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(54) **CASE FOR ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATIONS DEVICE**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a case for electronic communications device, as shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

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FIG. 1 is a front perspective view of a case for electronic communications device showing my new design; FIG. 2 is a rear perspective view thereof; FIG. 3 is a front elevational view thereof; FIG. 4 is a rear elevational view thereof; FIG. 5 is a left side elevational view thereof; FIG. 6 is a right side elevational view thereof; FIG. 7 is a top plan view thereof; FIG. 8 is a bottom plan view thereof; FIG. 9 is a front perspective view of the transparent inner shell component of the case shown separately for clarity of disclosure; FIG. 10 is a rear perspective view thereof shown separately for clarity of disclosure; FIG. 11 is a front perspective view of the outer frame component of the case shown separately for clarity of disclosure; FIG. 12 is a rear perspective view thereof shown separately for clarity of disclosure; FIG. 13 is an exploded front perspective view of the case for electronic communications device showing the components of the case separated for clarity of disclosure; FIG. 14 is an exploded rear perspective view of the case for electronic communications device showing the components of the case separated for clarity of disclosure; and, FIG. 15 is an enlarged detail view of the encircled portion of FIG. 4 to more clearly disclose the glitter pattern on the surfaces of the transparent inner shell component of the case. Although the case for electronic communications device, in which the claimed design is embodied consists of a transparent inner shell component and an opaque outer frame component, the claim is directed to the ornamental appearance of the case for electronic communications device in its

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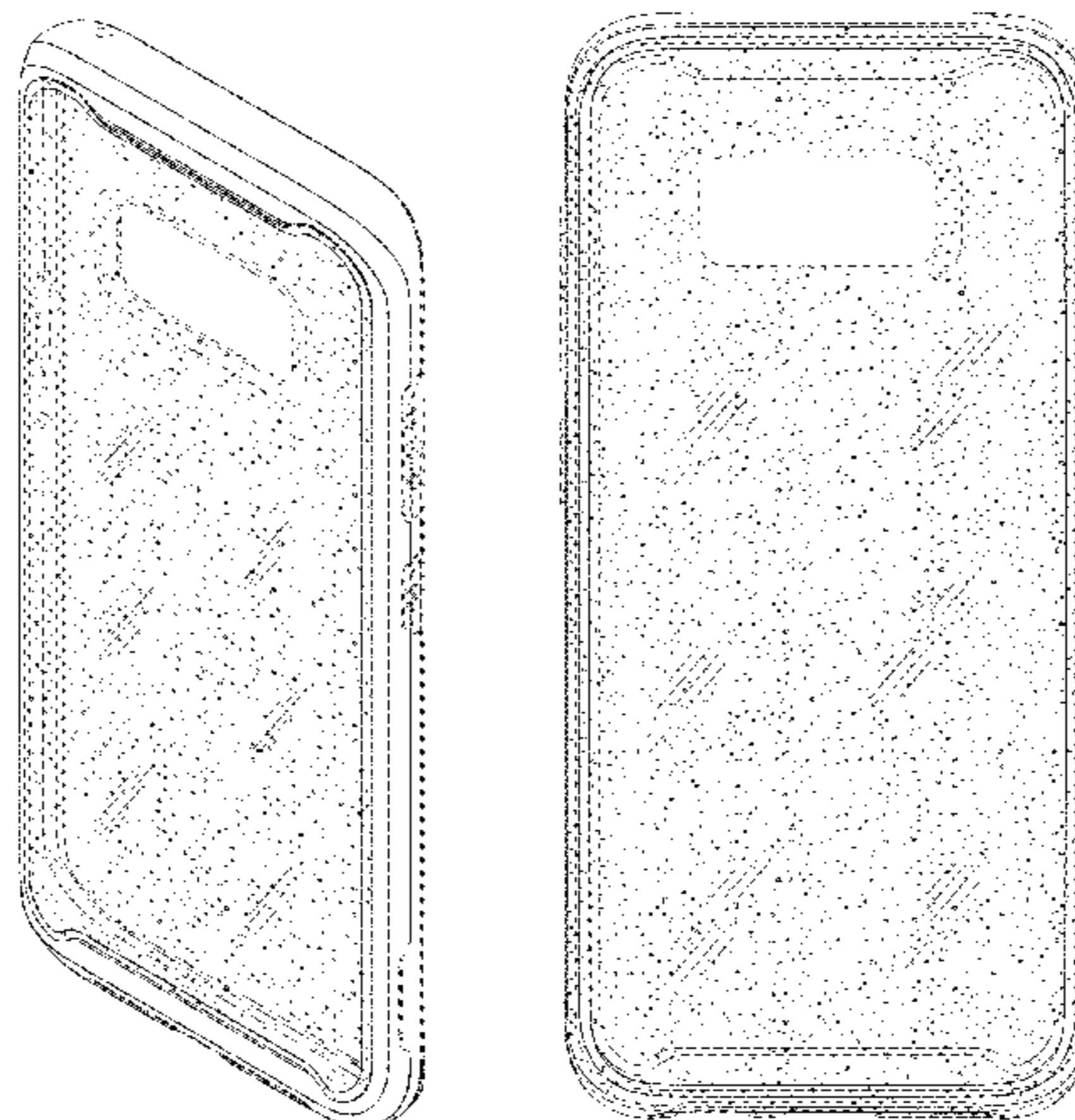
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entirety and does not extend to the ornamental appearance of each of the individual components of the case for electronic communications device.

