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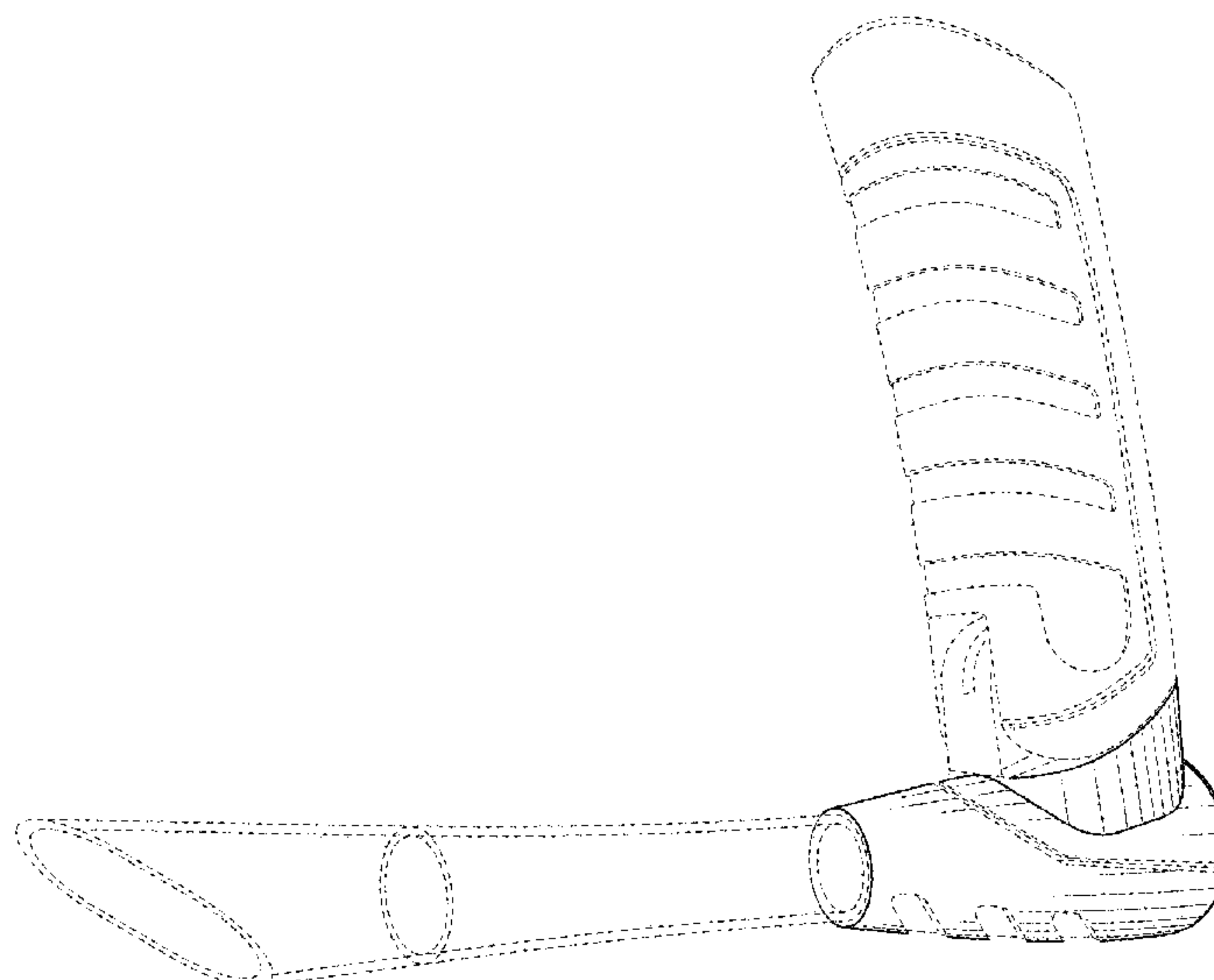
(57) **CLAIM**
 The ornamental design for a laryngoscope, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a laryngoscope showing my new design.
 FIG. 2 is a bottom plan view thereof.
 FIG. 3 is a top plan view thereof.
 FIG. 4 is a front elevational view thereof.
 FIG. 5 is a rear elevational view thereof.
 FIG. 6 is a right elevational view thereof.
