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(54) **WATER GUARD**

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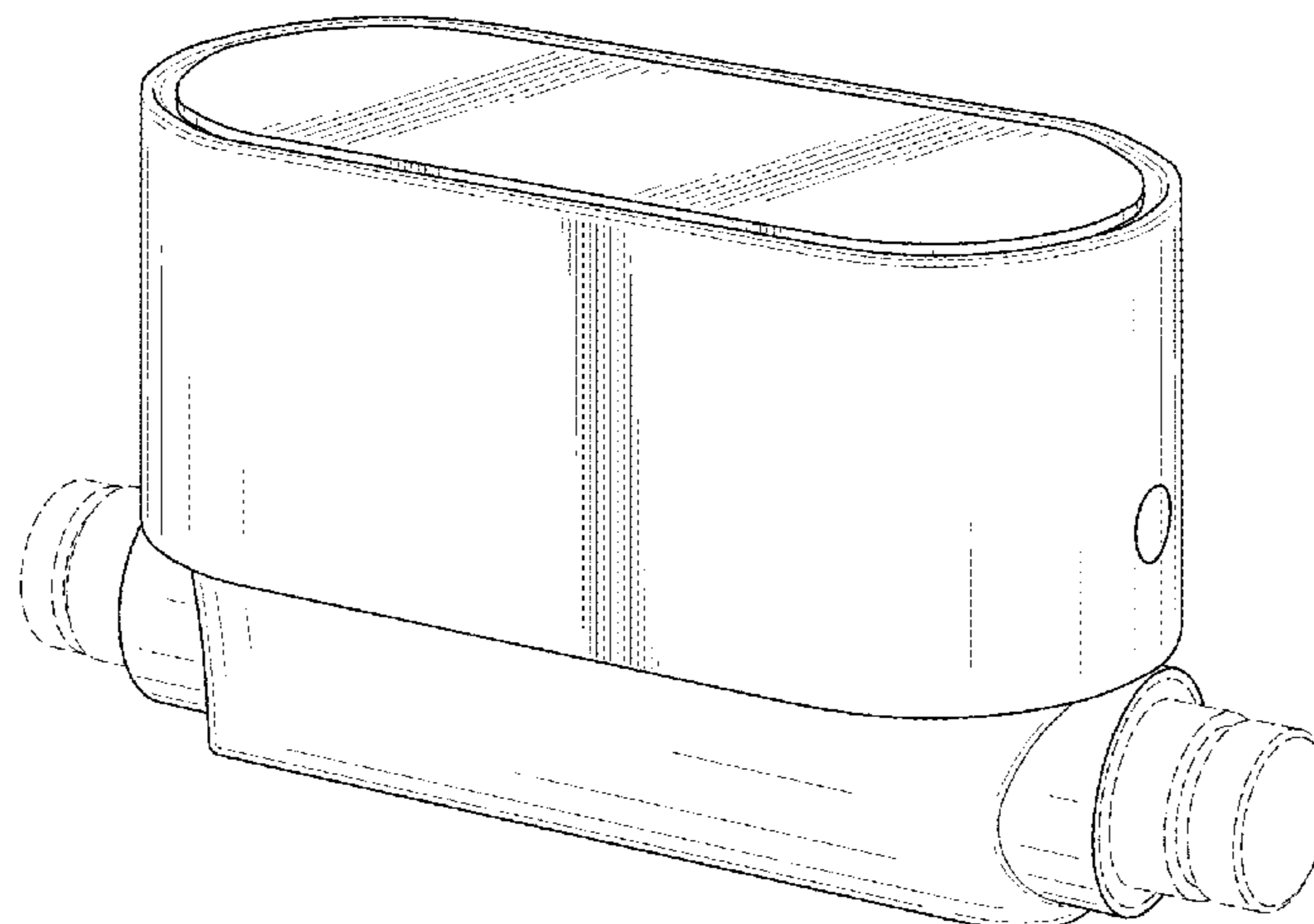
(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a water guard, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front perspective view of a water guard according to the present invention.
FIG. 2 is a front view of the water guard of FIG. 1.
FIG. 3 is a rear view of the water guard of FIG. 1.
FIG. 4 is a left side view of the water guard of FIG. 1.
FIG. 5 is a right side view of the water guard of FIG. 1.
FIG. 6 is a top view of the water guard of FIG. 1; and,
FIG. 7 is a bottom view of the water guard of FIG. 1.
The broken lines shown in the figures are for the purpose of illustrating environment and form no part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 7 Drawing Sheets