The dot-dash broken line circle in FIGS. 4 and 15 delineates a portion of the case for electronic communications device that is part of the claimed design and that is shown on an enlarged scale in FIG. 15. The dashed broken lines throughout the drawing figures depict portions of the case for electronic communications device that form no part of the claimed design. The broken lines and regions bounded by dashed broken lines form no part of the claimed design.

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FIG. 1

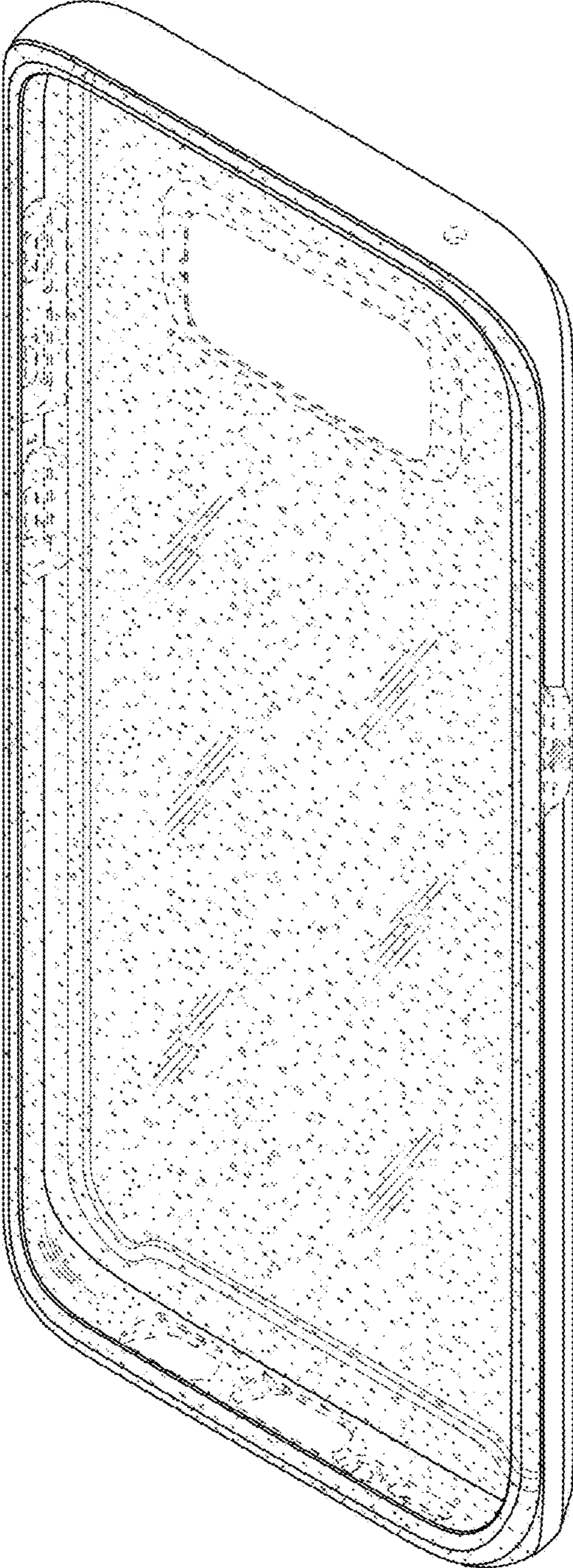


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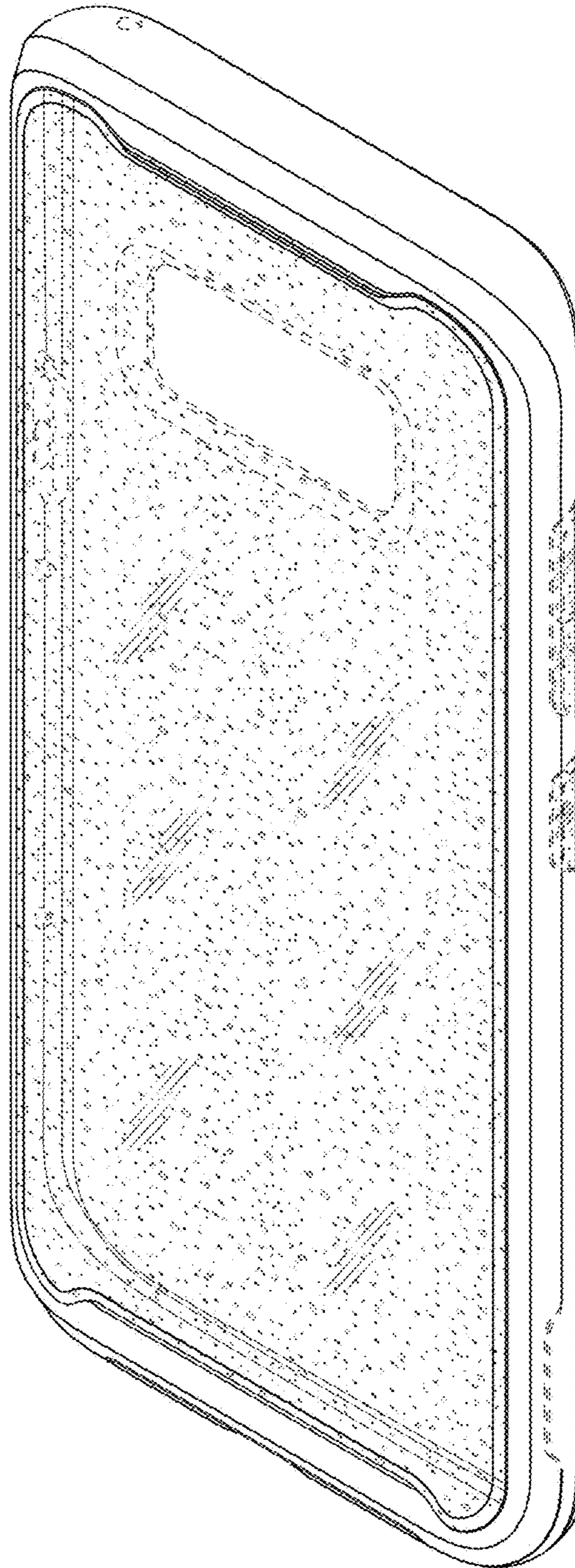


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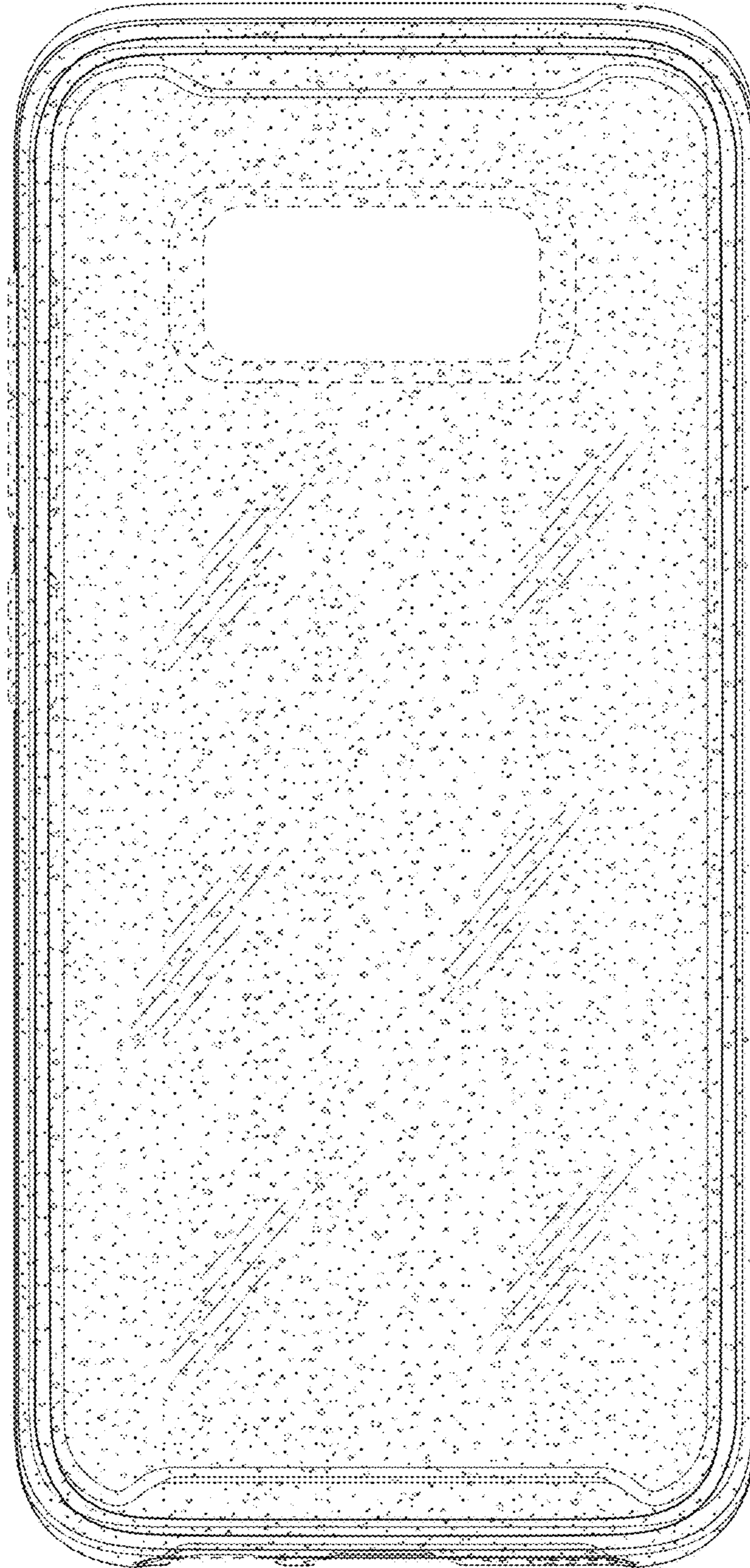


