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(54) **CLAMSHELL CONTAINER**

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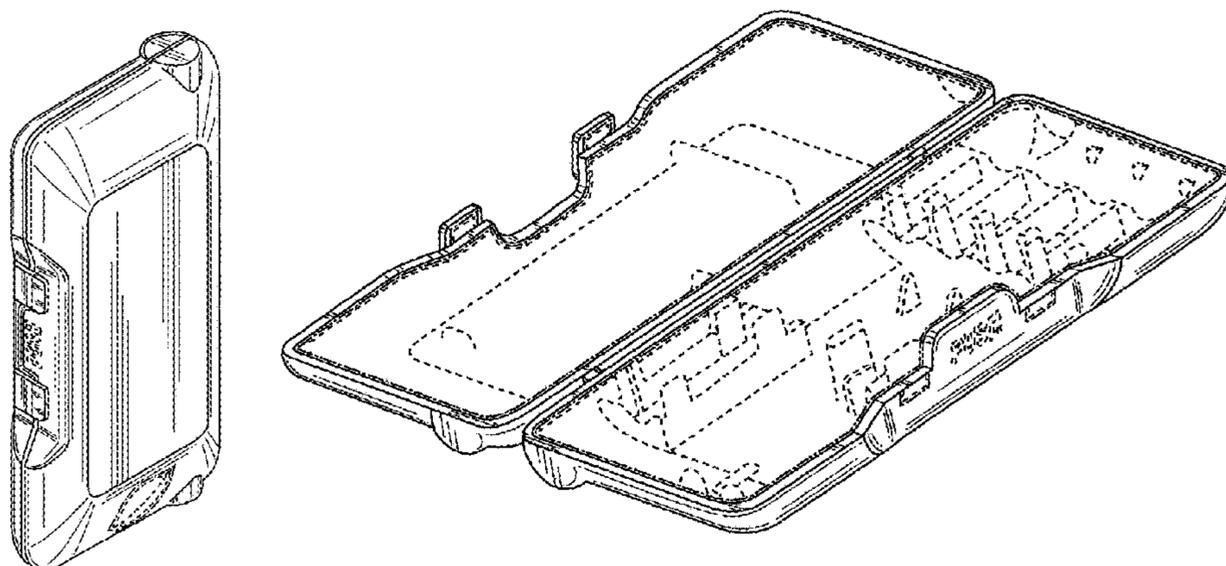
(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a clamshell container, as shown
and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front perspective view of a first configuration of
a first clamshell container embodiment;
FIG. 2 is a front elevation view of the first configuration of
the first clamshell container embodiment of FIG. 1;
FIG. 3 is a rear elevation view of the first configuration of
the first clamshell container embodiment of FIG. 1;
FIG. 4 is a left side elevation view of the first configuration
of the first clamshell container embodiment of FIG. 1;
FIG. 5 is a right side elevation view of the first configuration
of the first clamshell container embodiment of FIG. 1;
FIG. 6 is a top plan view of the first configuration of the first
clamshell container embodiment of FIG. 1;
FIG. 7 is a bottom plan view of the first configuration of the
first clamshell container embodiment of FIG. 1;
FIG. 8 of a perspective view of an alternate configuration of
the first clamshell container embodiment of FIG. 1;
FIG. 9 is a front perspective view of a first configuration of
a second clamshell container embodiment;
FIG. 10 is a front elevation view of the first configuration of
the second clamshell container embodiment of FIG. 1;
FIG. 11 is a rear elevation view of the first configuration of
the second clamshell container embodiment of FIG. 1;
FIG. 12 is a left side elevation view of the first configuration
of the second clamshell container embodiment of FIG. 1;
FIG. 13 is a right side elevation view of the first configura-
tion of the second clamshell container embodiment of
FIG. 1;
FIG. 14 is a top plan view of the first configuration of the
second clamshell container embodiment of FIG. 1;
FIG. 15 is a bottom plan view of the first configuration of the
second clamshell container embodiment of FIG. 1; and,
FIG. 16 of a perspective view of an alternate configuration
of the second clamshell container embodiment of FIG. 1.
The stippled shading in the drawings indicates a contrast in
appearance.

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In the drawings, the broken line showing portions of a clamshell container depicts environment and forms no part of the claim. Alternating dashed-dot lines are boundary lines, the area within which is unclaimed and represented by dashed lines.

