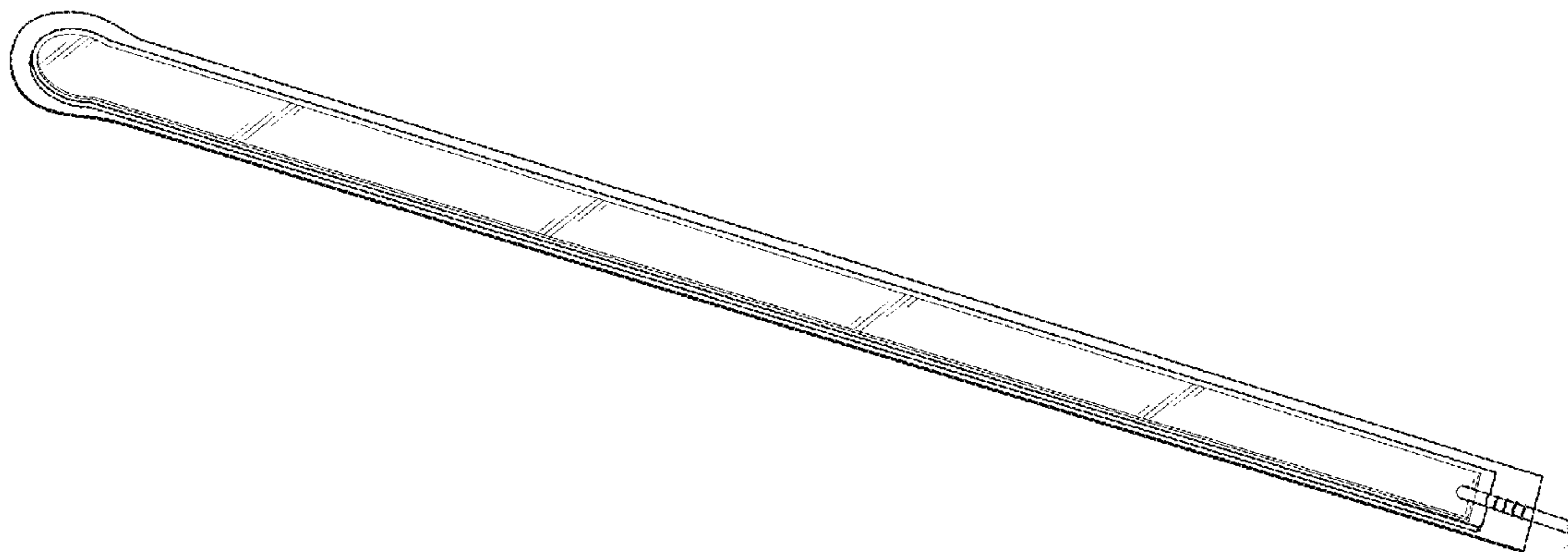




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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a flexible port used to connect a wound dressing to a source of negative pressure, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective top view of an ornamental design of a flexible port used to connect a wound dressing to a source of negative pressure.

FIG. 2 is a top view thereof.

FIG. 3 is a bottom view thereof.

FIG. 4 is a right side view thereof.

FIG. 5 is a left side view thereof.

FIG. 6 is a front view thereof.

FIG. 7 is a rear view thereof; and,

FIG. 8 is an exploded view thereof.

The broken lines illustrate portions of the flexible port used to connect a wound dressing to a source of negative pressure which form no part of the claimed design.

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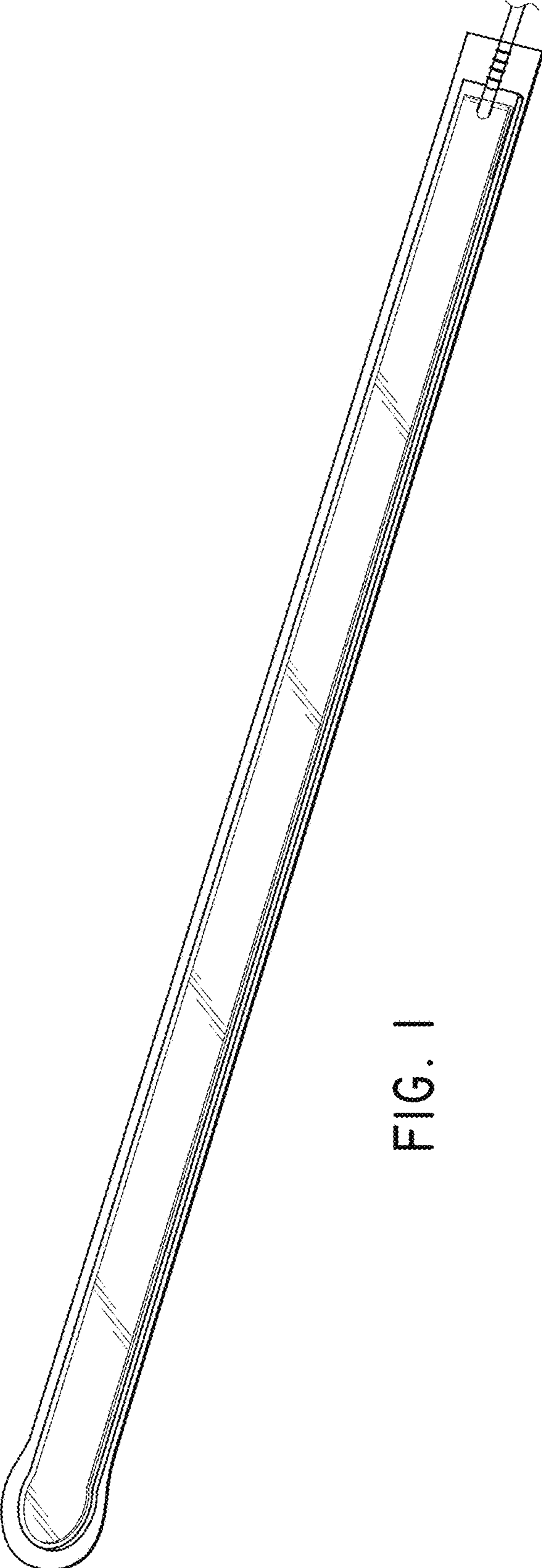


