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CLAIM

(57) The ornamental design for a medical gown, as shown and described.

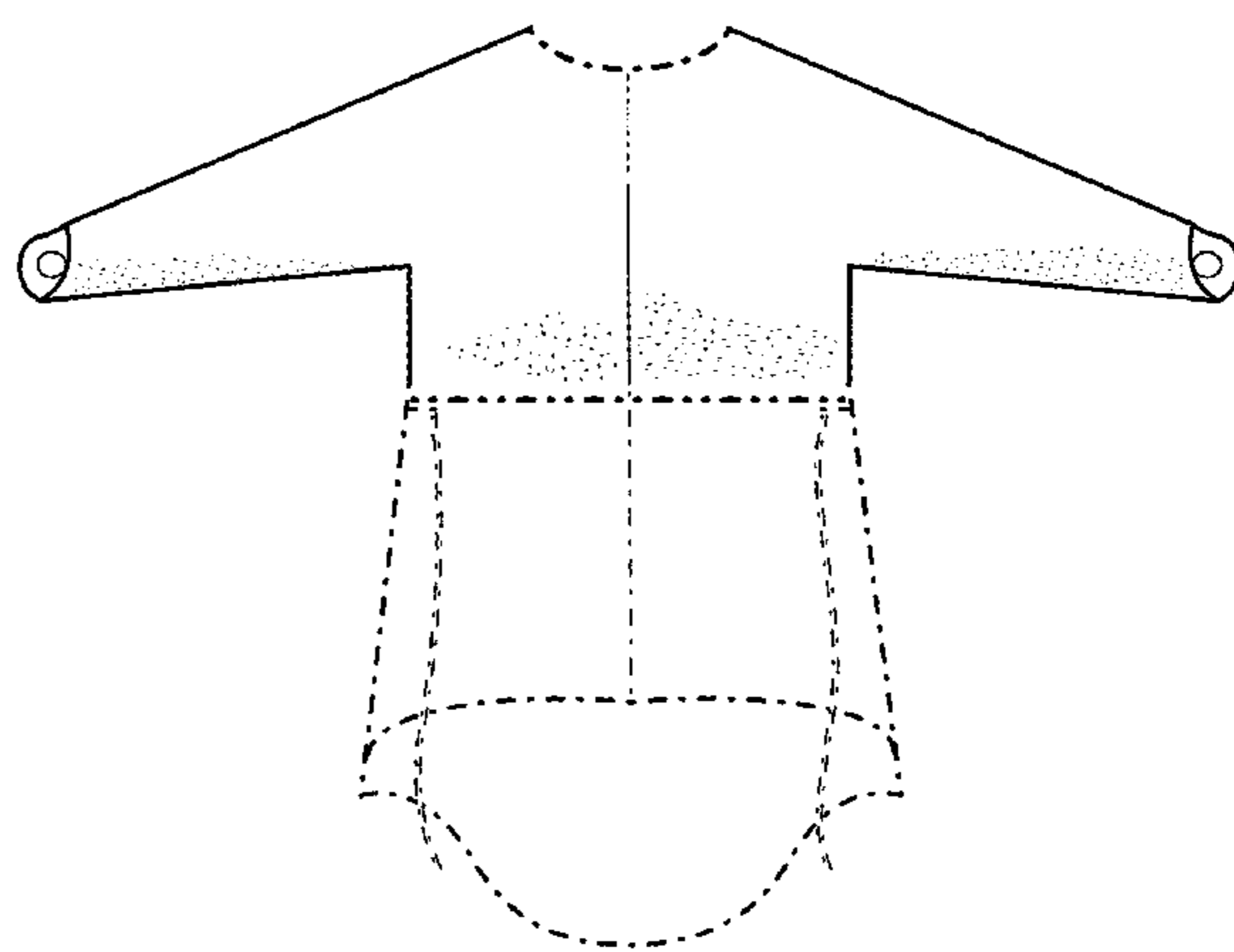
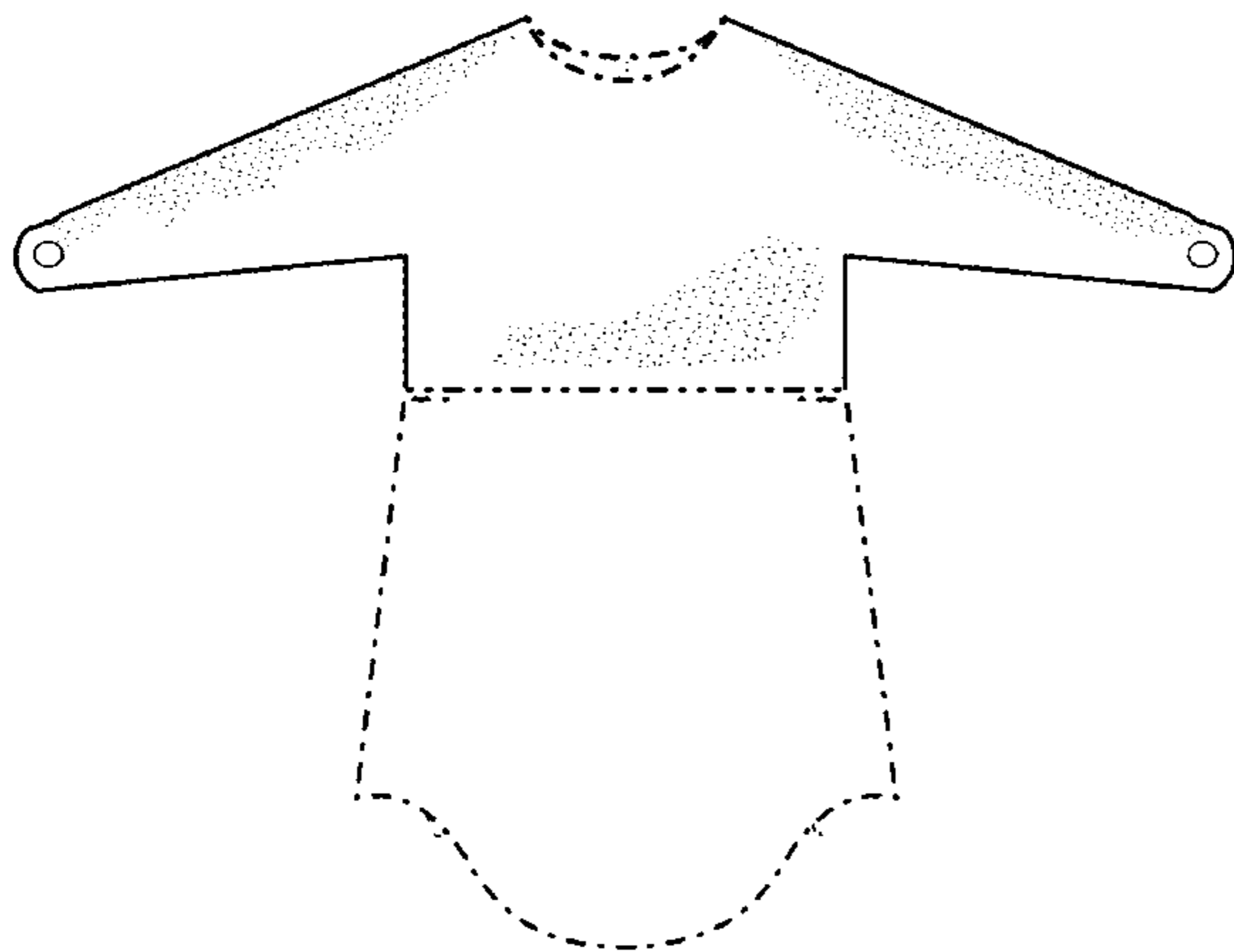
DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front elevation view of a medical gown illustrating our new design; and, FIG. 2 is a rear elevation view thereof. The long dash broken line between the neck and opening along the back of the gown forms a part of the claimed design. The dot-dash broken lines are directed to environment and form no part of the claimed design. The dot-dot-dash broken lines represent the bounds of the claimed design and form no part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 1 Drawing Sheet

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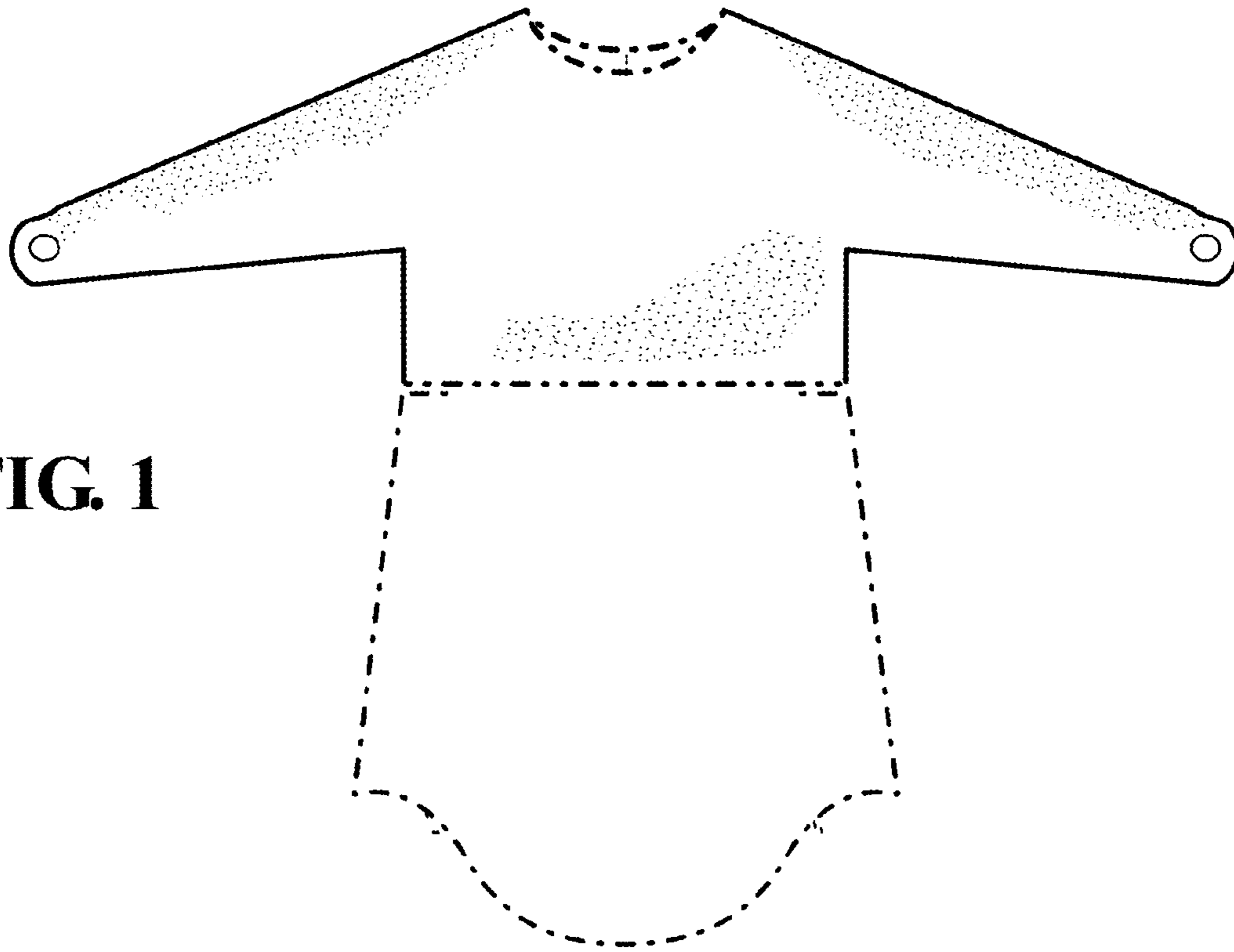


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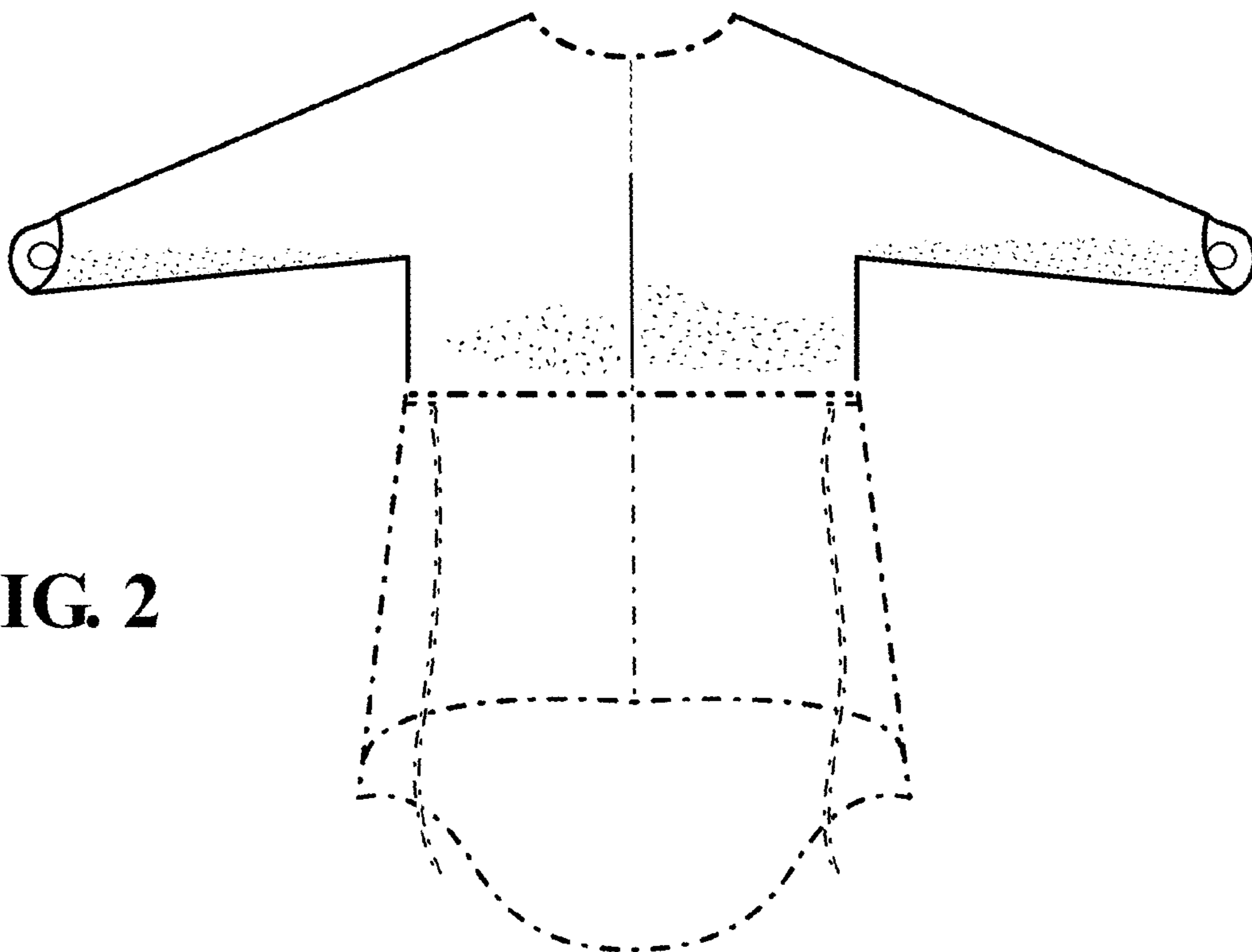


FIG. 2