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(54) **BRACKET FOR A DEPLOYABLE STEP**

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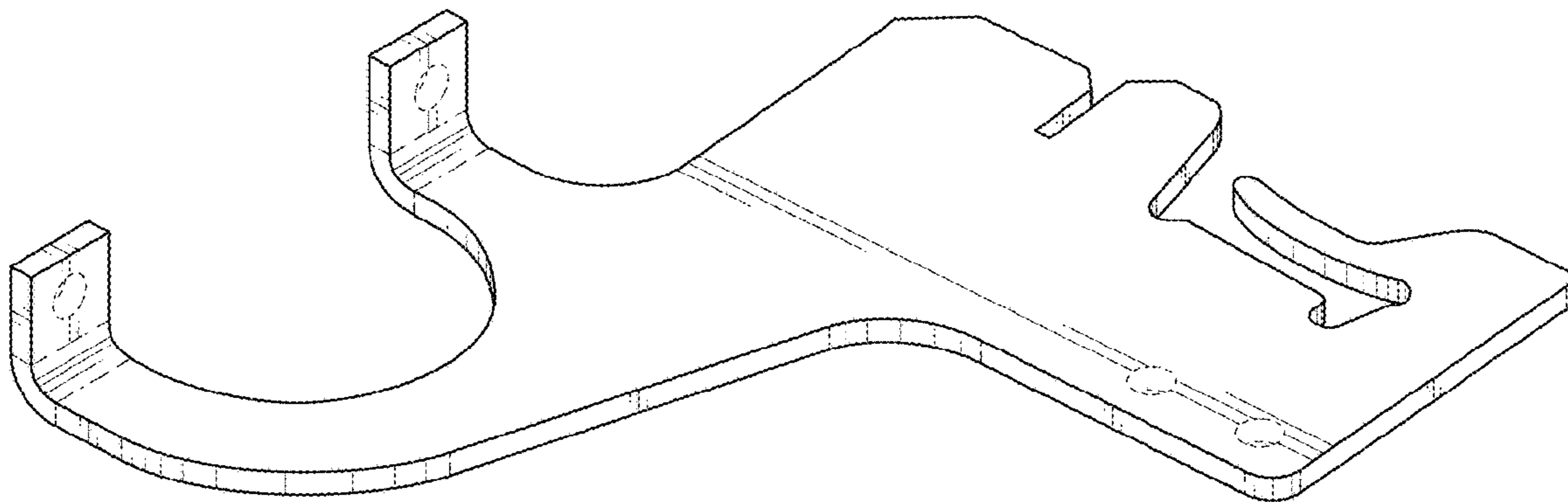
(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a bracket for a deployable step,
as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a bracket for a deployable
step depicting our new design;
FIG. 2 is a front plan view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a side view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a bottom view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a top view thereof;
FIG. 6 is an opposite side view thereof; and,
FIG. 7 is a rear plan view thereof.
The circular broken line features of FIGS. 1, 2, 4, 5, and 7
are included to show portions of the article which form no
part of the claimed design. All other broken or dash-dot lines
in the figures represent contour lines.

1 Claim, 3 Drawing Sheets



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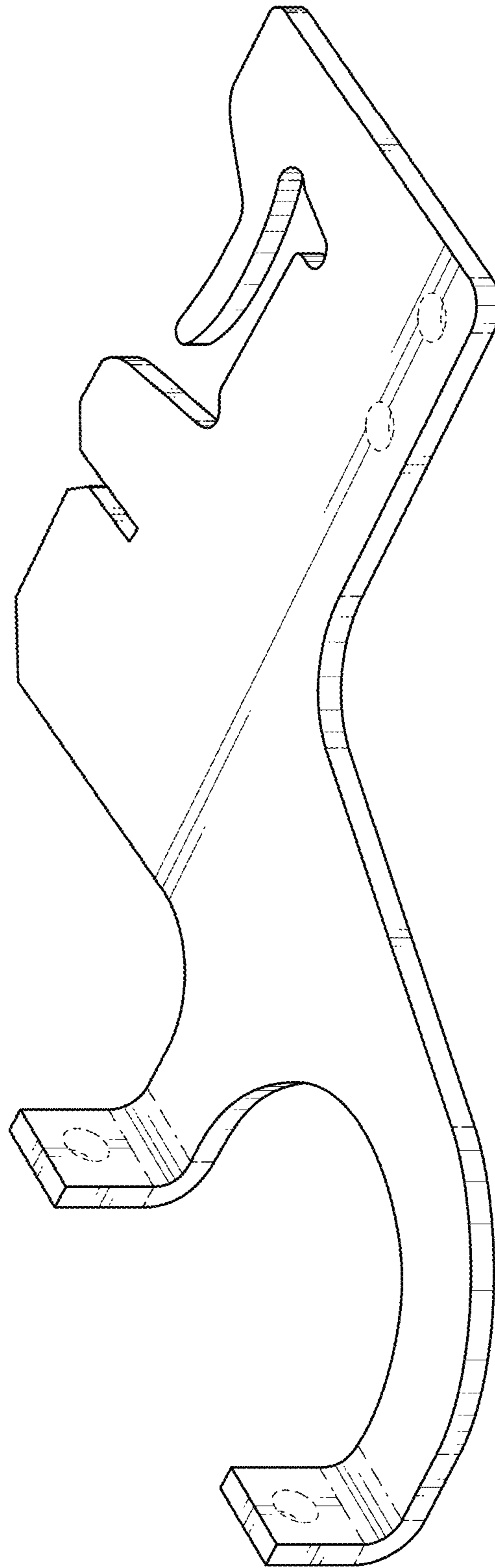