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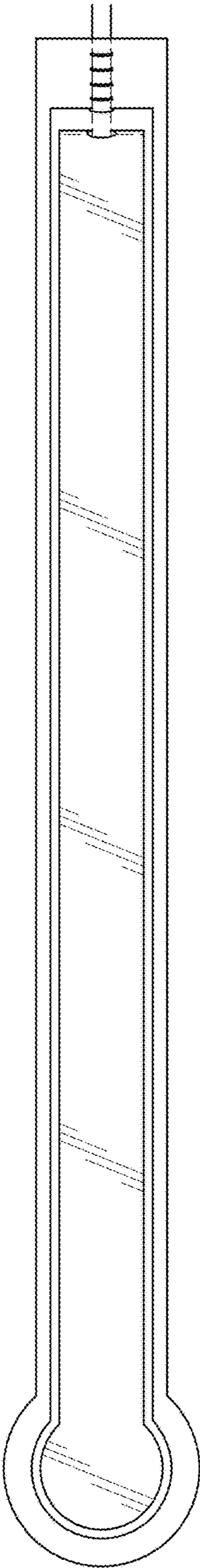


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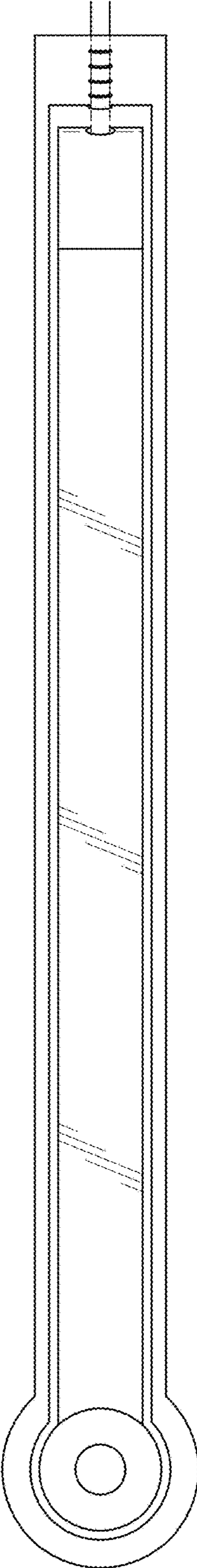


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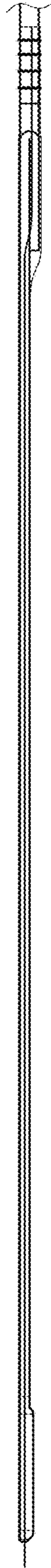


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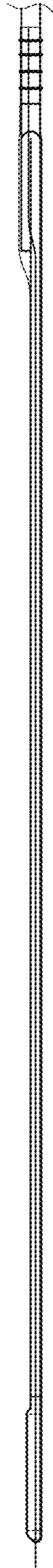


