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(54) **TOWEL HOOK**
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(57) **CLAIM**

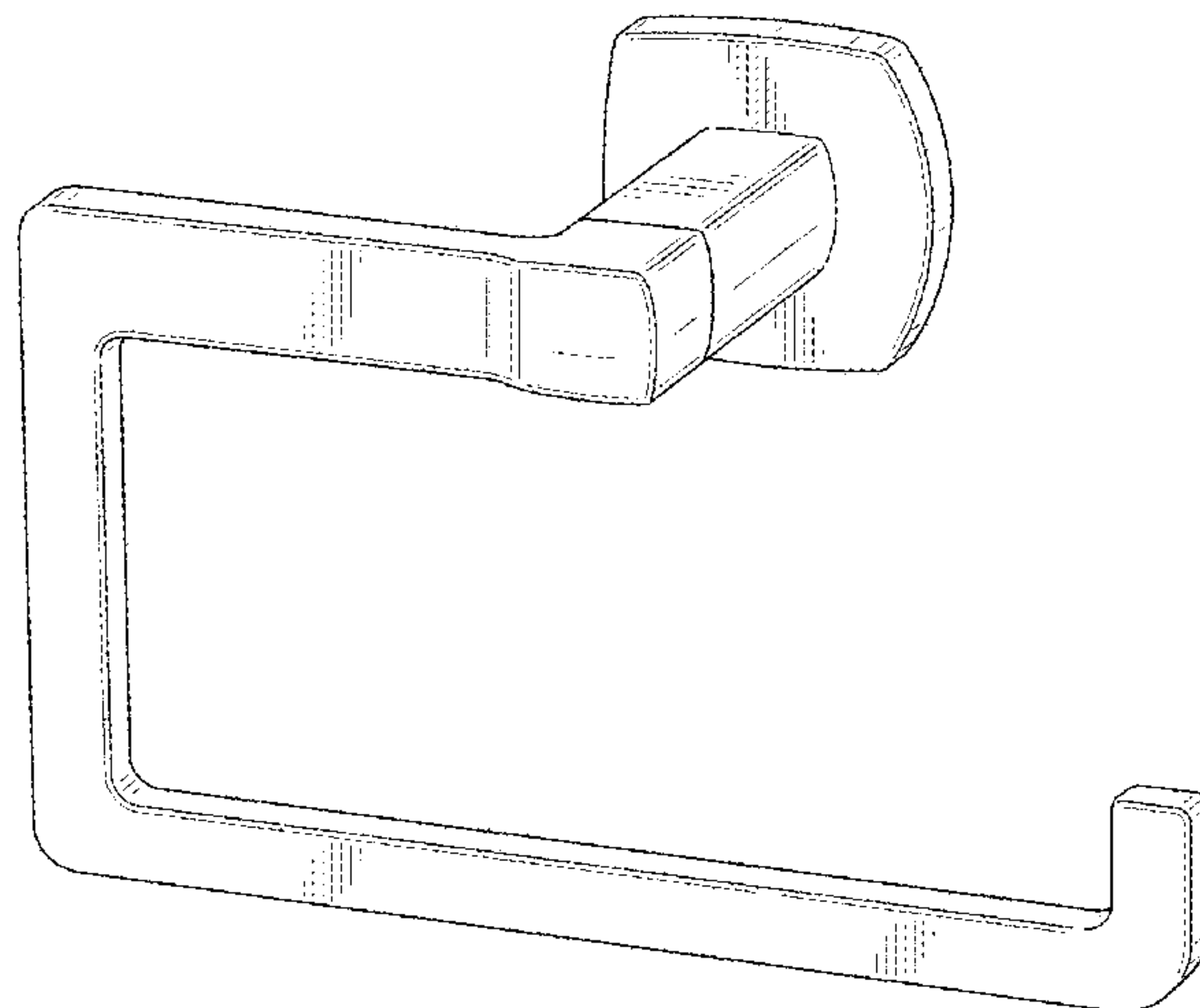
The ornamental design for a towel hook, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front perspective view of a towel hook showing our new design;
FIG. 2 a rear perspective view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a front elevation view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a right side elevation view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a left side elevation view thereof;
FIG. 6 is a top plan view thereof; and,
FIG. 7 is a bottom plan view thereof.
The broken lines show portions of the design that form no part of the claimed design.