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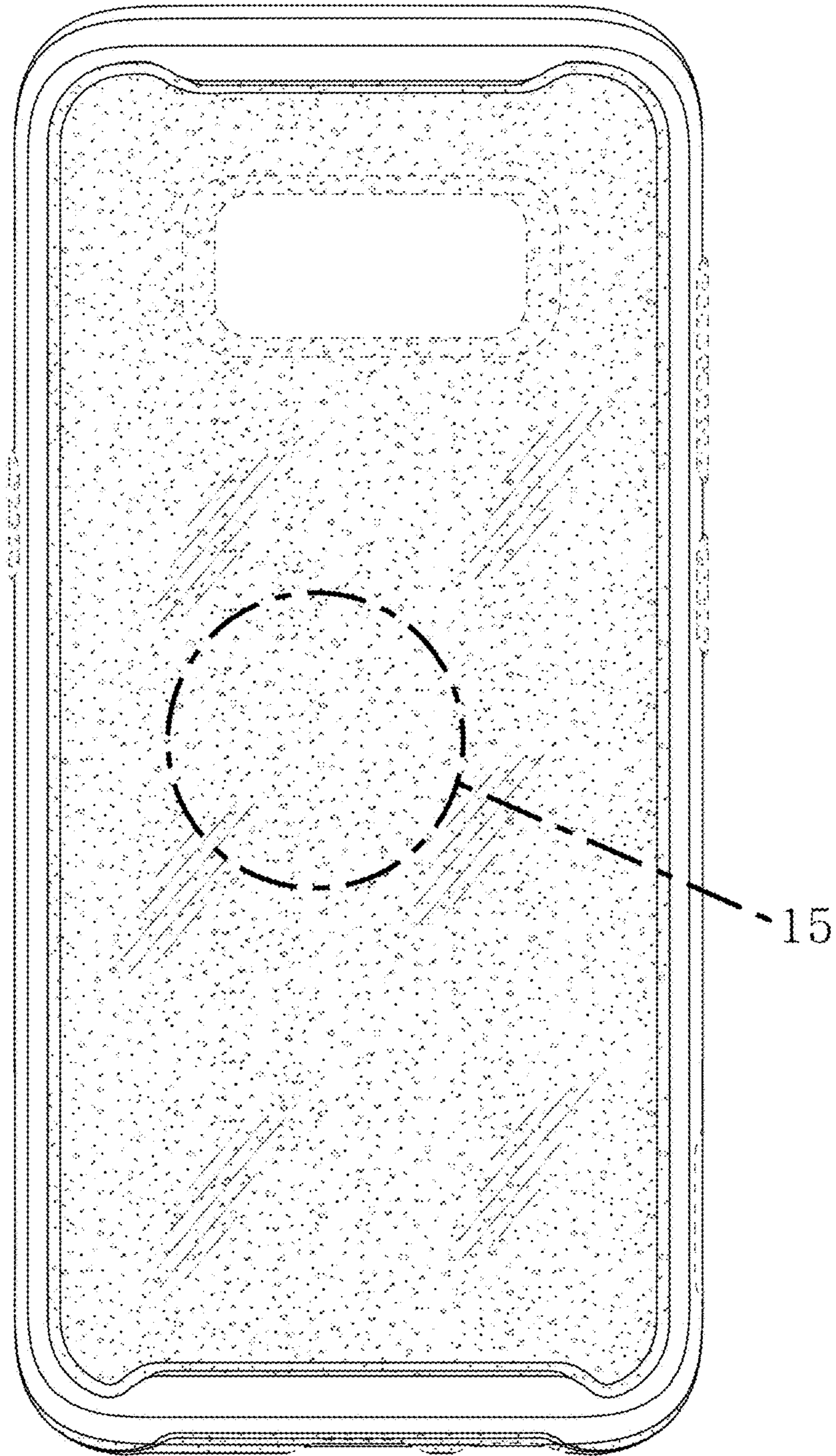


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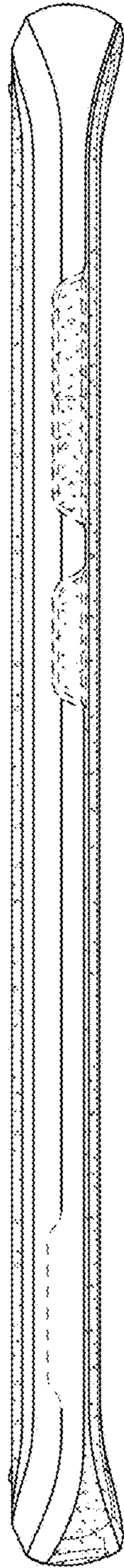


