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- (54) **STRAP FOR AN ARTICLE OF FOOTWEAR**
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(57) **CLAIM**

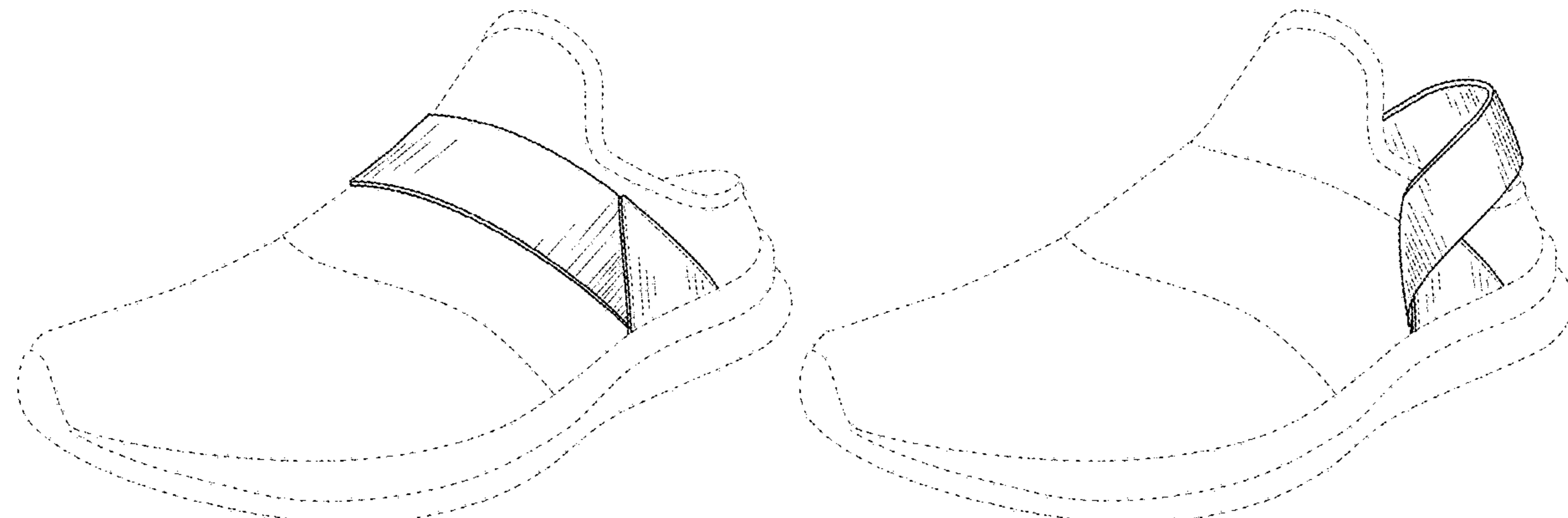
The ornamental design for a strap for an article of footwear, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a top perspective lateral side view of a first embodiment of a strap for an article of footwear;
 FIG. 2 is a medial side view thereof;
 FIG. 3 is a top view thereof;
 FIG. 4 is a lateral side view thereof;
 FIG. 5 is a front view thereof;
 FIG. 6 is a rear view thereof;
 FIG. 7 is a bottom view thereof;
 FIG. 8 is a top perspective lateral side view of a second embodiment of a strap for an article of footwear;
 FIG. 9 is a medial side view thereof;
 FIG. 10 is a top view thereof;
 FIG. 11 is a lateral side view thereof;
 FIG. 12 is a front view thereof;
 FIG. 13 is a rear view thereof; and,
 FIG. 14 is a bottom view thereof.

The broken lines illustrate portions of the article of footwear that form no part of the claimed design.

