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(54) **LATERAL SLIT BUCKLE FOR A SHOWER CURTAIN**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a lateral slit buckle for a shower curtain, as shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

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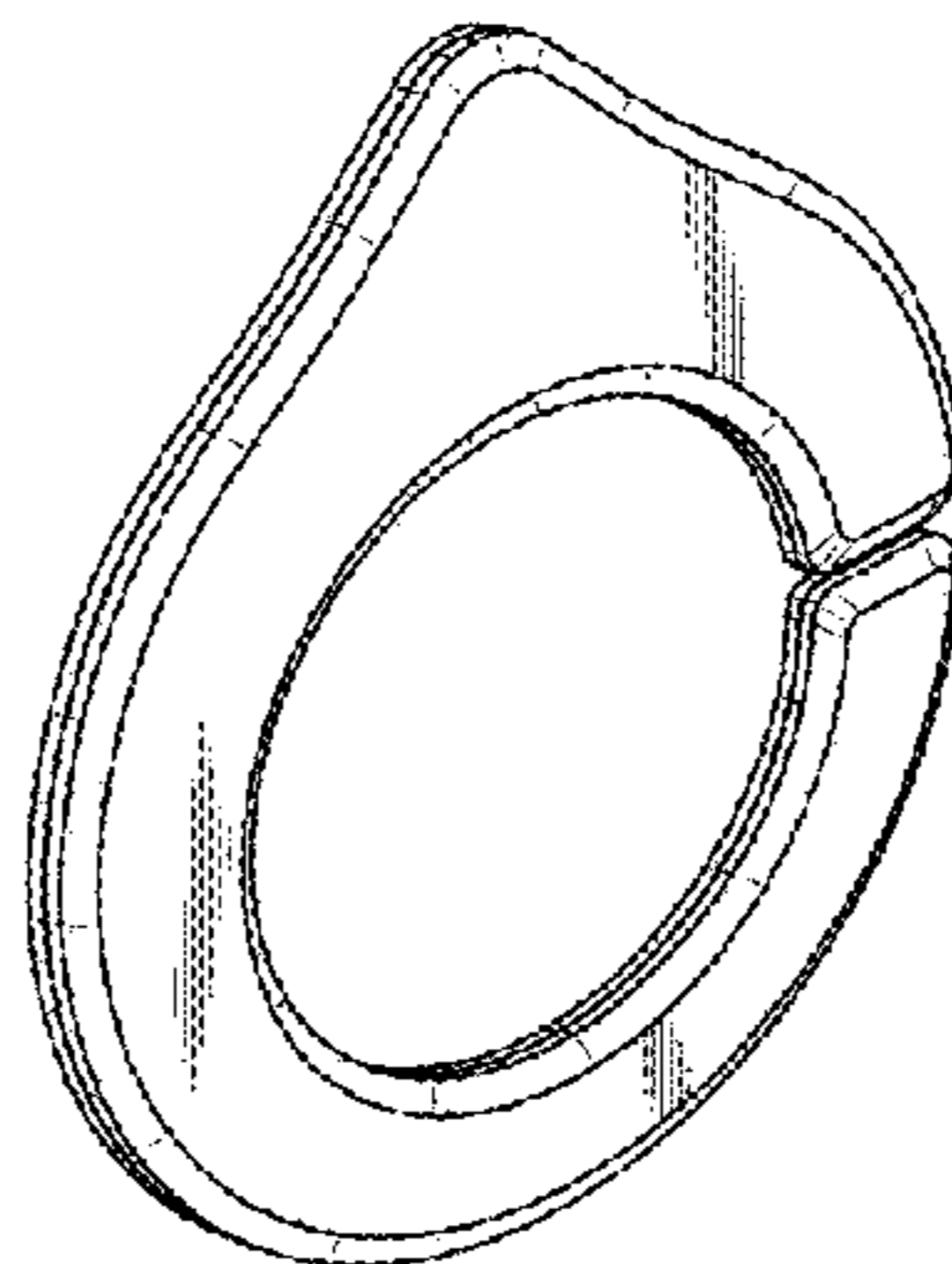
FIG. 1 is a front elevation of a left-side lateral slit buckle for a shower curtain, showing our new design.
FIG. 2 is a rear elevation thereof.
FIG. 3 is a top view thereof.
FIG. 4 is a bottom view thereof.
FIG. 5 is a left side elevation thereof.
FIG. 6 is a right side elevation thereof.
FIG. 7 is a lower left perspective thereof.
FIG. 8 is an upper left perspective thereof.
FIG. 9 is a front elevation of a right-side lateral slit buckle for a shower curtain, showing our new design.
FIG. 10 is a rear elevation thereof.
FIG. 11 is a top view thereof.
FIG. 12 is a bottom view thereof.
FIG. 13 is a left side elevation thereof.
FIG. 14 is a right side elevation thereof.
FIG. 15 is a lower left perspective thereof.
FIG. 16 is an upper left perspective thereof; and,
FIG. 17 is a front environmental view showing the position of left and right lateral slit shower curtain buckles of this design on a portion of the shower curtain.
The slit, the rivets, and the shower curtain, each shown in broken lines, do not form any part of our design, and spacing between left and right buckles as represented in FIG. 17 is not part of our design.

