



US00D852373S

(12) **United States Design Patent**  
**Ständer**

(10) **Patent No.:** **US D852,373 S**

(45) **Date of Patent:** **\*\* Jun. 25, 2019**

(54) **LABORATORY APPARATUS**

(71) Applicant: **SARTORIUS LAB INSTRUMENTS GMBH & CO. KG**, Göttingen (DE)

(72) Inventor: **Malte Ständer**, Heiligenstadt (DE)

(73) Assignee: **SARTORIUS LAB INSTRUMENTS GMBH & CO.**, Göttingen (DE)

(\*\*) Term: **15 Years**

(21) Appl. No.: **29/590,402**

(22) Filed: **Jan. 10, 2017**

(30) **Foreign Application Priority Data**

Jul. 12, 2016 (EM) ..... 003304039

(51) **LOC (11) Cl.** ..... **24-01**

(52) **U.S. Cl.**  
USPC ..... **D24/216**

(58) **Field of Classification Search**

USPC ..... D24/185-186, 170, 158, 216, 232  
CPC ..... G01N 2035/00306; G01N 2035/00326;  
G01N 2035/00336; G01N 2030/027;  
A61B 2017/00973; A61B 2017/00115;  
A61B 2017/00199; A61B 2017/00225

See application file for complete search history.

(56) **References Cited**

**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

D247,224 S \* 2/1978 Pemberton ..... D10/38  
5,193,678 A \* 3/1993 Janocik ..... A61B 17/06161  
206/363  
D465,280 S \* 11/2002 Huntley ..... D14/489  
D687,951 S \* 8/2013 Della Torre ..... D24/167  
D785,811 S \* 5/2017 Watts ..... D24/224  
D809,141 S \* 1/2018 Adams ..... D24/158

**FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

DE 10100984 B4 11/2009  
EP 1092473 A2 4/2001  
EP 2759816 B1 1/2016

**OTHER PUBLICATIONS**

Photo of a SpeedCal, System for gravimetric testing of multichannel pipettes, accessed Jan. 13, 2015.

(Continued)

*Primary Examiner* — Anhdao Doan

*Assistant Examiner* — Mary Shannon Malley

(74) *Attorney, Agent, or Firm* — McNeese Wallace & Nurick LLC

(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a laboratory apparatus, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a top-front-left perspective view of a laboratory apparatus, showing the design;

FIG. 2 is a bottom view of the laboratory apparatus of FIG. 1;

FIG. 3 is a rear view of the laboratory apparatus of FIG. 1;

FIG. 4 is a right view of the laboratory apparatus of FIG. 1;

FIG. 5 is a front view of the laboratory apparatus of FIG. 1;

