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(54) **HITCH-COUPLING TOOL**

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(57) **CLAIM**

We claim the ornamental design for the hitch-coupling tool,  
as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

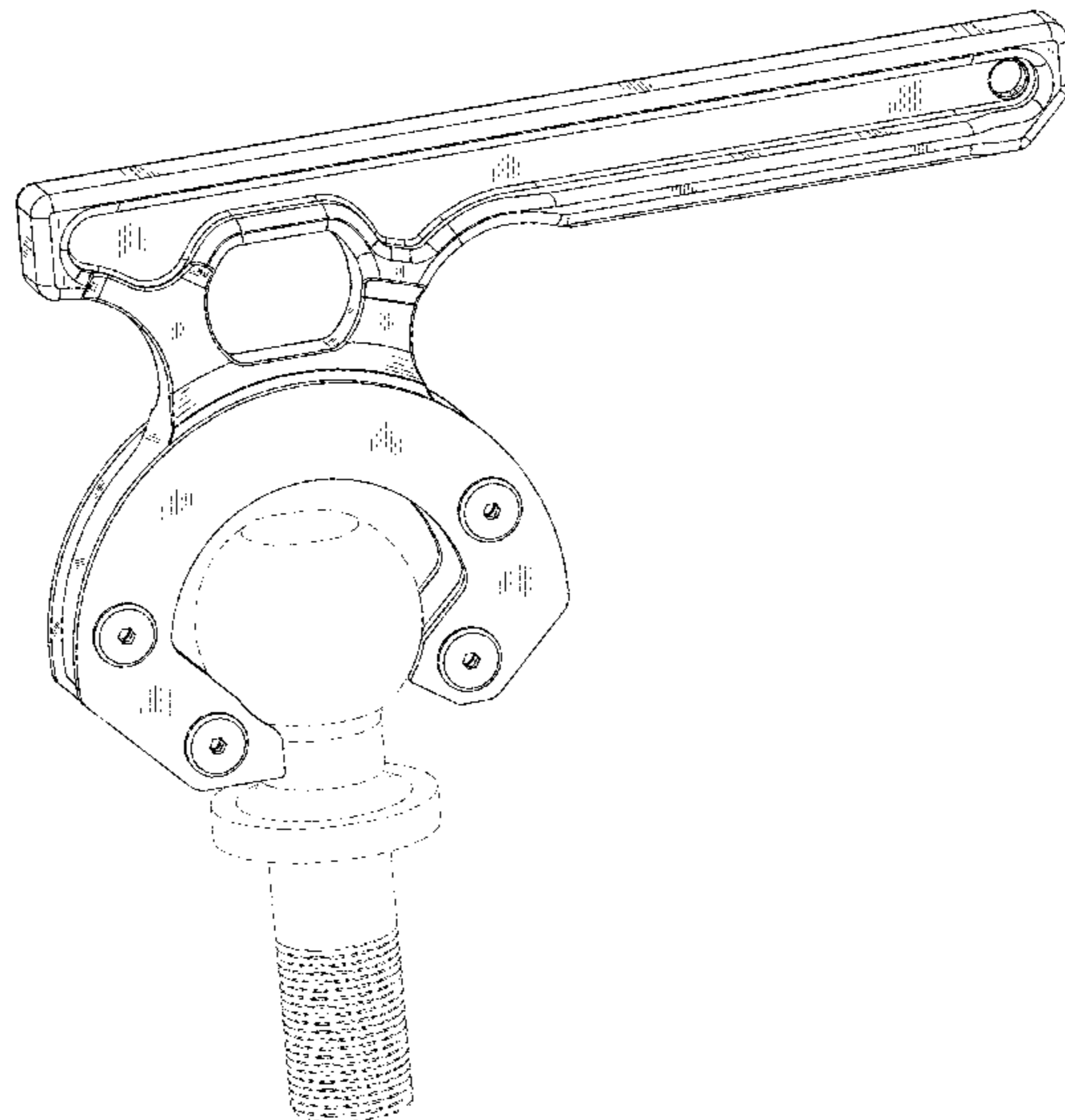
FIG. 1 is a perspective view of the hitch-coupling tool  
showing our new design;  
FIG. 2 is a top view of the hitch-coupling tool;  
FIG. 3 is a left-side view of the hitch-coupling tool;  
FIG. 4 is a front view of the hitch-coupling tool;  
FIG. 5 is a rear view of the hitch-coupling tool;  
FIG. 6 is a bottom view of the hitch-coupling tool; and,  
FIG. 7 is a right-side view of the hitch-coupling tool.  
The broken lines shown in FIGS. 1-7 represent a hitch ball  
and form no part of the claimed design.