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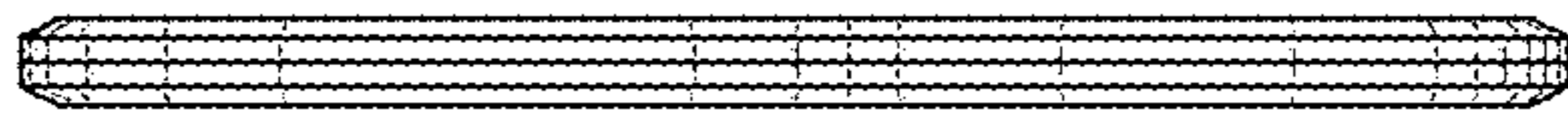


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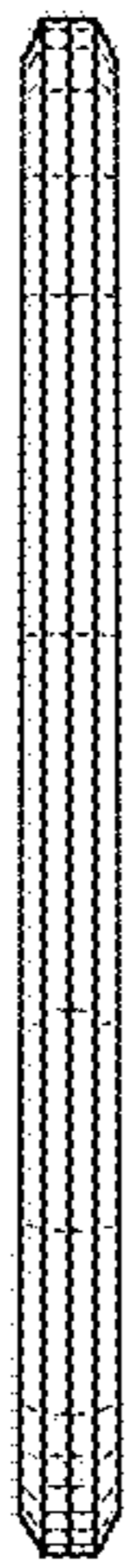


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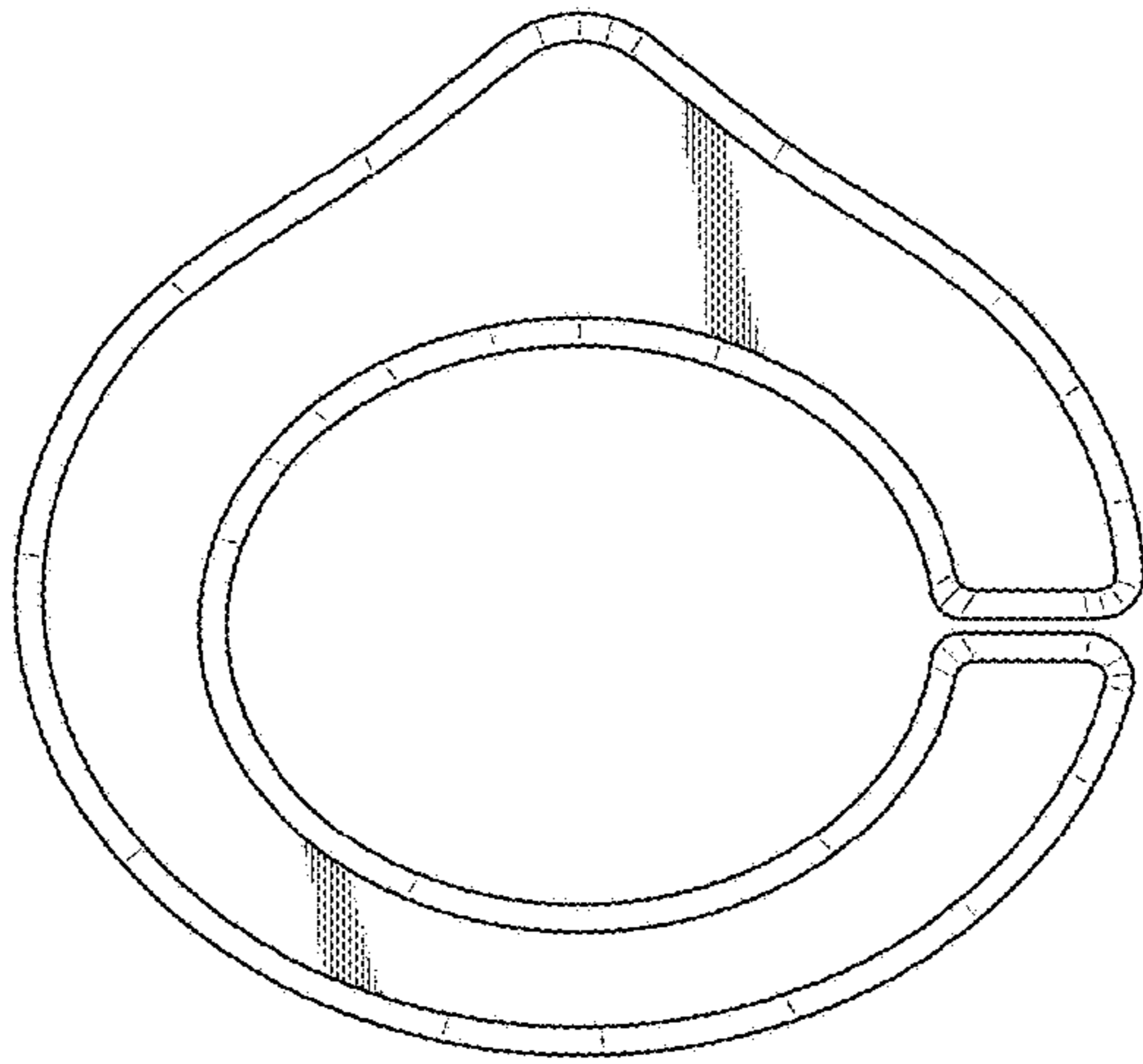


FIG.1



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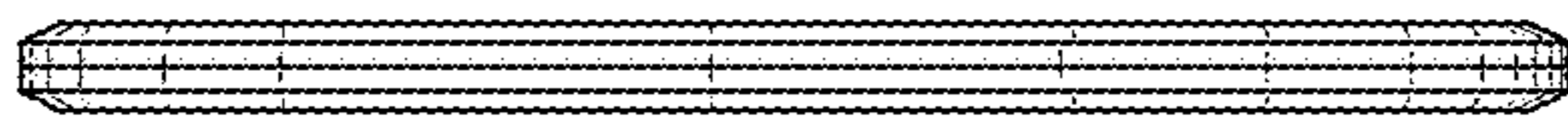


