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(54) **WIRE FEEDING APPARATUS FOR WELDING**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a wire feeding apparatus for
welding, as shown and described.

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FIG. 1 is a front, top, and right side perspective view of a
wire feeding apparatus for welding showing our new design;
FIG. 2 is a rear, top, and left side perspective view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a front view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a rear view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a top plan view thereof;
FIG. 6 is a bottom plan view thereof;
FIG. 7 is a right side view thereof; and,
FIG. 8 is a left side view thereof.

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The oblique line shading shown in the drawings indicates a
transparent or translucent surface. Internal structure of the
transparent or translucent surface is omitted. No claim is
made to any elements inside the transparent or translucent
surface.

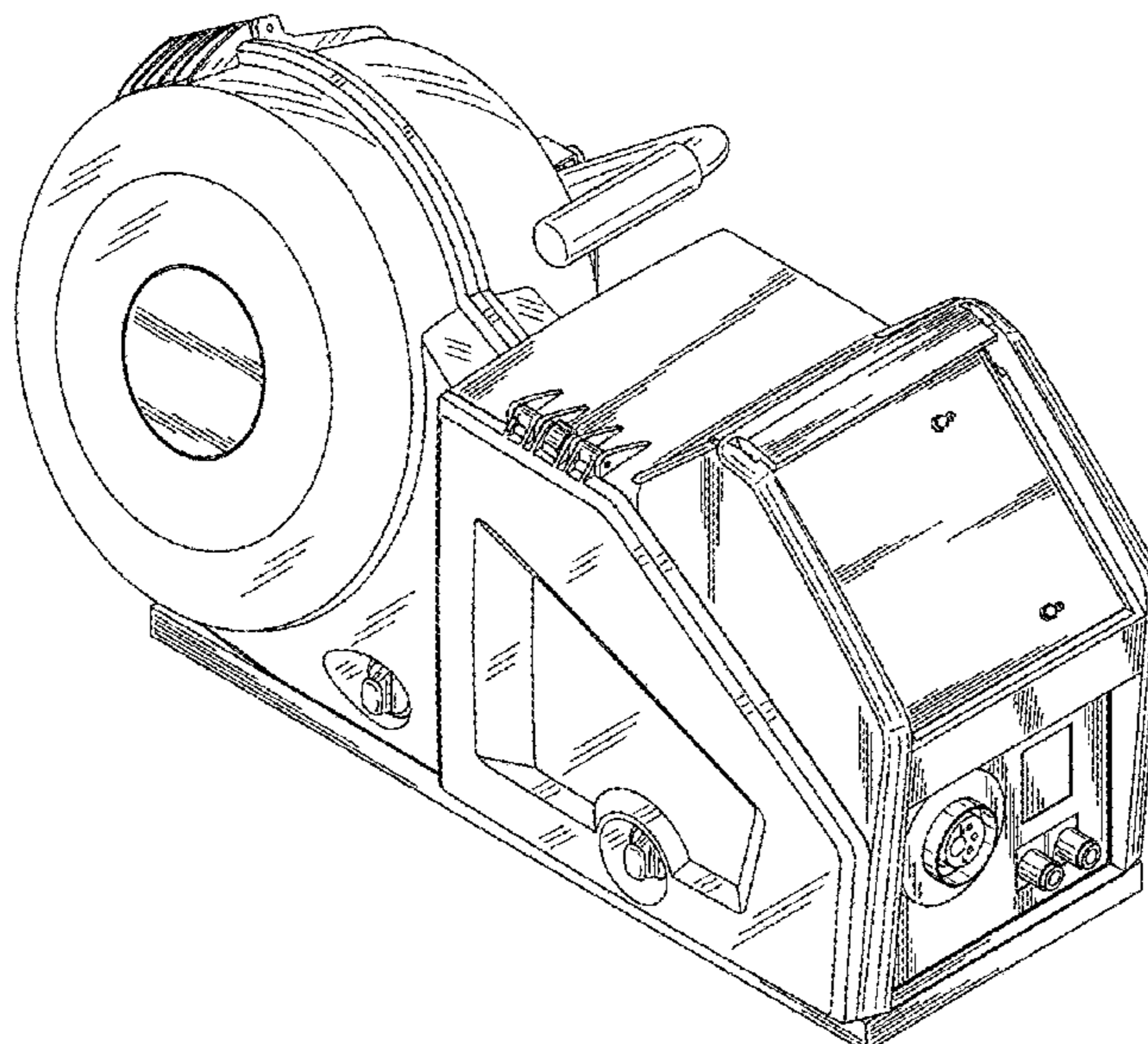
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FIG. 1

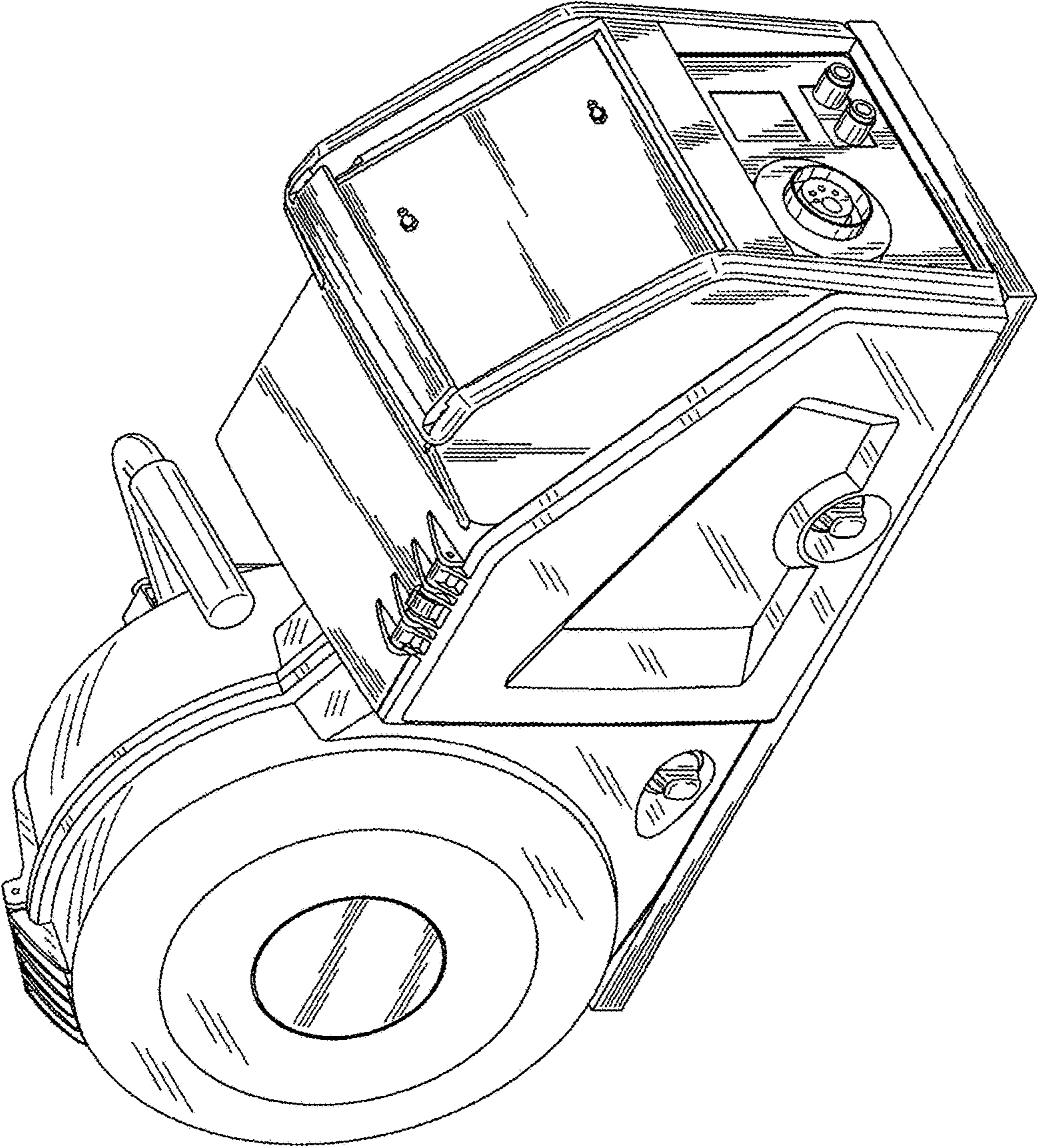


FIG. 2

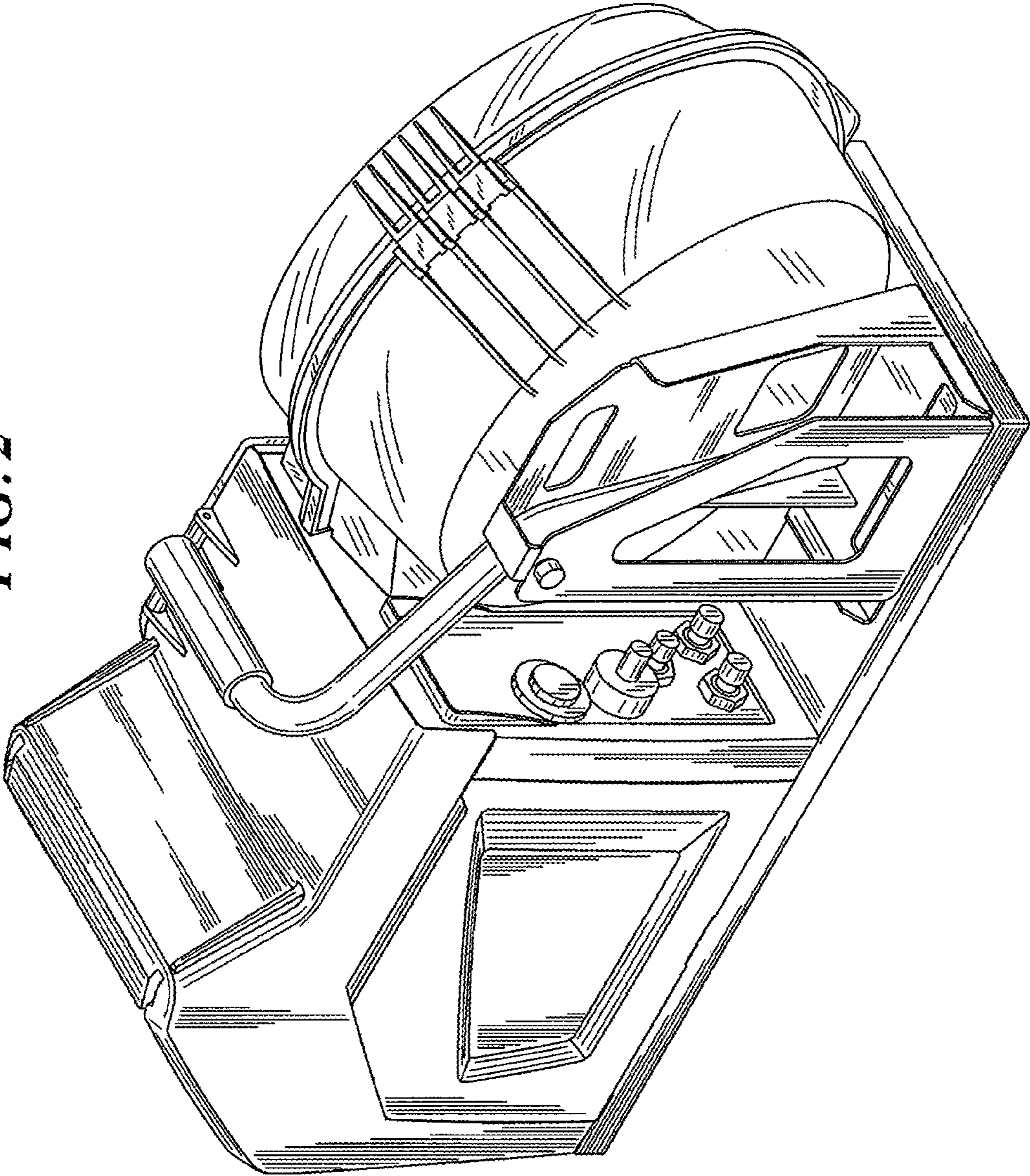