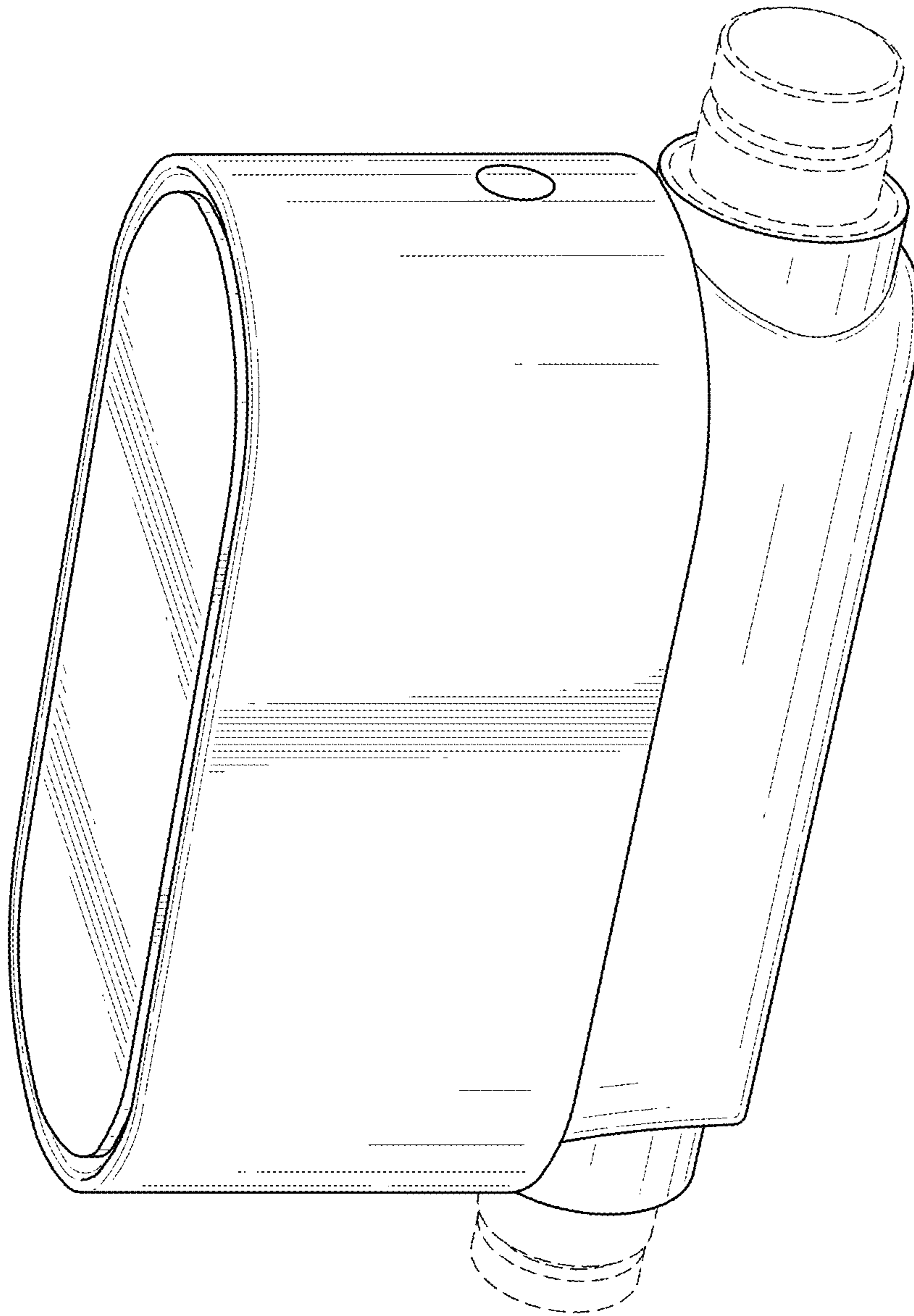


FIG.1