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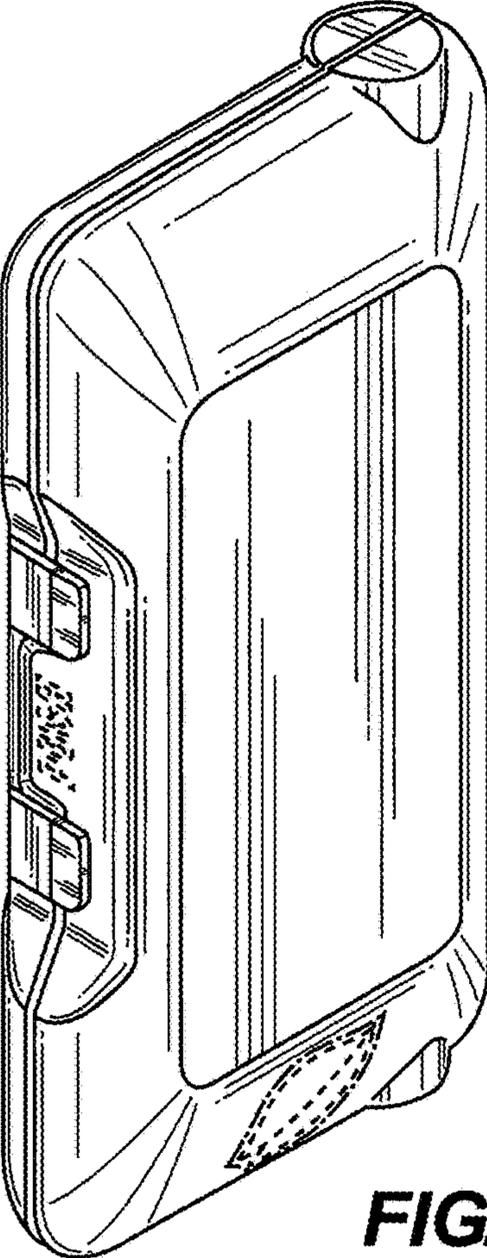