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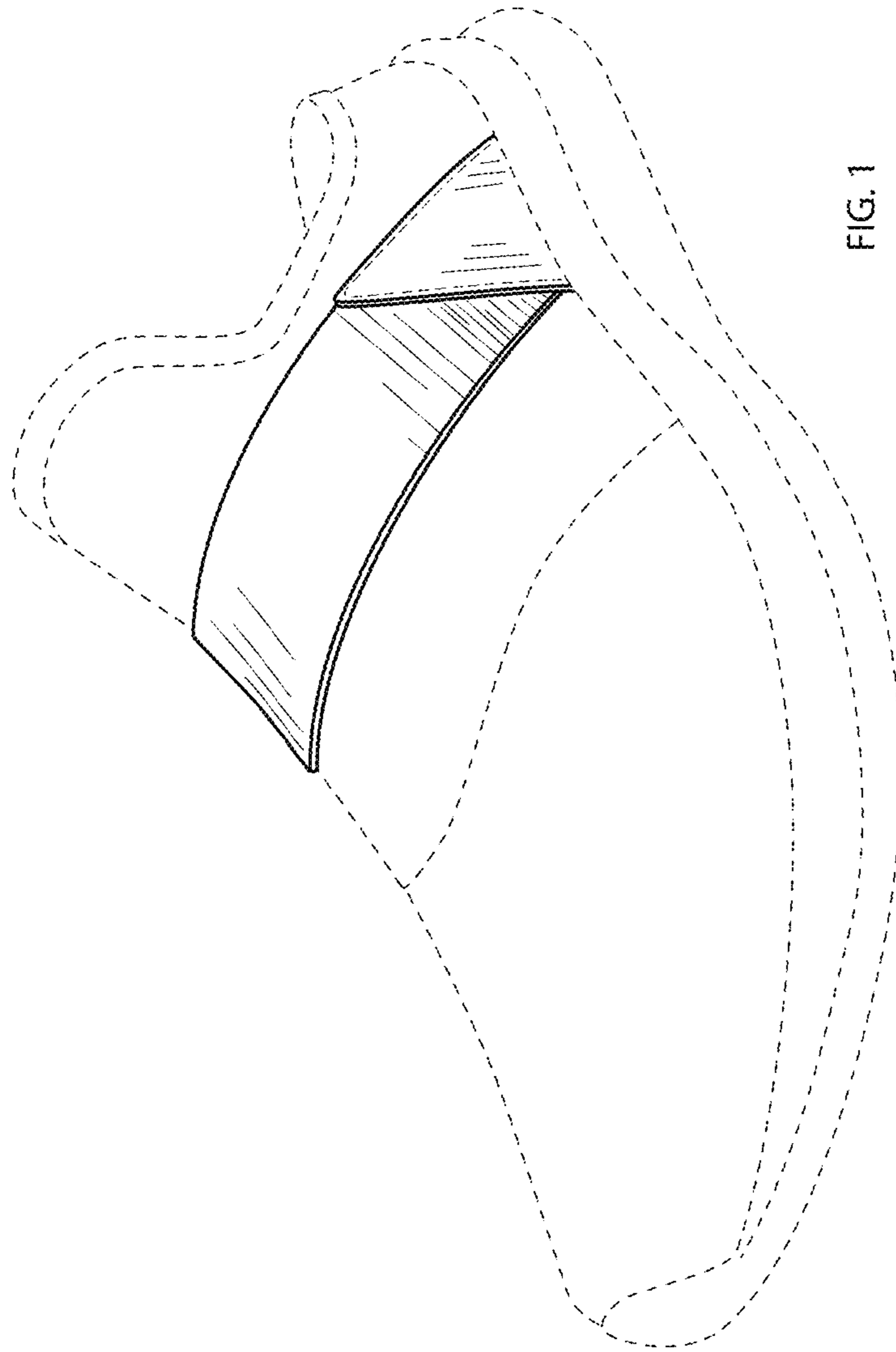


