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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a container, as shown and described.

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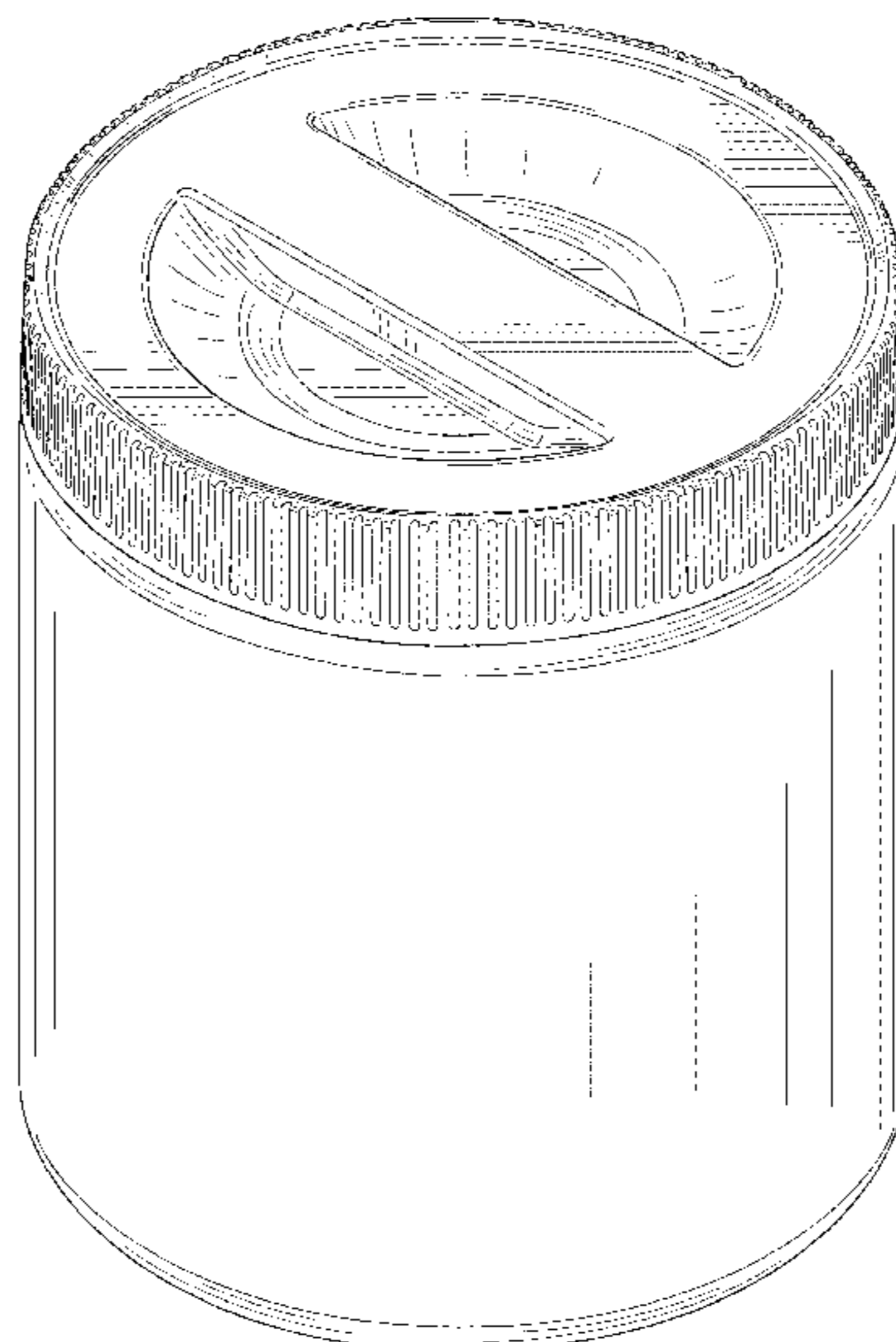
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FIG. 1 is a top, front, left perspective view of a container showing our new design;
FIG. 2 is a top view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a bottom view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a left side view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a right side view thereof;
FIG. 6 is a front view thereof; and,
FIG. 7 is a rear view thereof.