 FIG. 7 is a left elevational view thereof.
 FIG. 8 is a front elevational view of the laryngoscope of FIG. 1 shown in a closed position; and,
 FIG. 9 is a right elevational view of the laryngoscope of FIG. 1 shown in a closed position.
 The broken lines illustrate portions of the laryngoscope and form no part of the claimed design.

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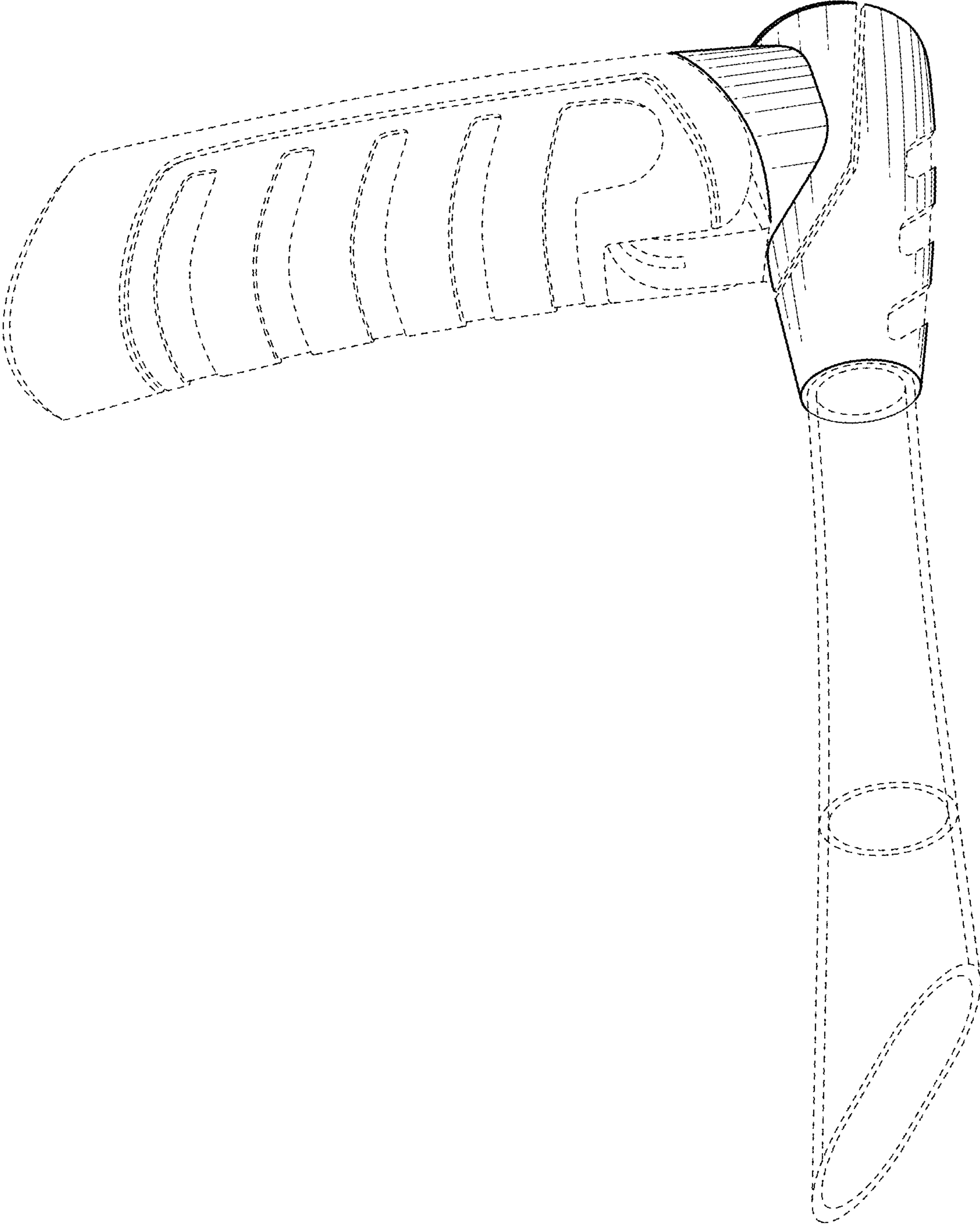