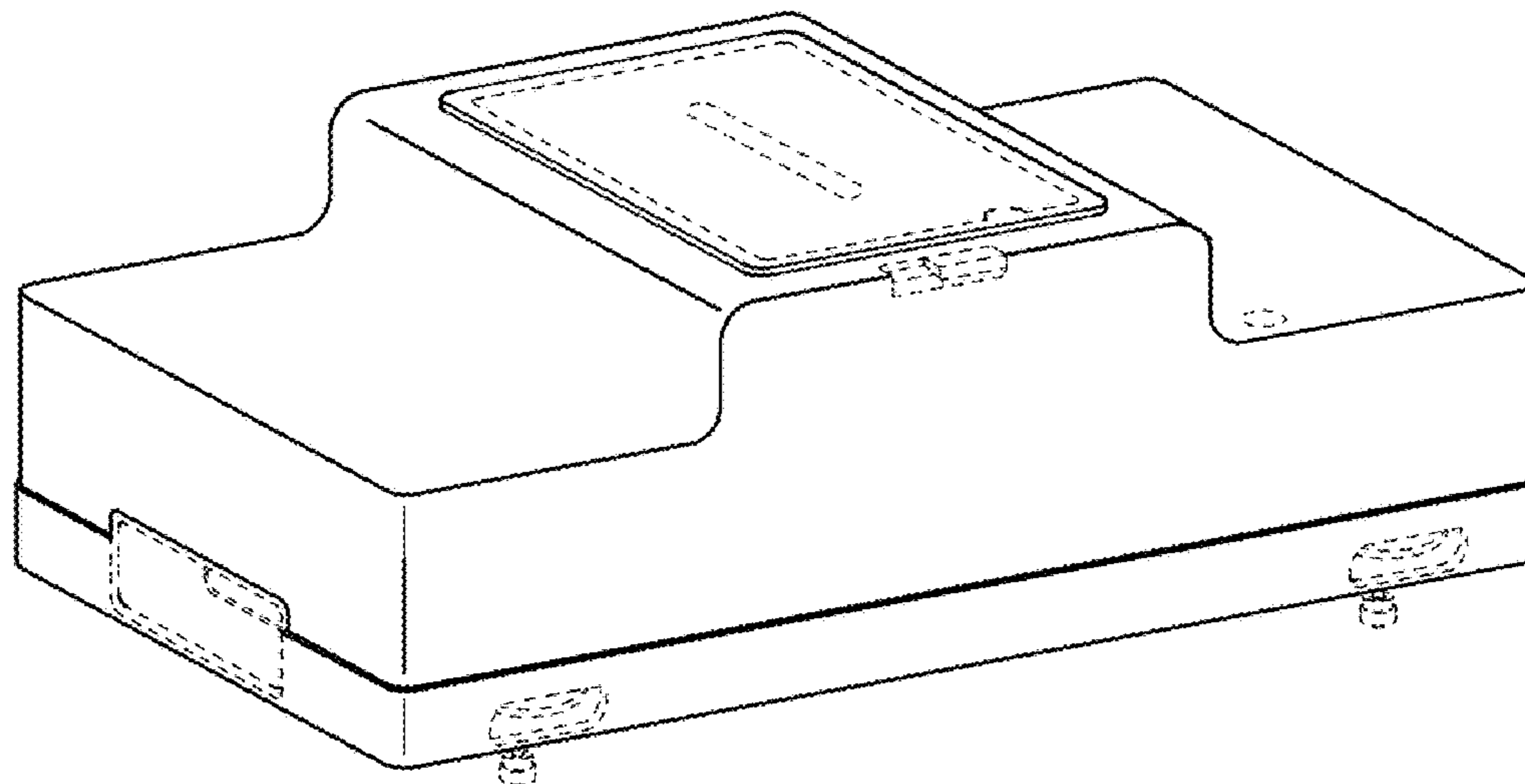
FIG. 6 is a left view of the laboratory apparatus of FIG. 1;

and,

FIG. 7 is a top view of the laboratory apparatus of FIG. 1.

The broken lines in the drawings and the surfaces within broken lines represent portions of the laboratory apparatus that form no part of the claimed design.

**1 Claim, 4 Drawing Sheets**



(56)

**References Cited**

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Photo of a laboratory apparatus of Mettler-Toledo from the Internet, <http://www.directindustry.de/prod/mettler-toledo-schweiz-gmbh/product-5705-875583.html>, posted online Jun. 22, 2015.

Photo of SpeedCal Mobile, Multi-channel Pipette Calibration Balance, accessed Jan. 13, 2015.

Mettler-Toledo AG, Laboratory & Weighing Technologies, Multi-channel Pipettes Calibration System, Nov. 2013, [www.mt.com](http://www.mt.com), Switzerland.

Mettler-Toledo AG, Laboratory Catalog for Improved Customer Processes, Nov. 2010, [www.mt.com](http://www.mt.com), Switzerland.