The broken lines in FIG. 3 depict a portion of the container that forms no part of the claimed design.

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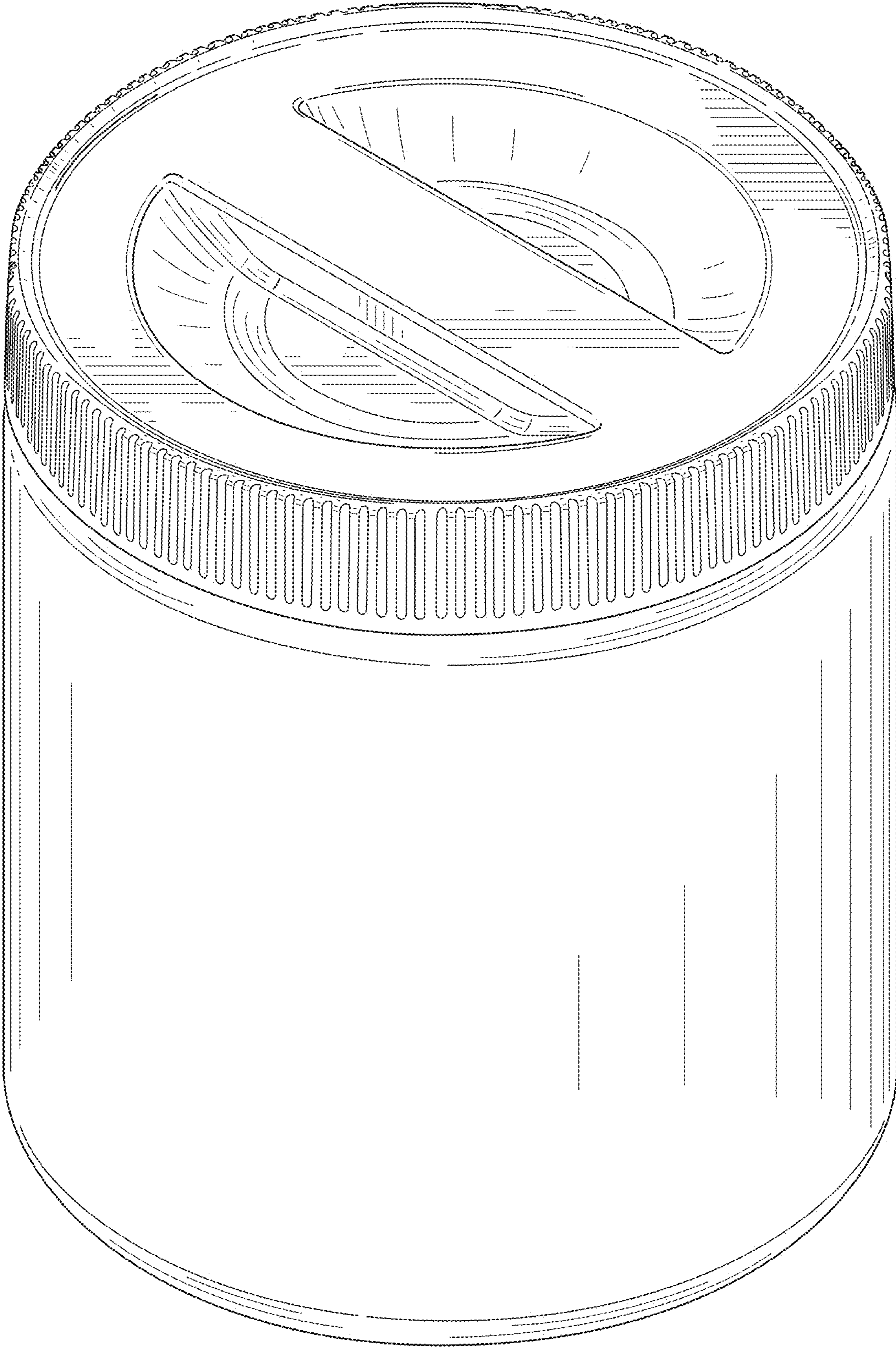