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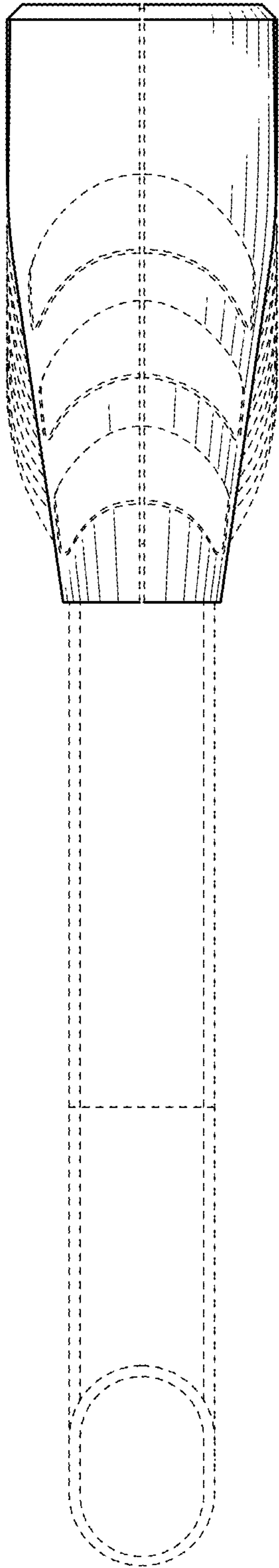


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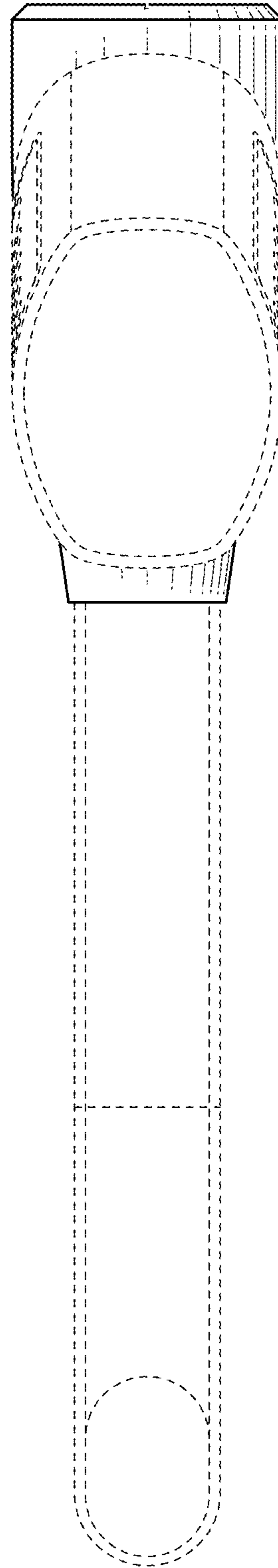