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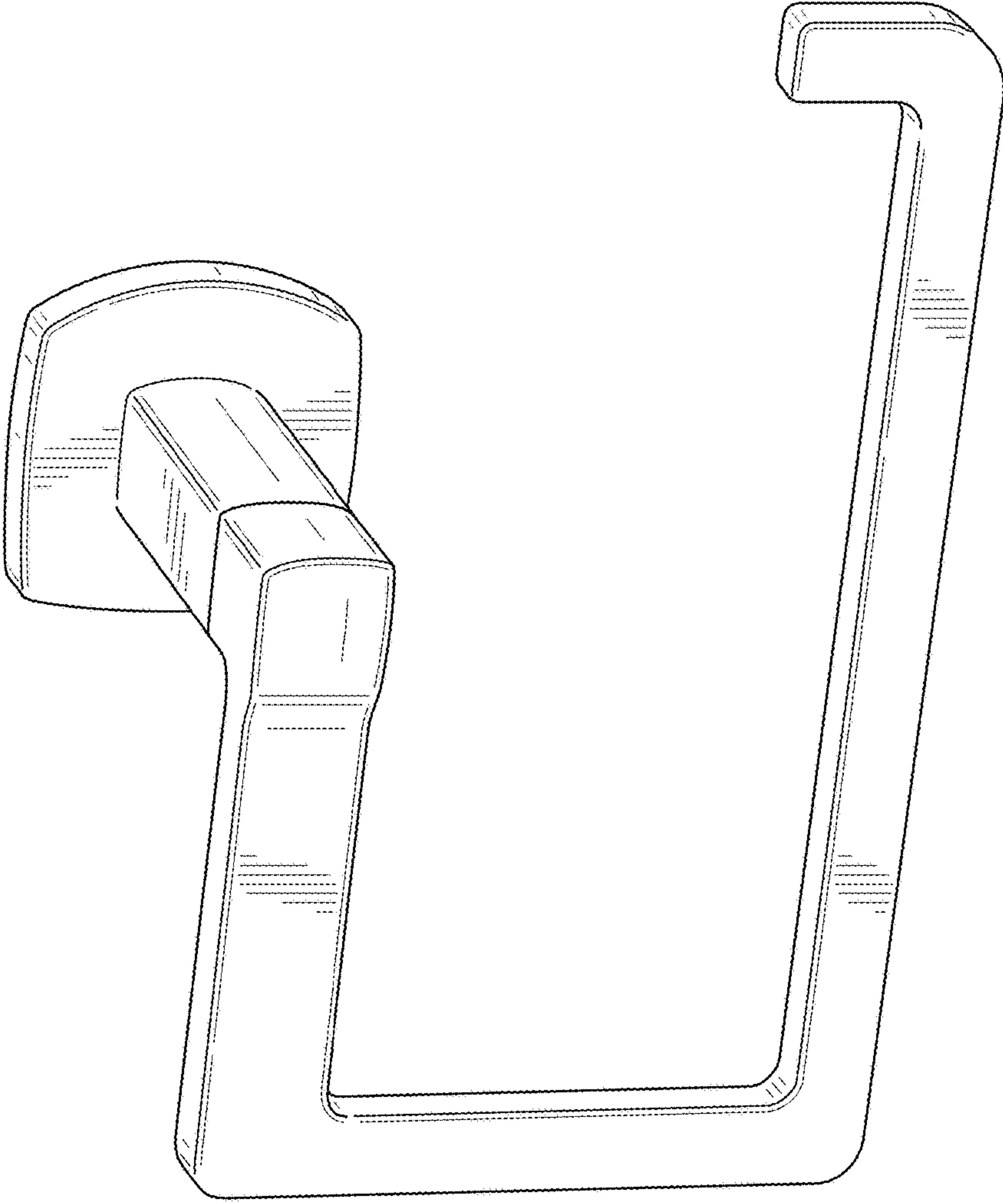


FIG. 1