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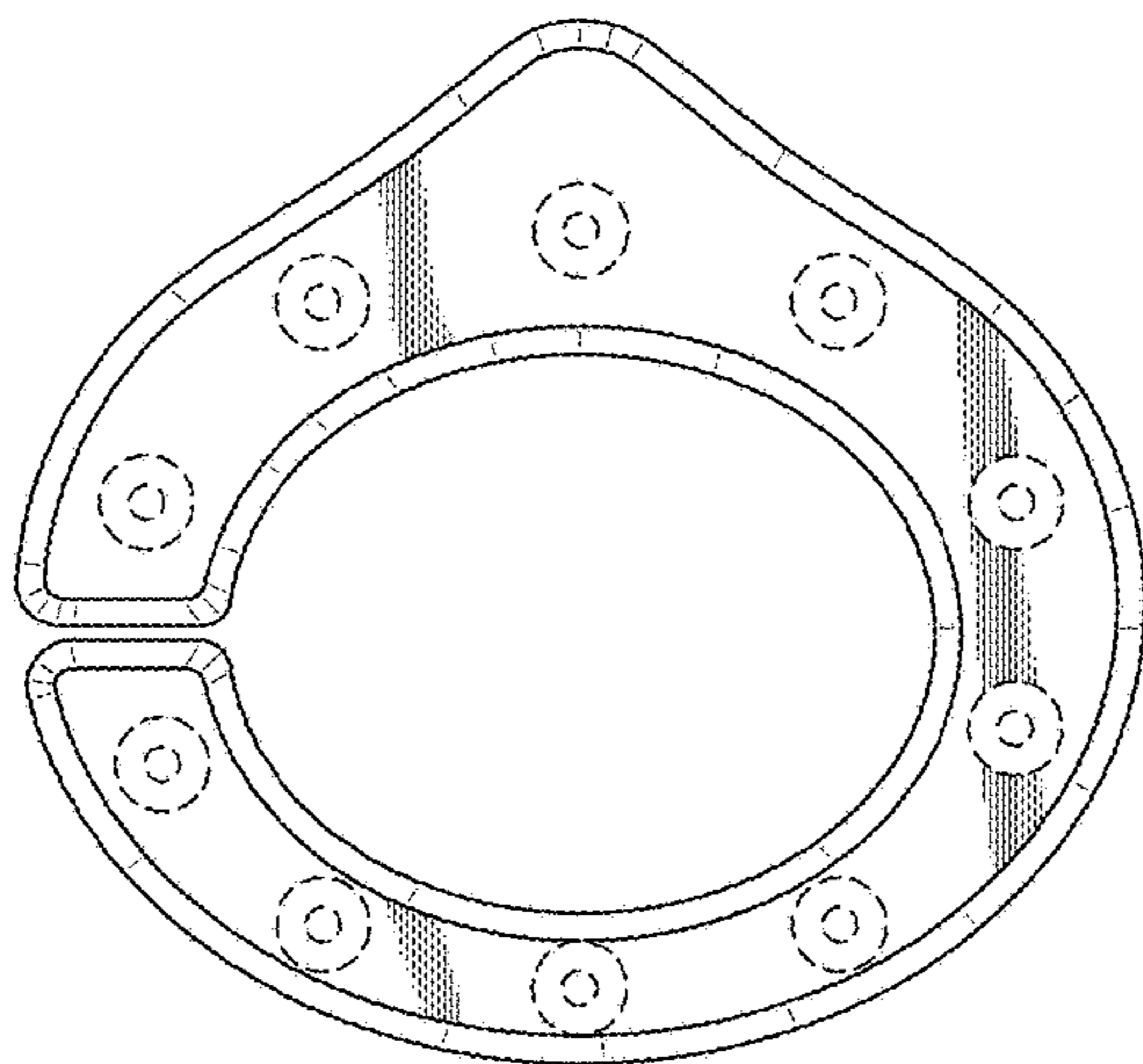