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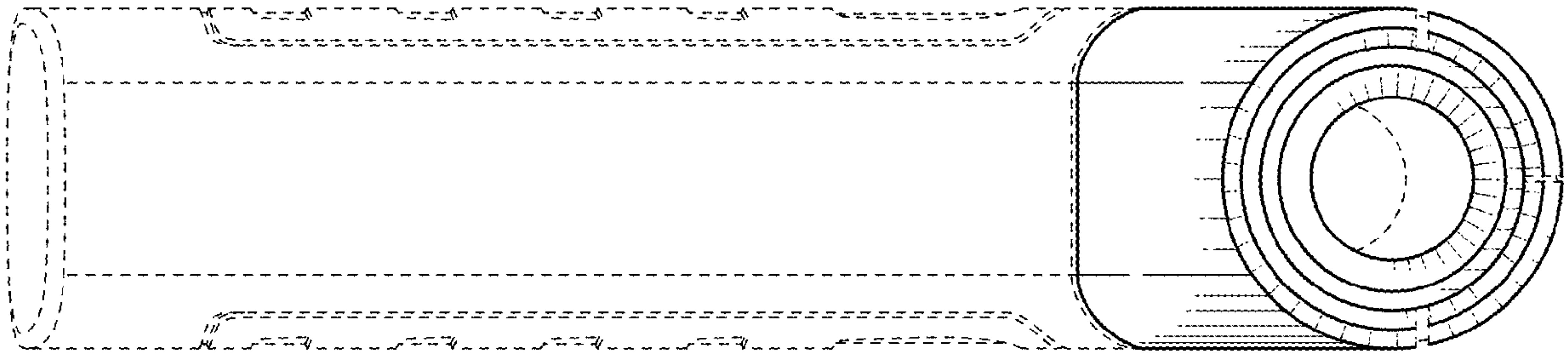


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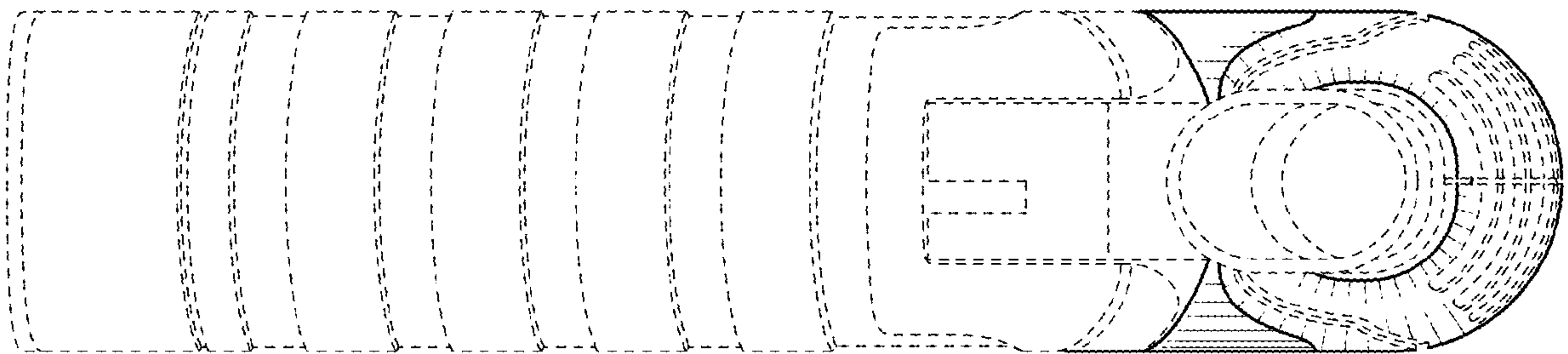