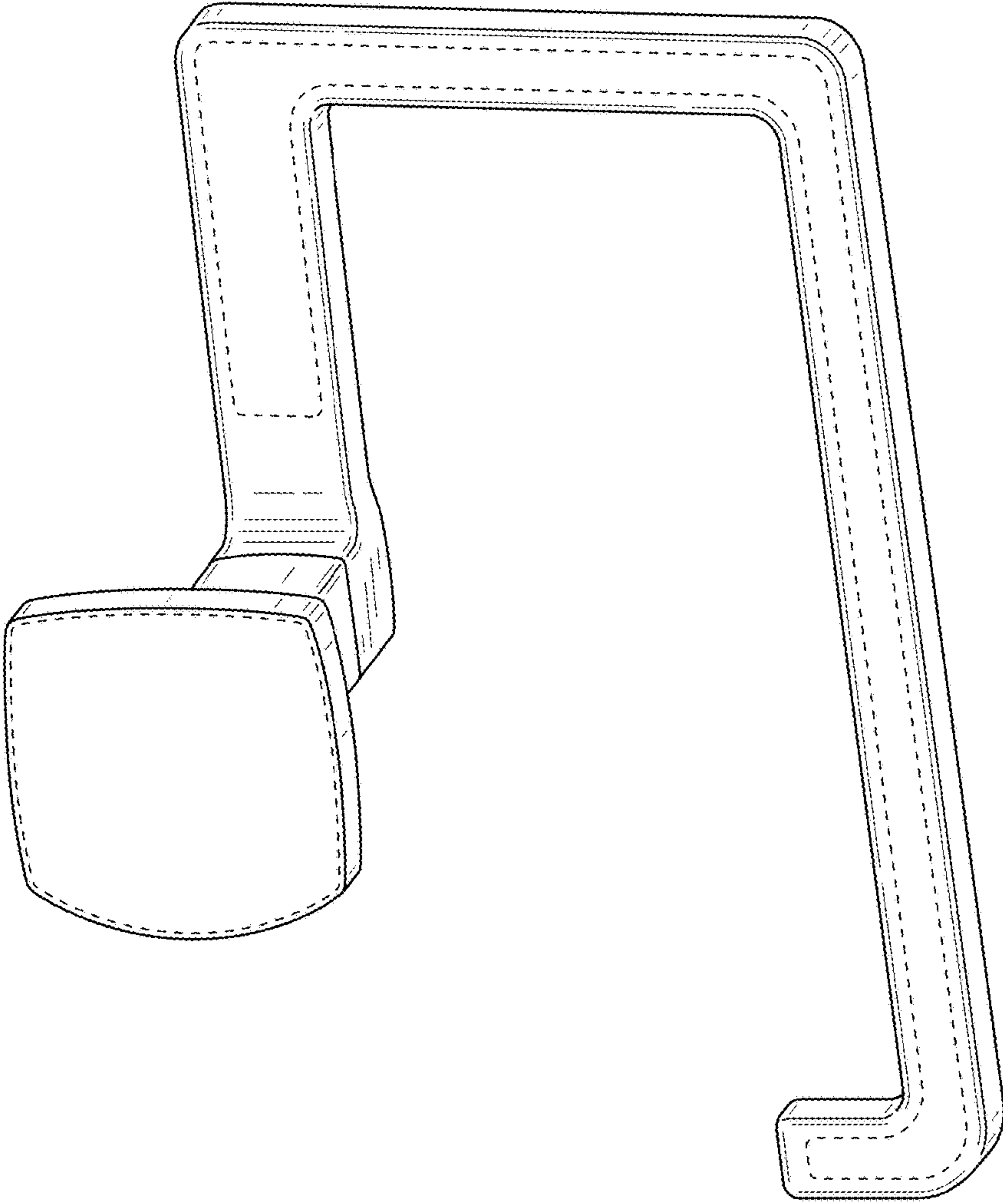


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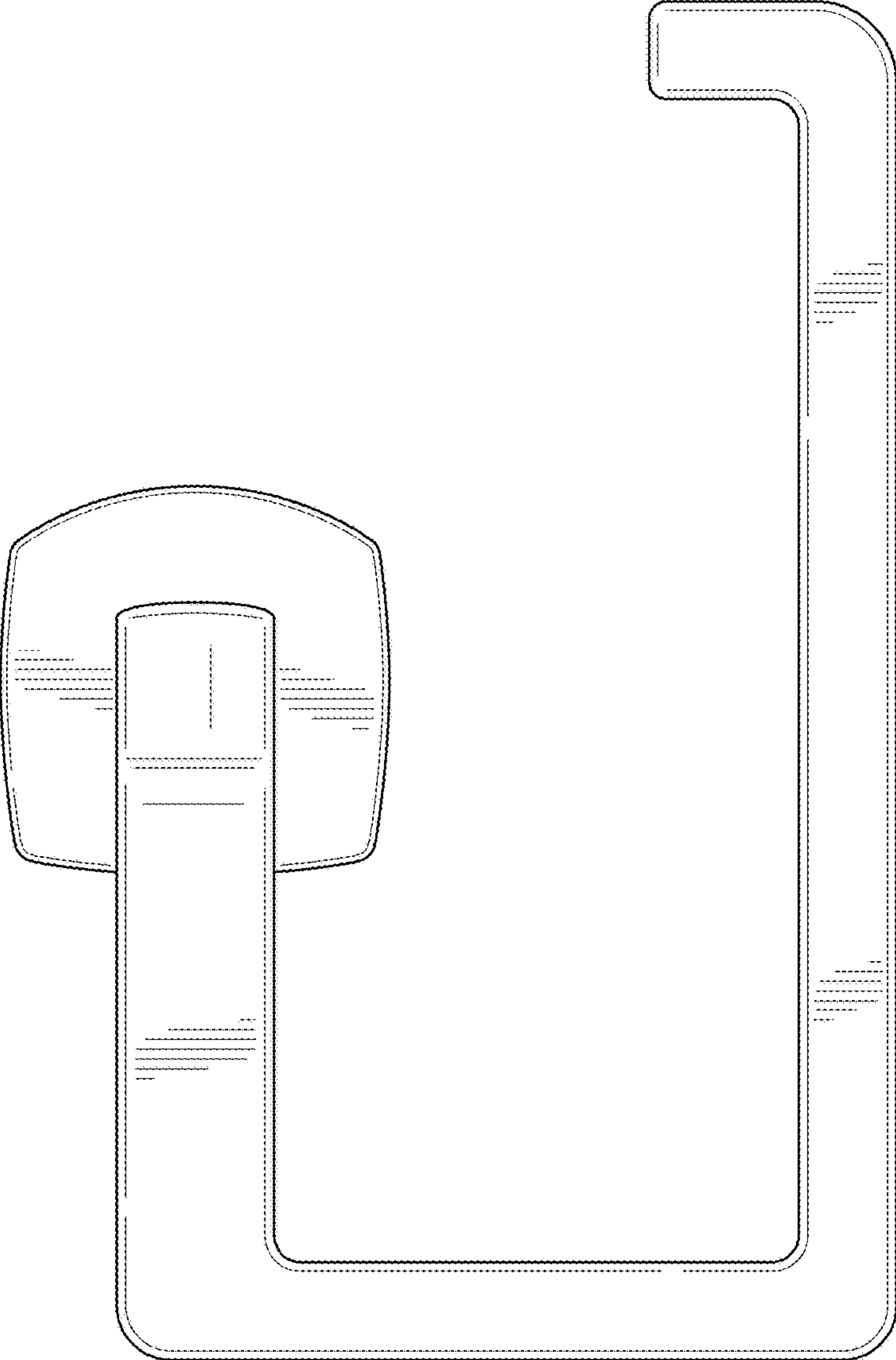