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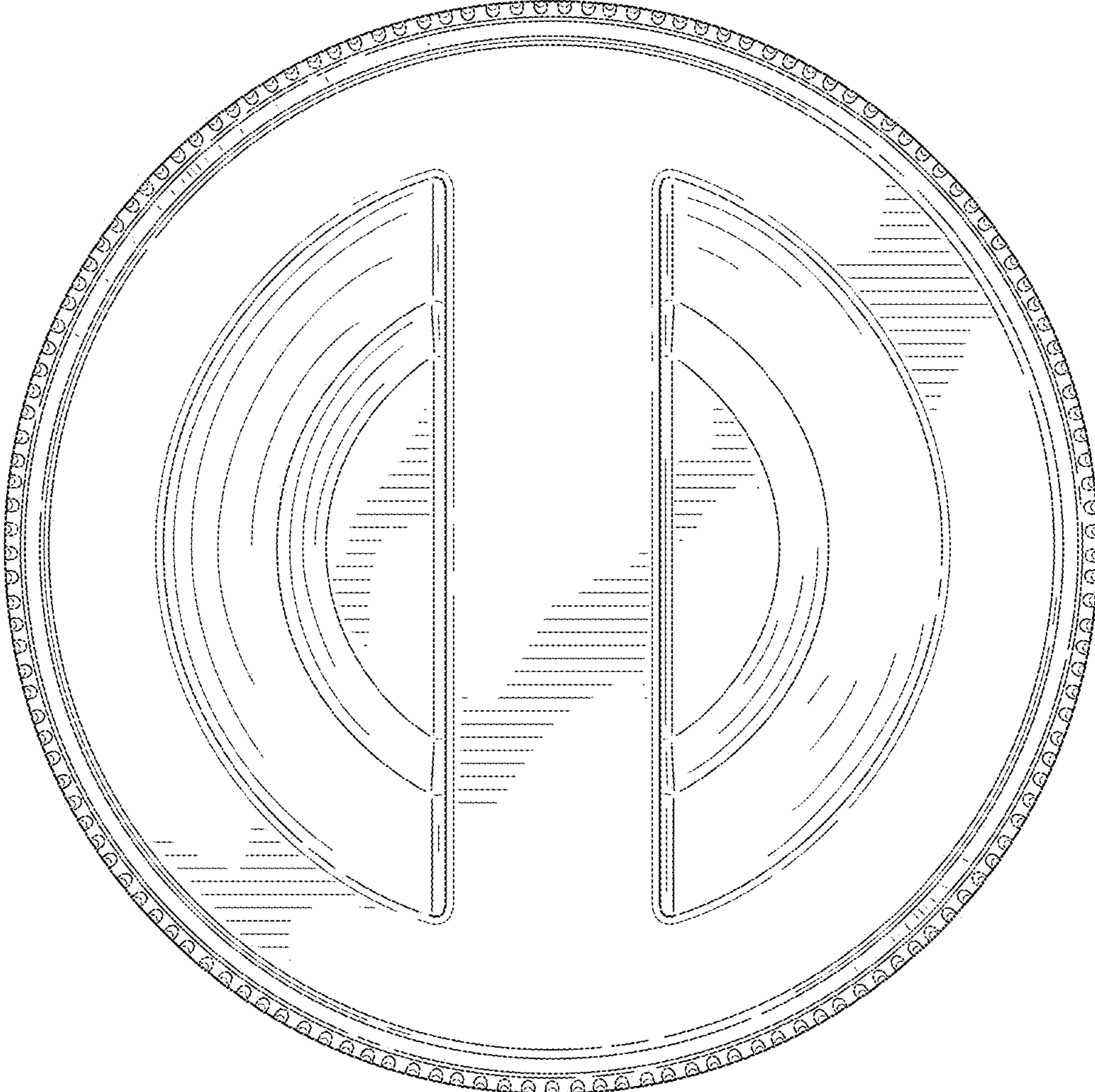