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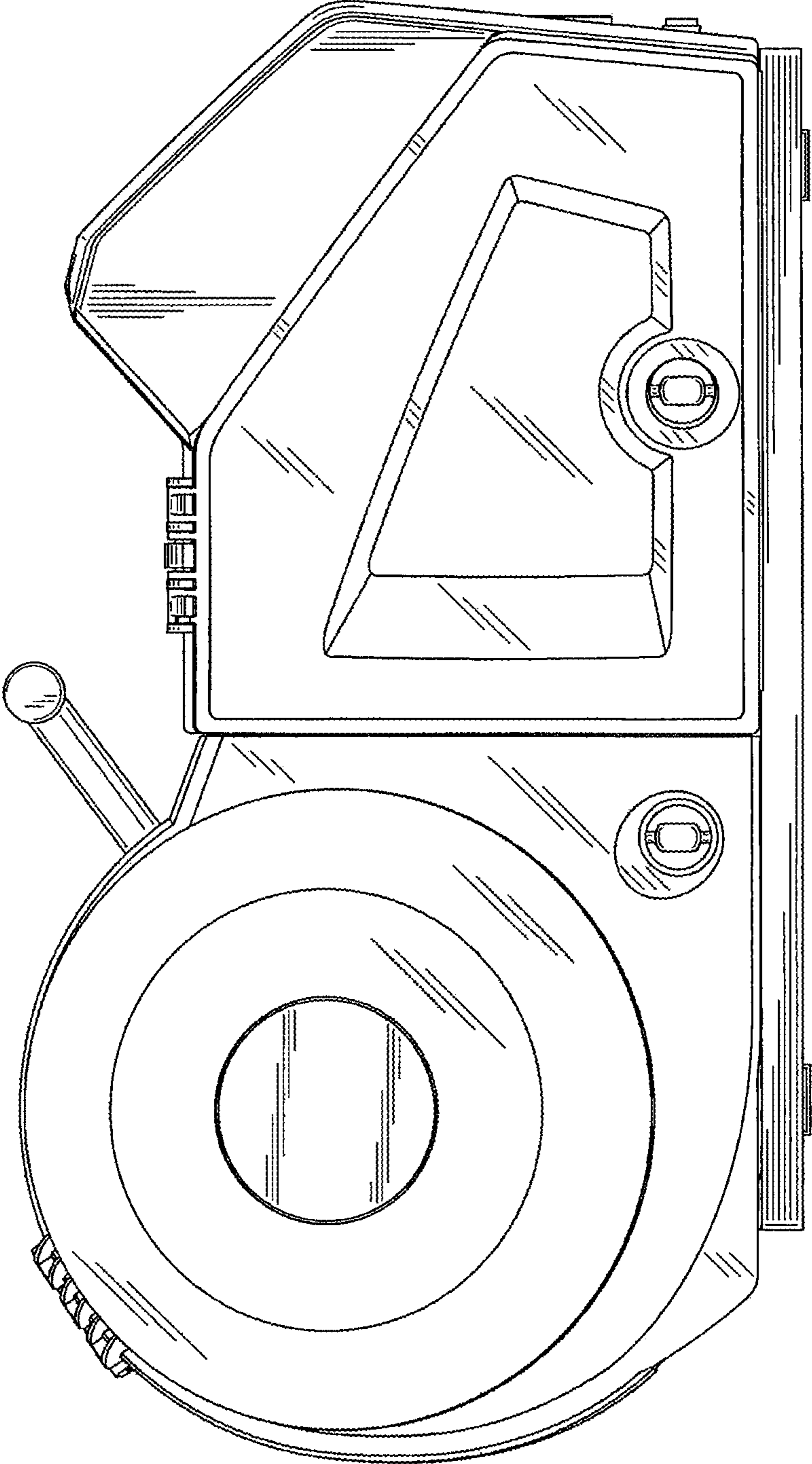


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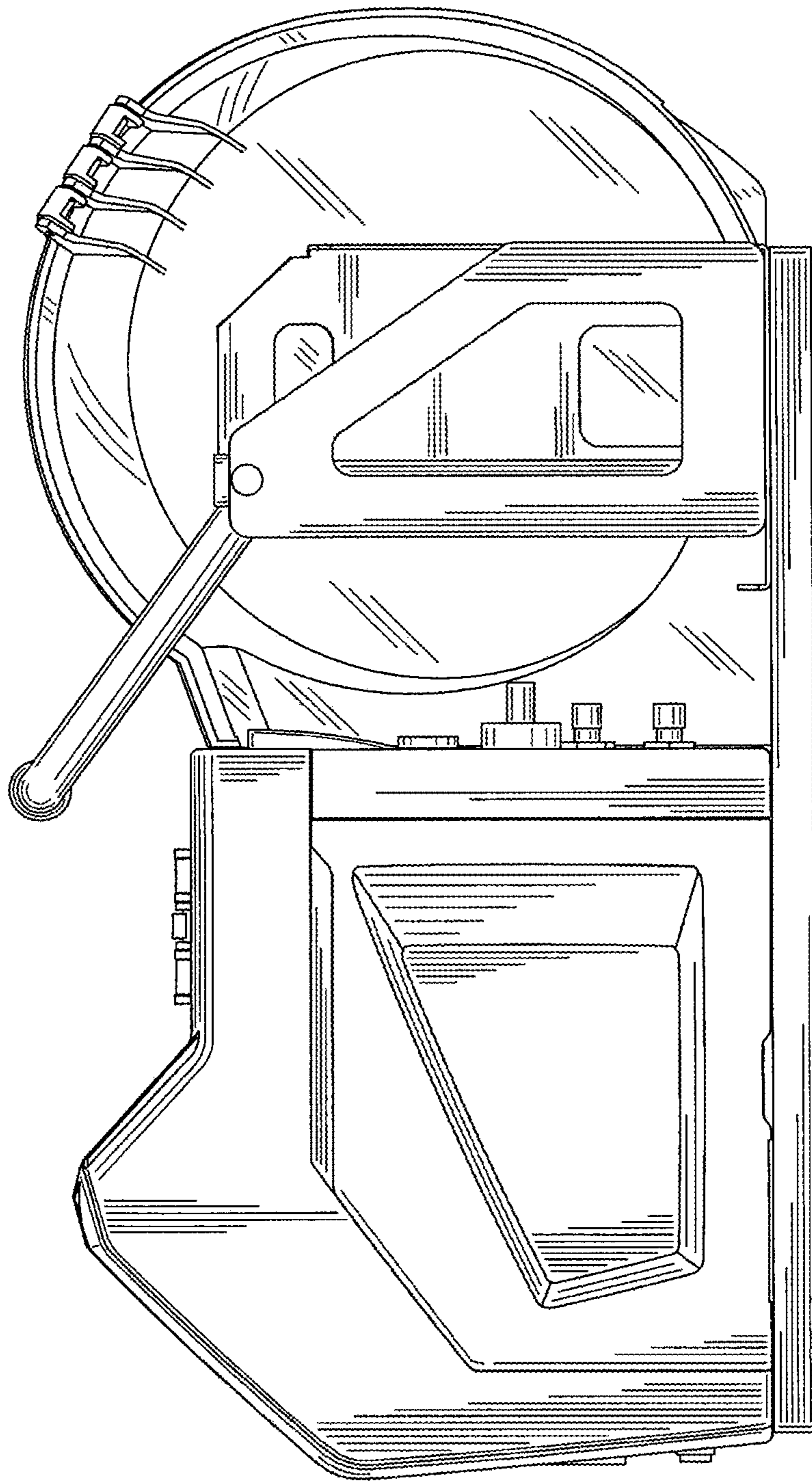


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