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(54) **MUZZLE BRAKE**

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(57) **CLAIM**

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The ornamental design for a muzzle brake, as shown and described.

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**DESCRIPTION**

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FIG. 1 shows a front perspective view of a muzzle brake.

FIG. 2 shows a top plan view of the muzzle brake.

FIG. 3 shows a bottom plan view of the muzzle brake.

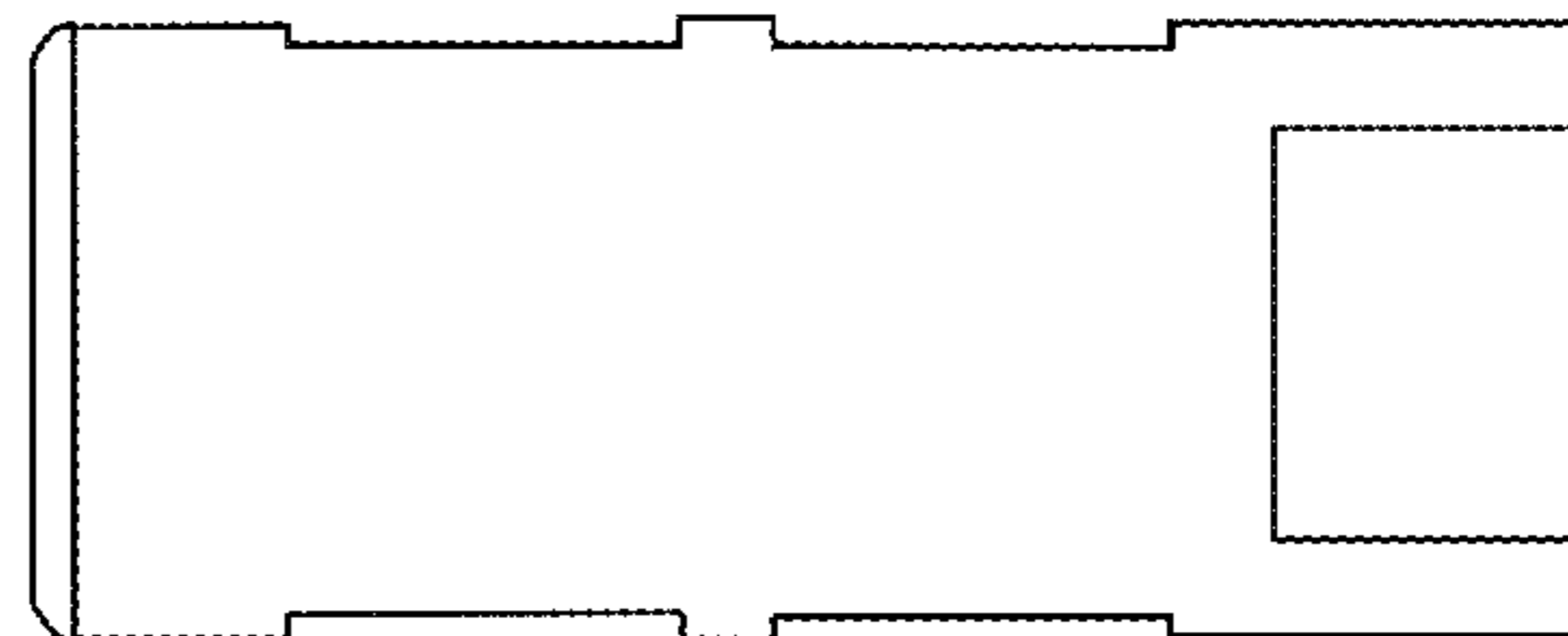
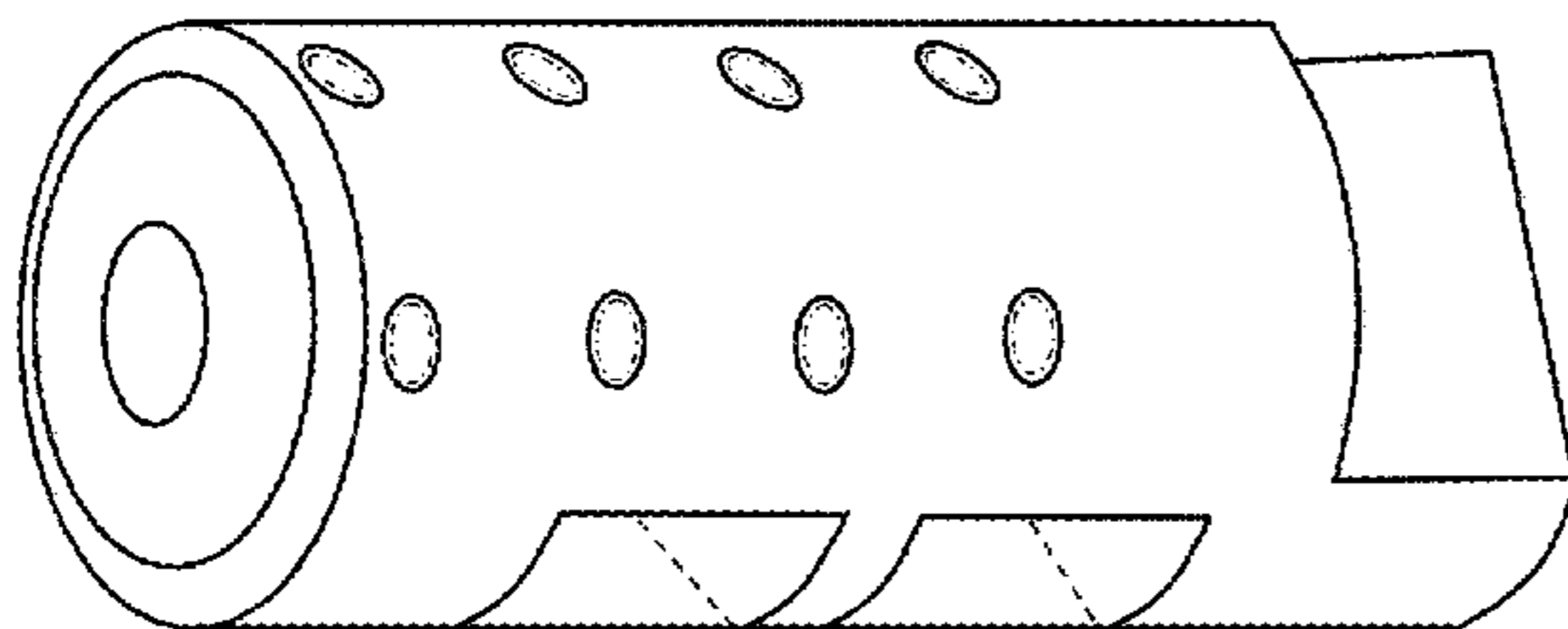
FIG. 4 shows a side elevational view of the muzzle brake.