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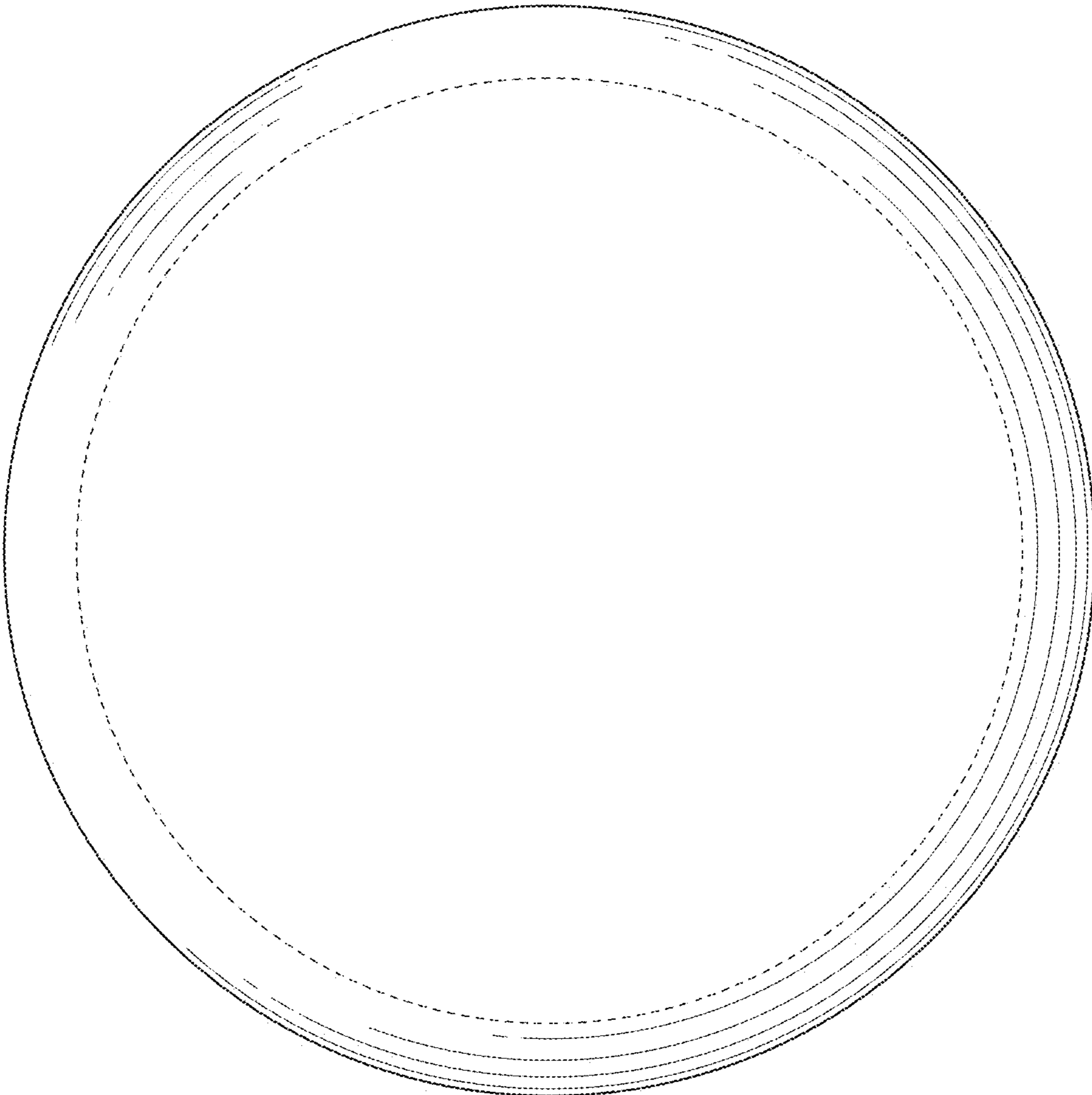


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