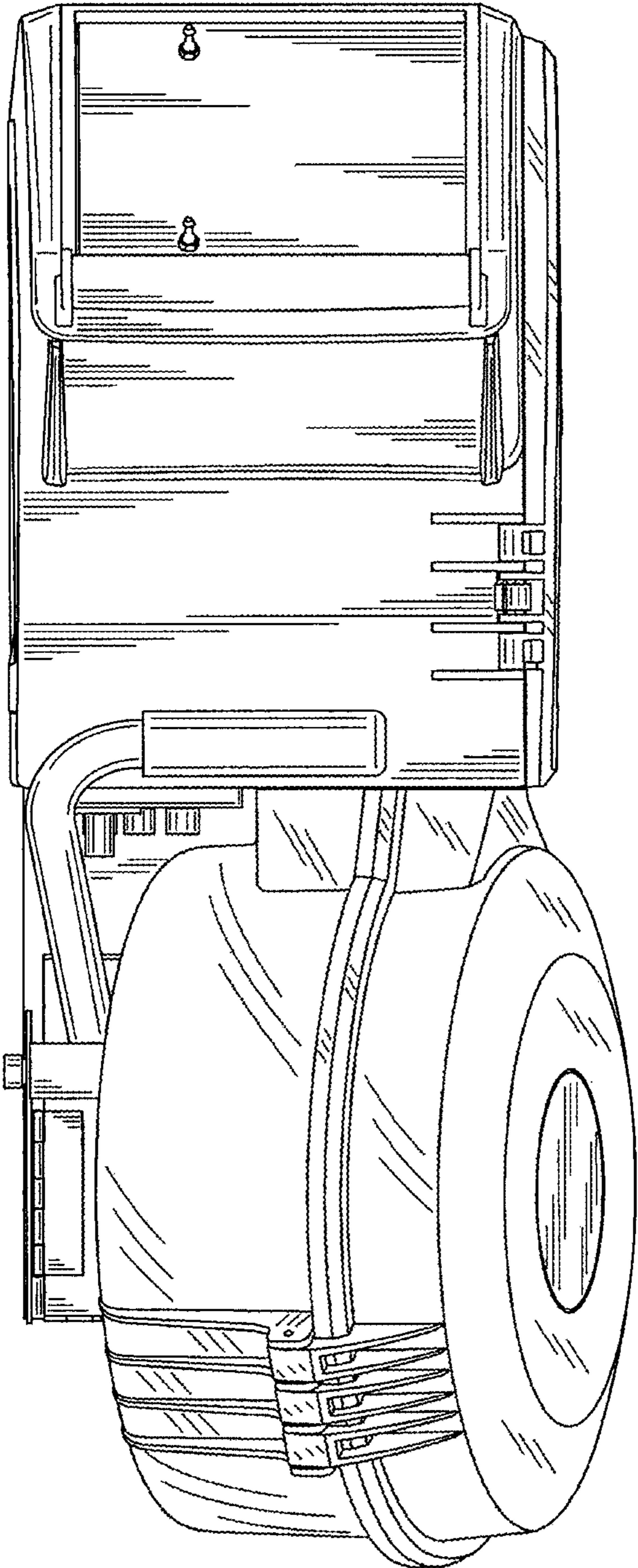


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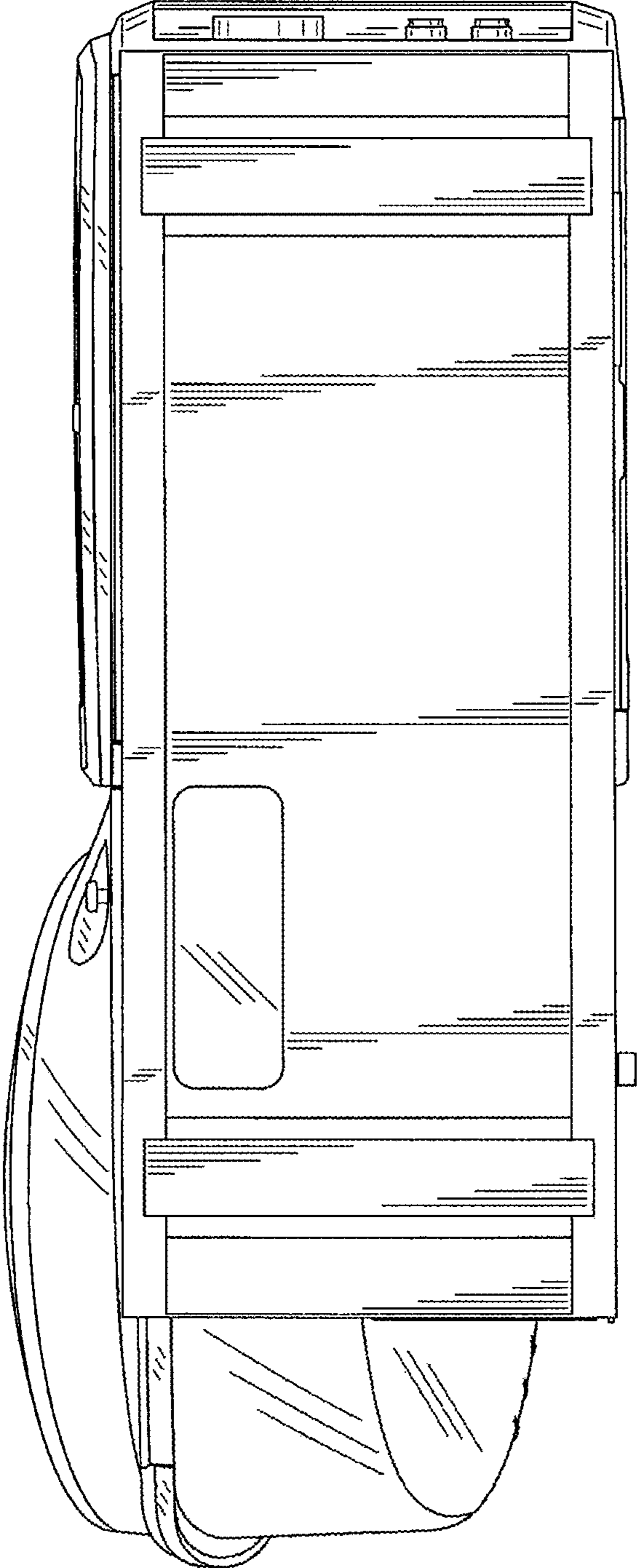


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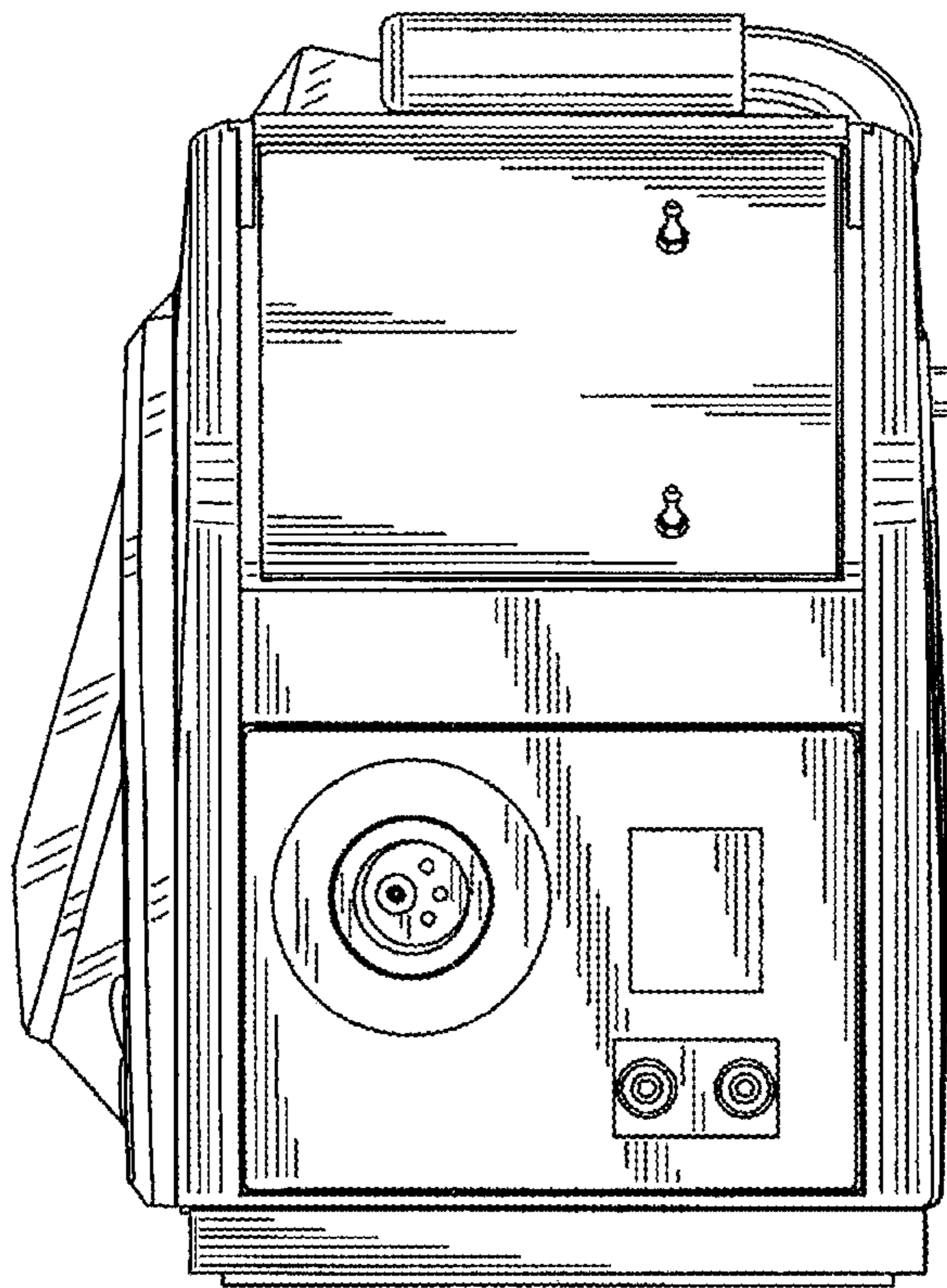


FIG. 8