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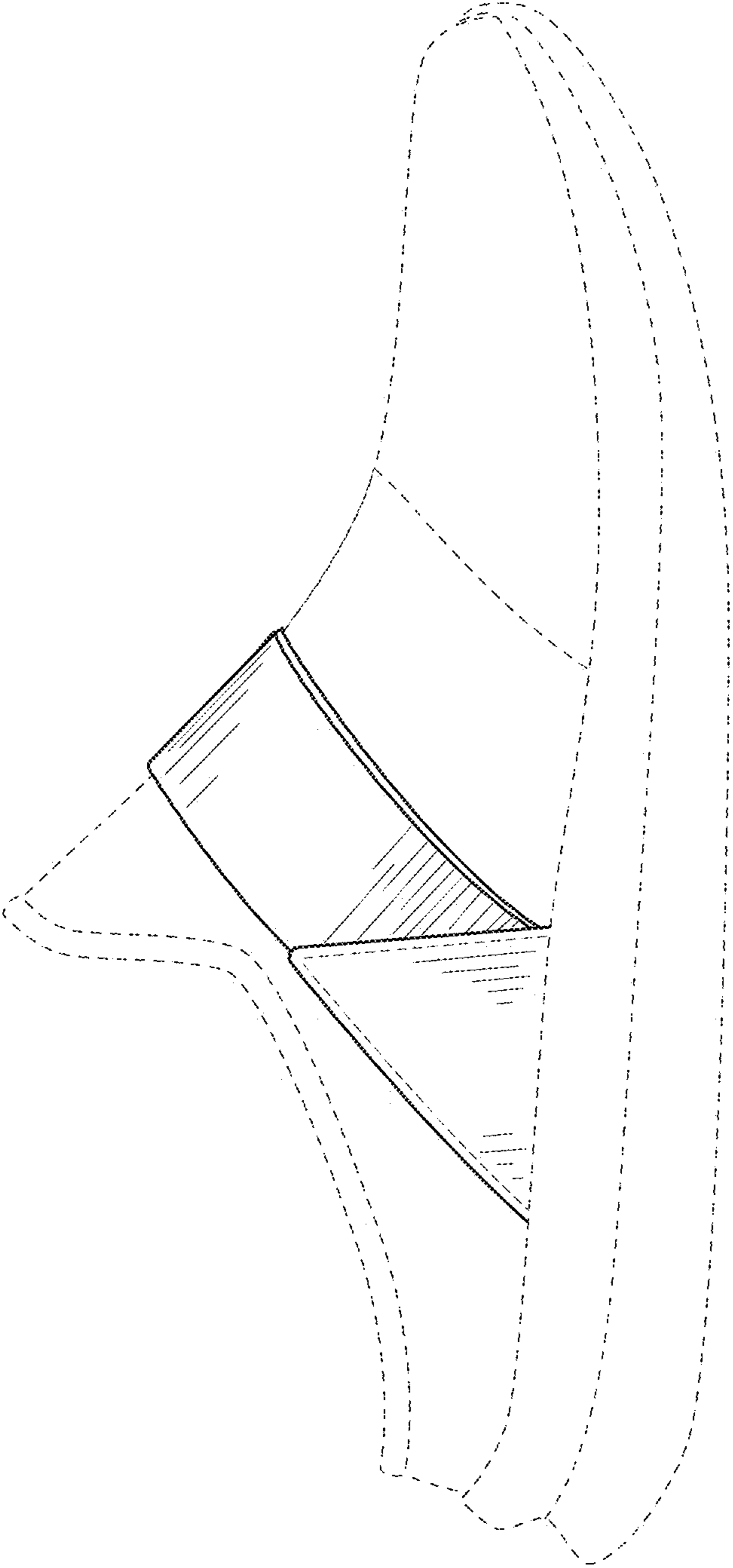


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