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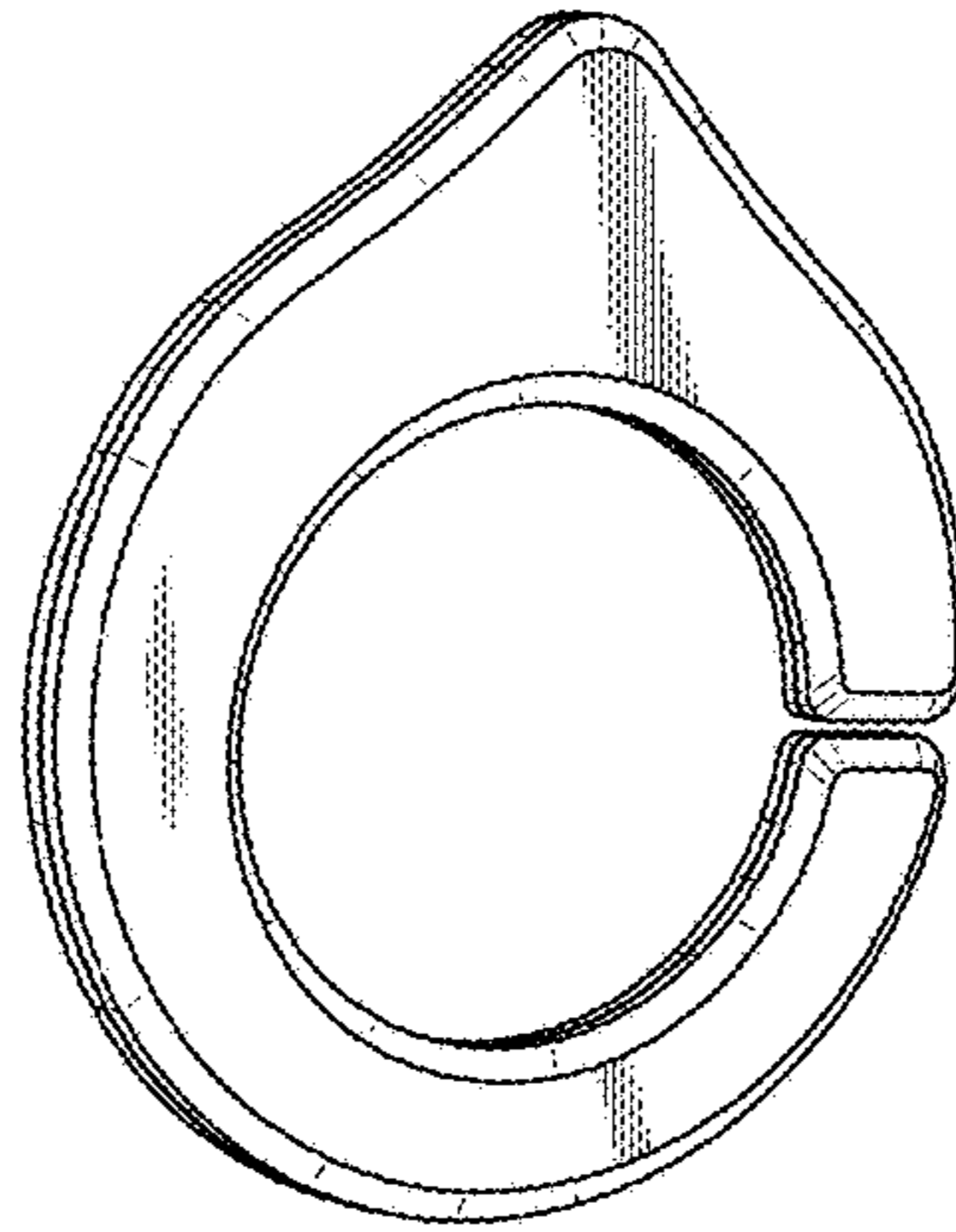


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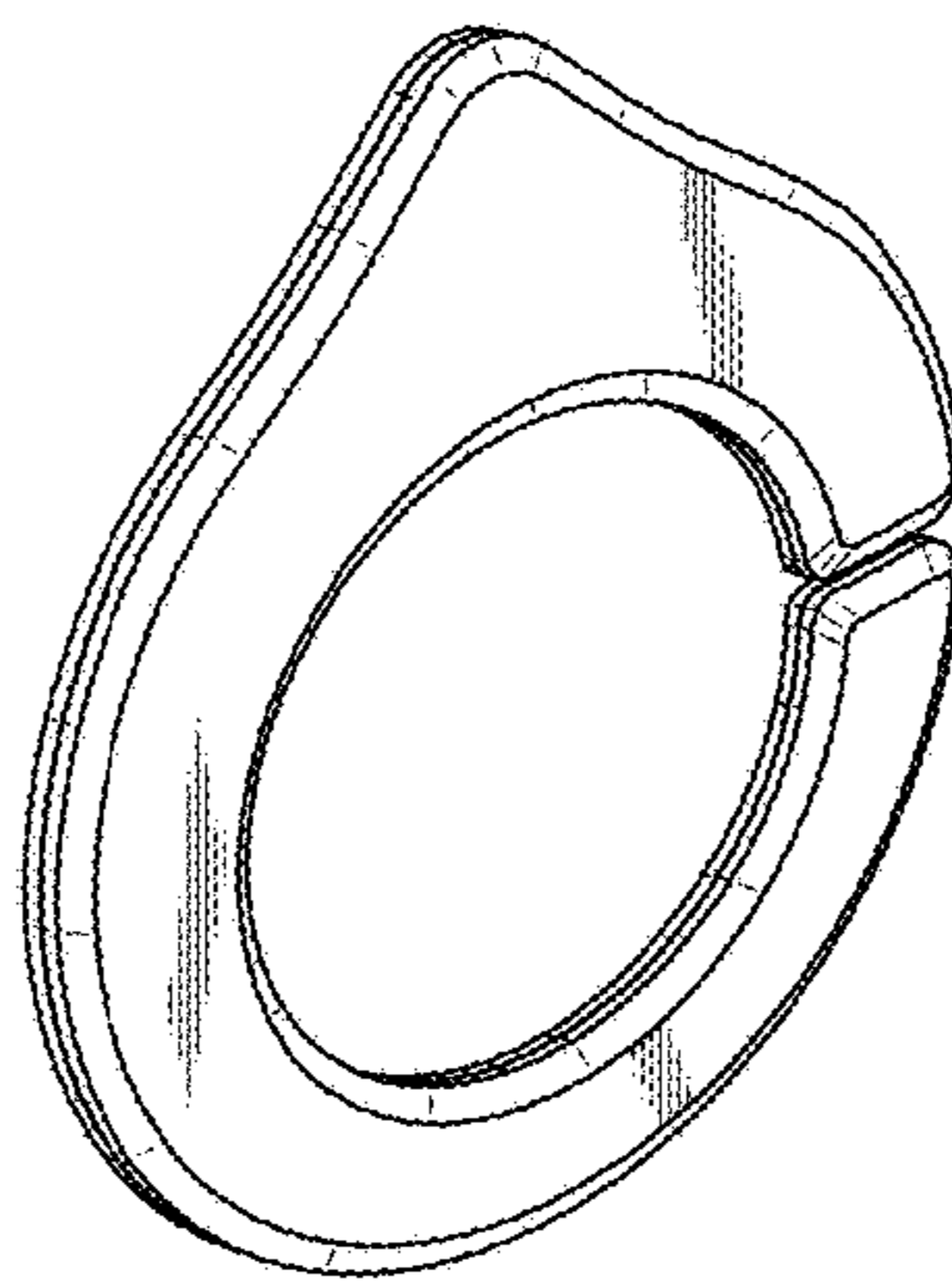