FIG. 5 shows a front elevational view of the muzzle brake; and,

FIG. 6 shows a back elevational view of the muzzle brake.

Unevenly spaced broken lines indicate a boundary and form no part of the claimed design. Evenly spaced broken lines show portions of the muzzle brake that form no part of the claimed design.

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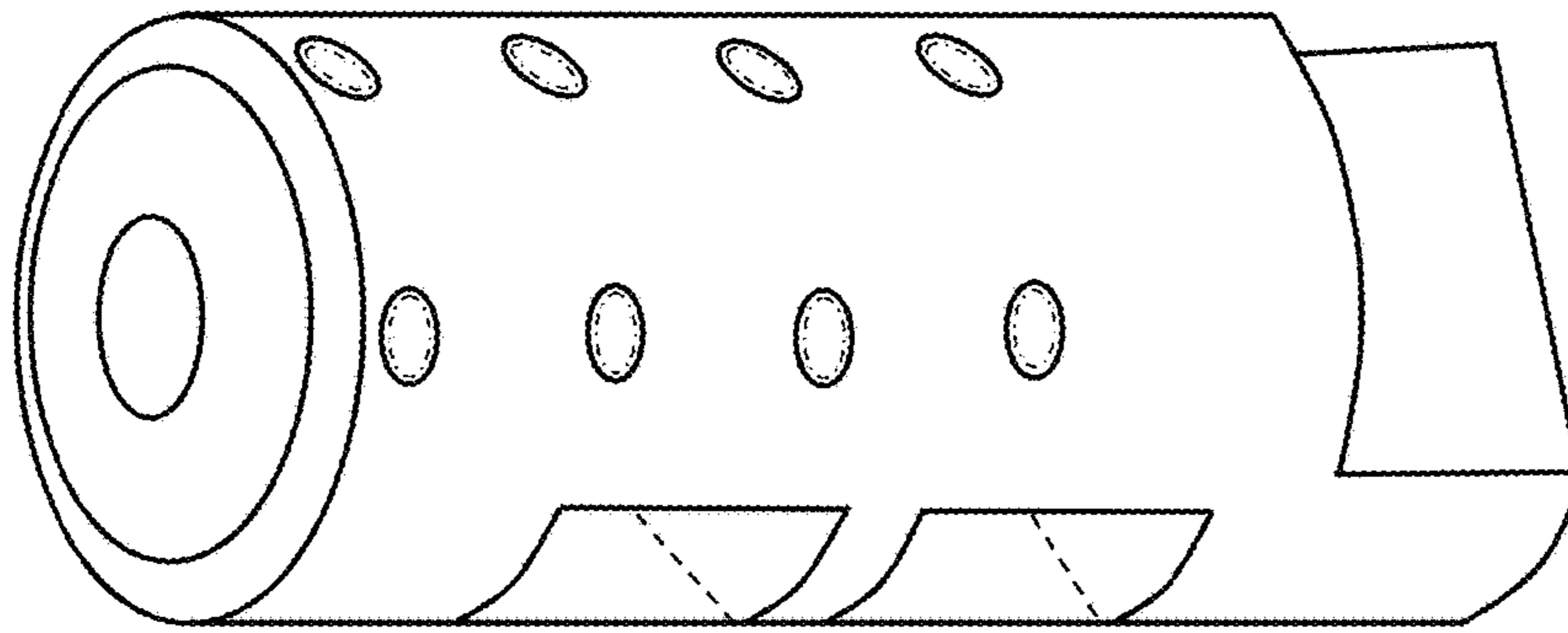