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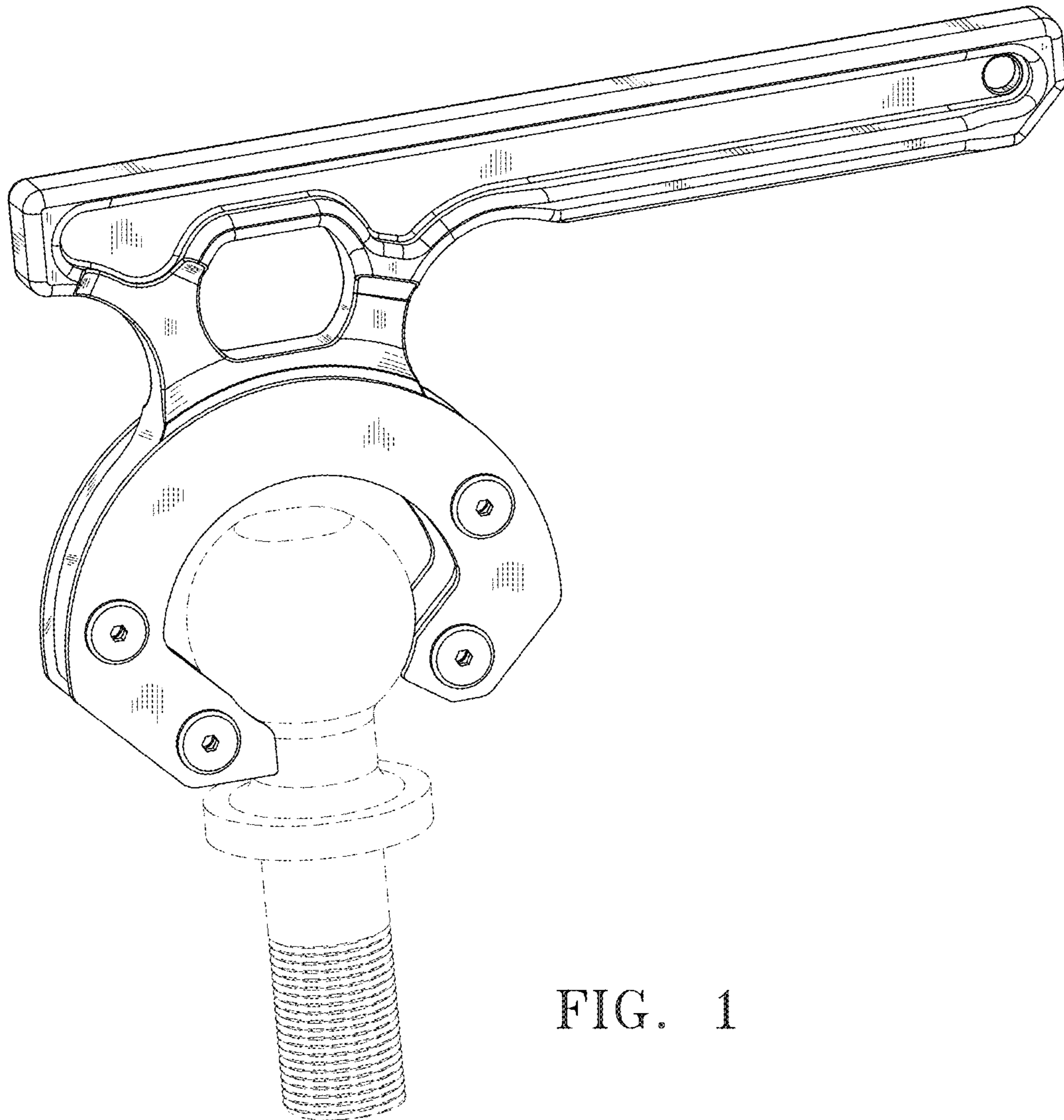