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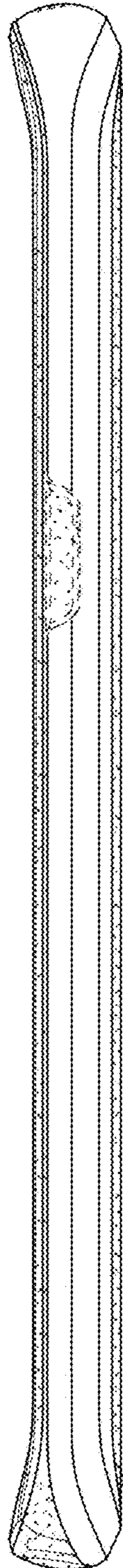


FIG. 7



FIG. 8



FIG. 9

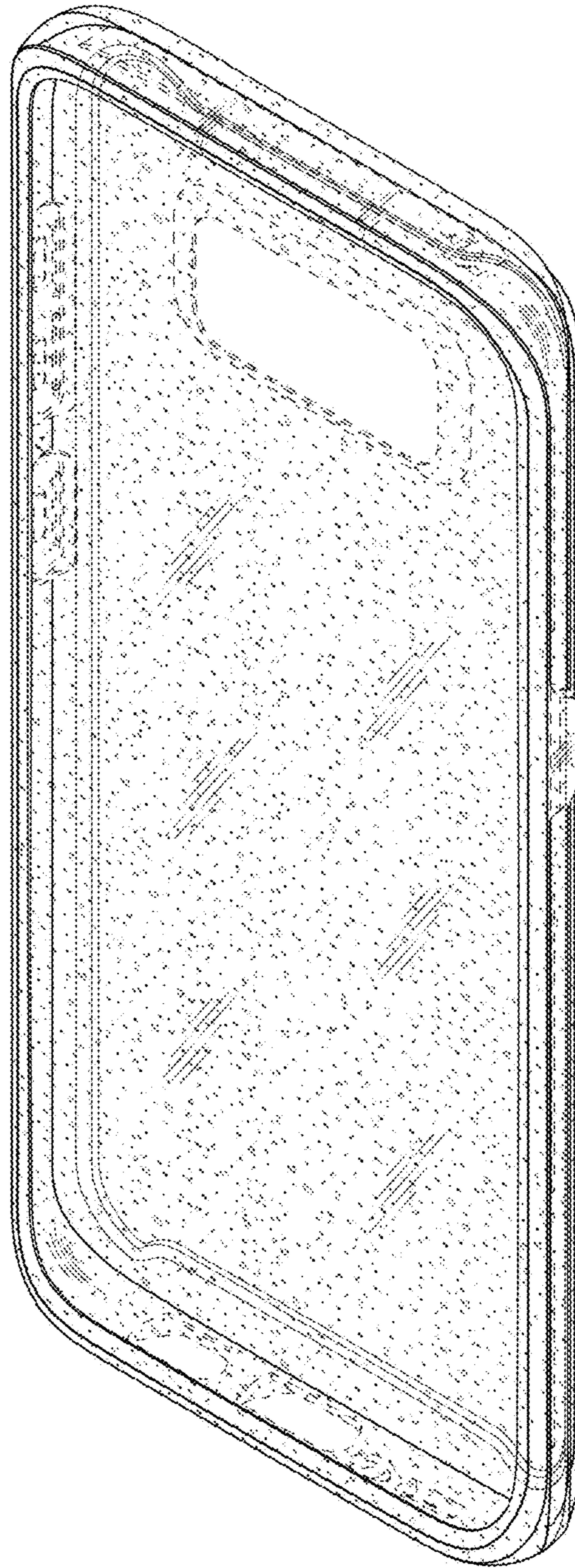