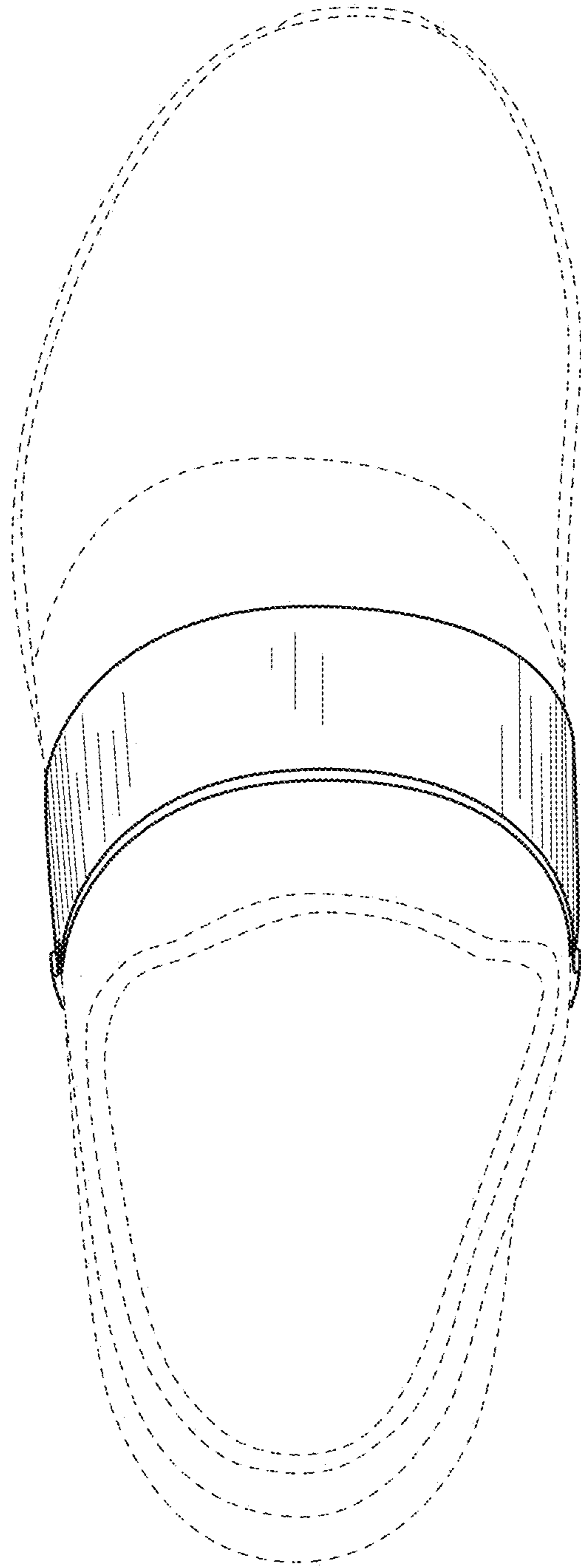


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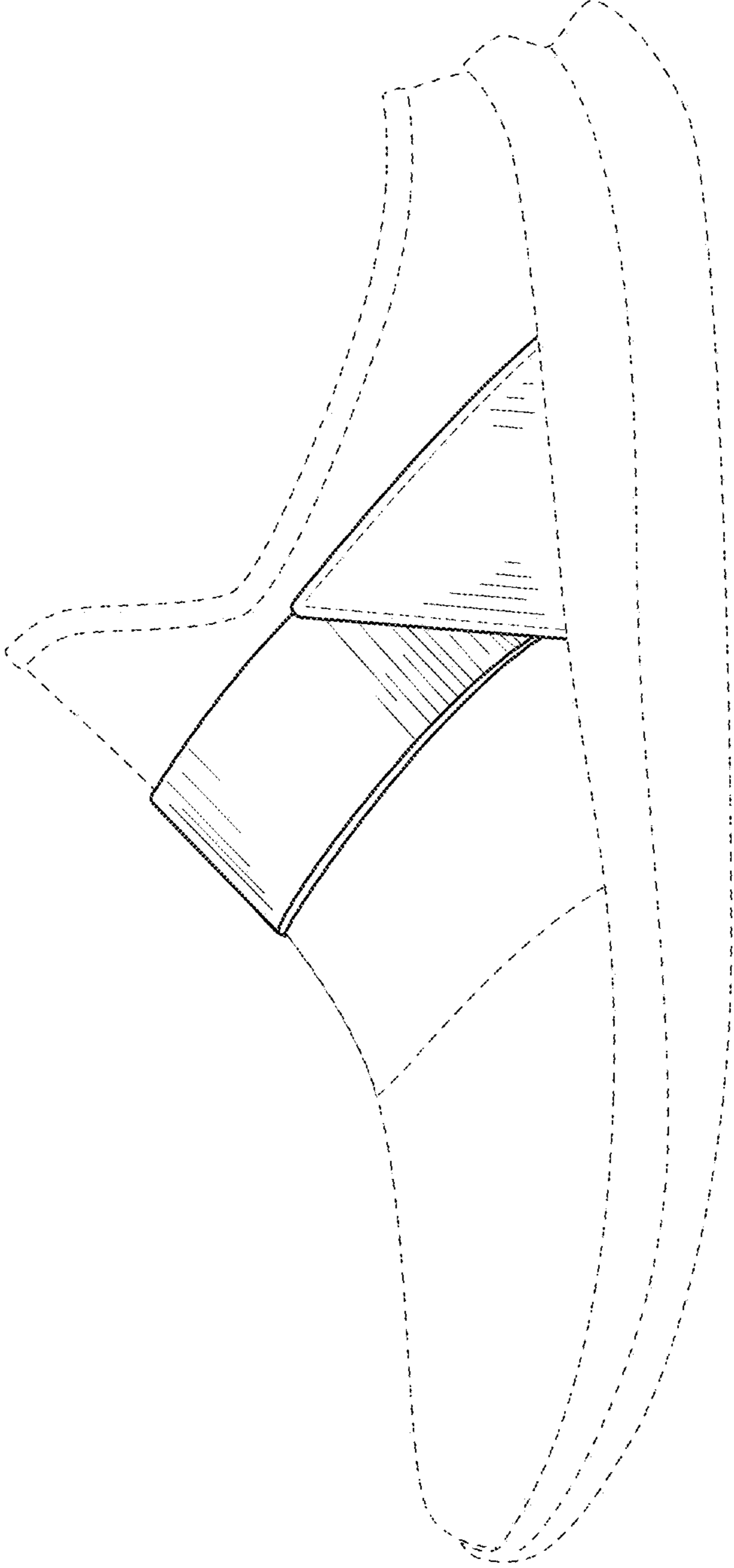