FIG. 1

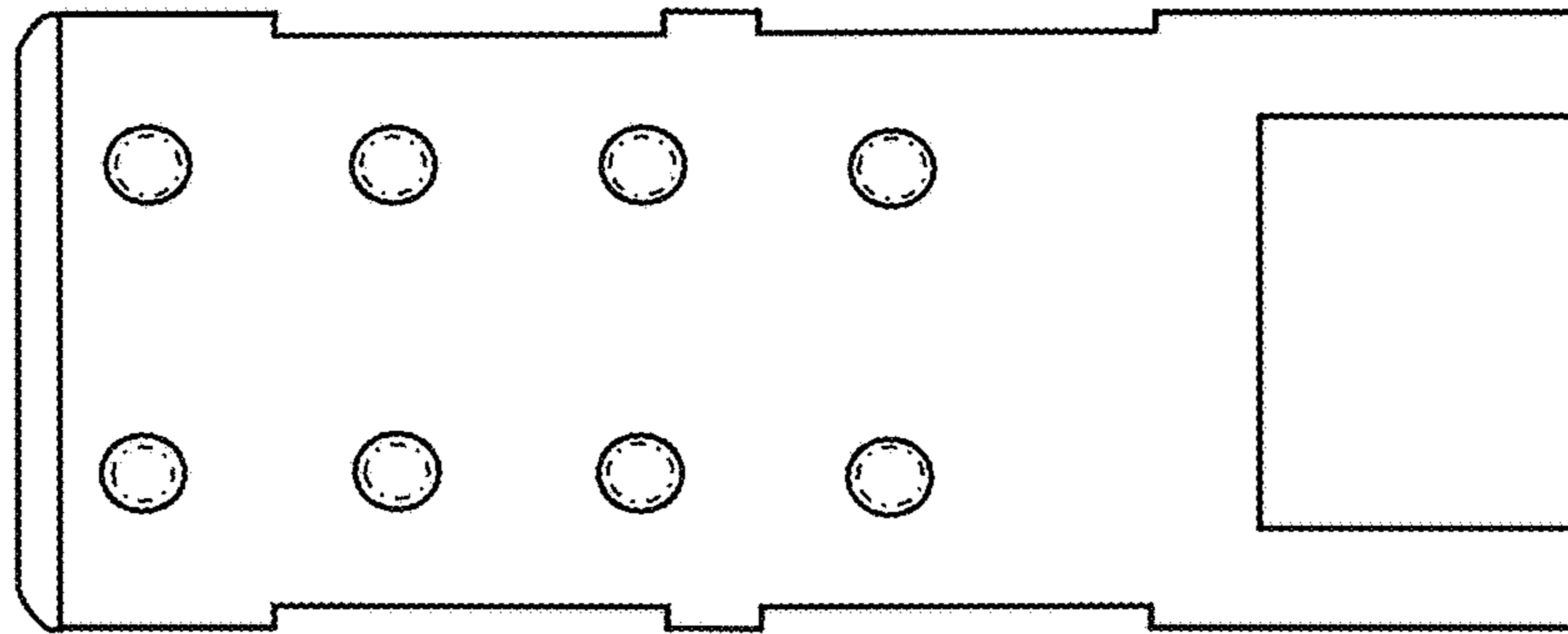


FIG. 2

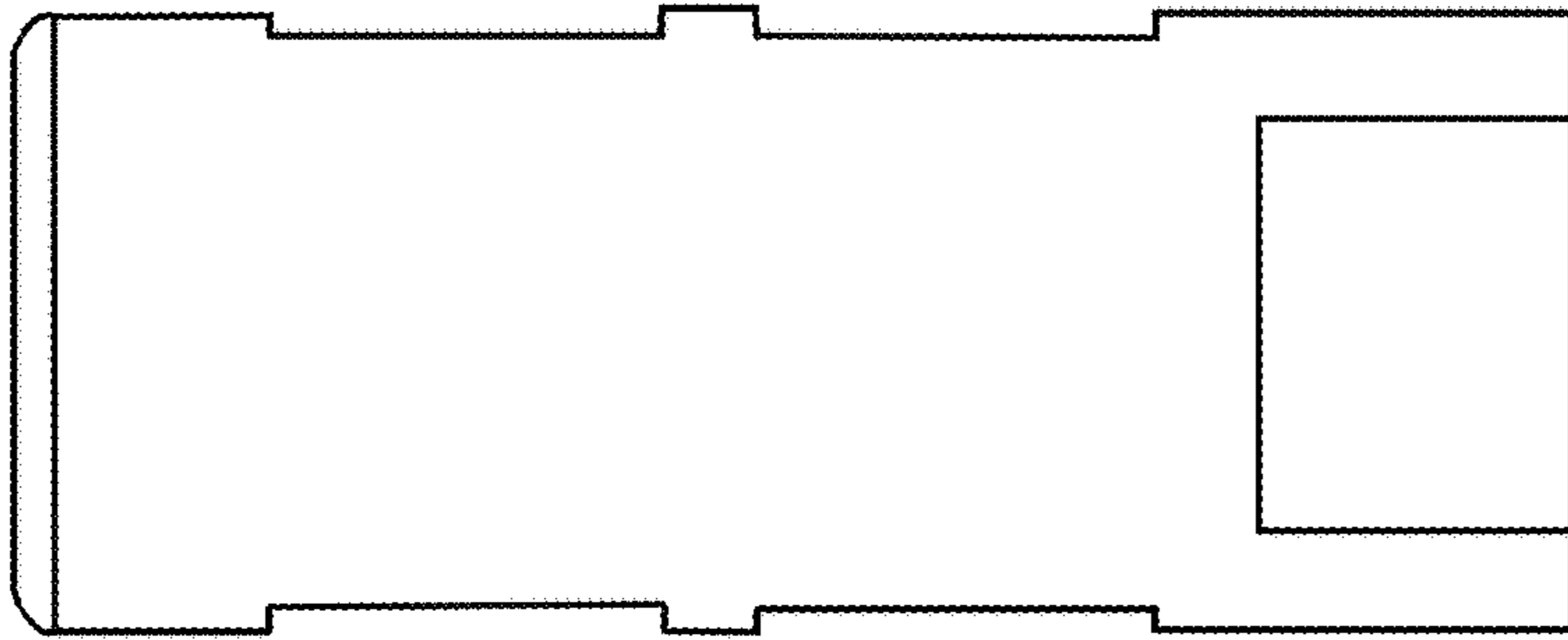