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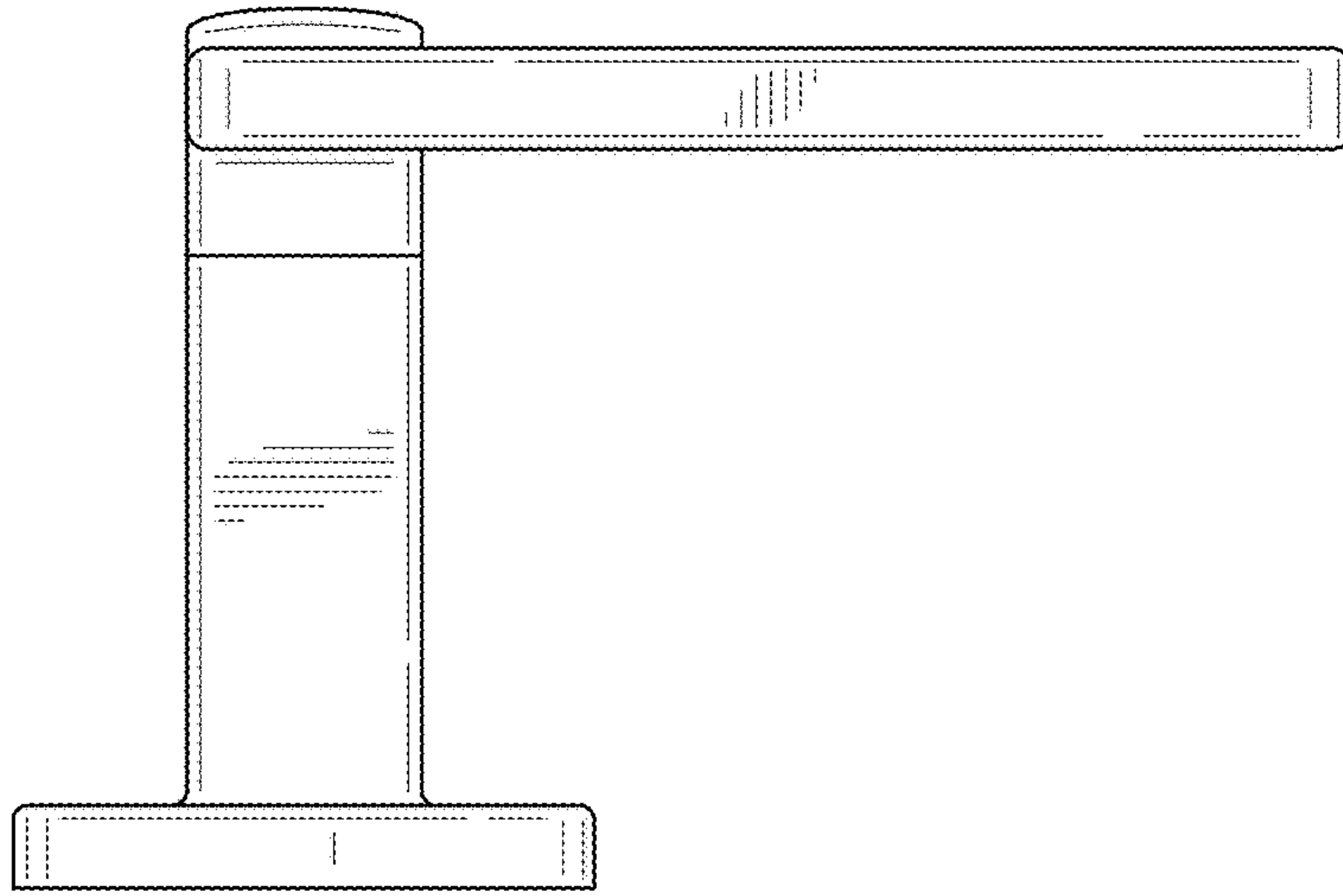