FIG. 1

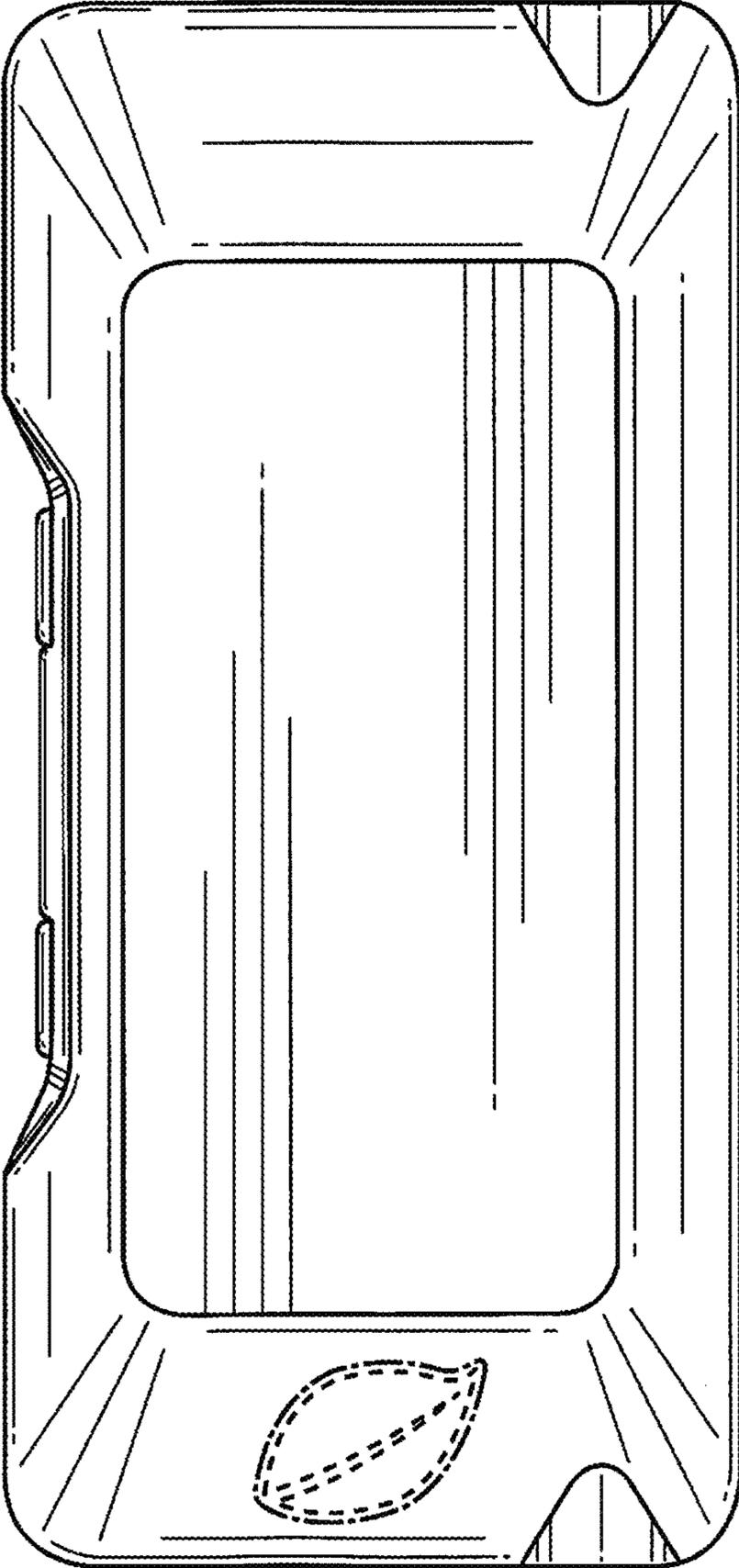


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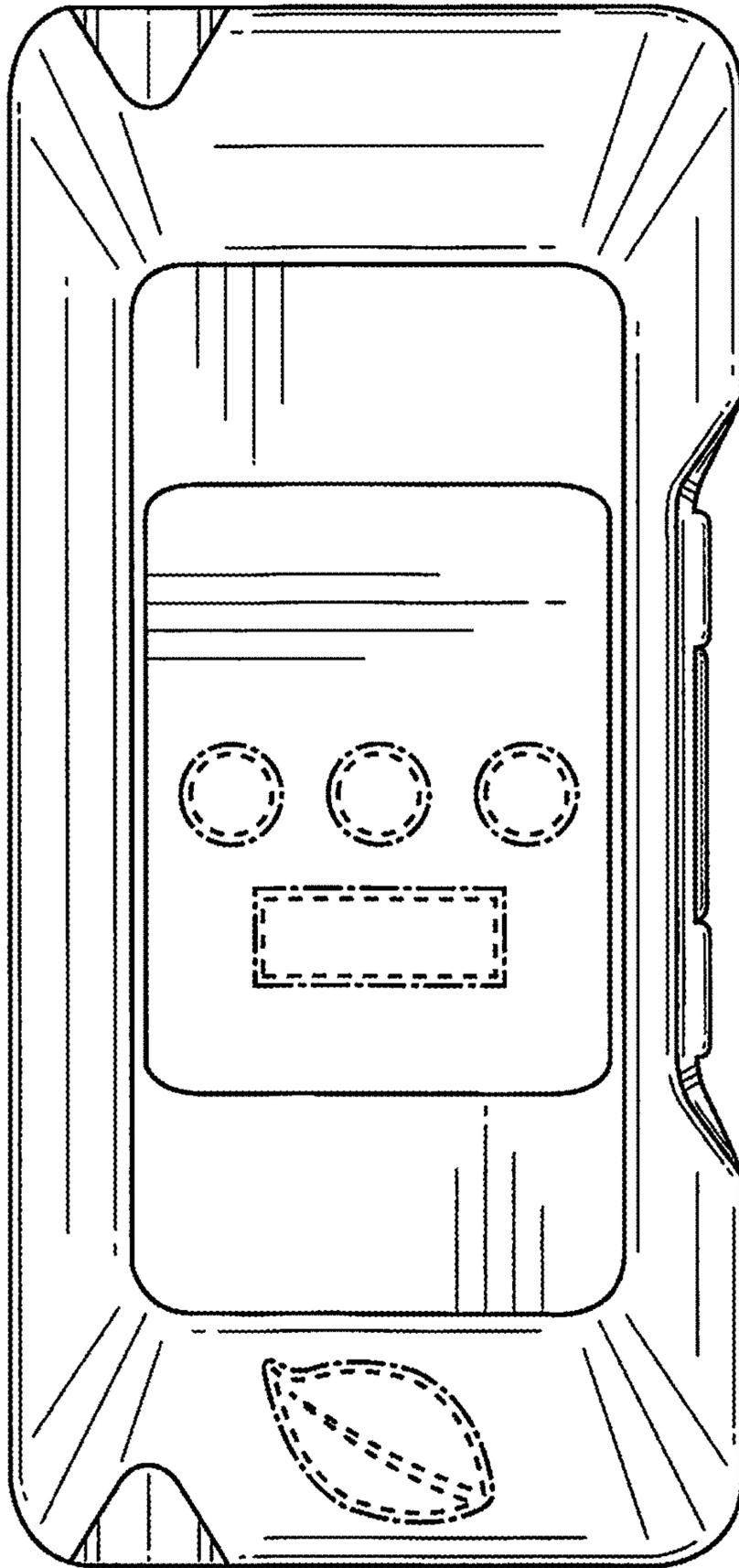


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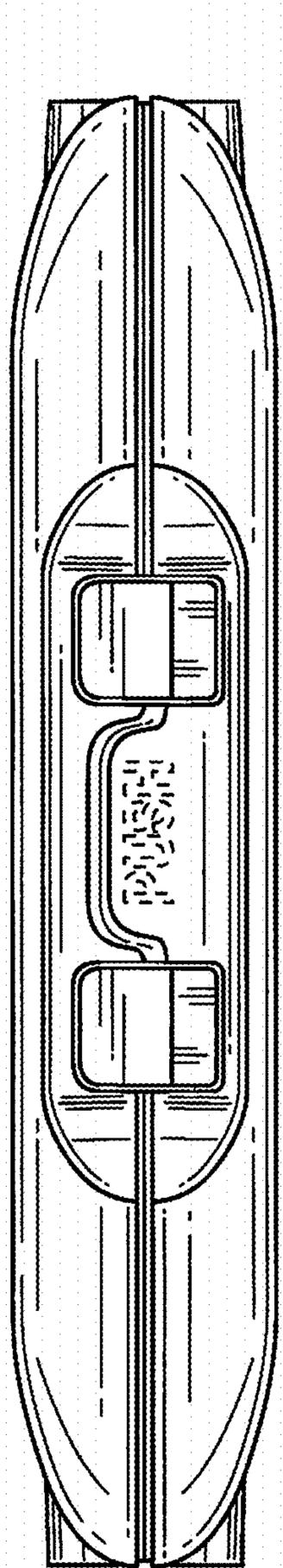