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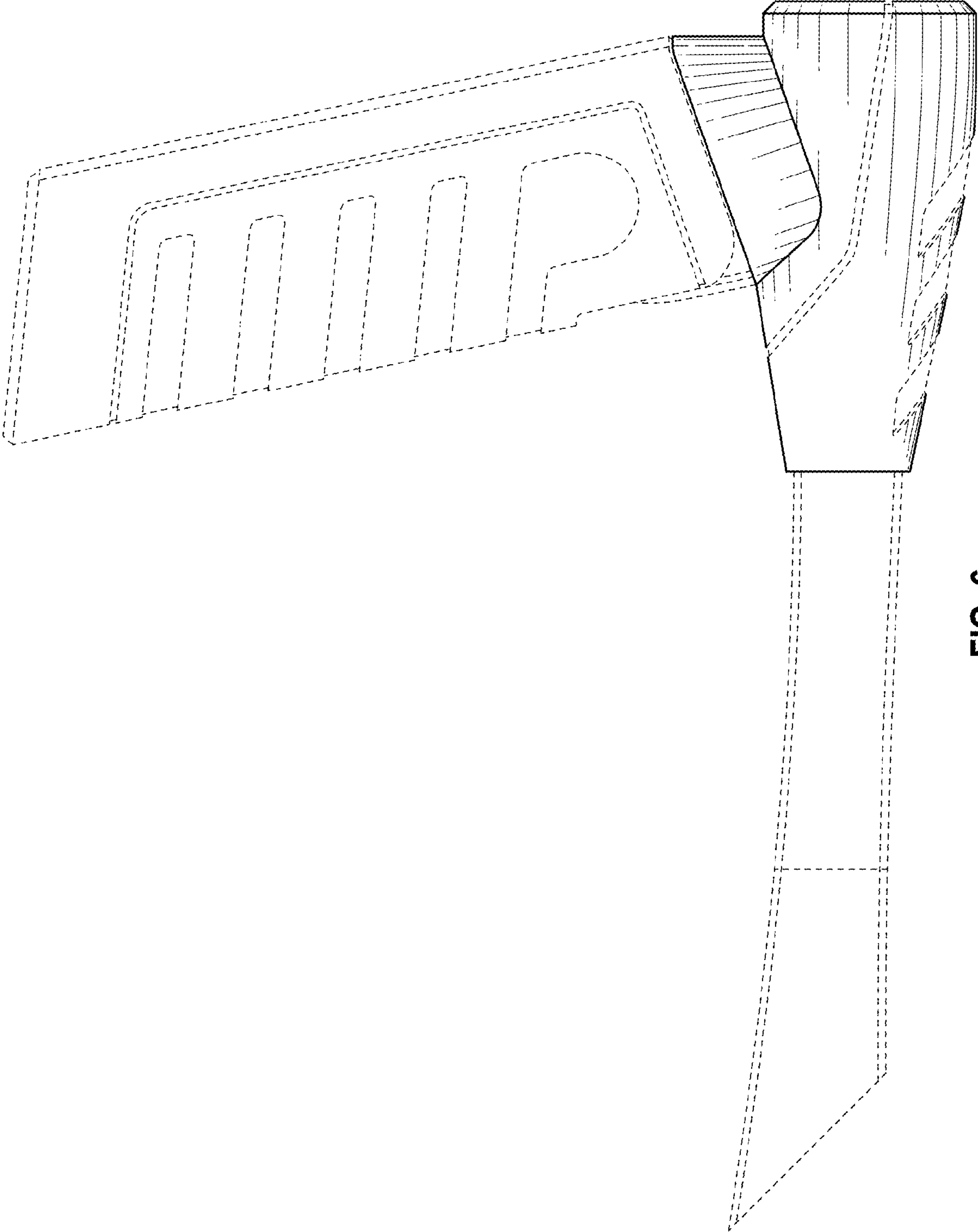


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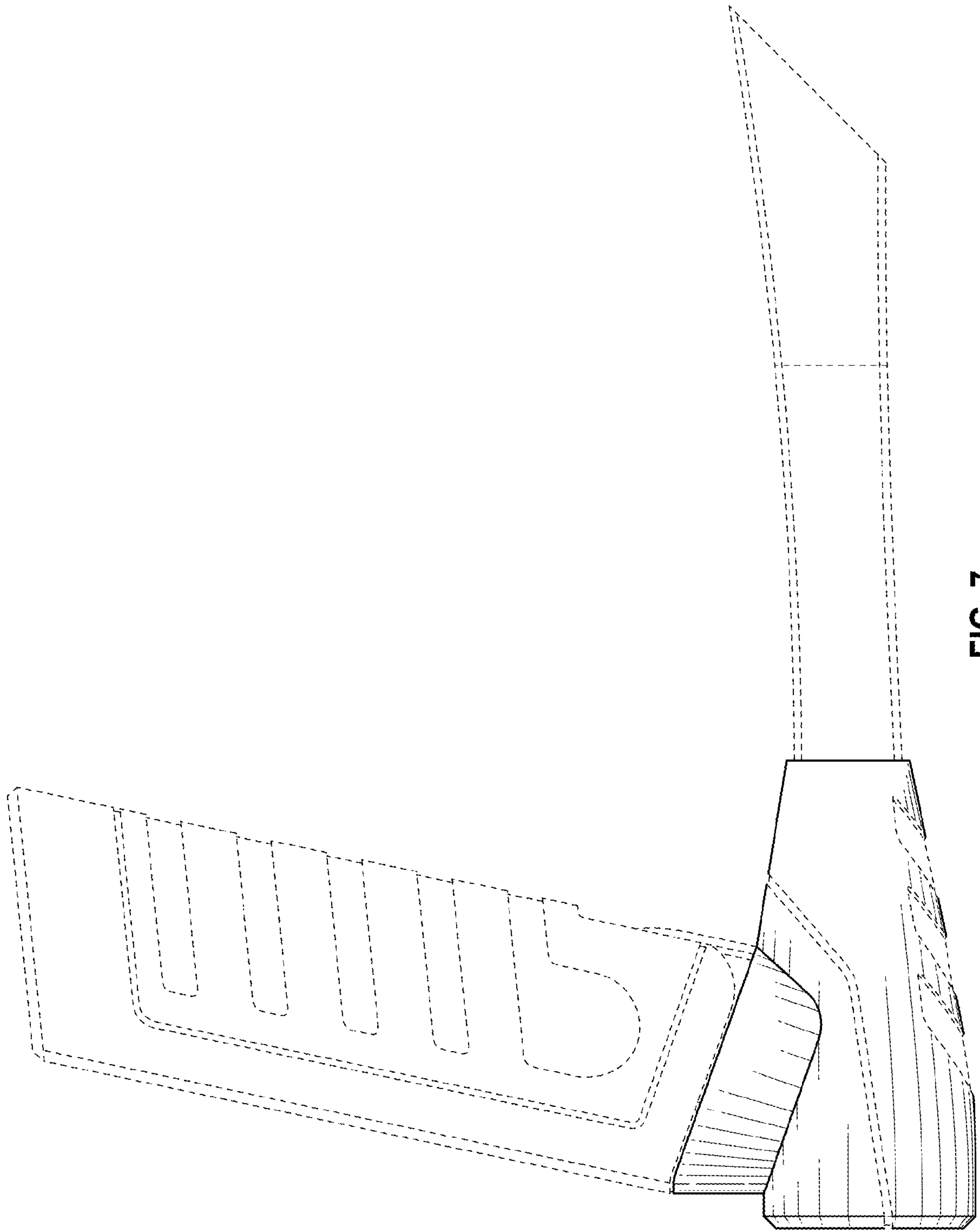