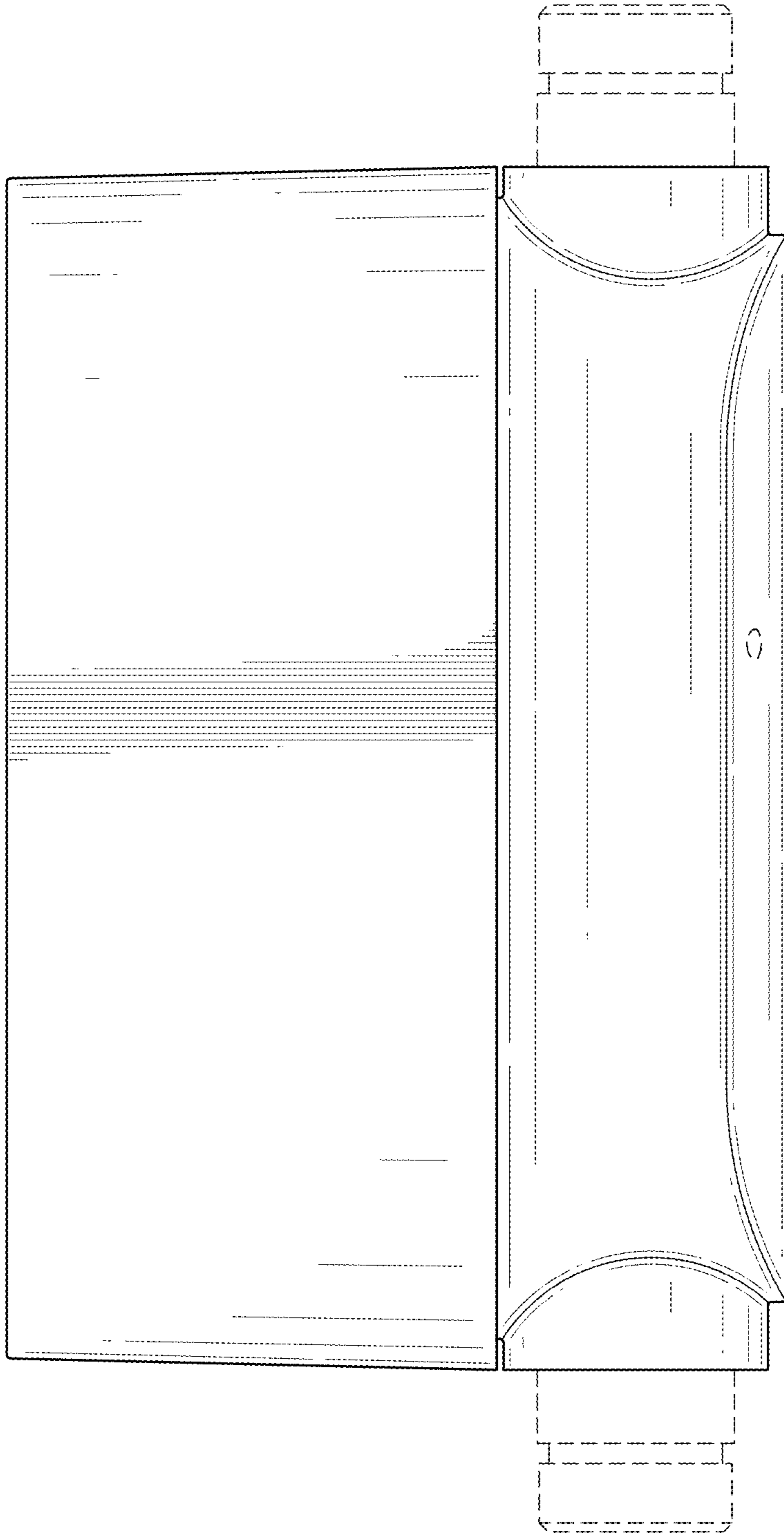


FIG.2

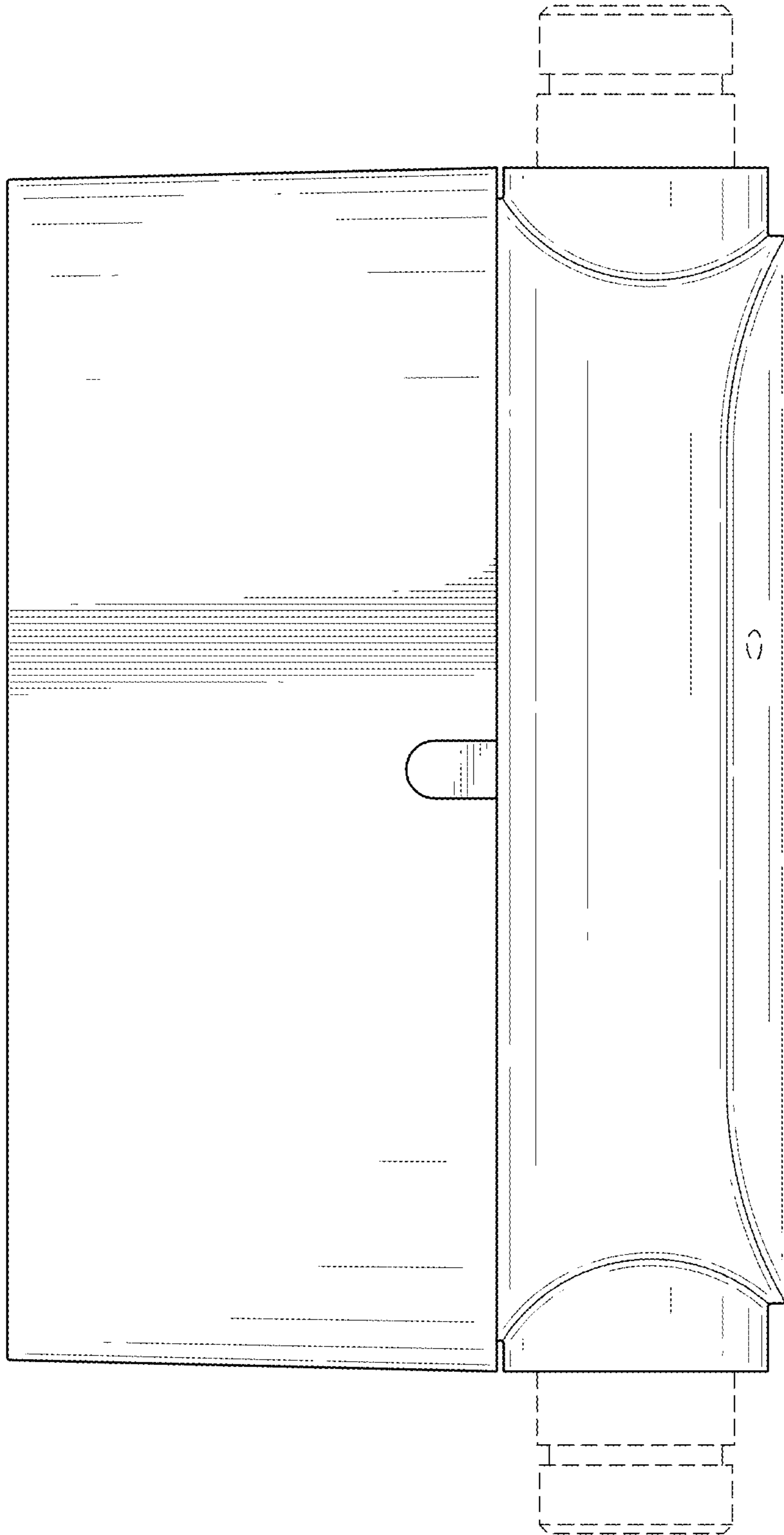