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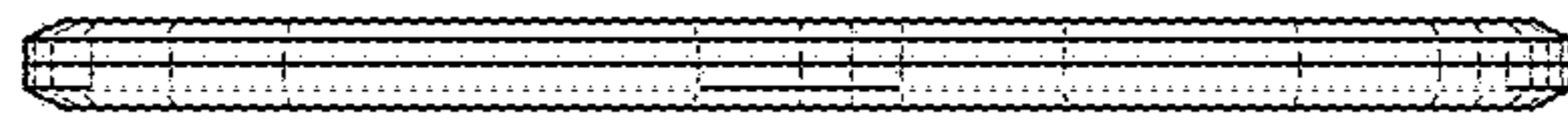


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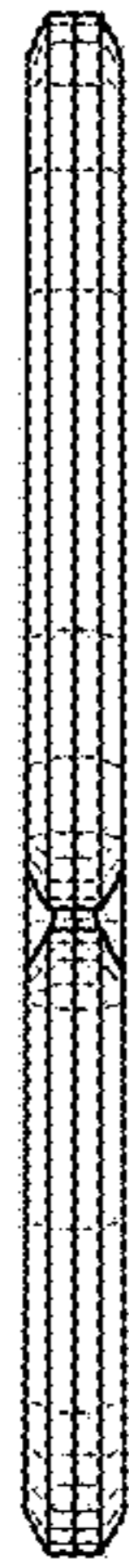


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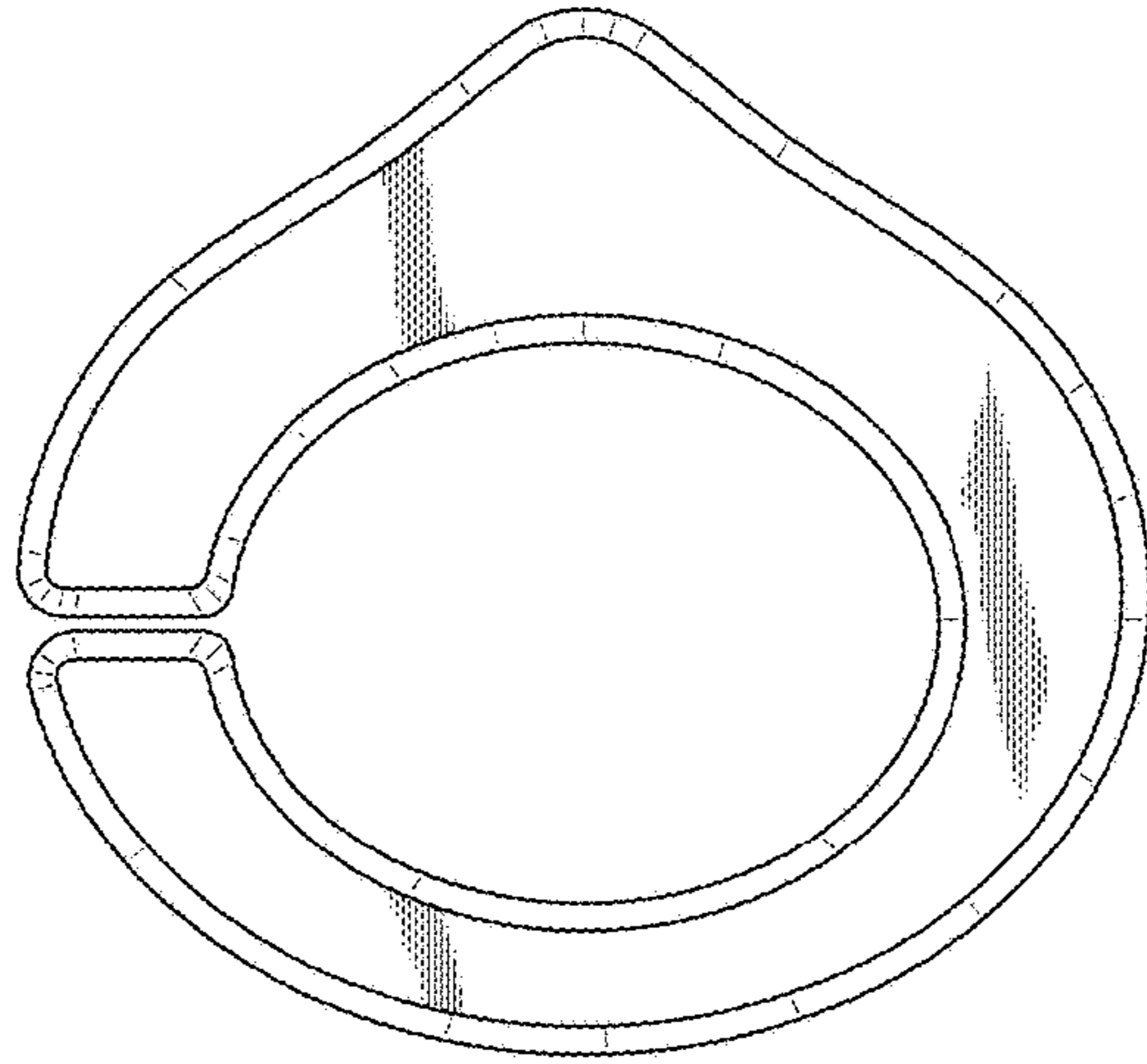