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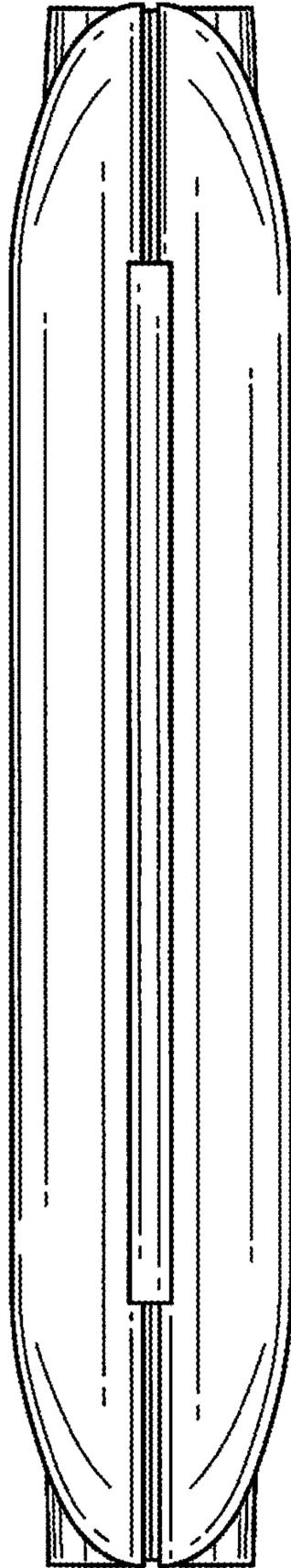


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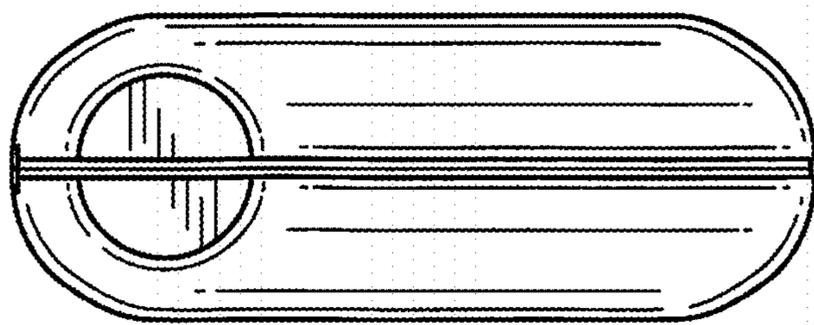


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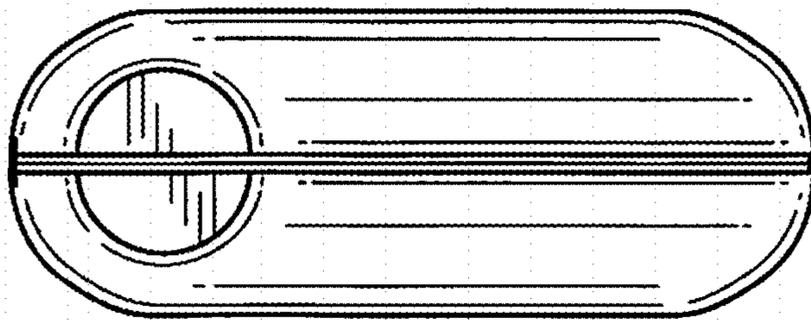


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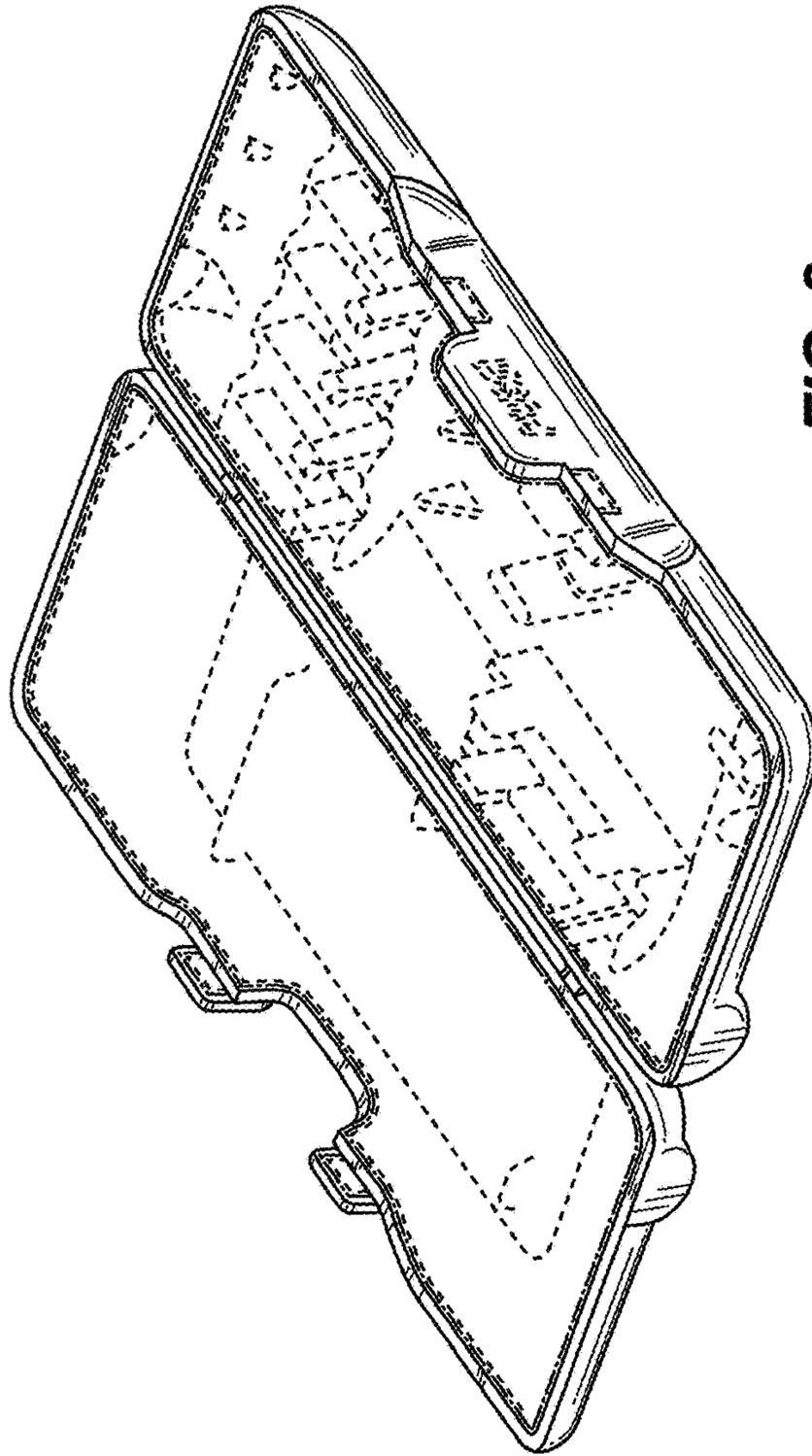