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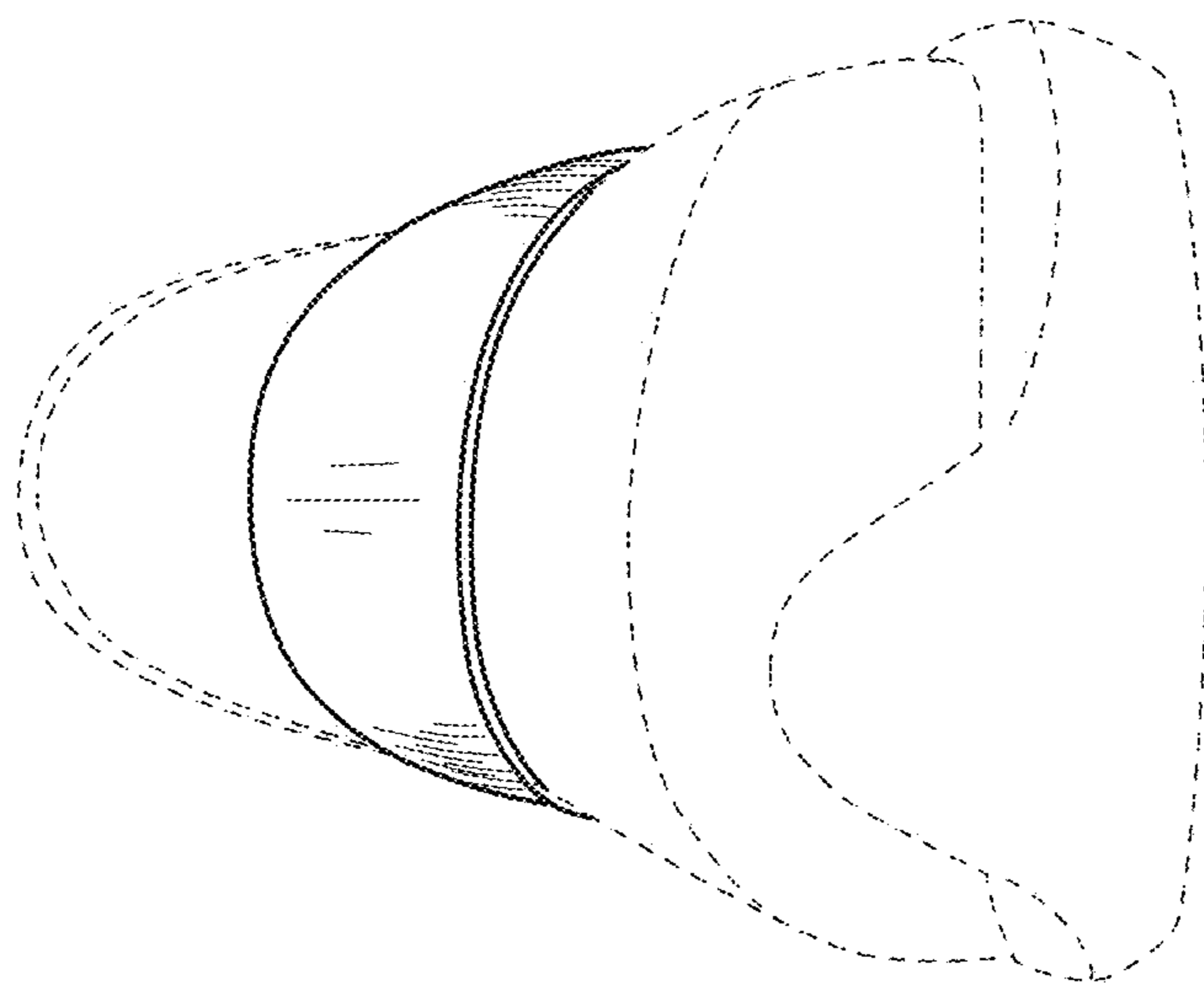