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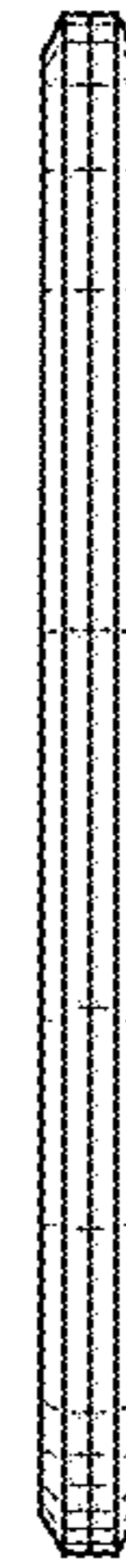


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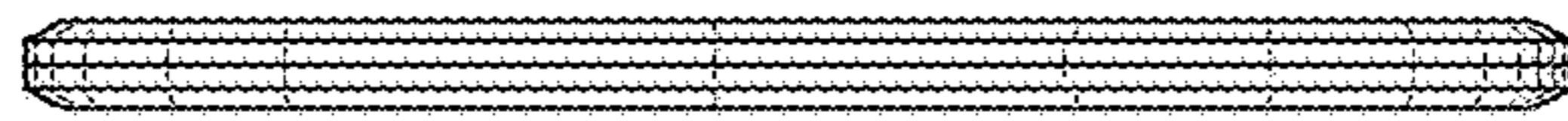


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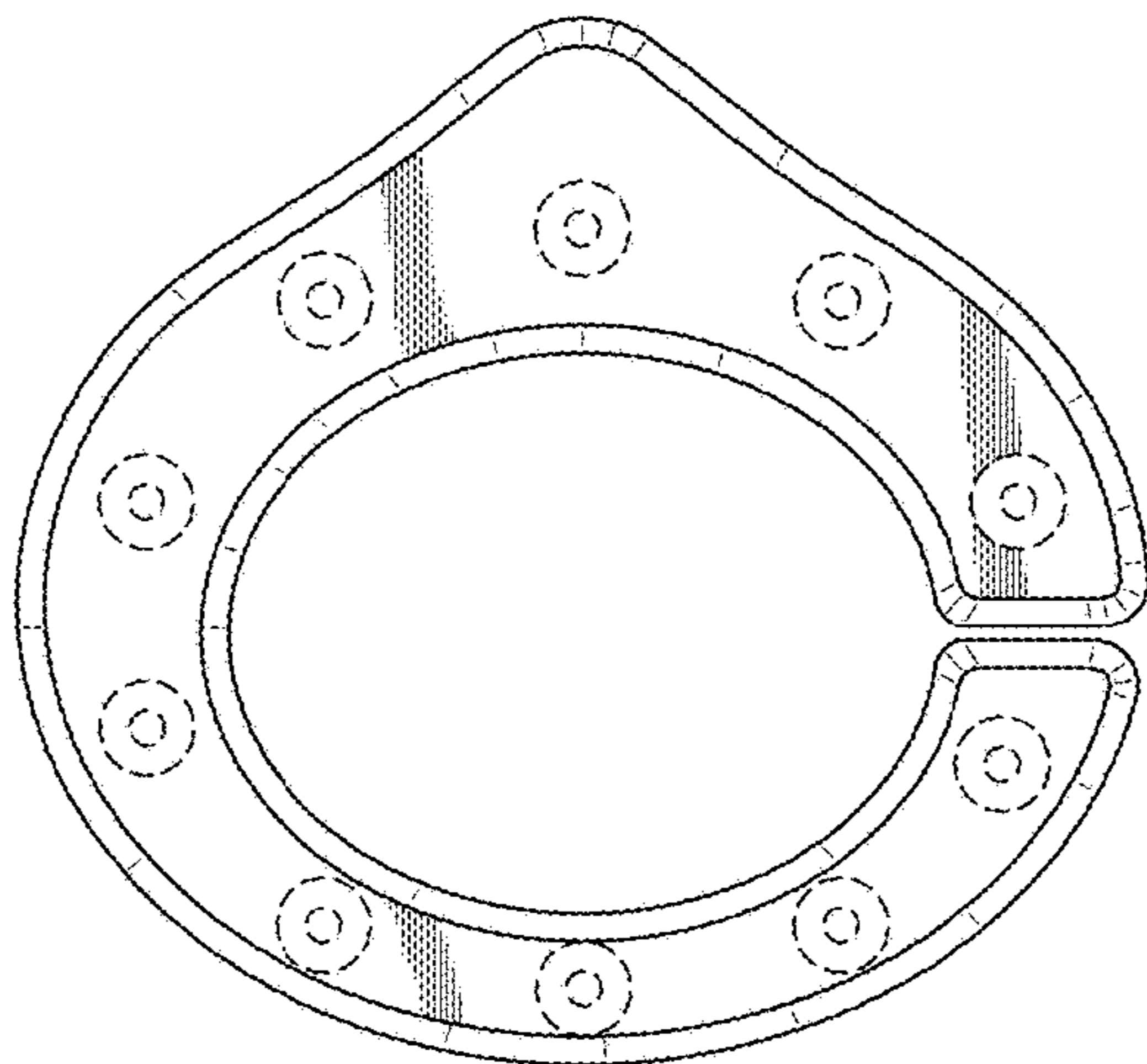


