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(57) **CLAIM**

I claim the ornamental design for a septic system pipe cover, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

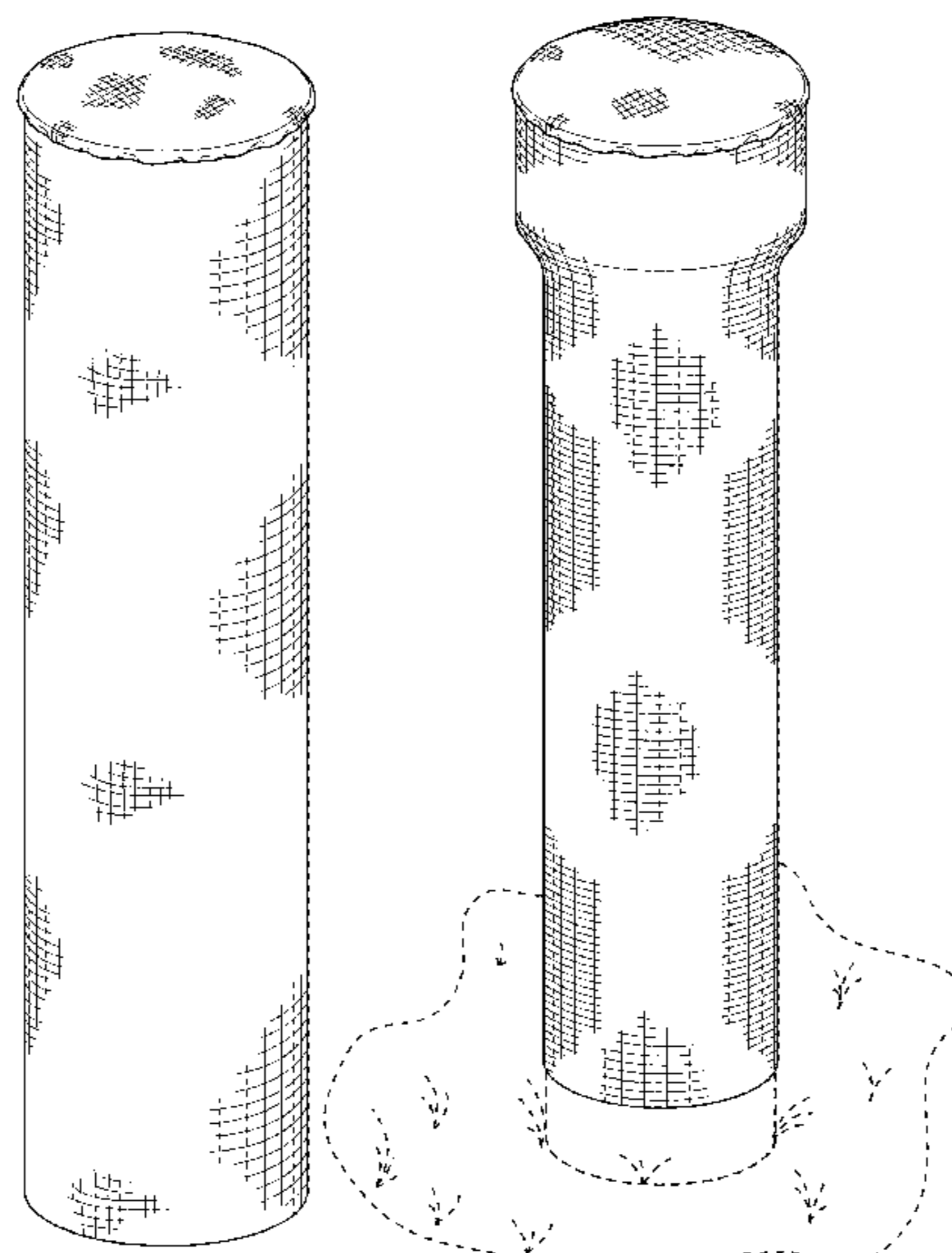
FIG. 1 is a perspective view of my new design for a septic system pipe cover;
FIG. 2 is a front view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a top view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a bottom view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a rear view thereof; and,
FIG. 6 is a top perspective view thereof showing my new design in its environment, where it is covering a septic system pipe.
The broken lines shown in FIG. 6 illustrate environment only that forms no part of the claim.