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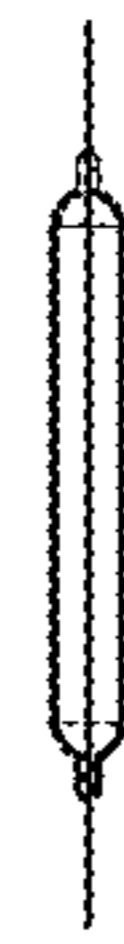
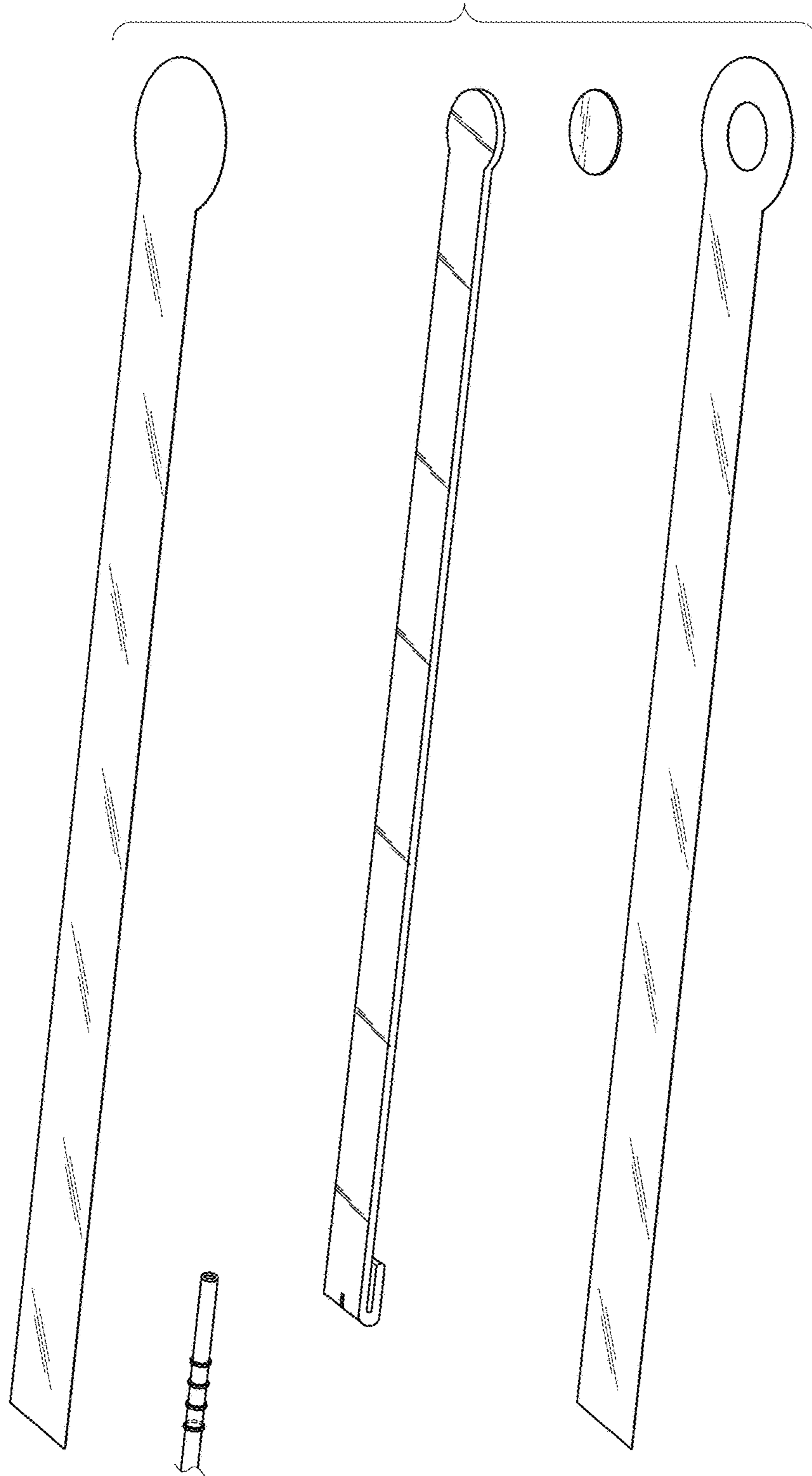


FIG. 7

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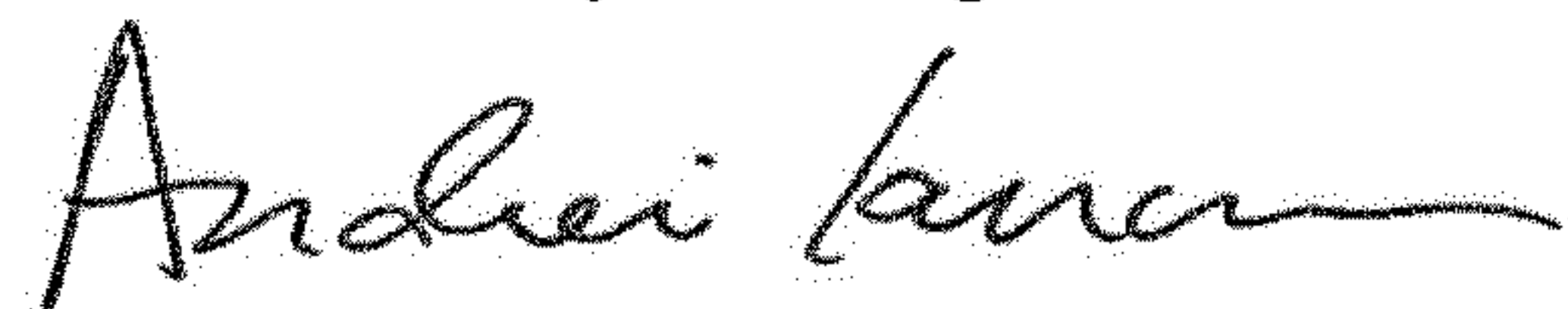
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