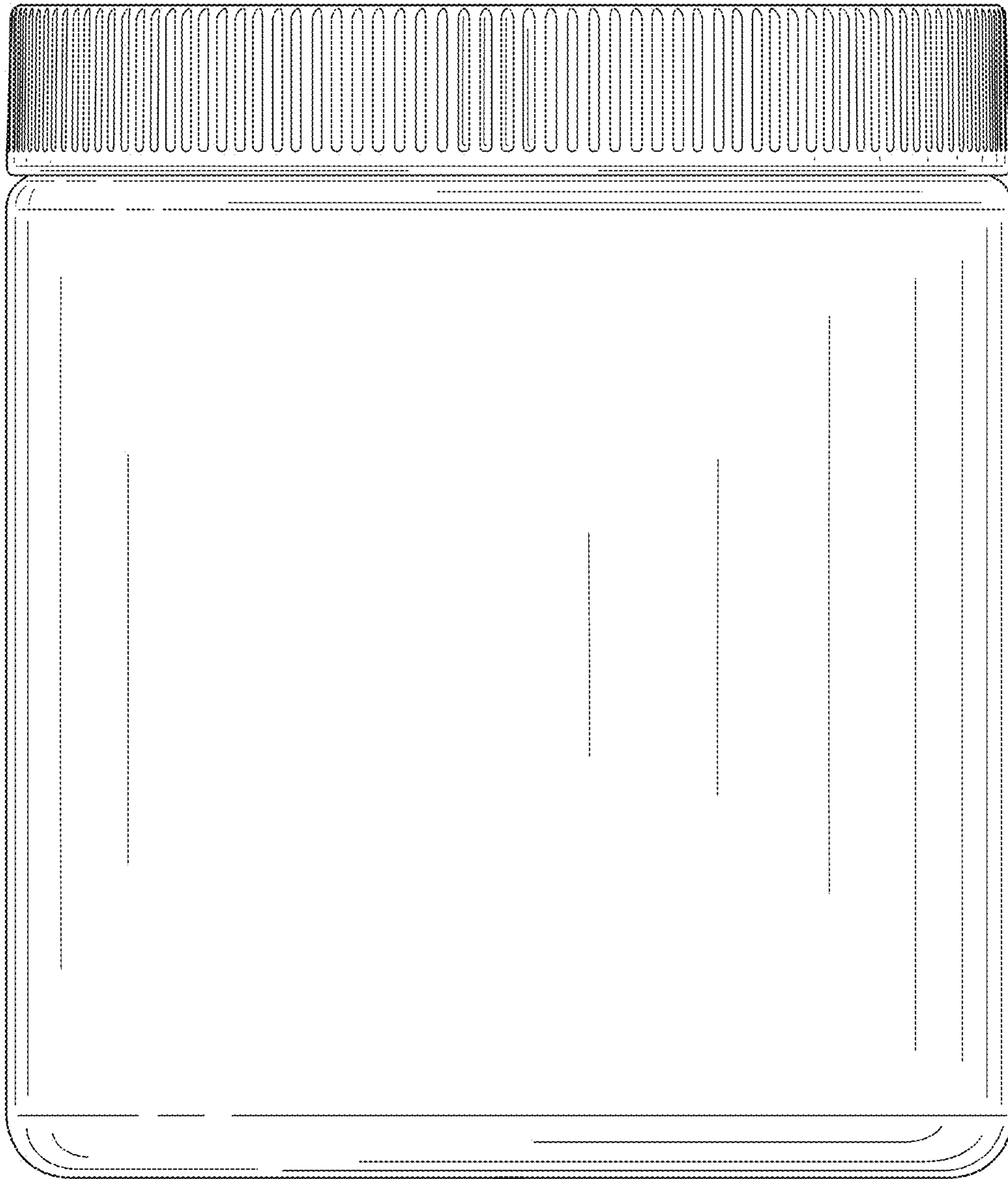


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