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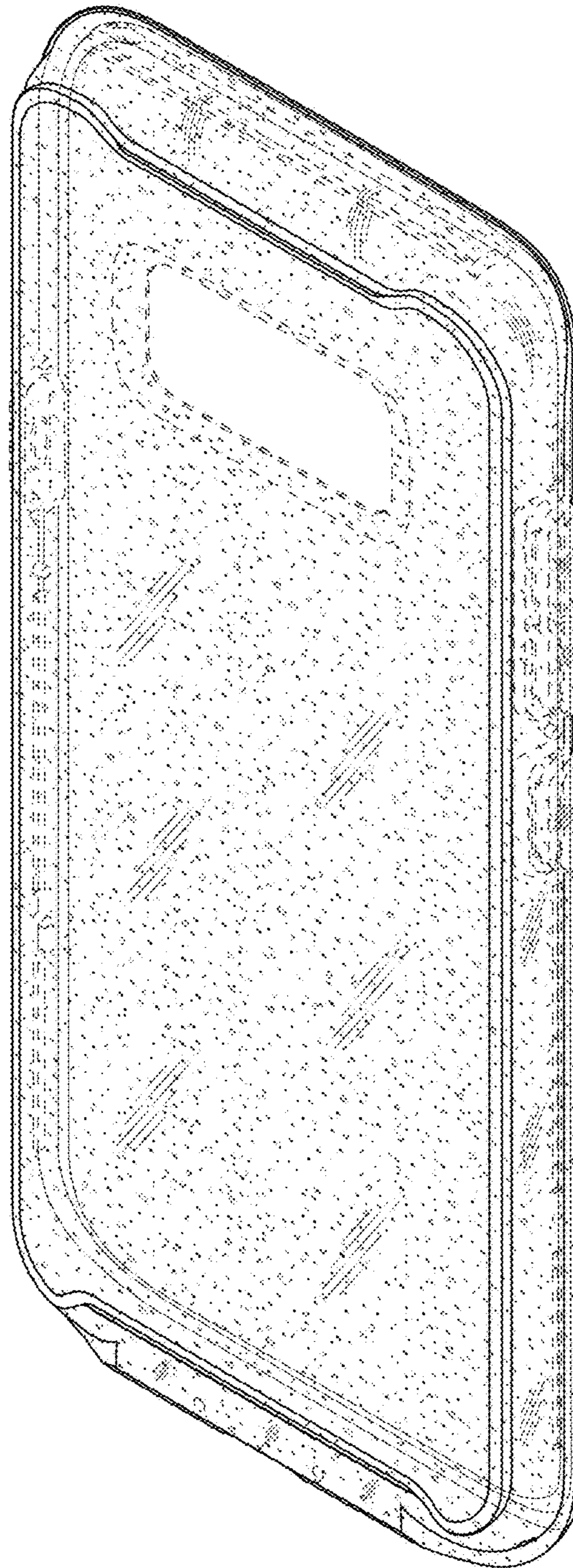


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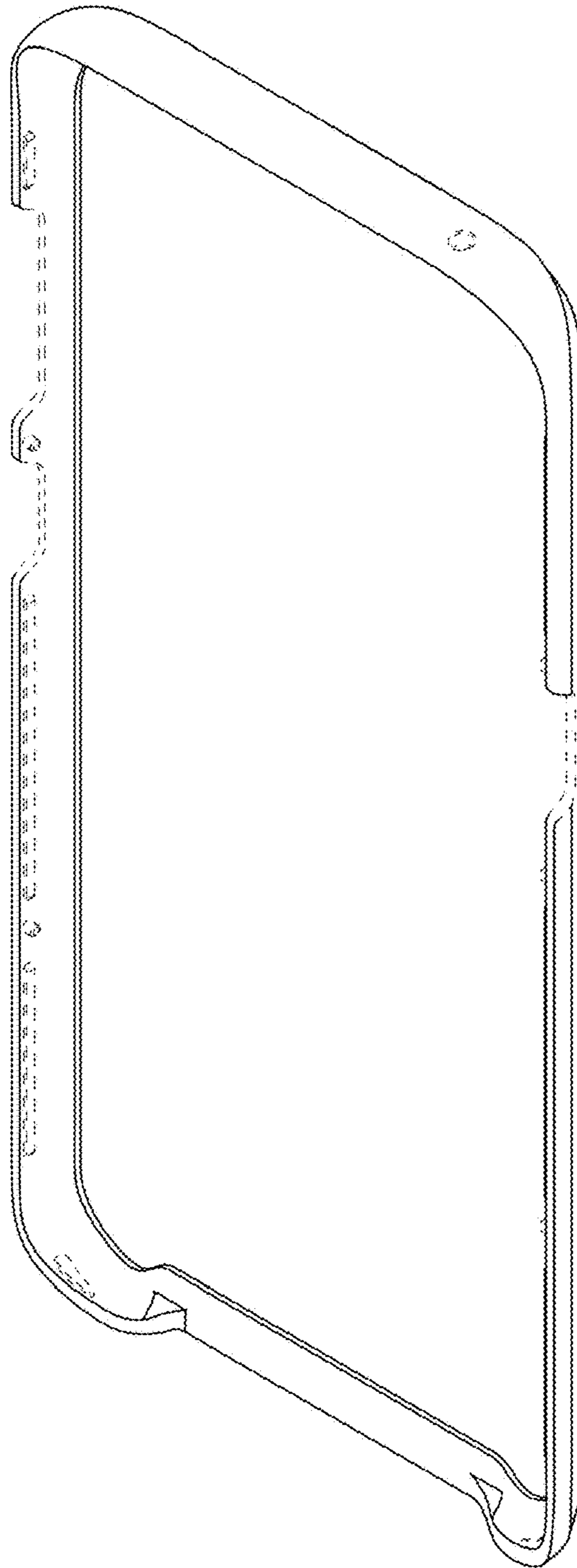