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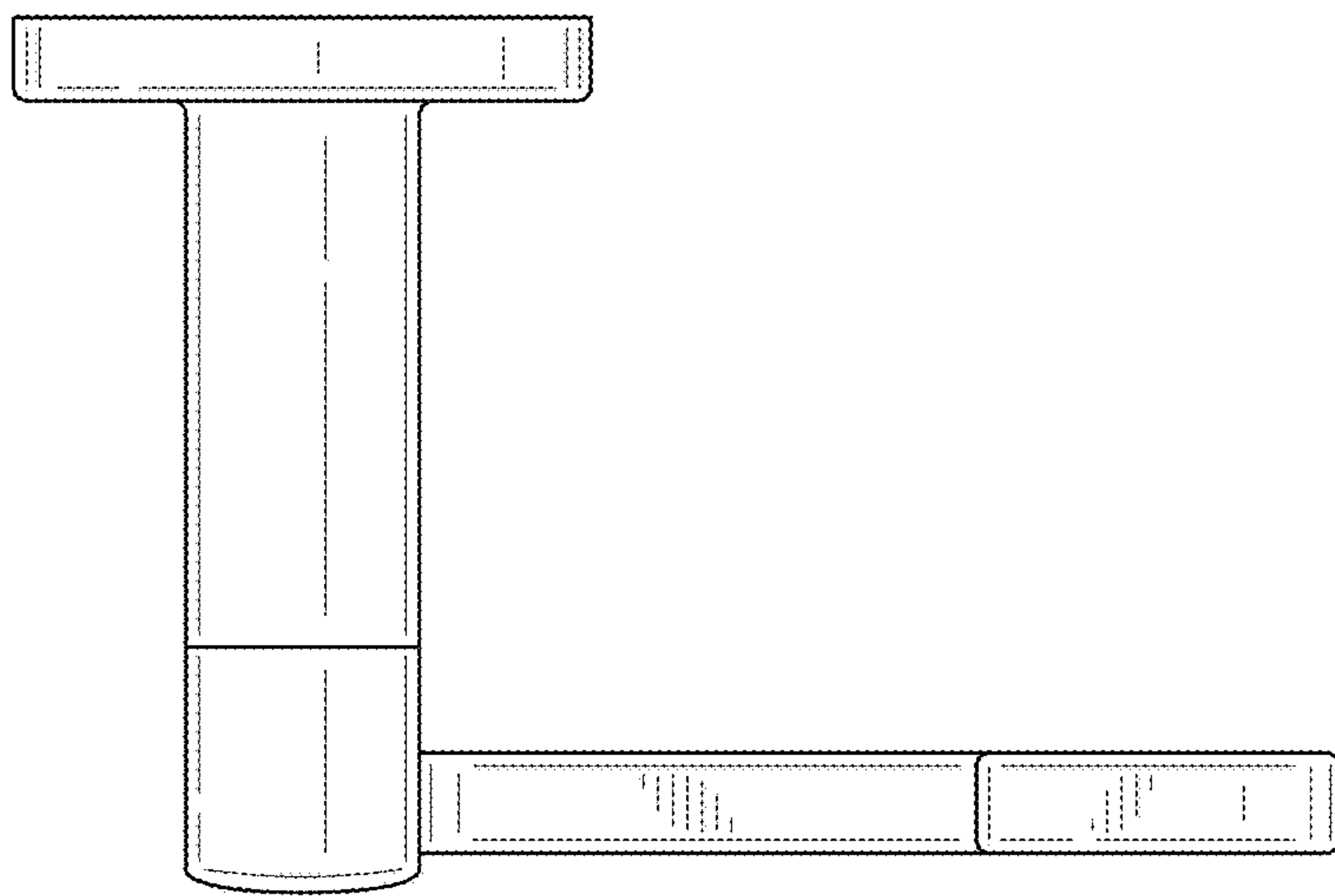