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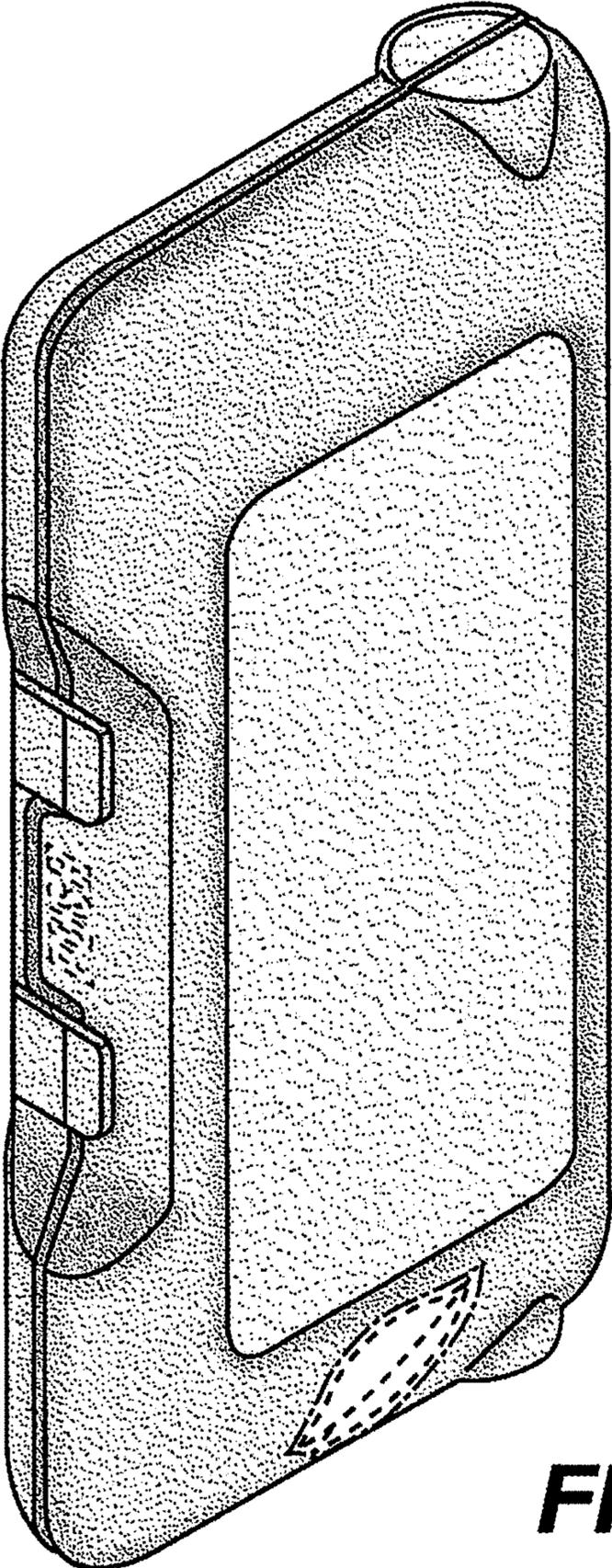