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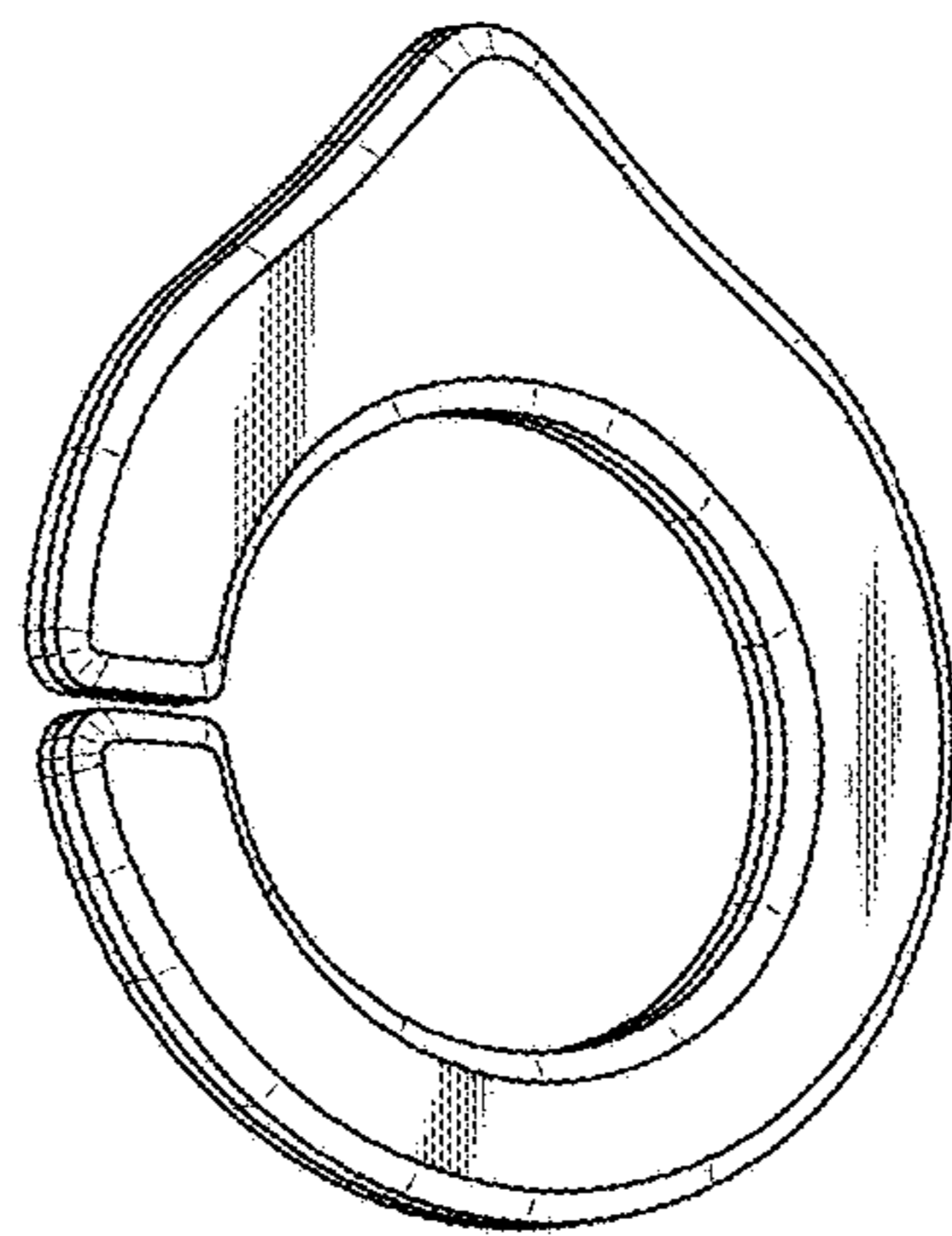