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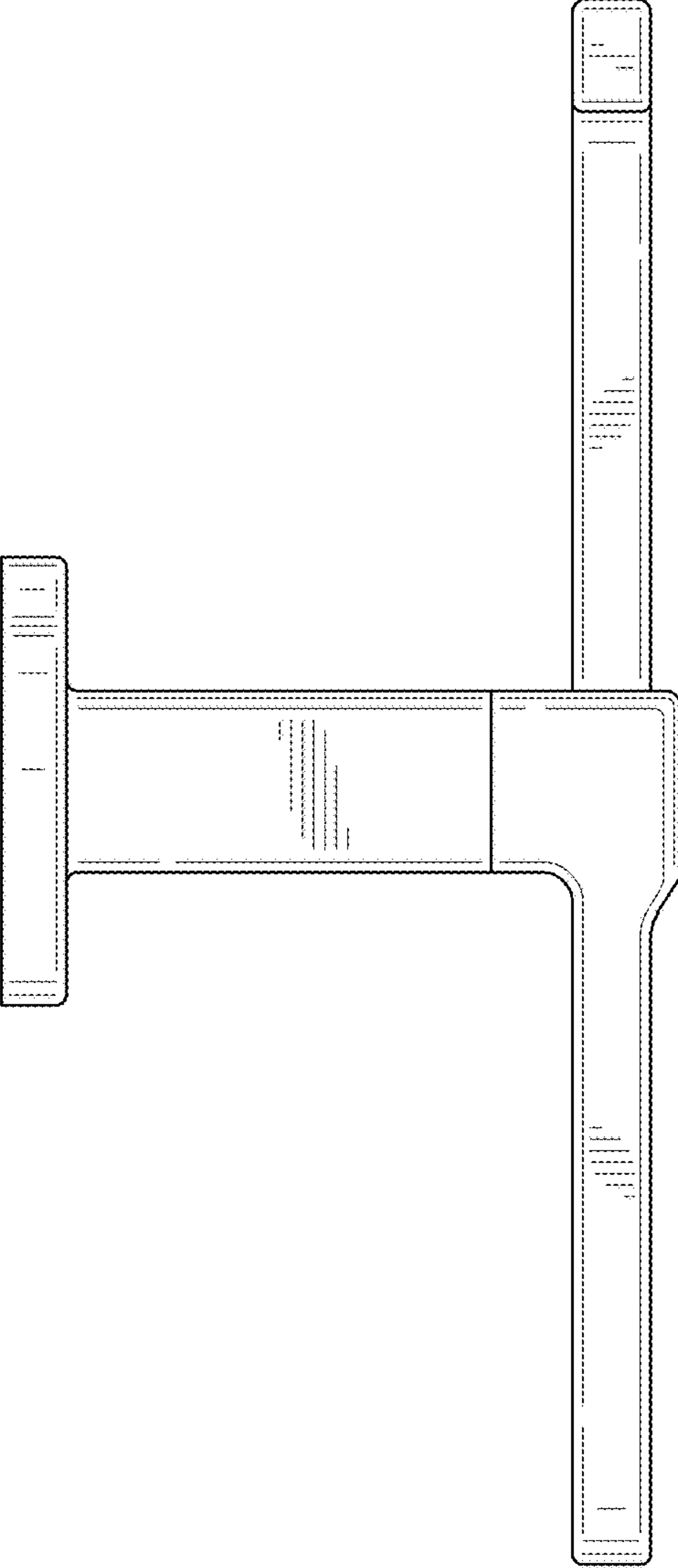


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