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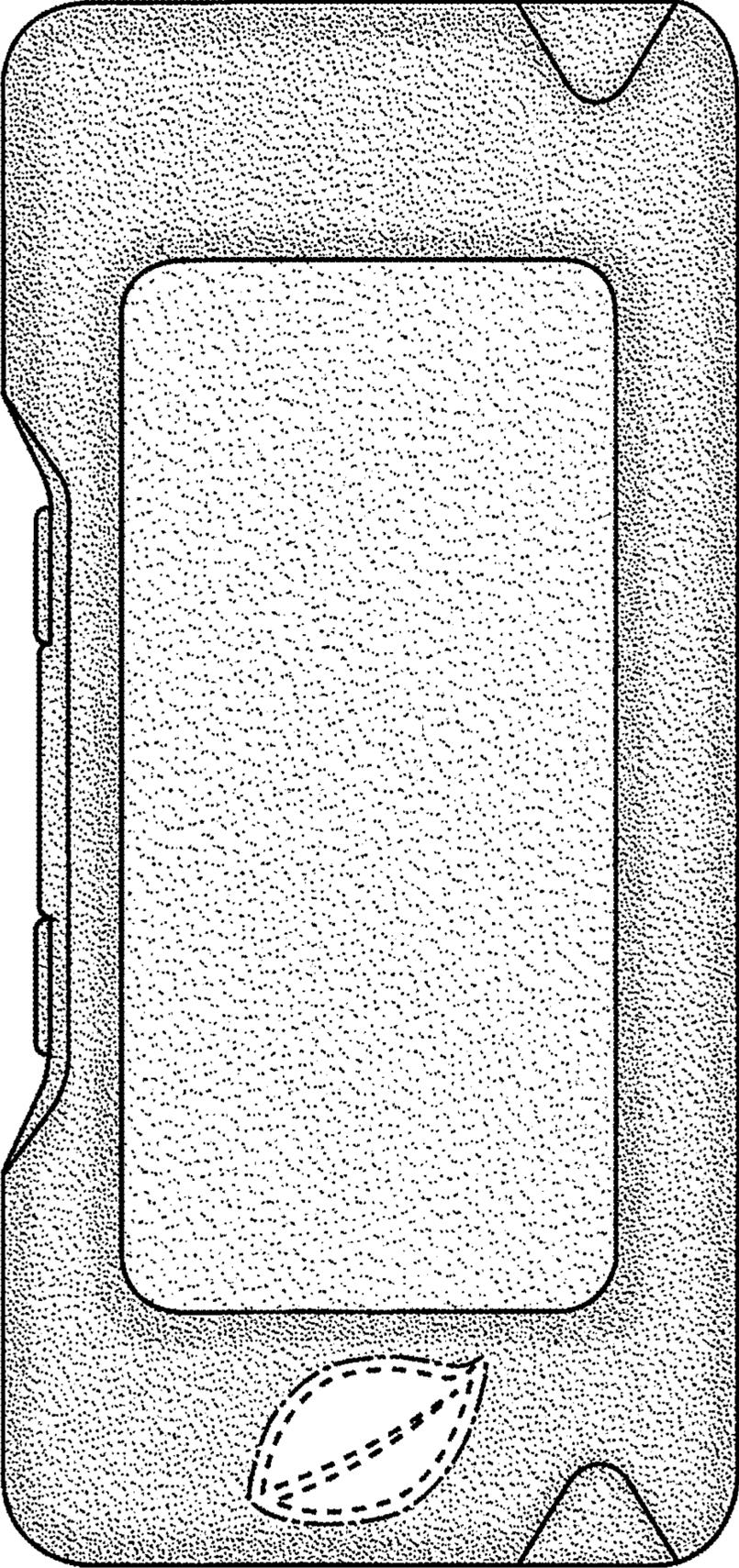


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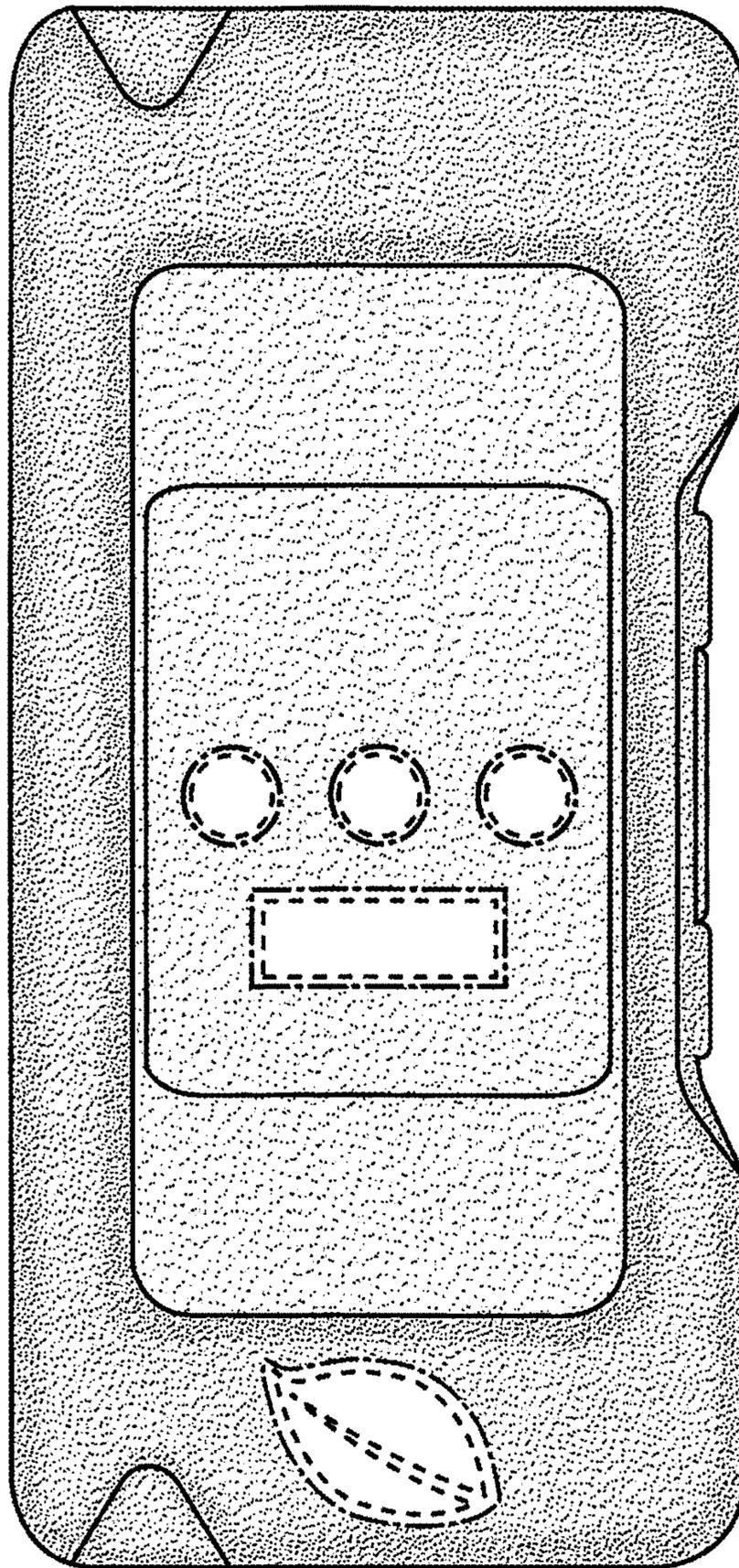