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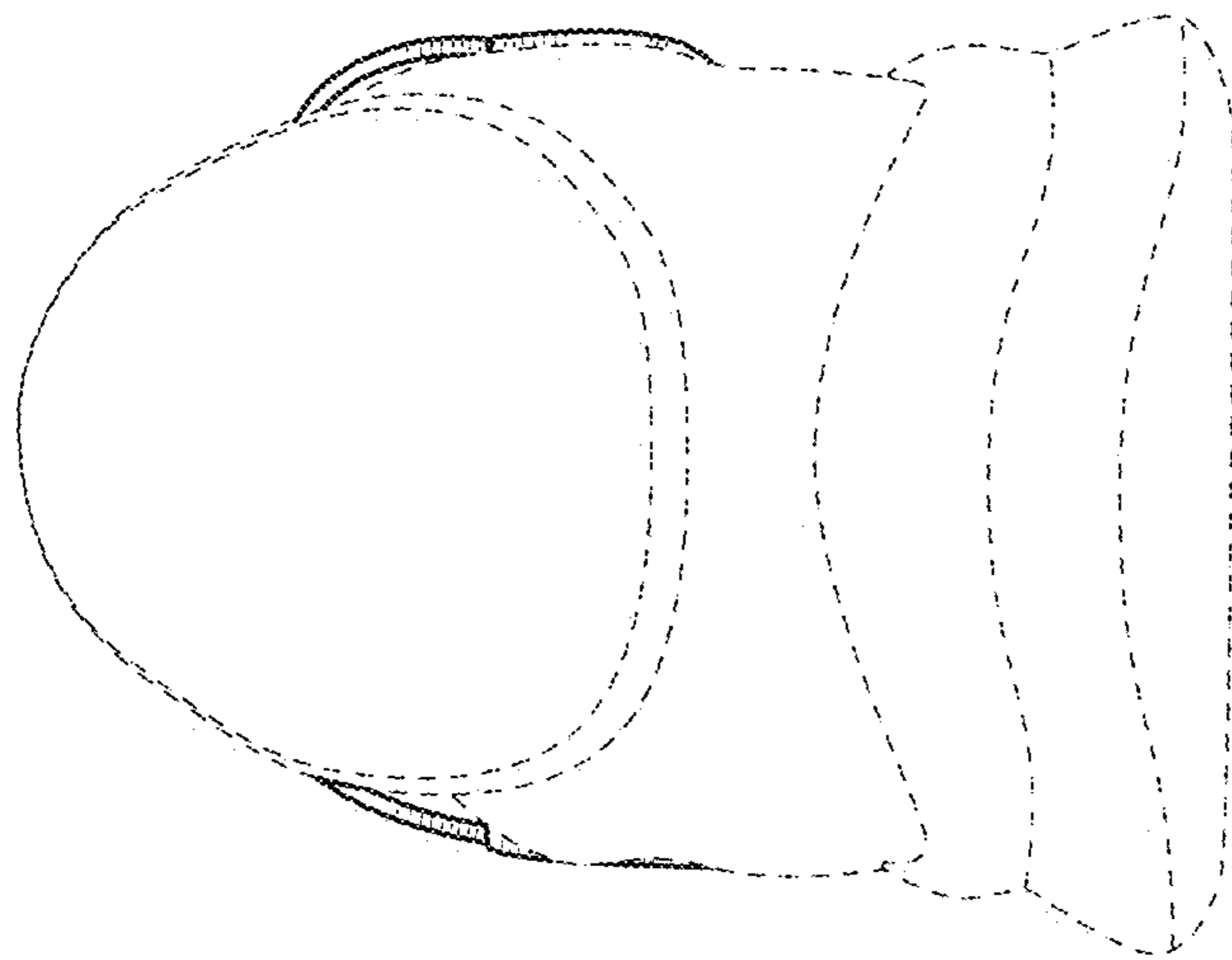


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