FIG. 1

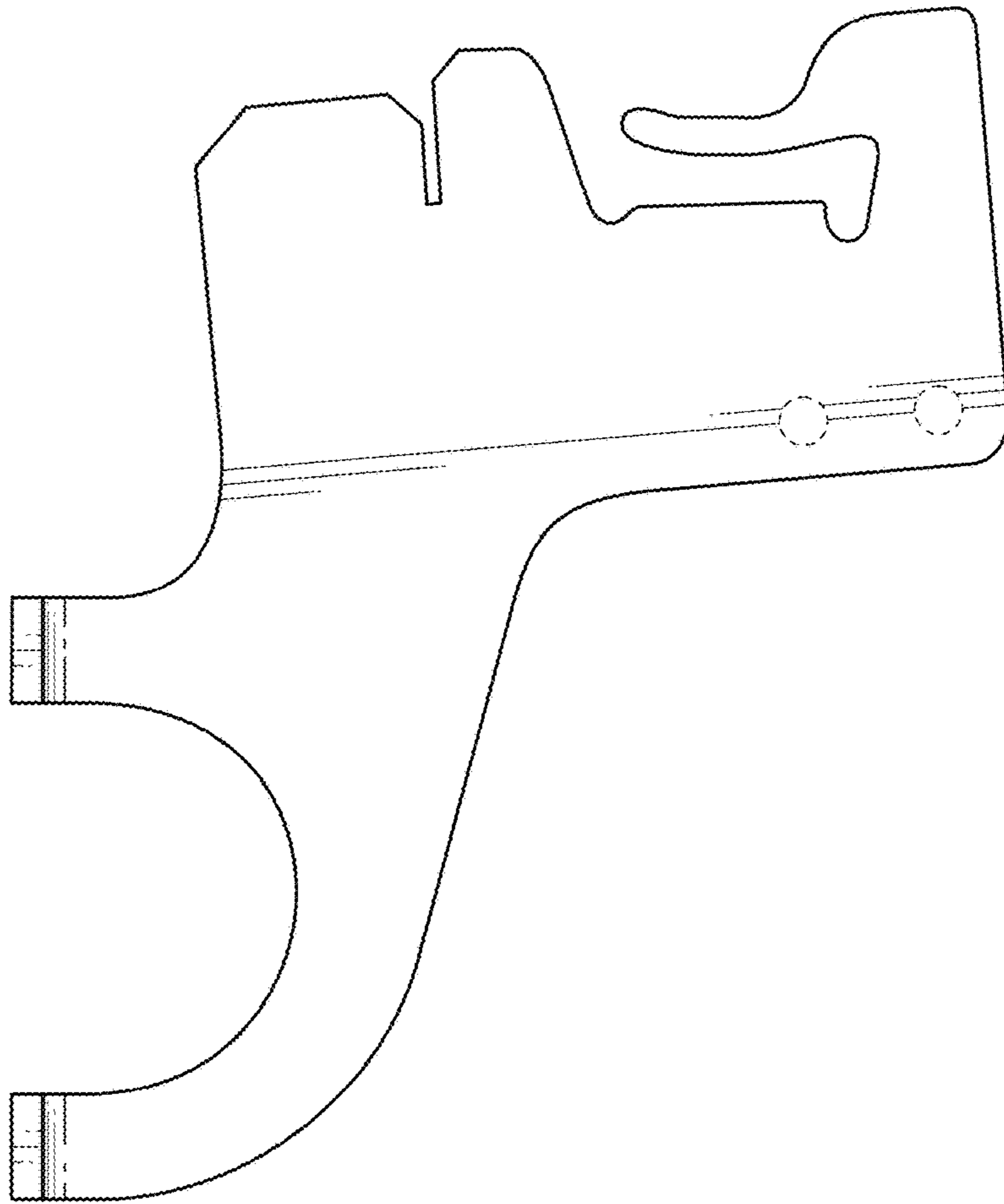


FIG. 2

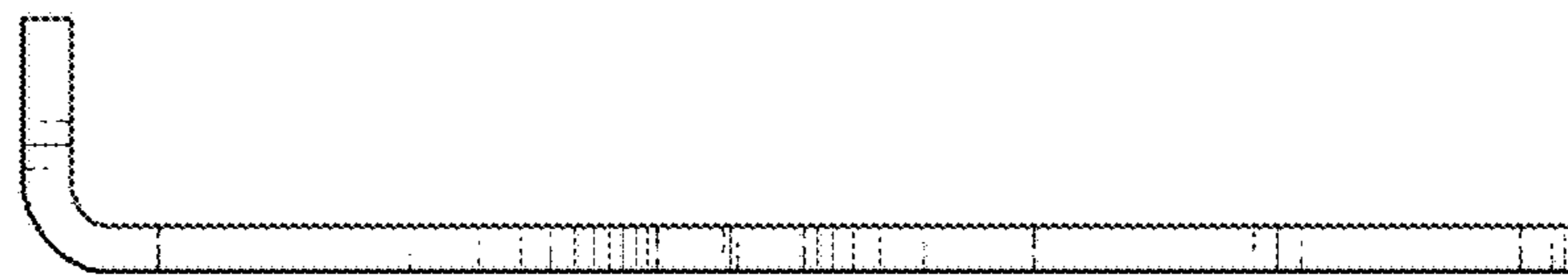


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