\* cited by examiner

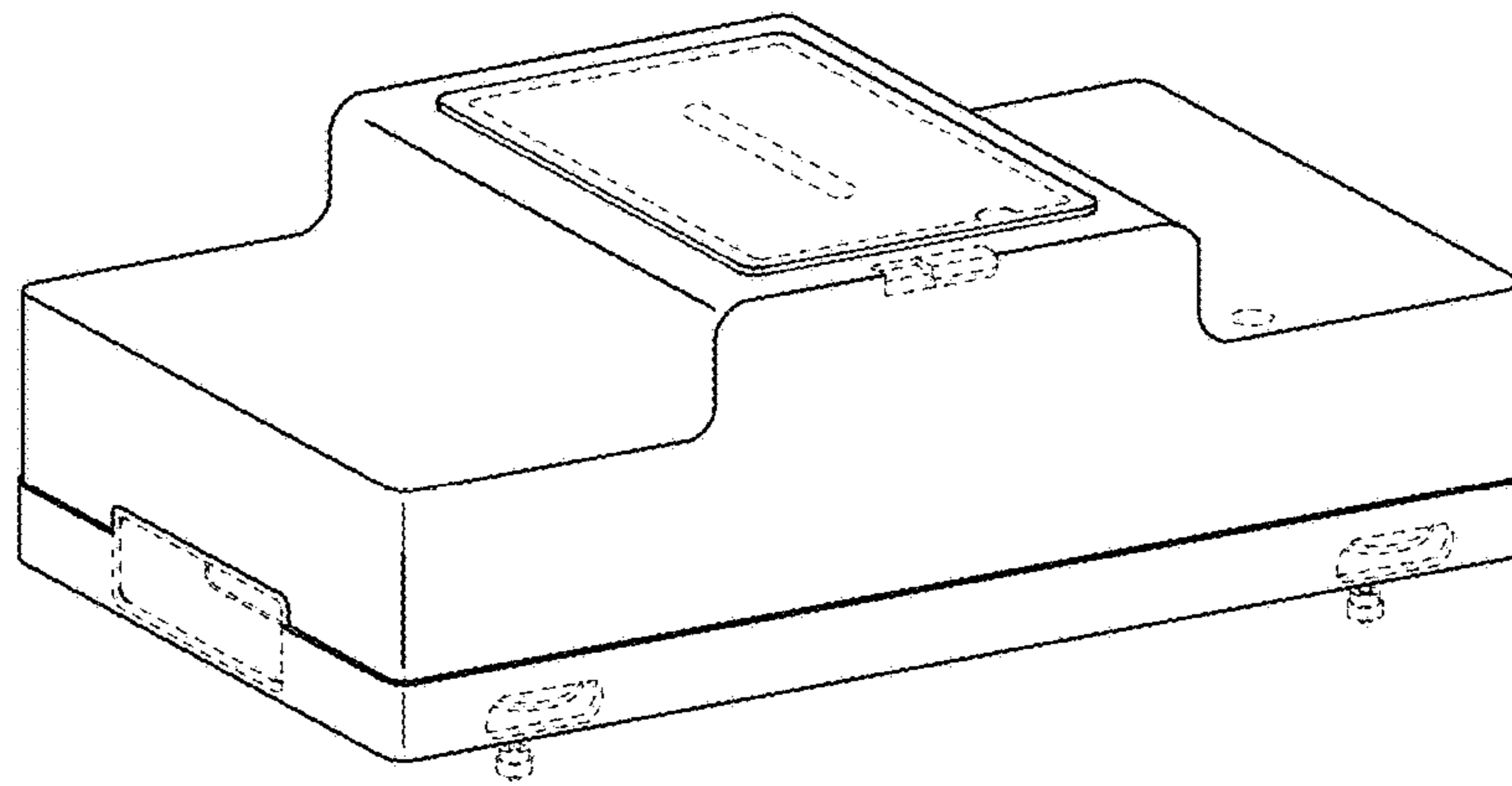