FIG.3

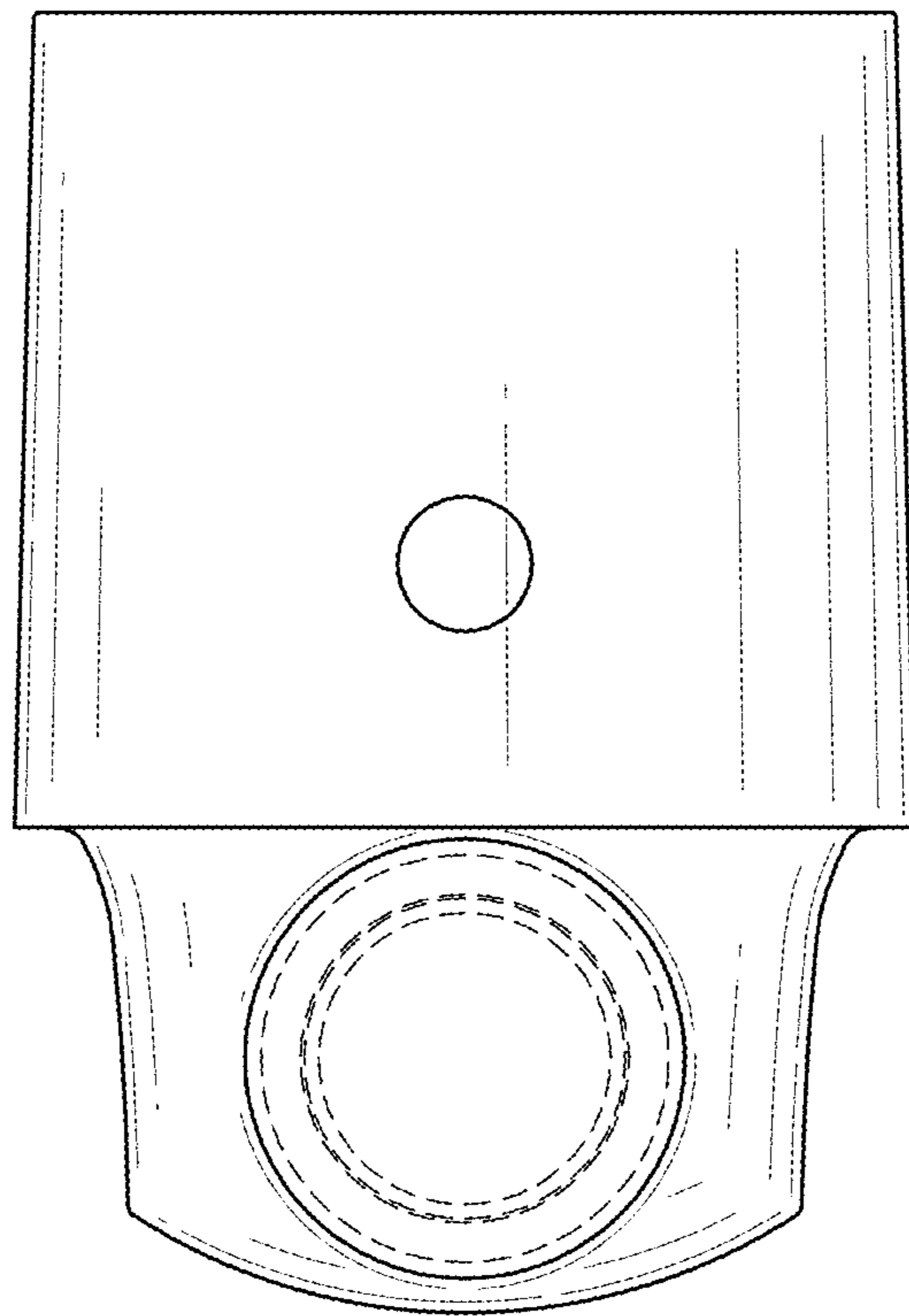


FIG.4