FIG. 1

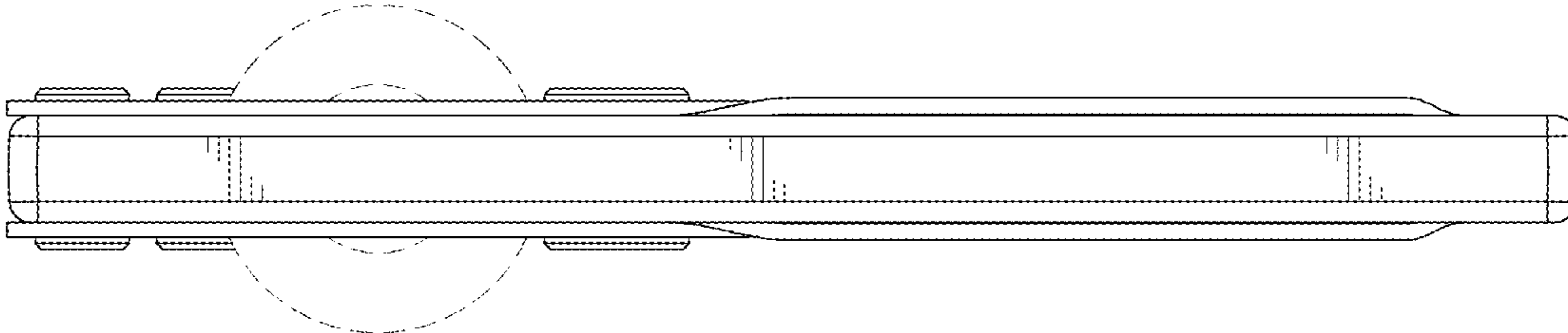


FIG. 2

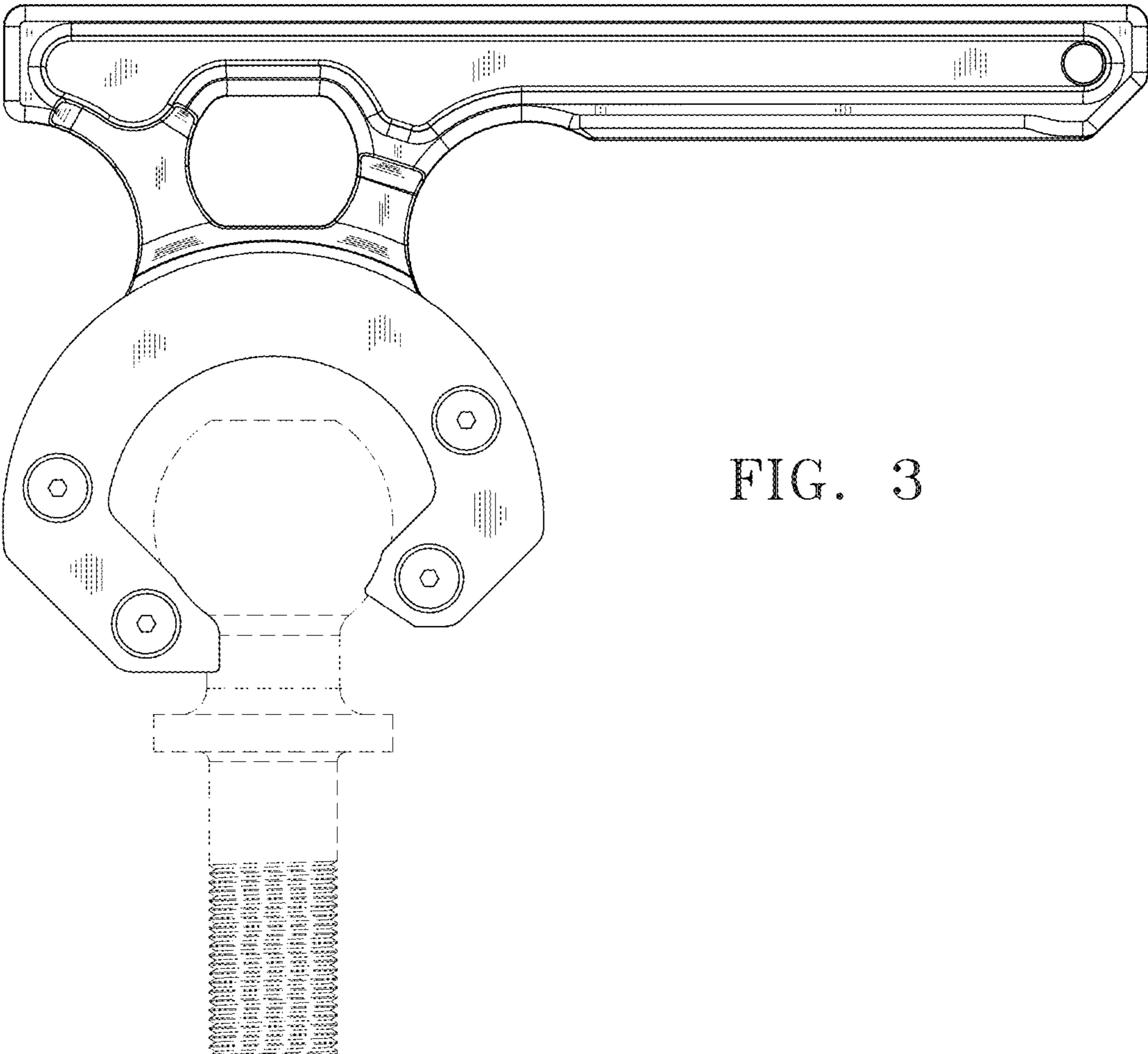