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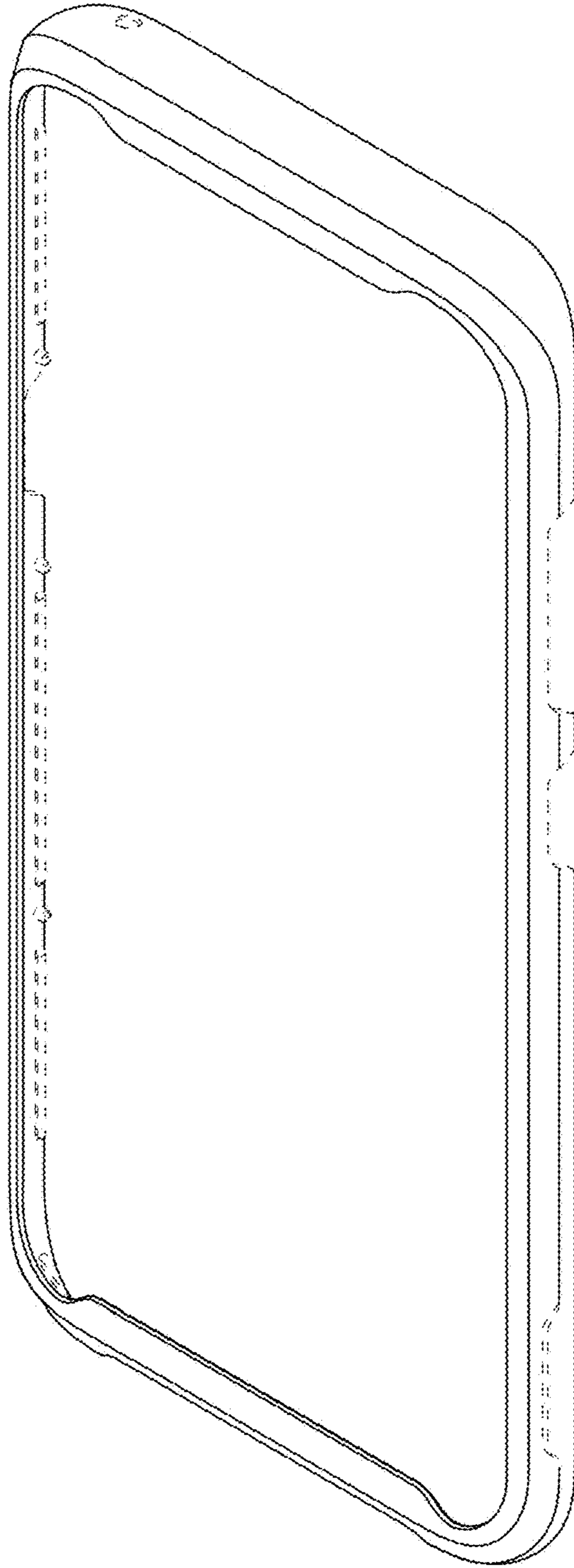


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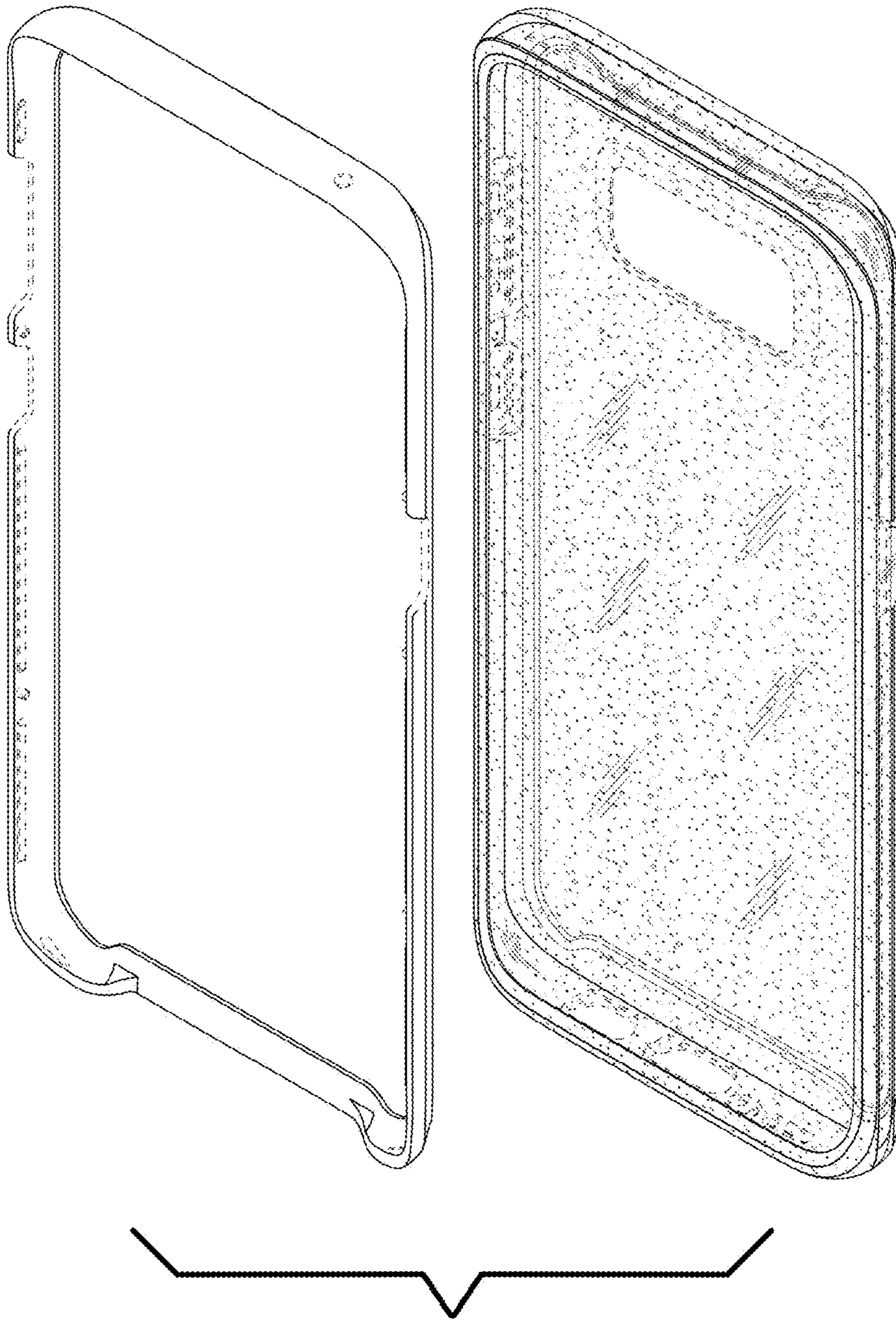