FIG. 3

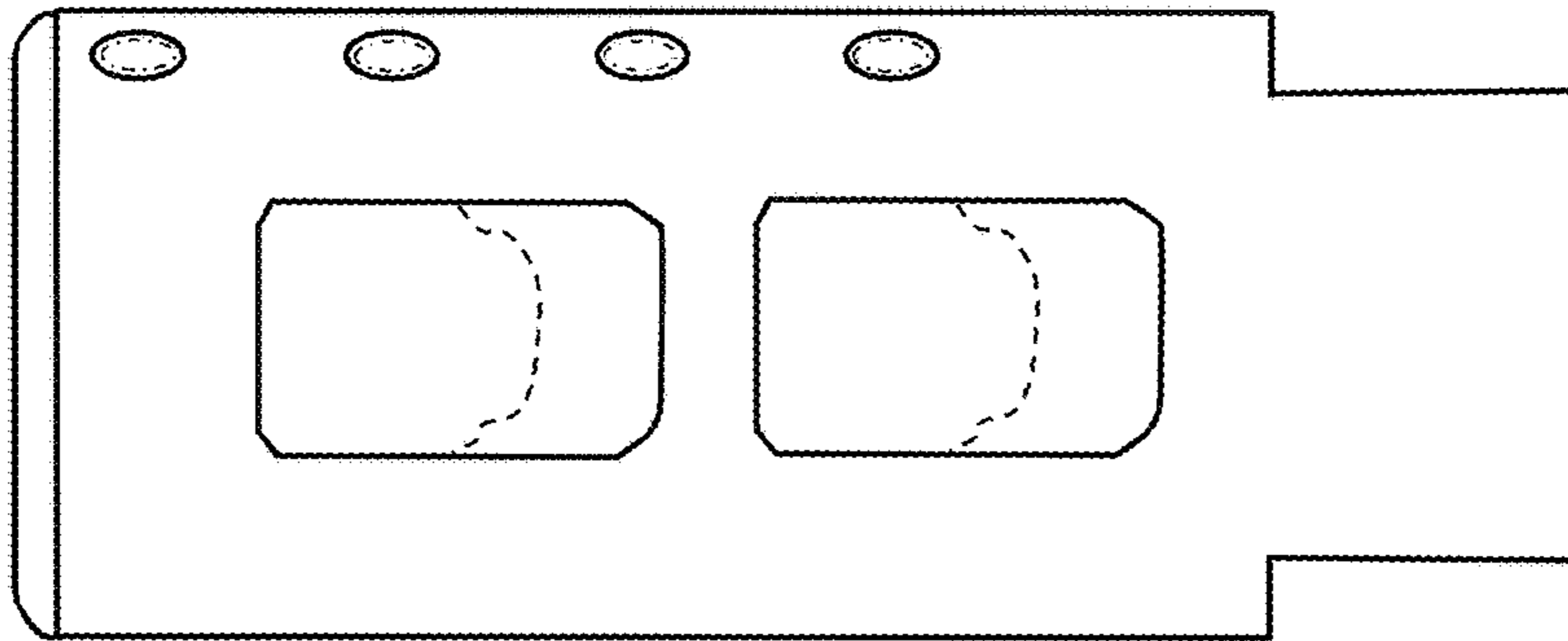