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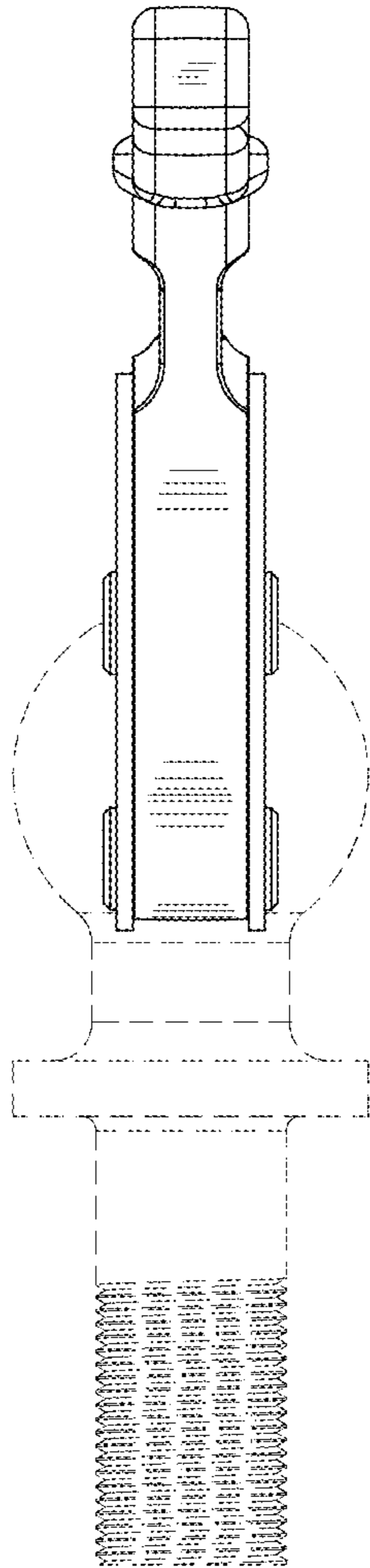