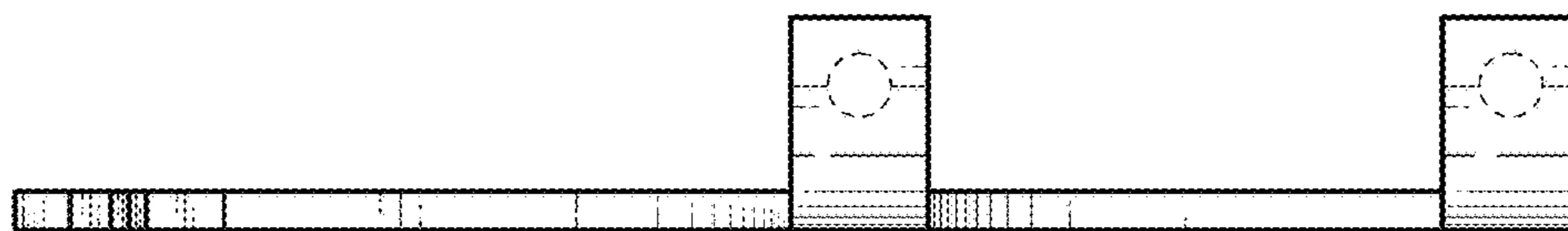


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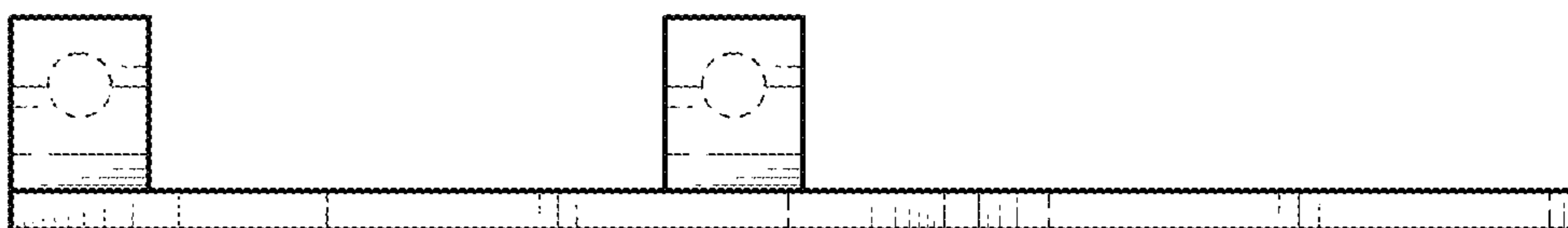