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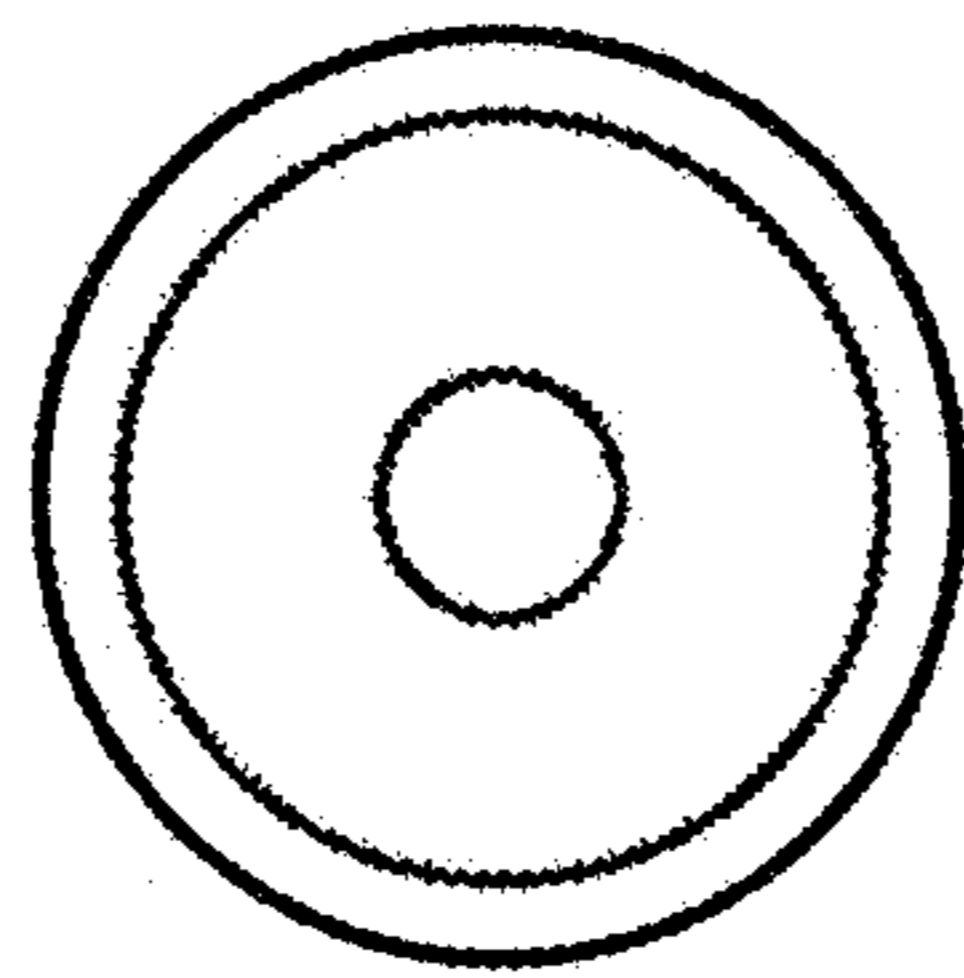