FIG. 4

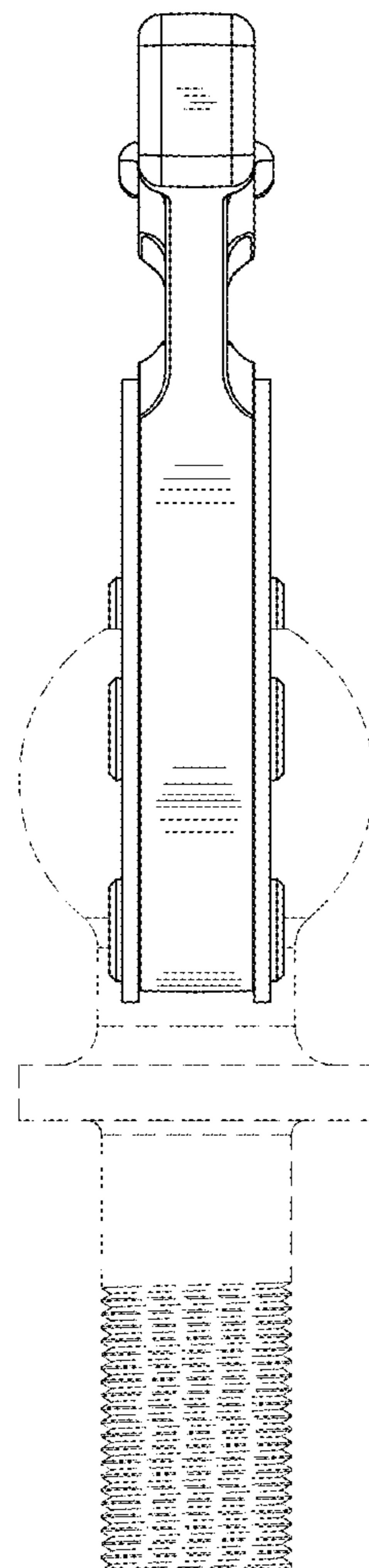


FIG. 5

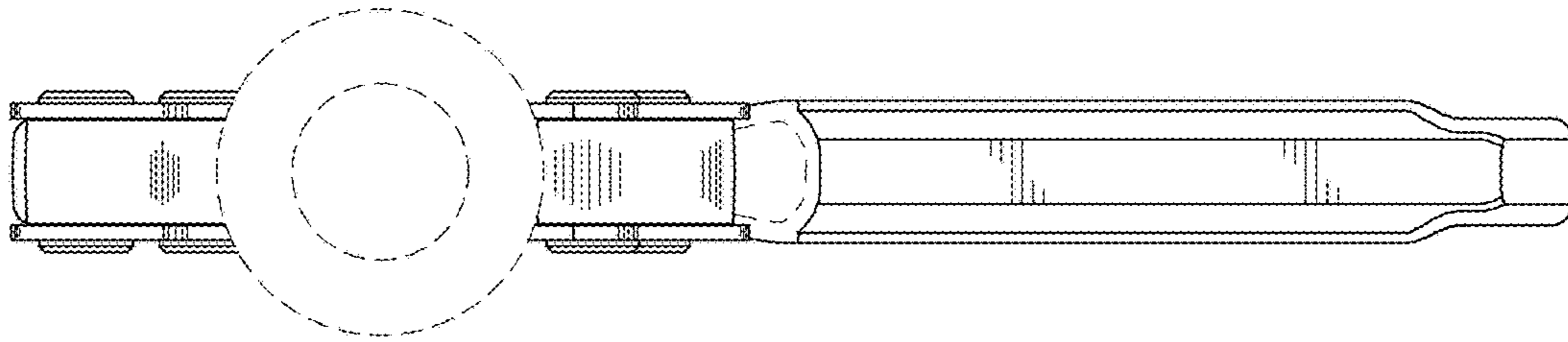