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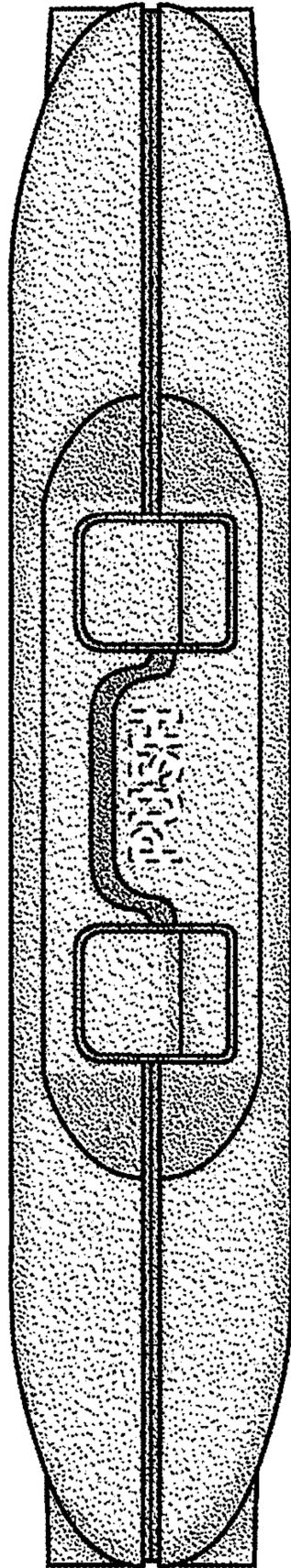


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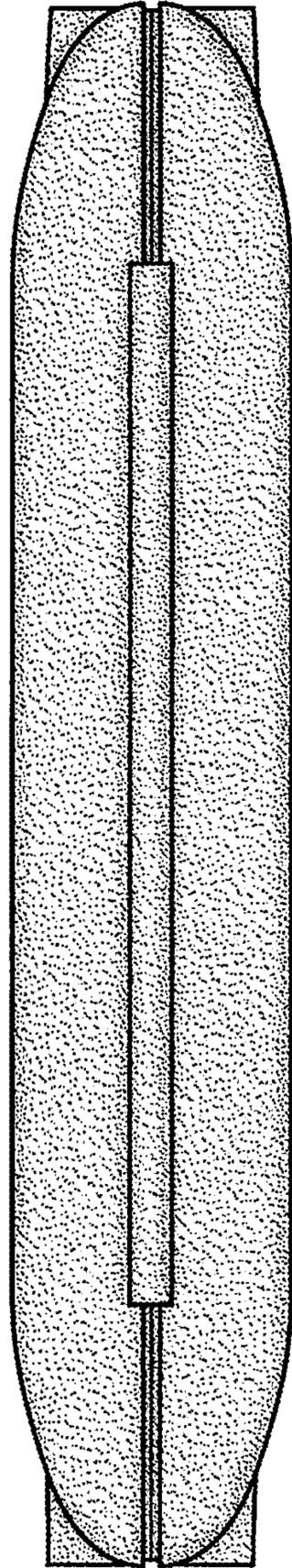