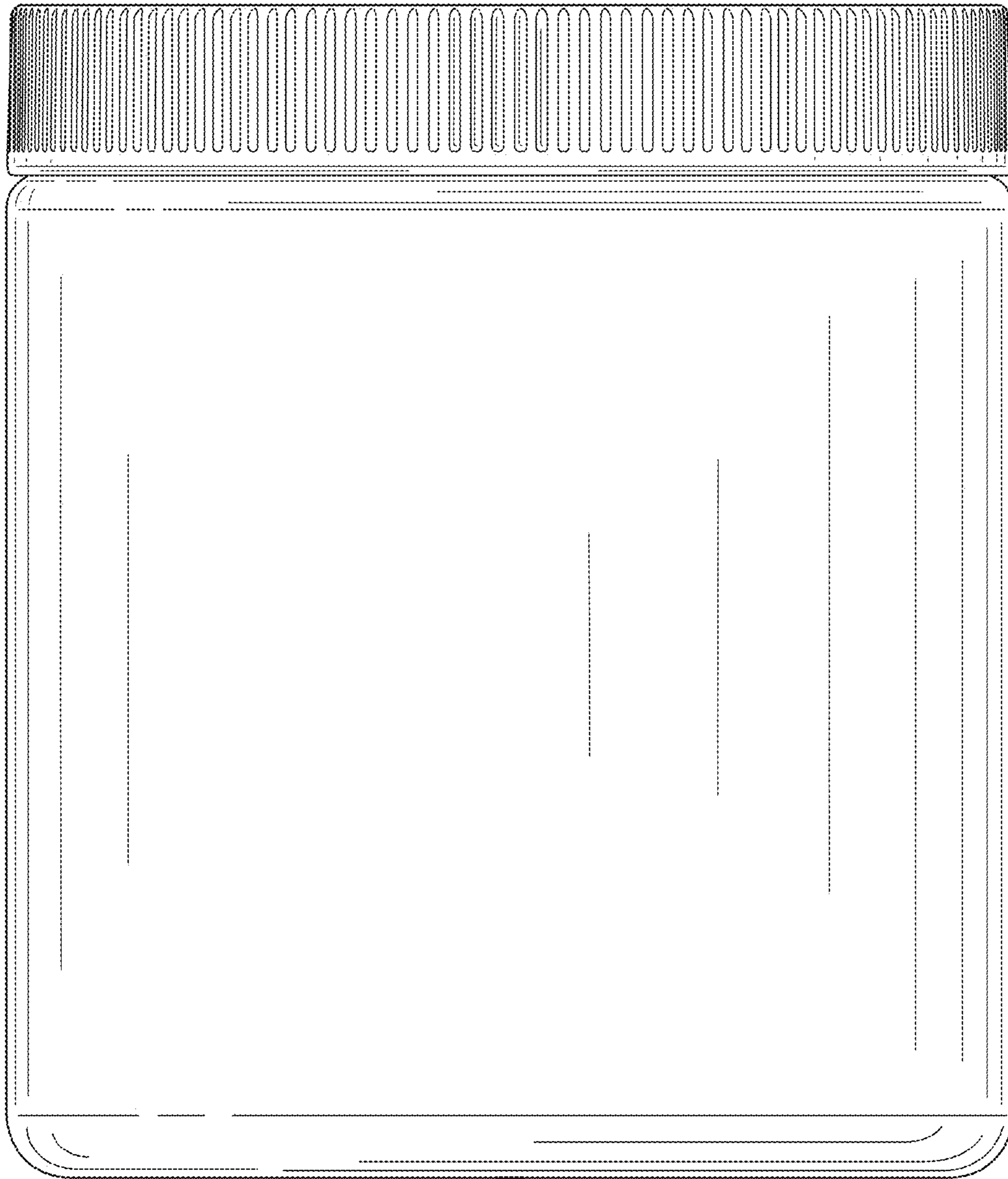


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