FIG. 6

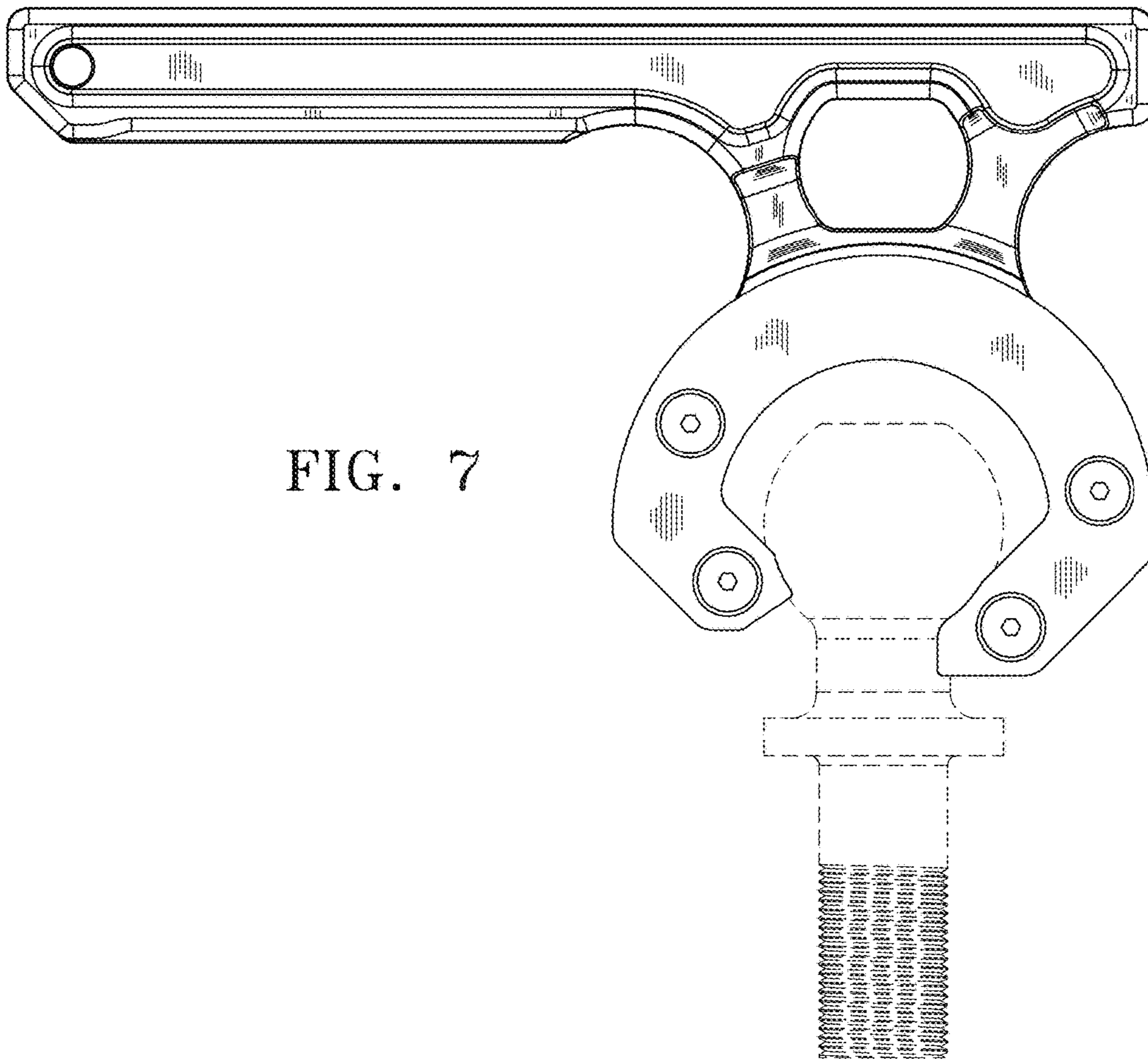


FIG. 7