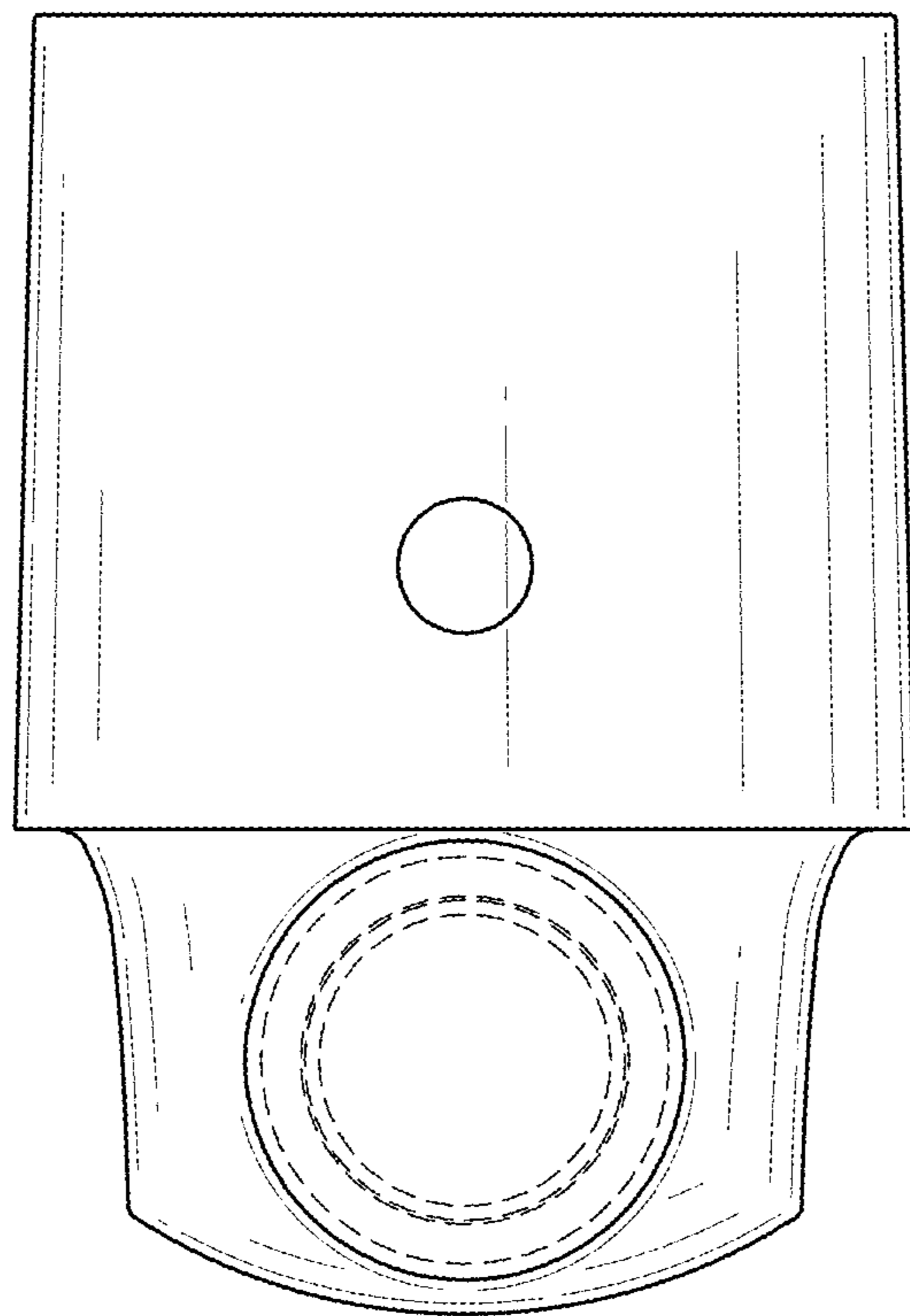


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