FIG. 1

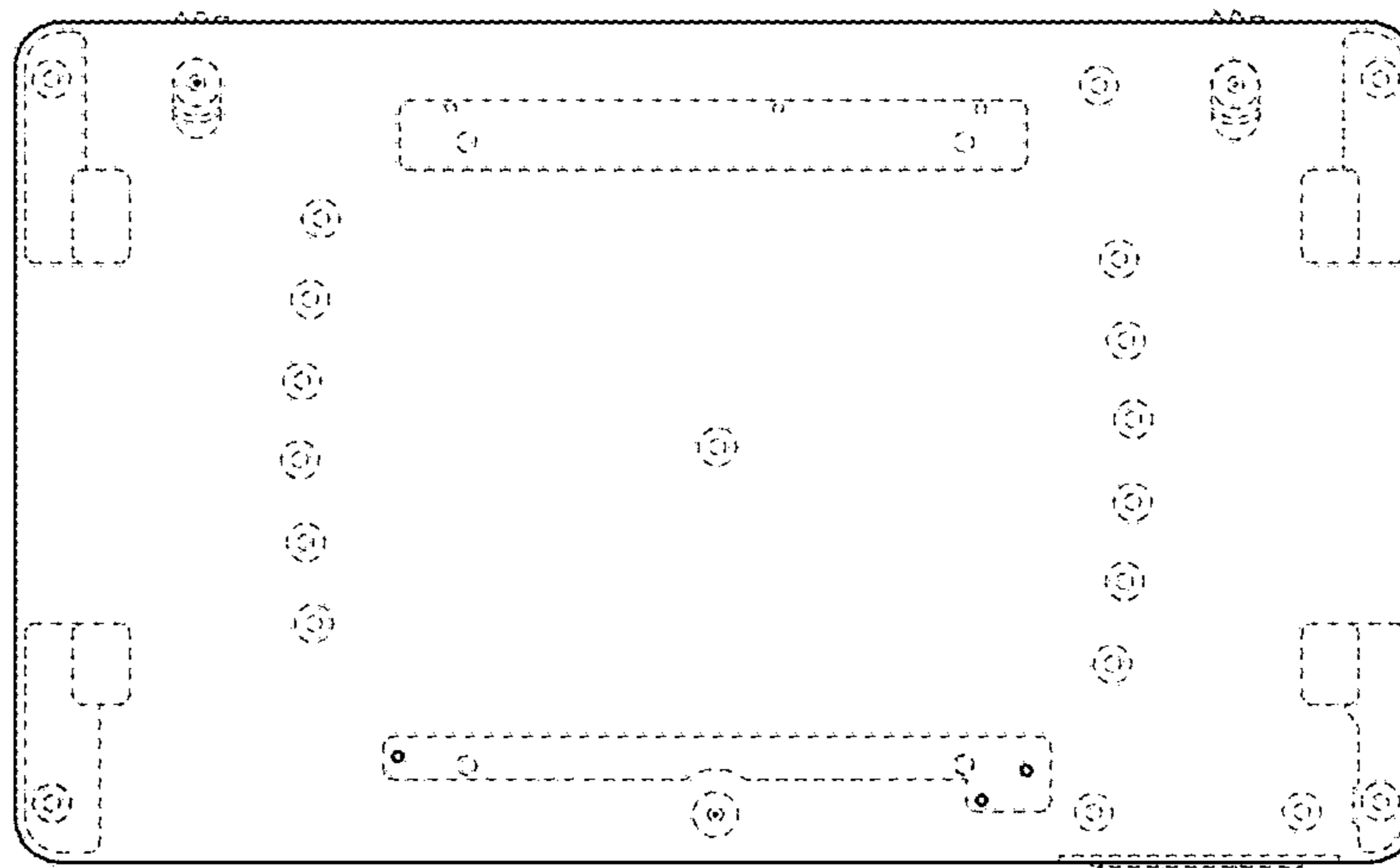


FIG. 2