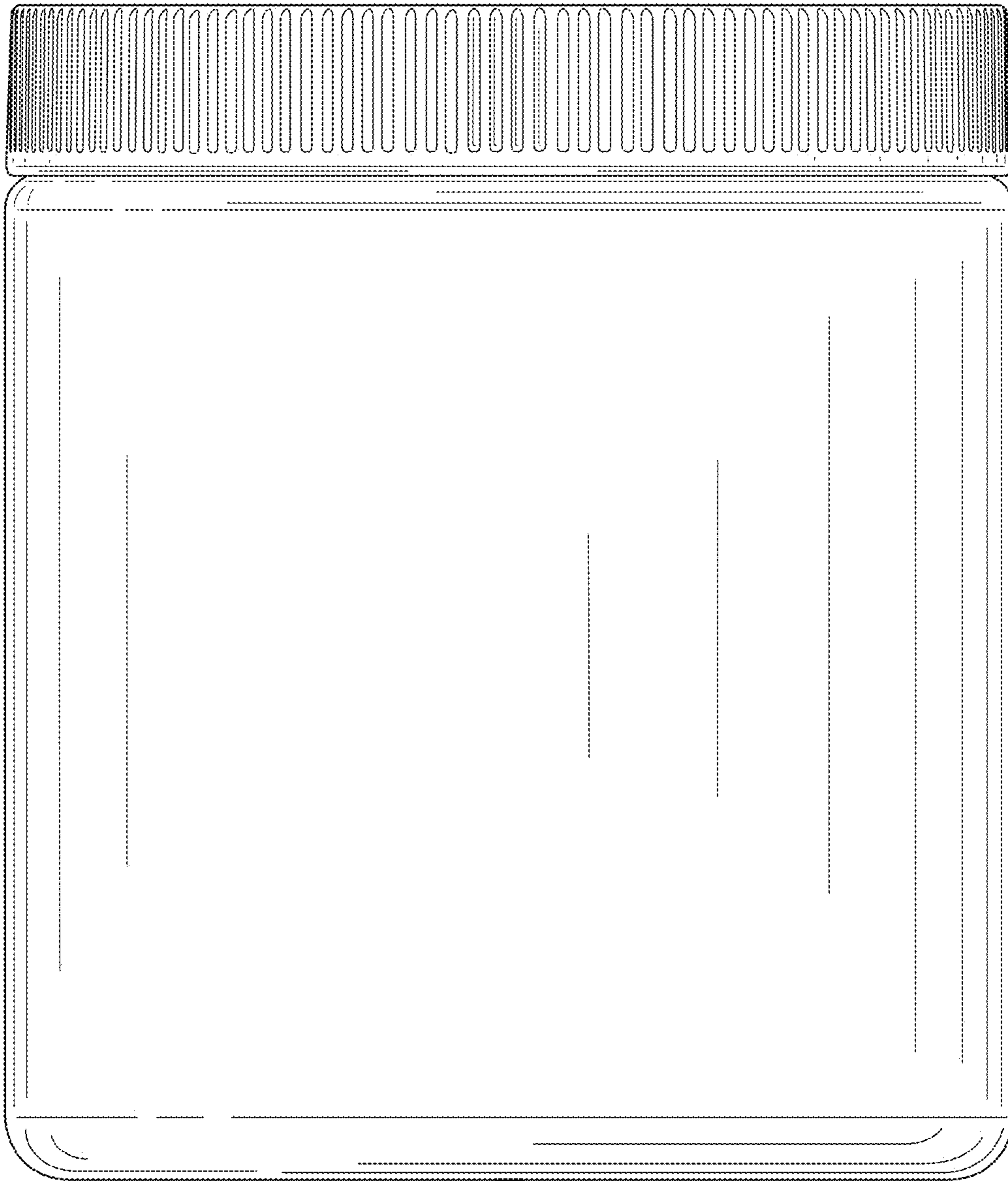


FIG. 6

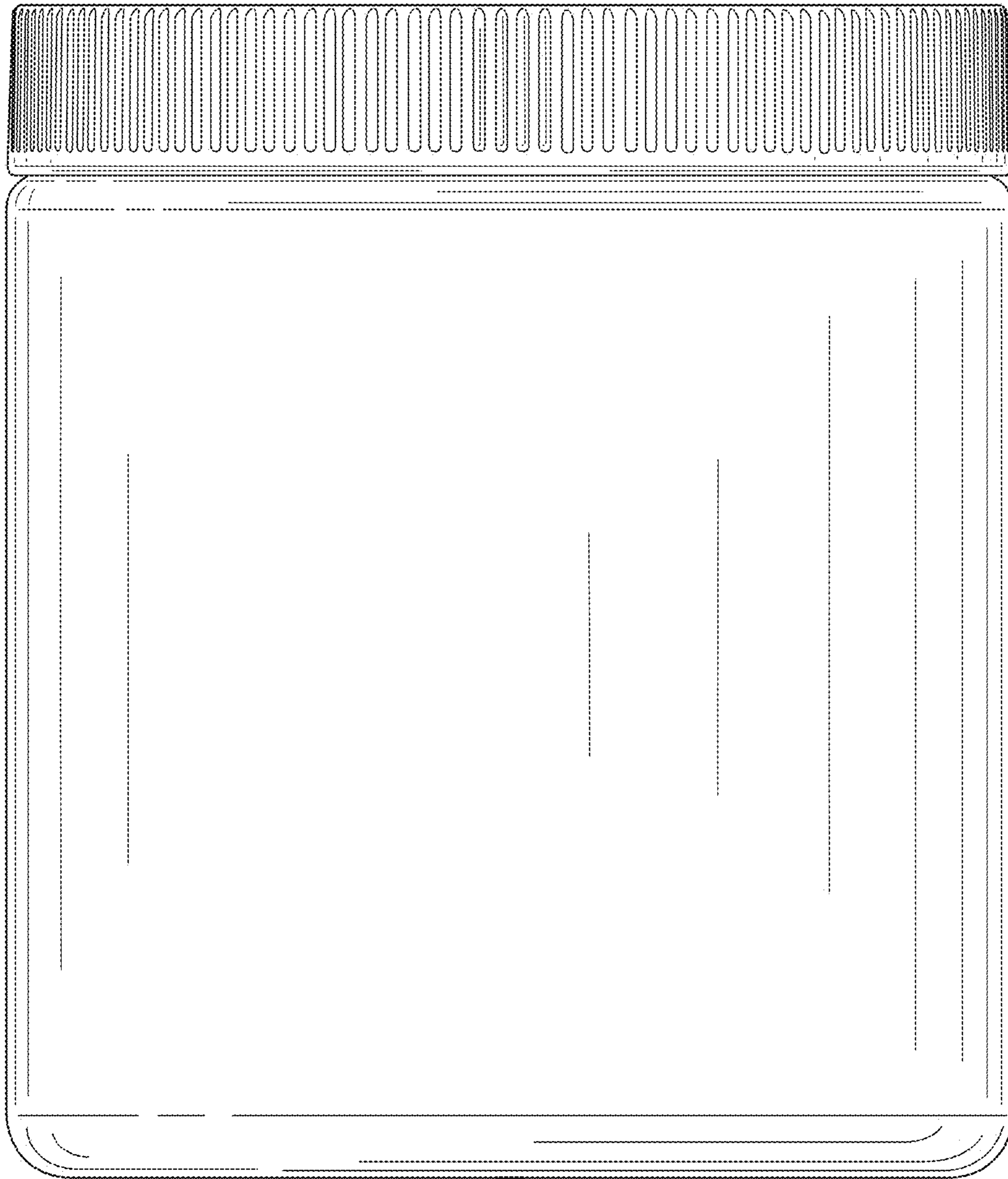


FIG. 7