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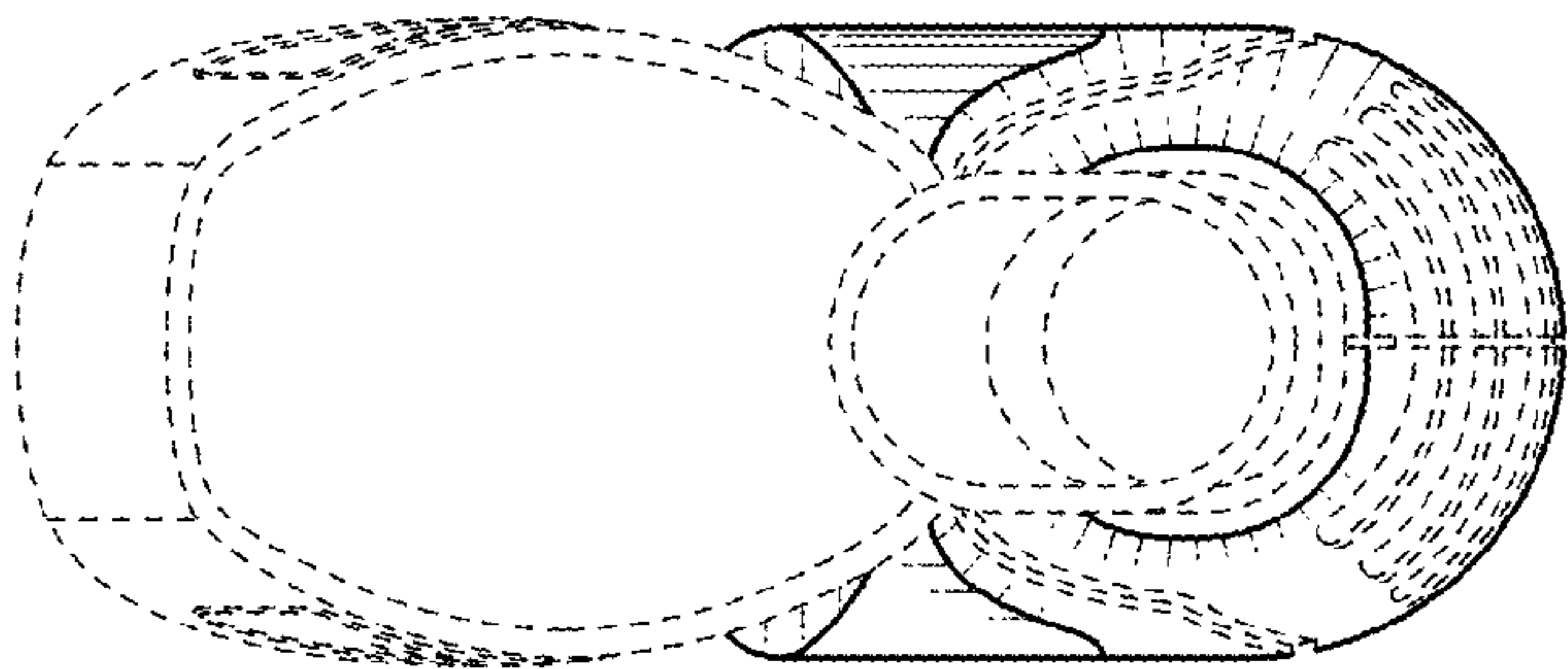


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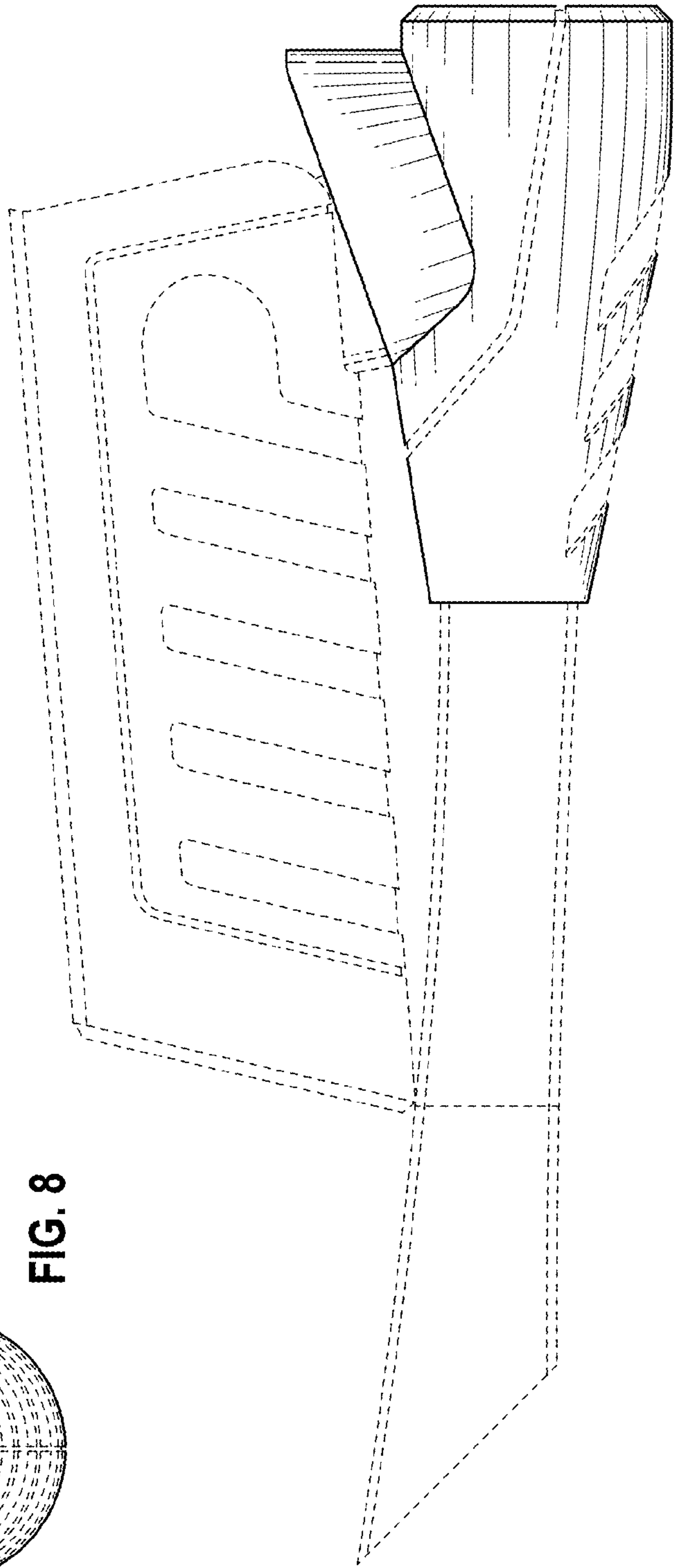


FIG. 9