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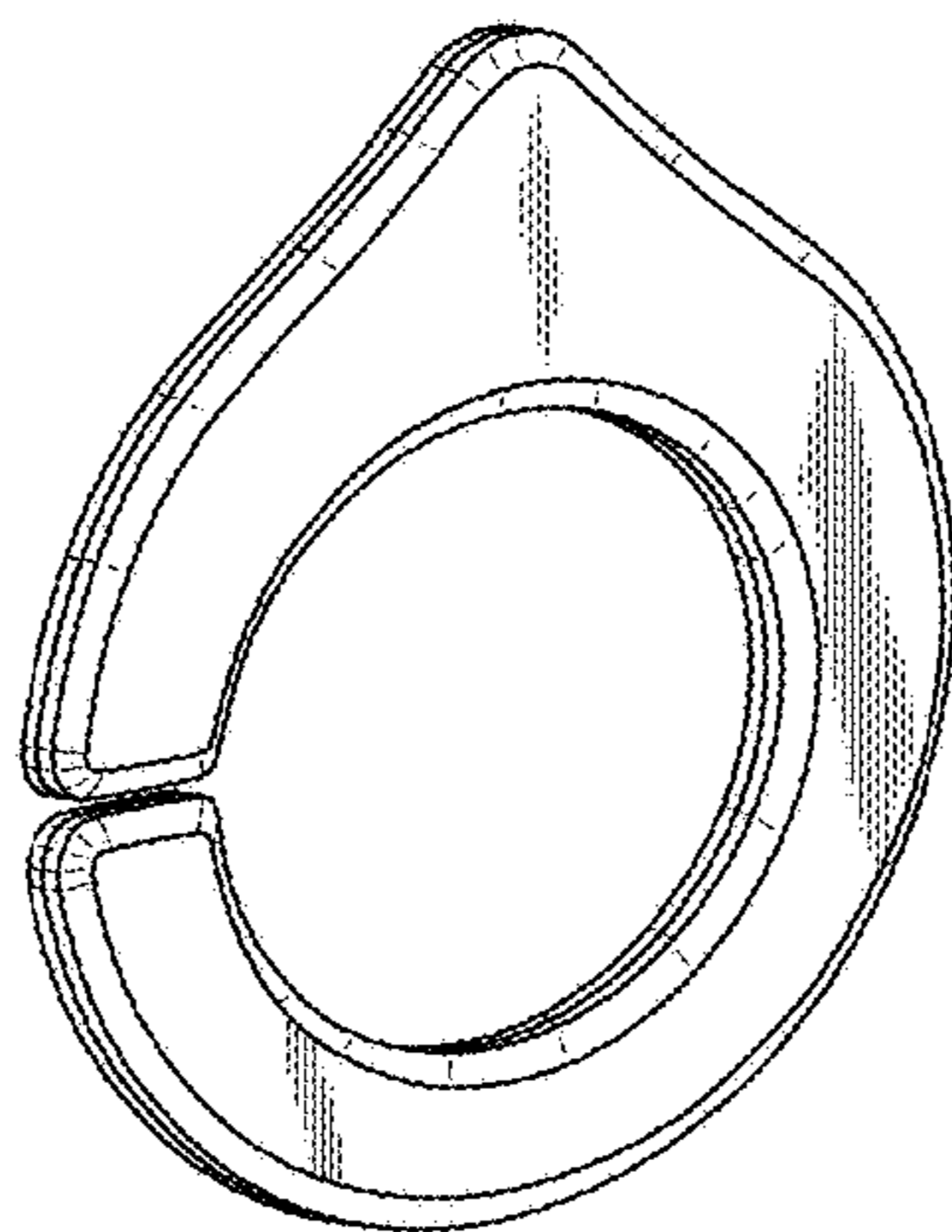


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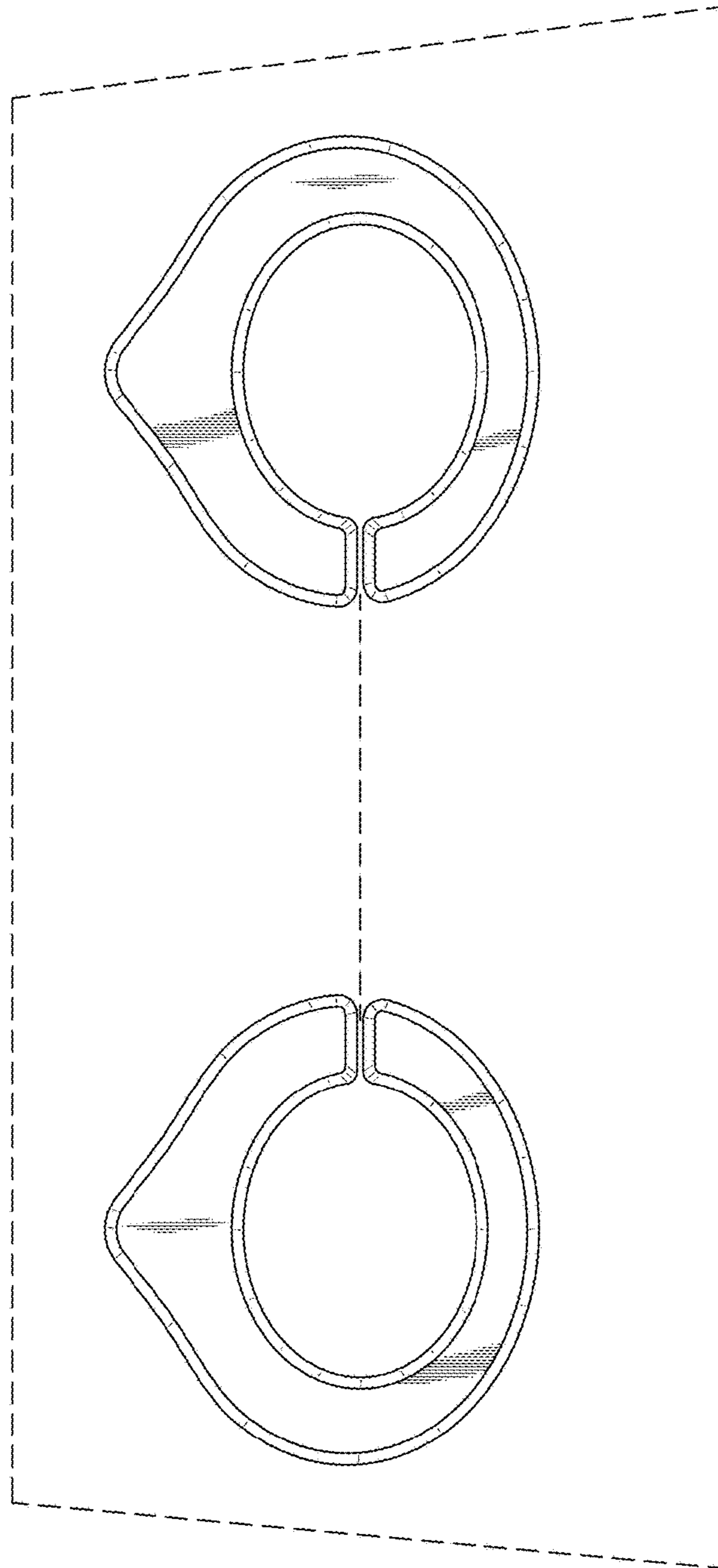


FIG.17