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FIG. 1

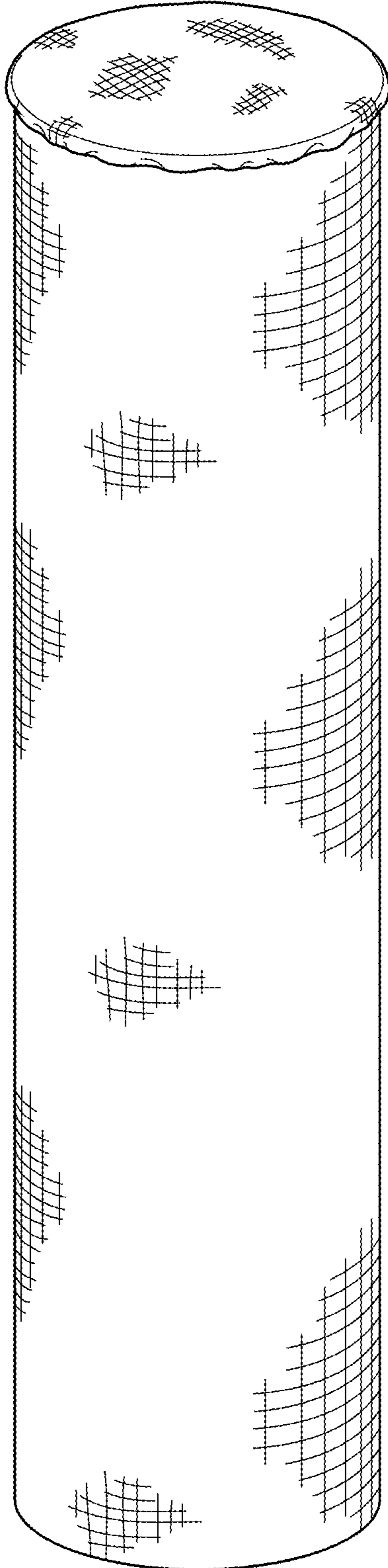


FIG. 2

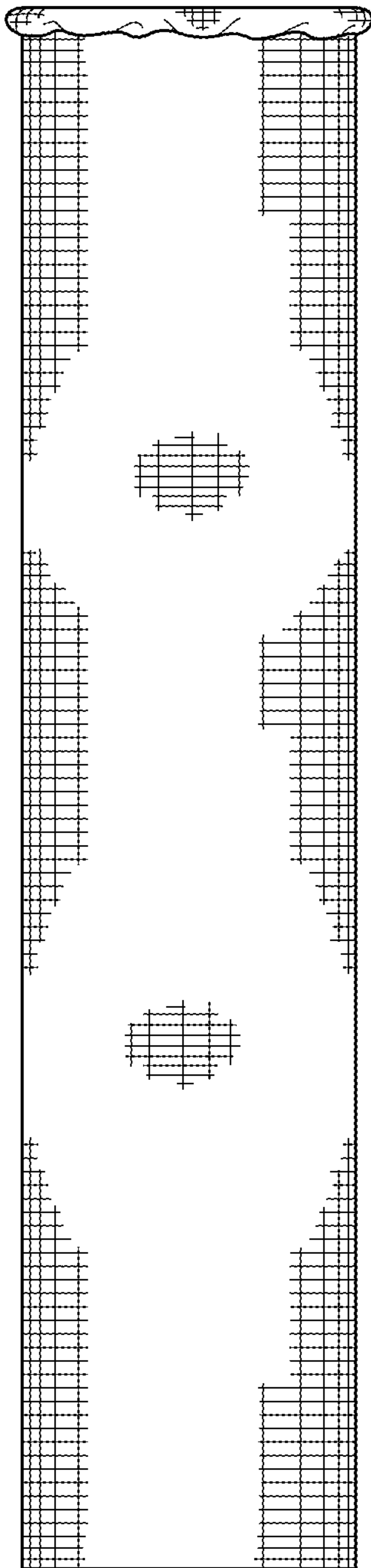