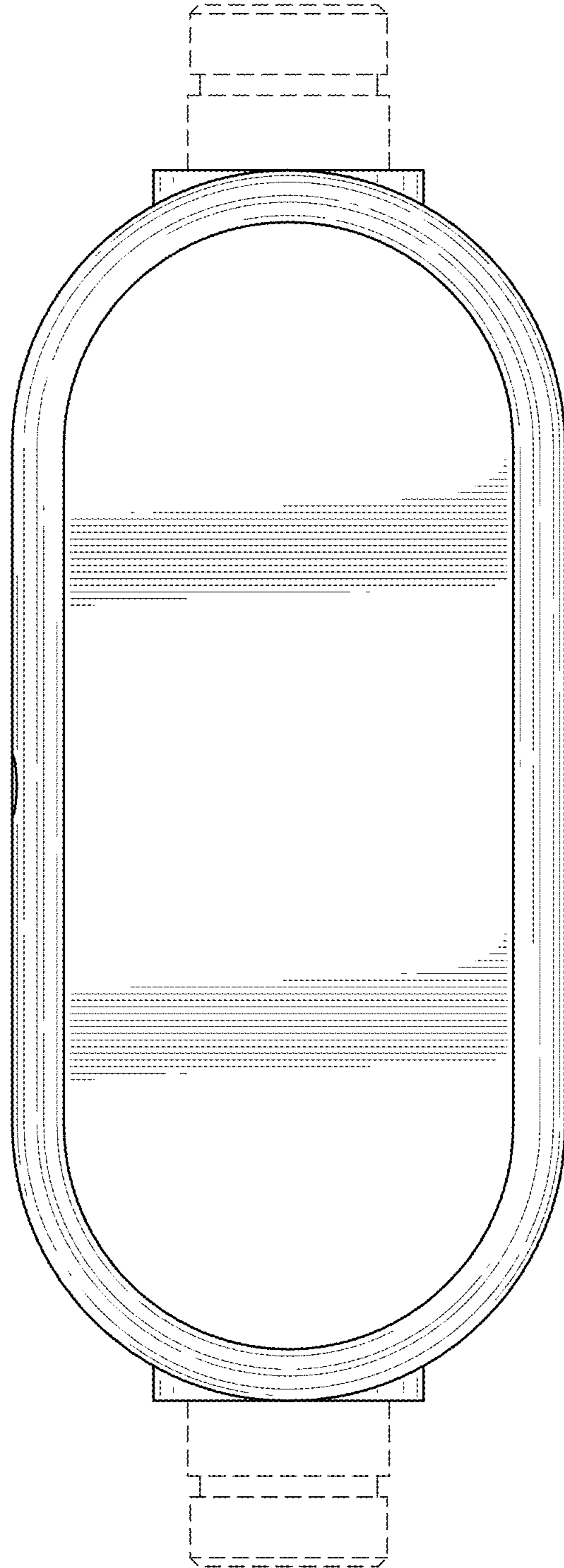