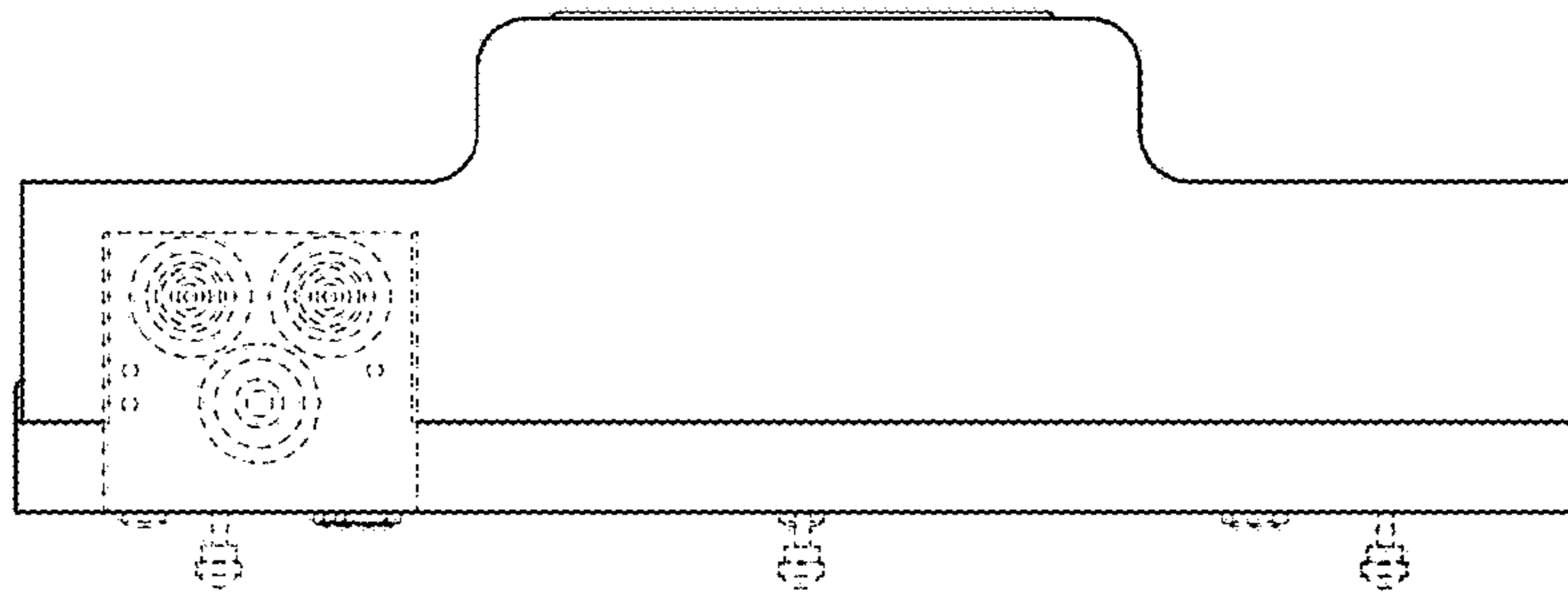


FIG. 3