FIG. 3

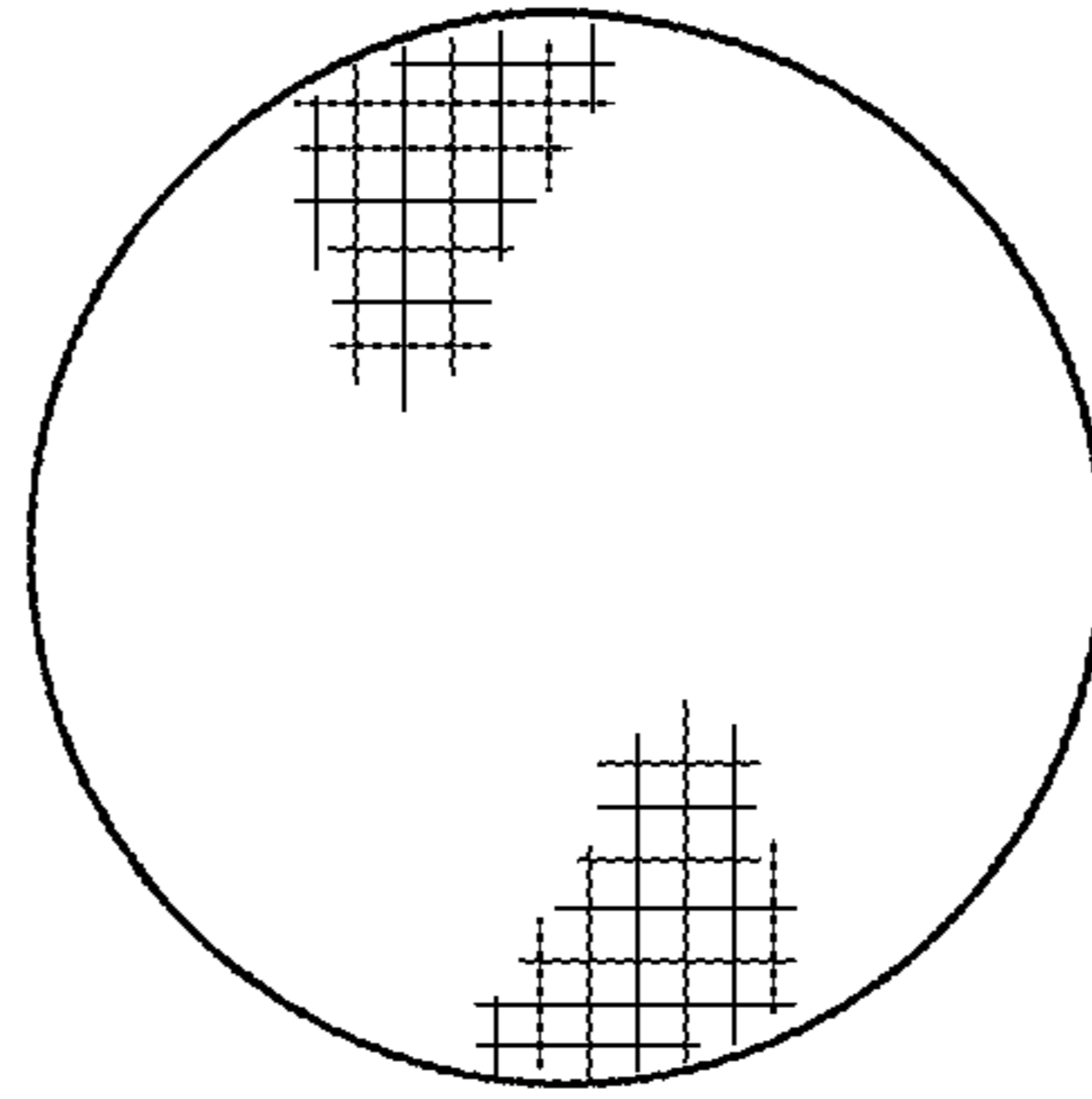


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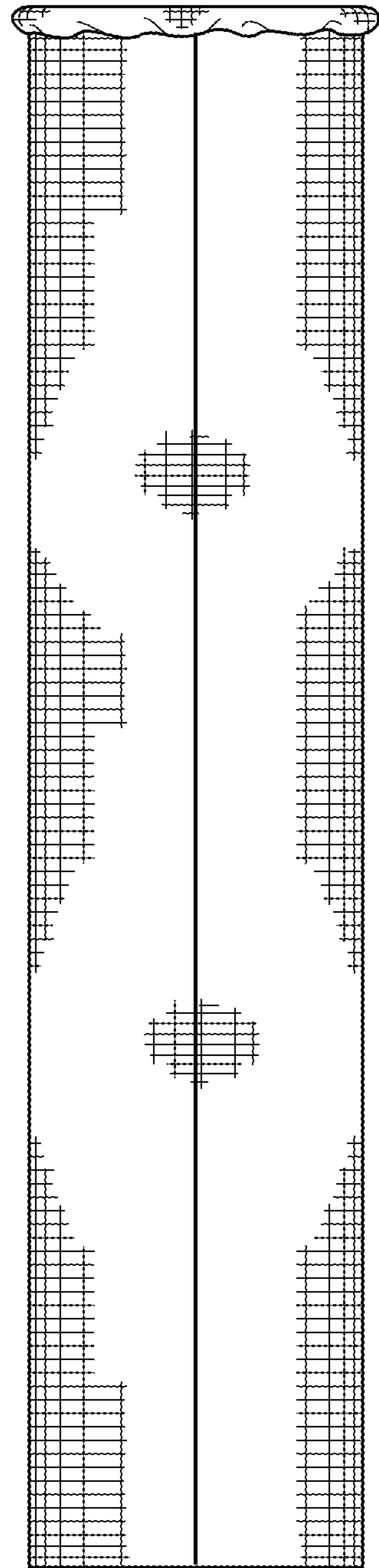


