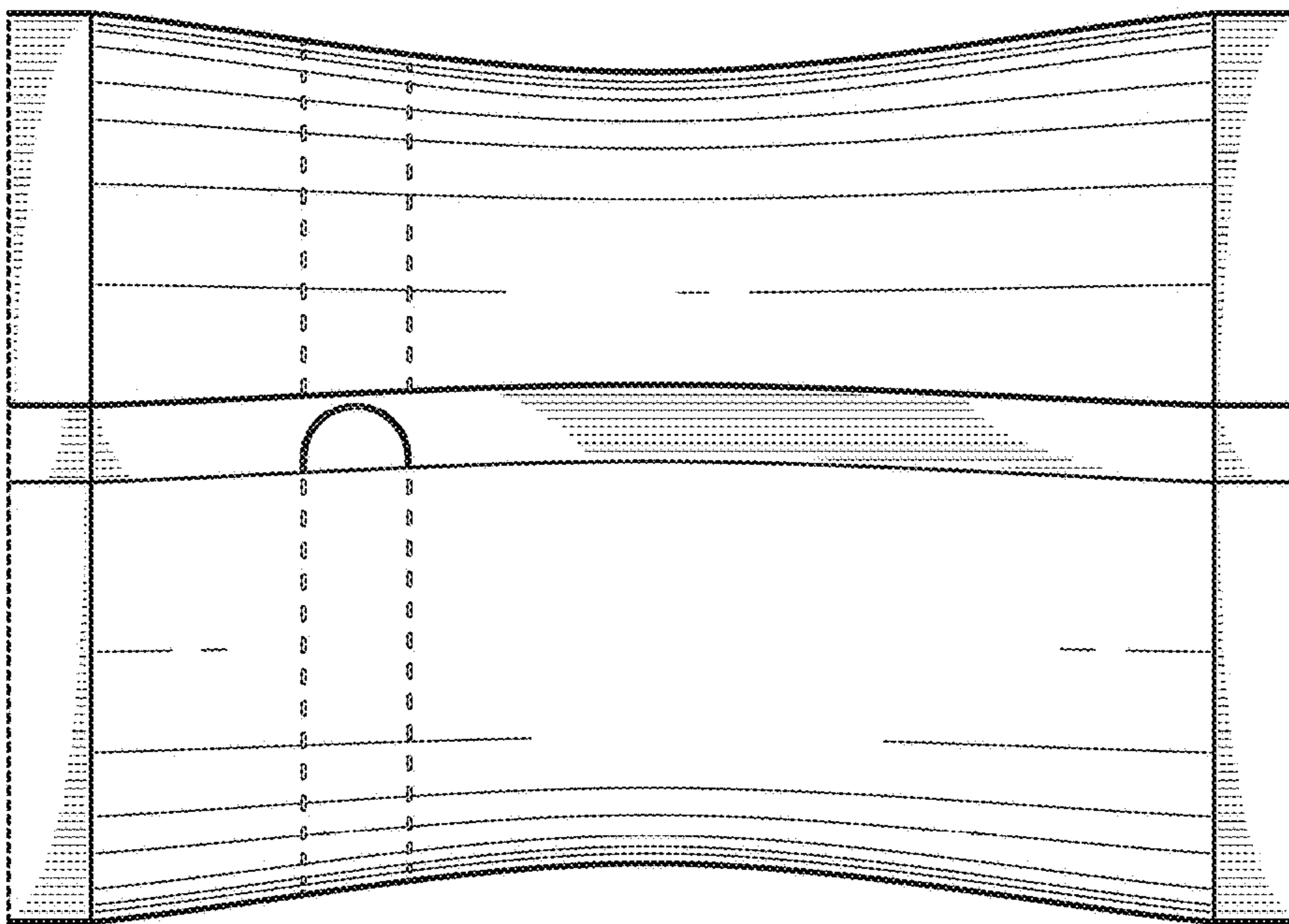


FIG. 2



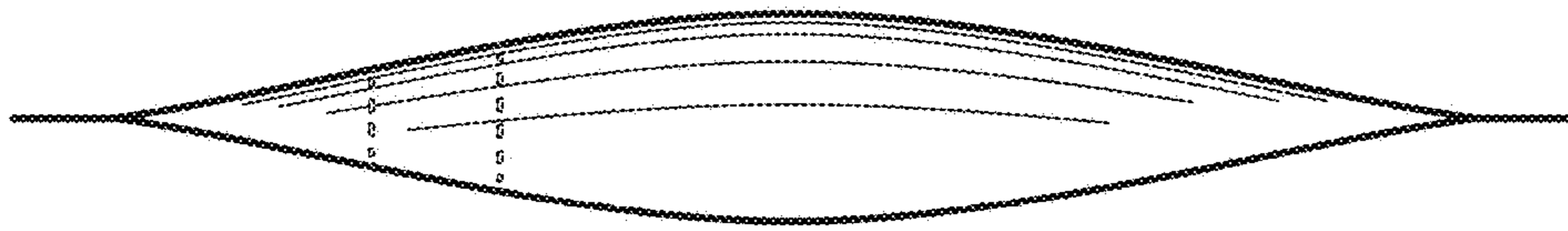


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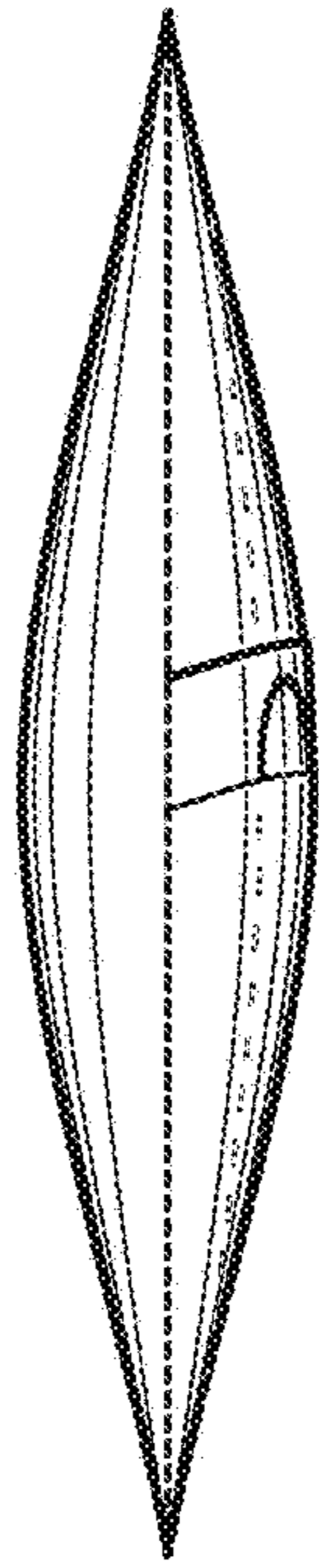


FIG. 5

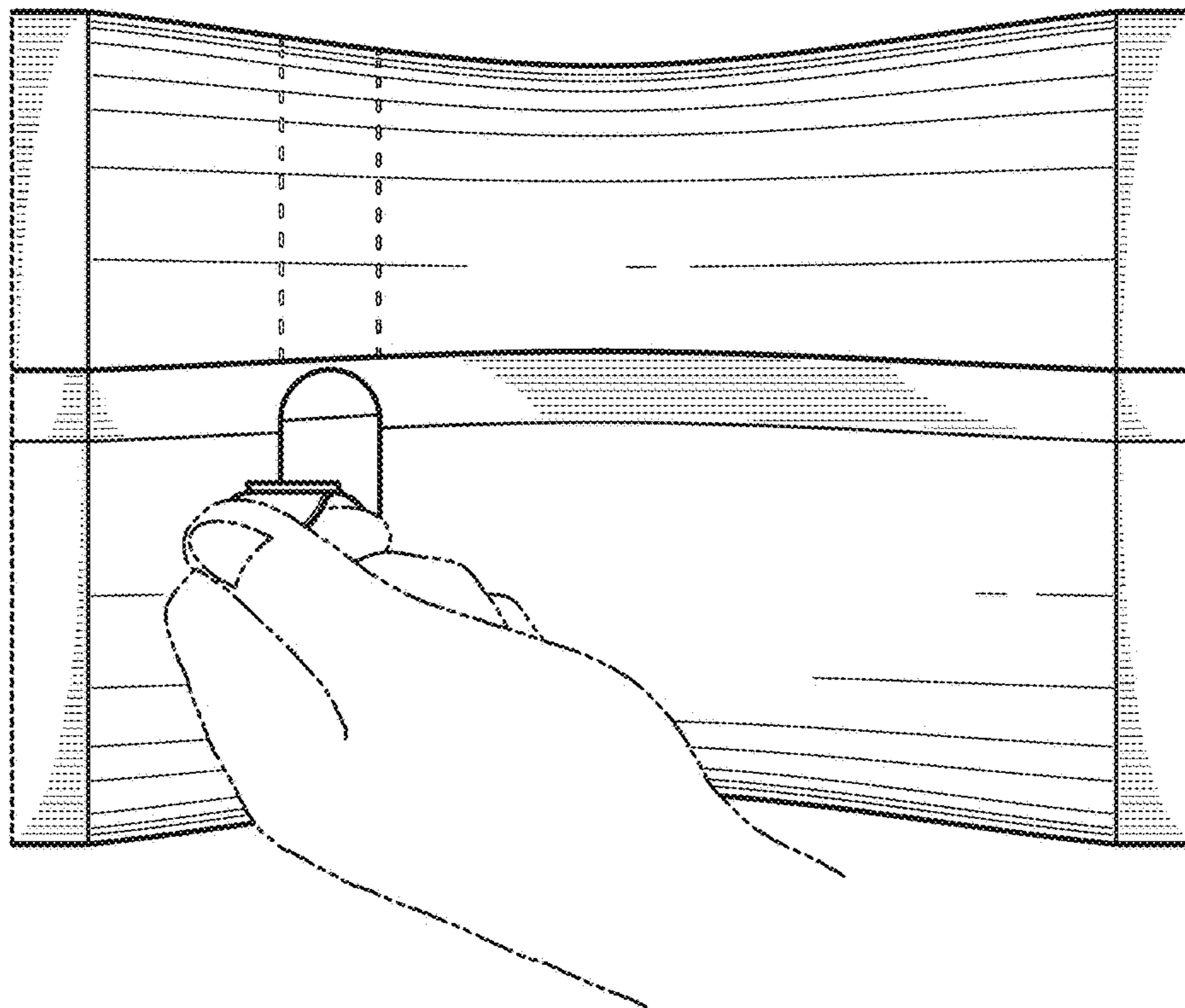


FIG. 6

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**CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the Title Page

In the Description

Referring to FIG. 6, please replace “position; and,” with --position.--

Please delete the sentence reading “FIG. 7 is perspective view of a flexible package with integral tab in a partially open position, according to the first embodiment.”

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