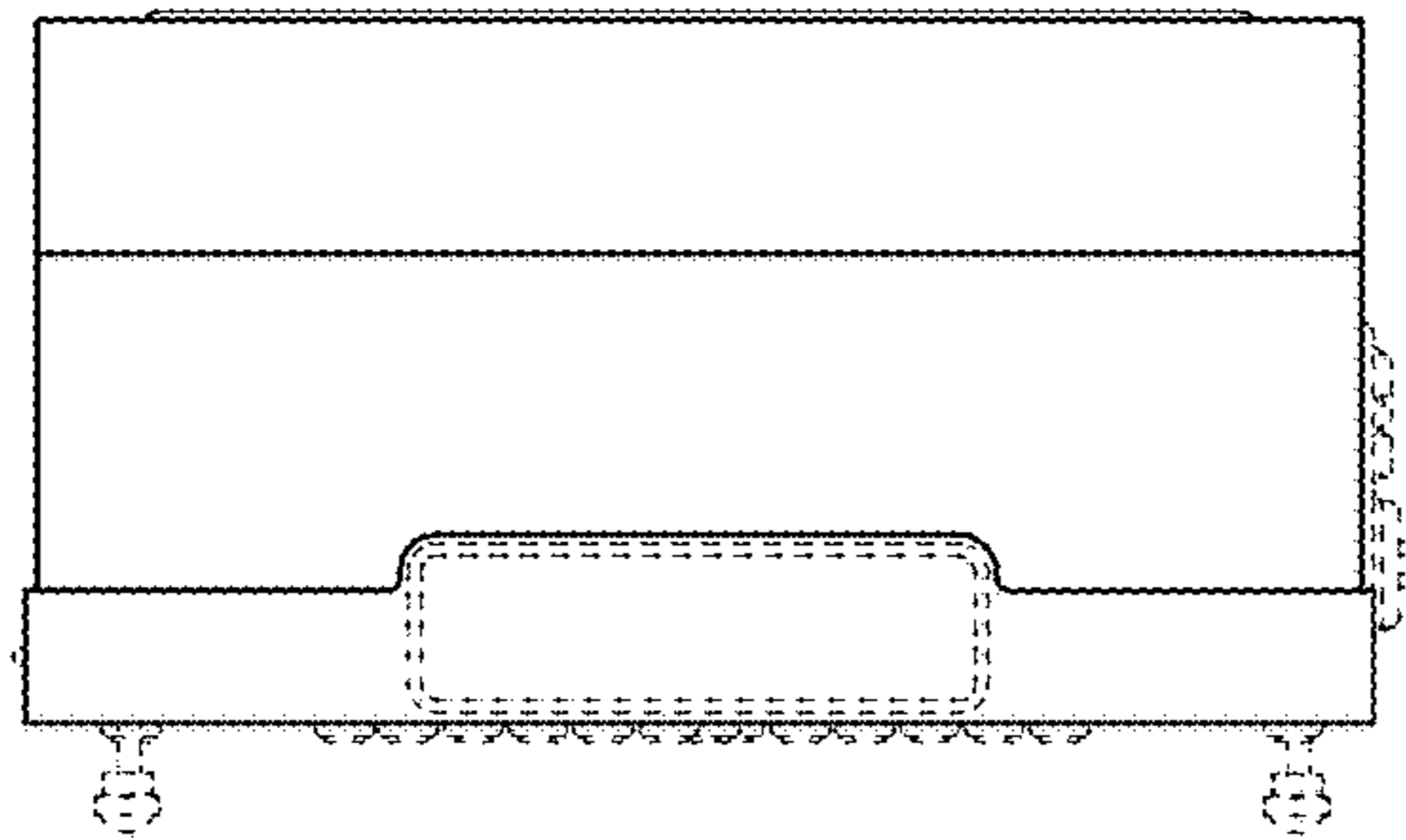


FIG. 4

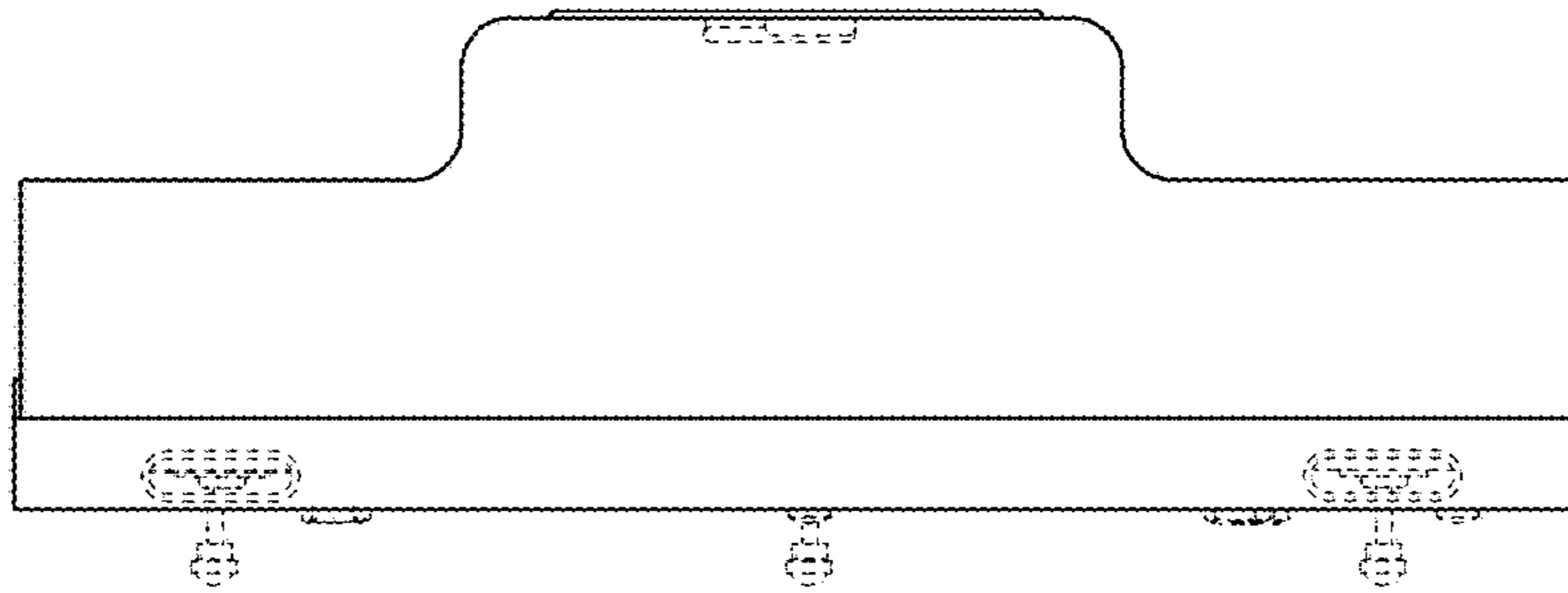