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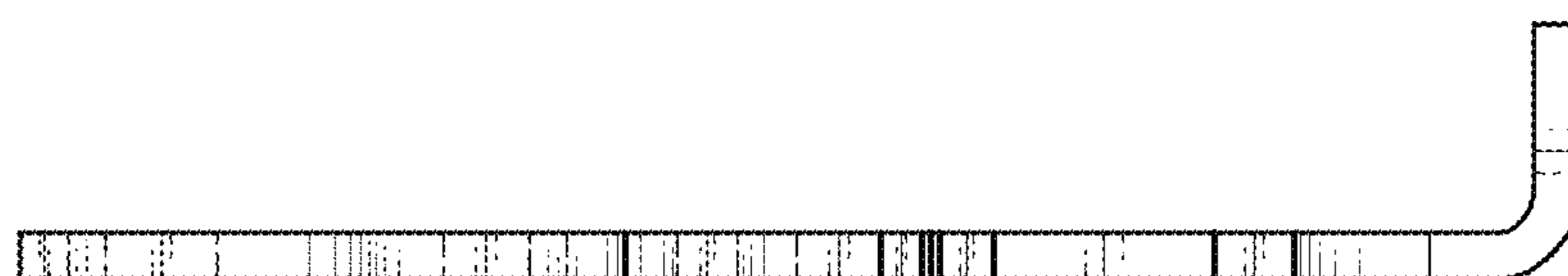


FIG. 6

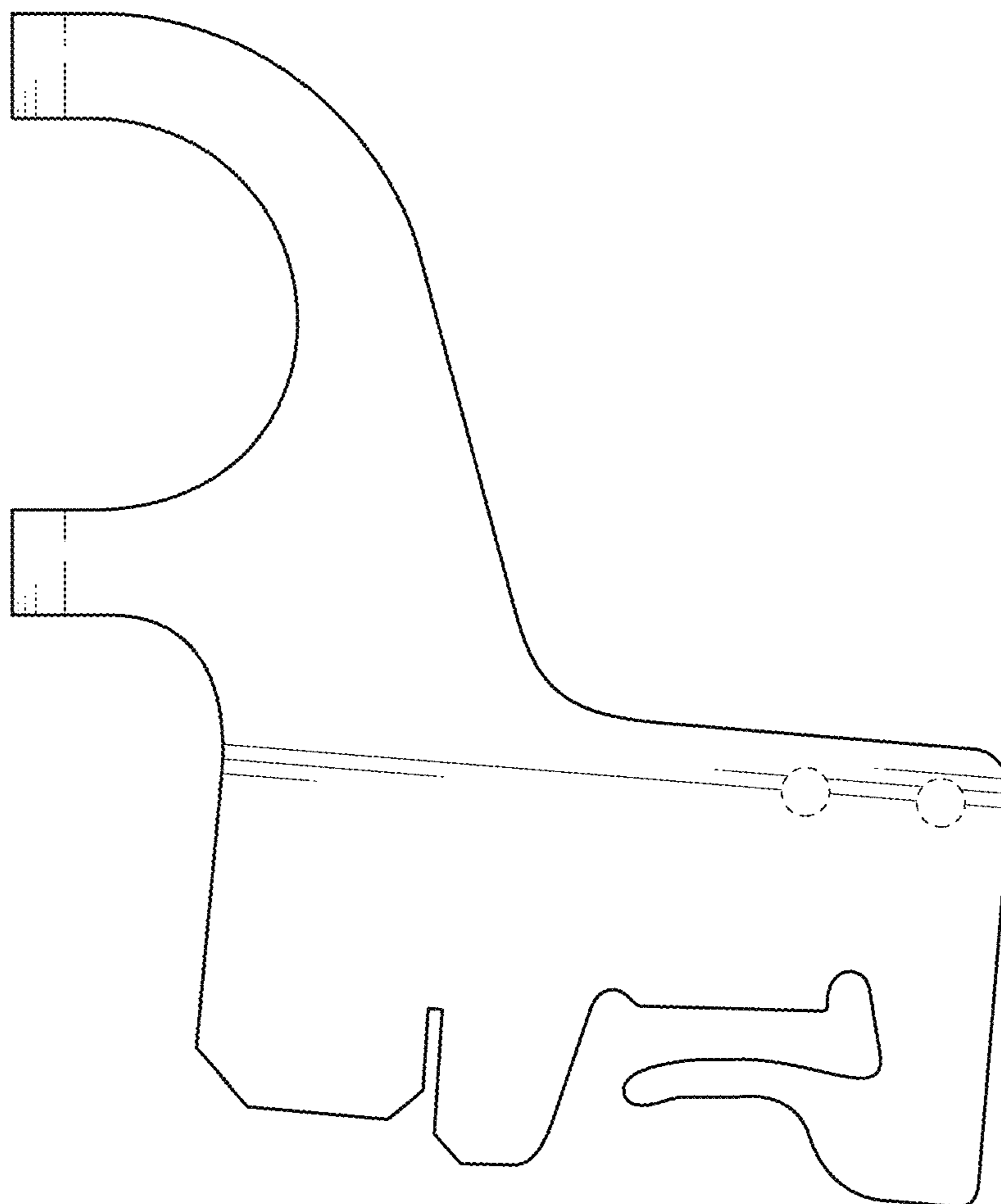


FIG. 7