FIG. 4

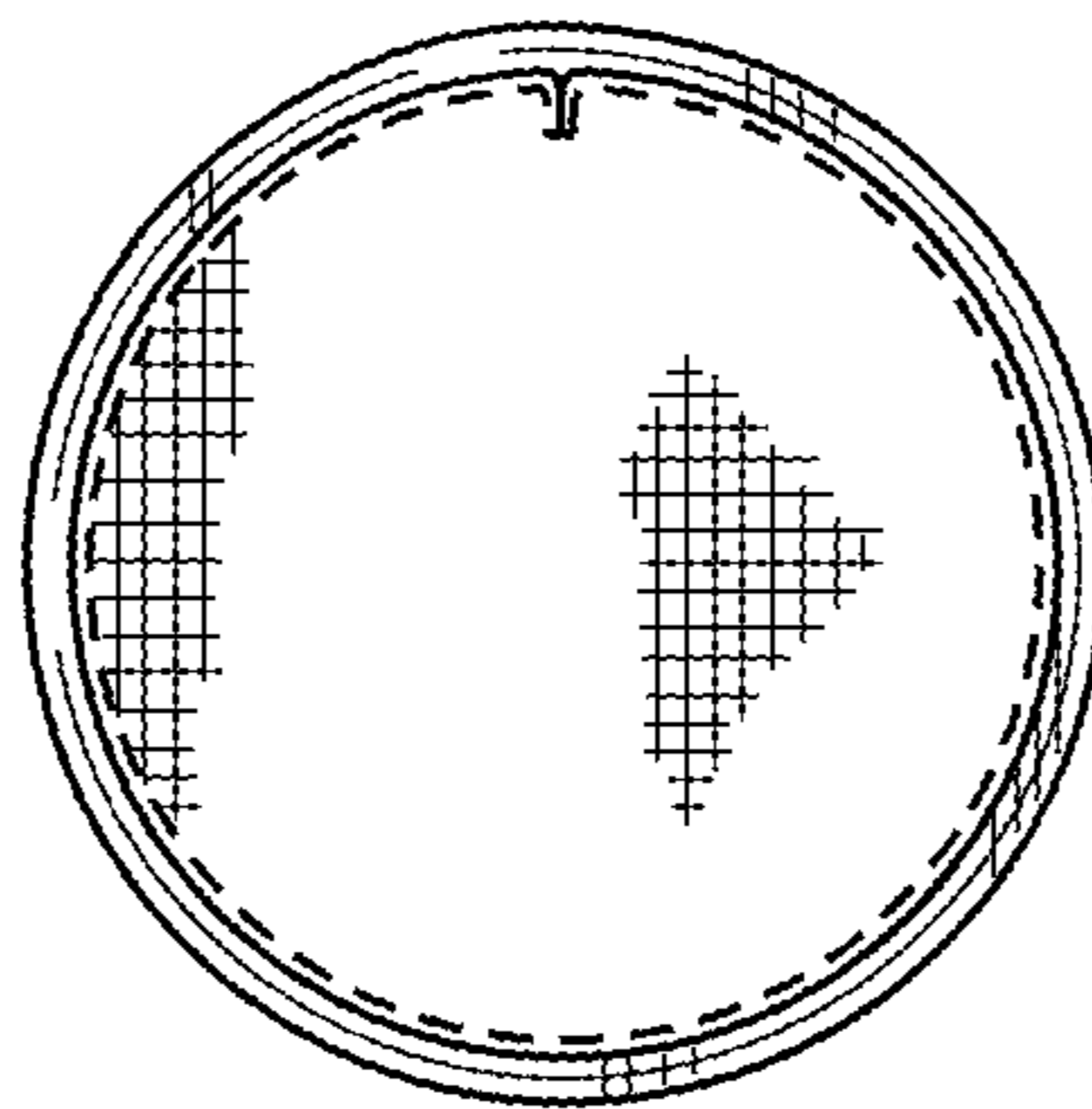


FIG. 6