FIG. 5

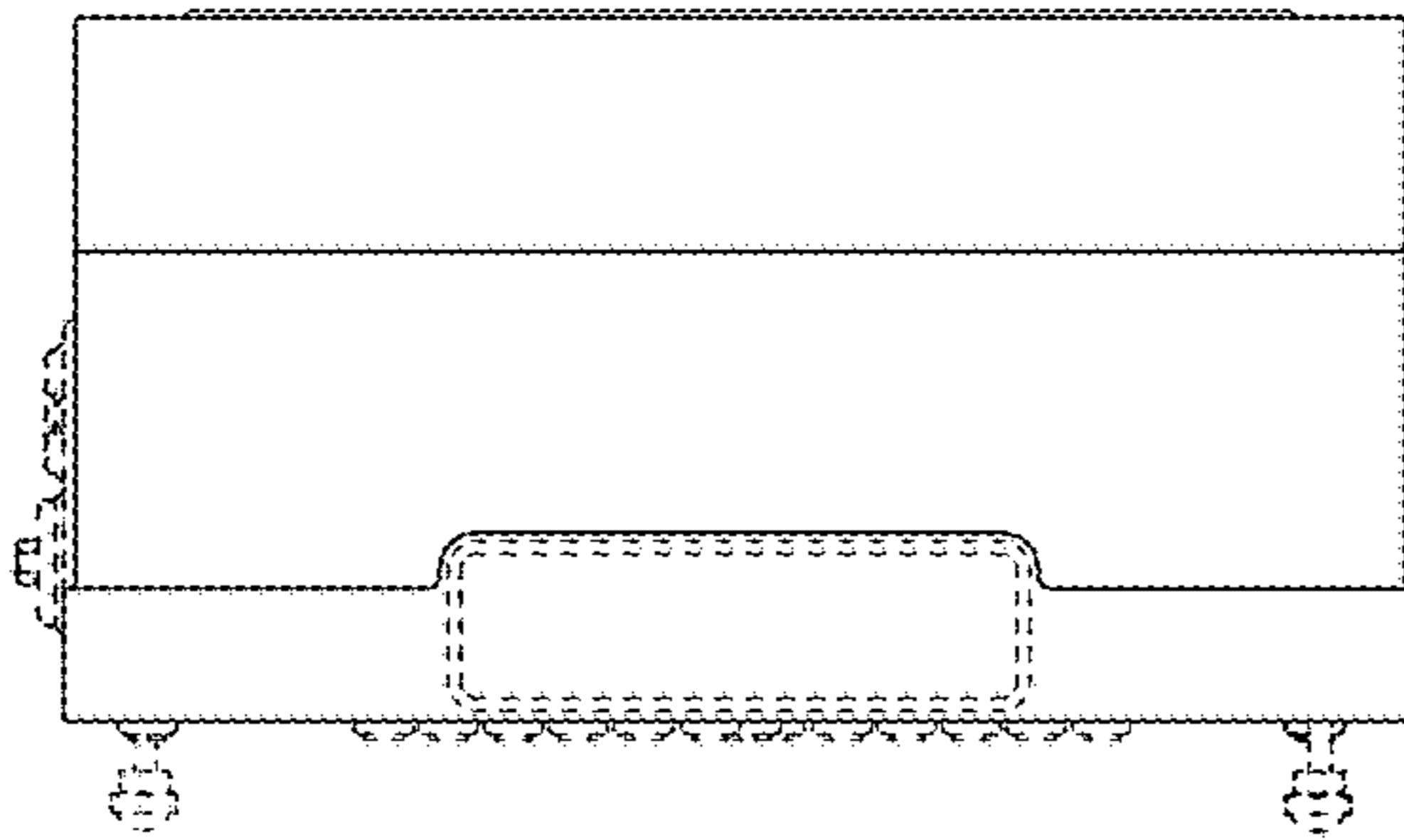