FIG.6

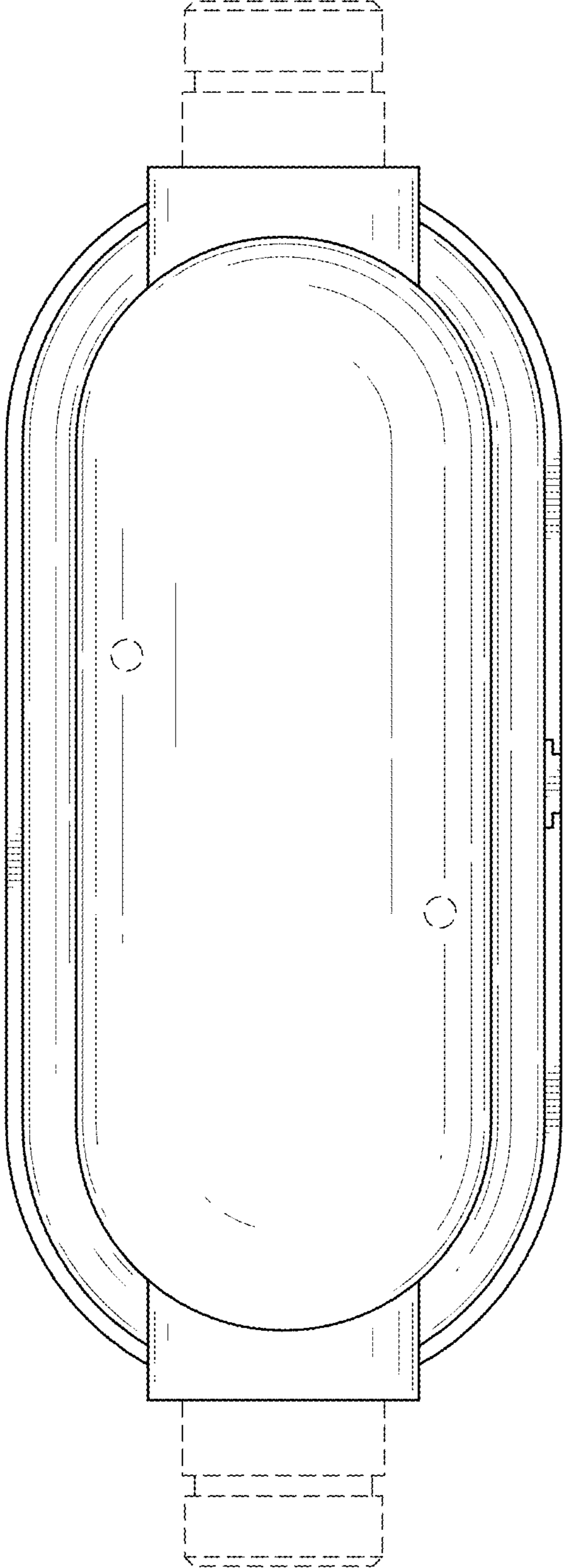


FIG.7