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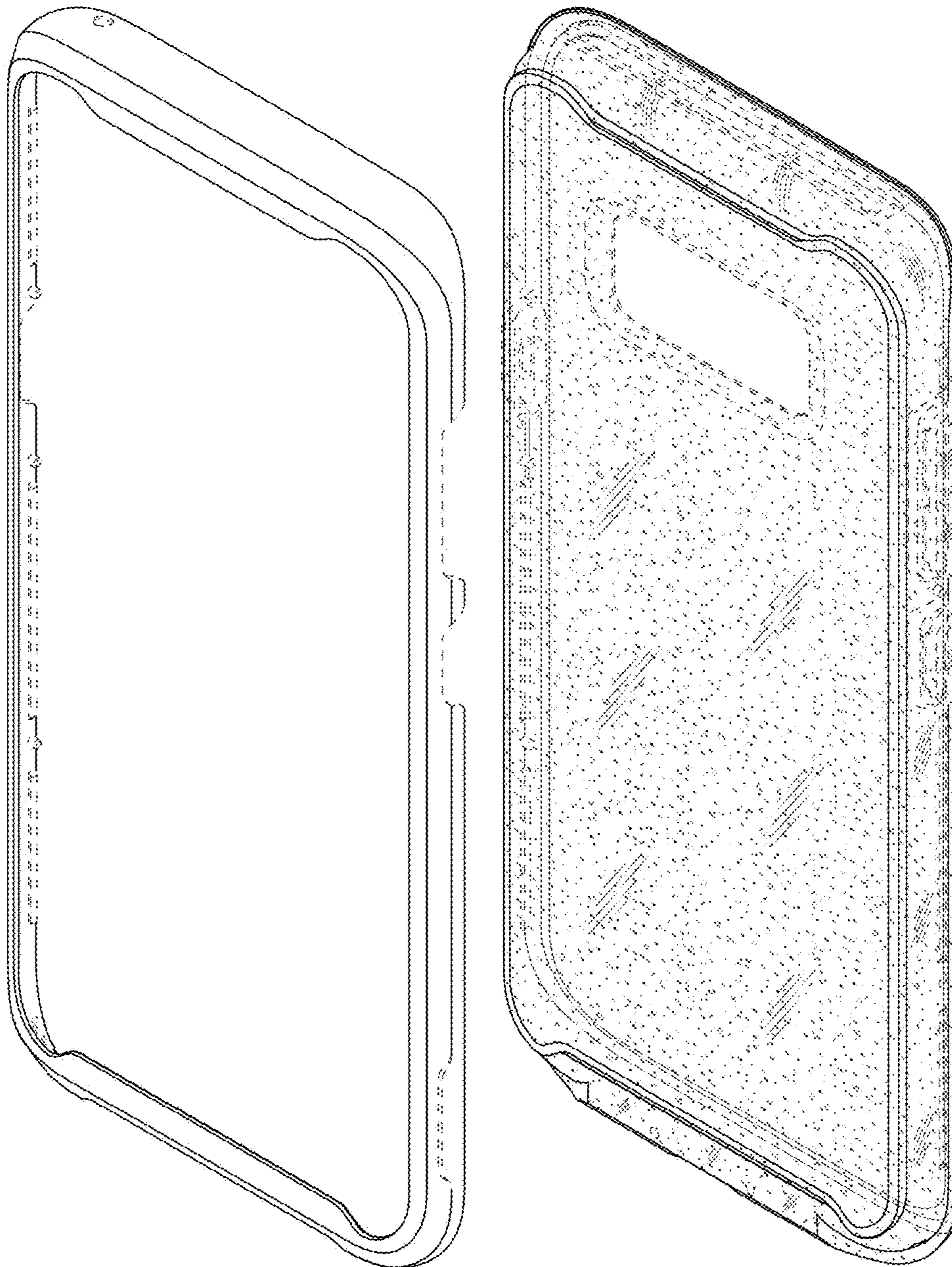


FIG. 15