FIG. 6

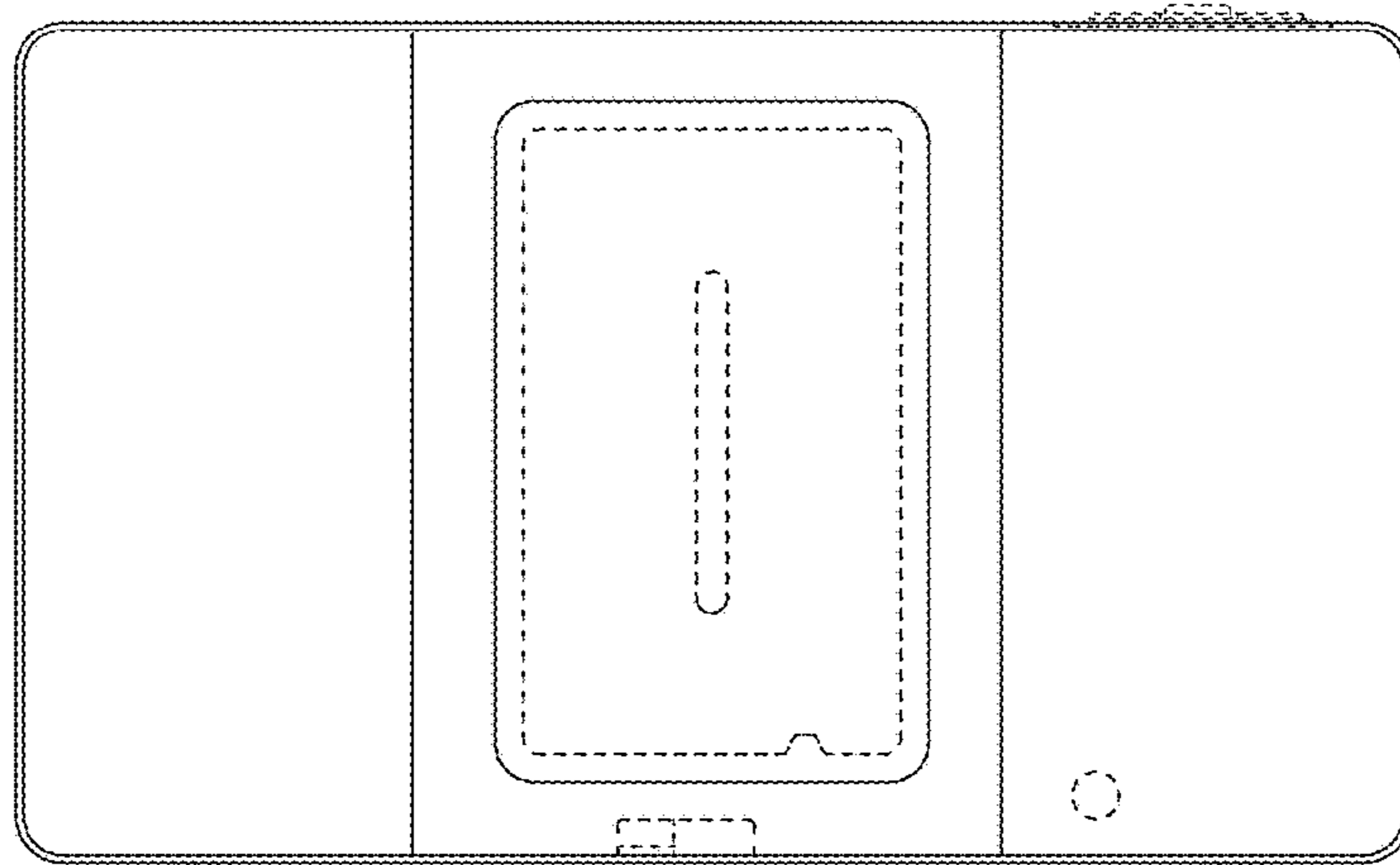


FIG. 7