FIG. 5

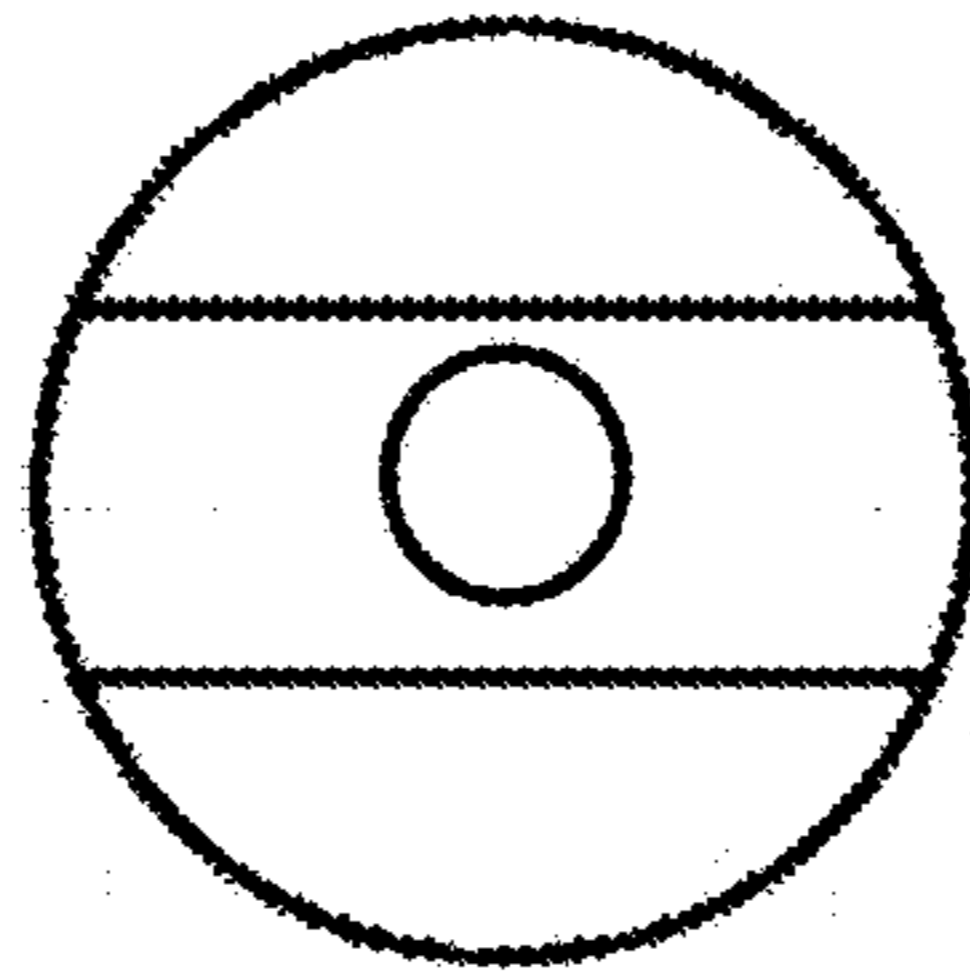


FIG. 6