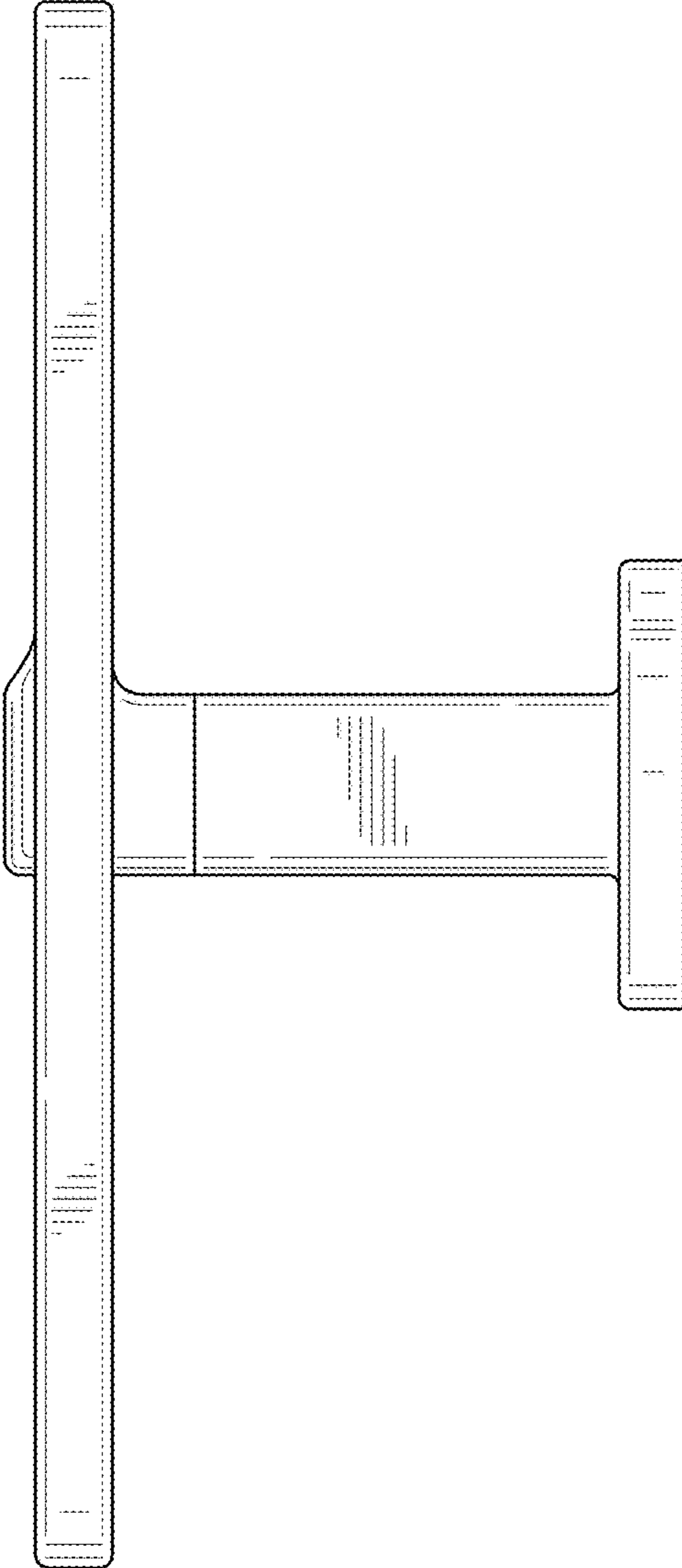


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