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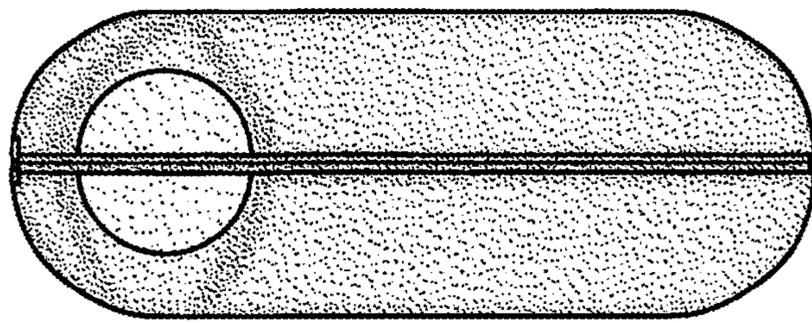


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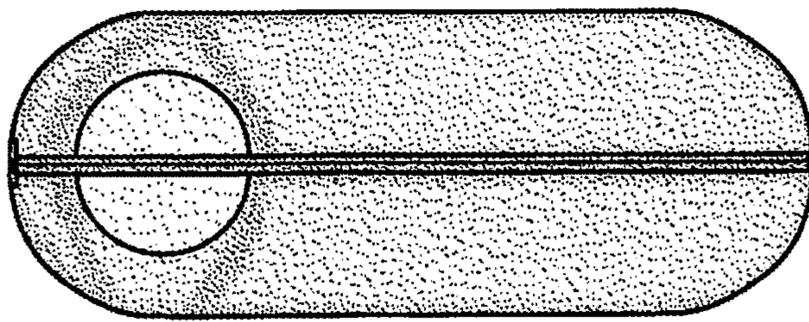


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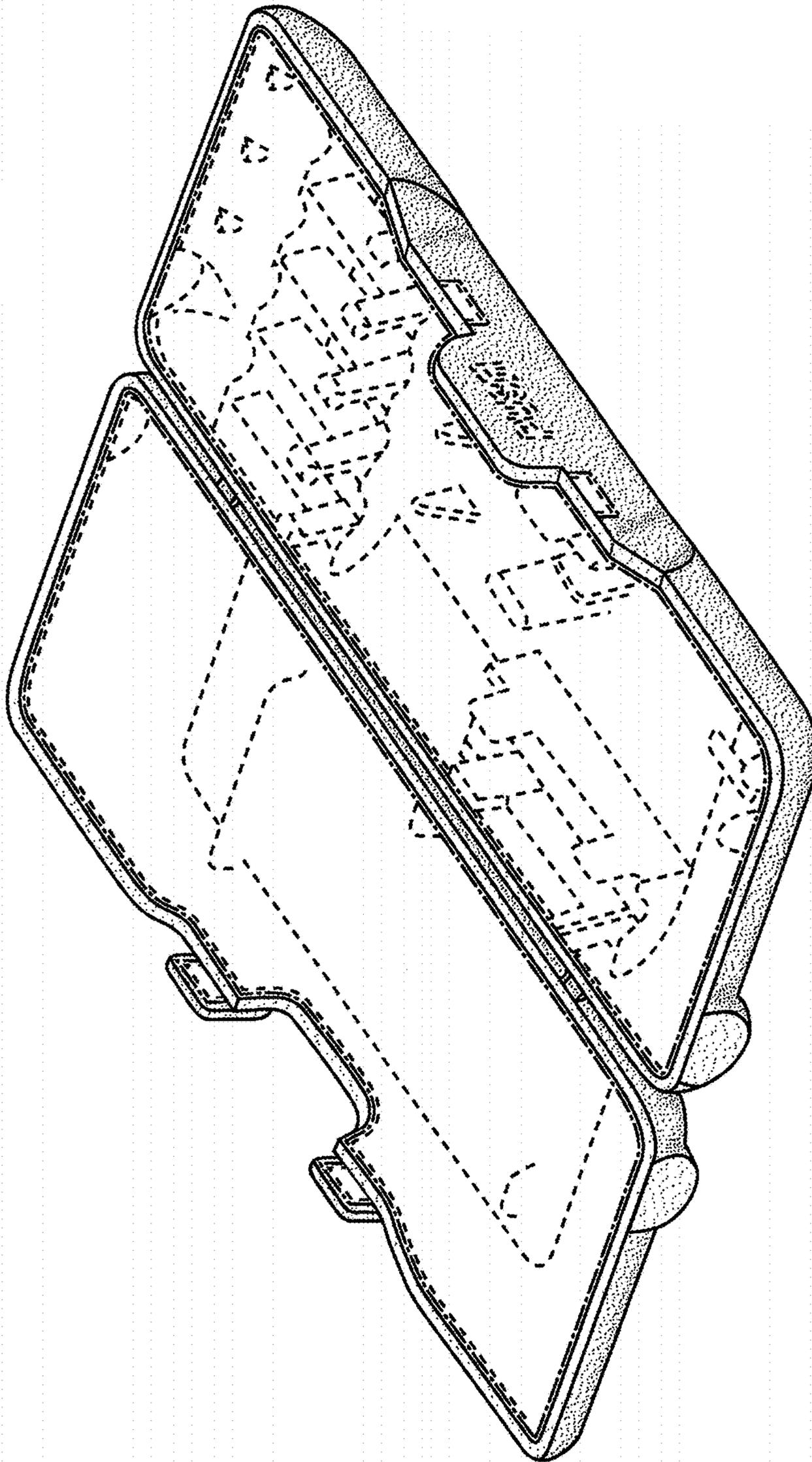


FIG. 16