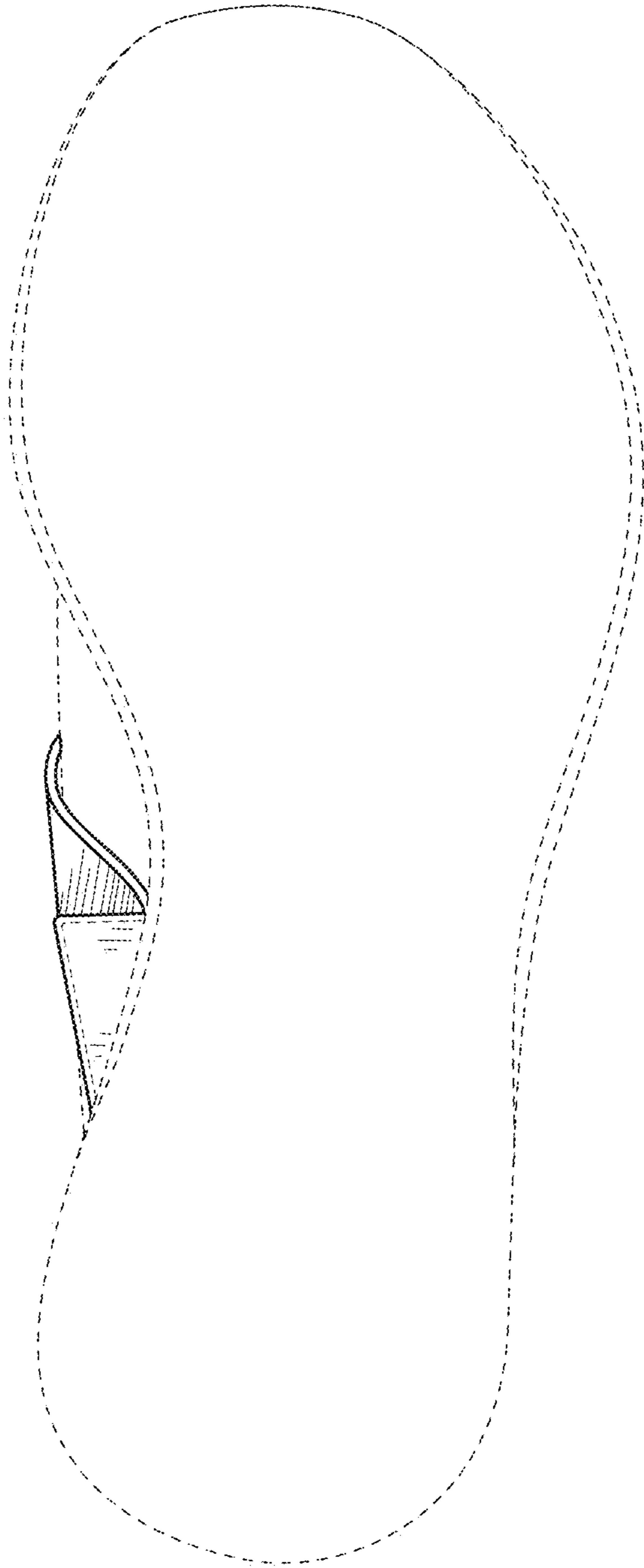


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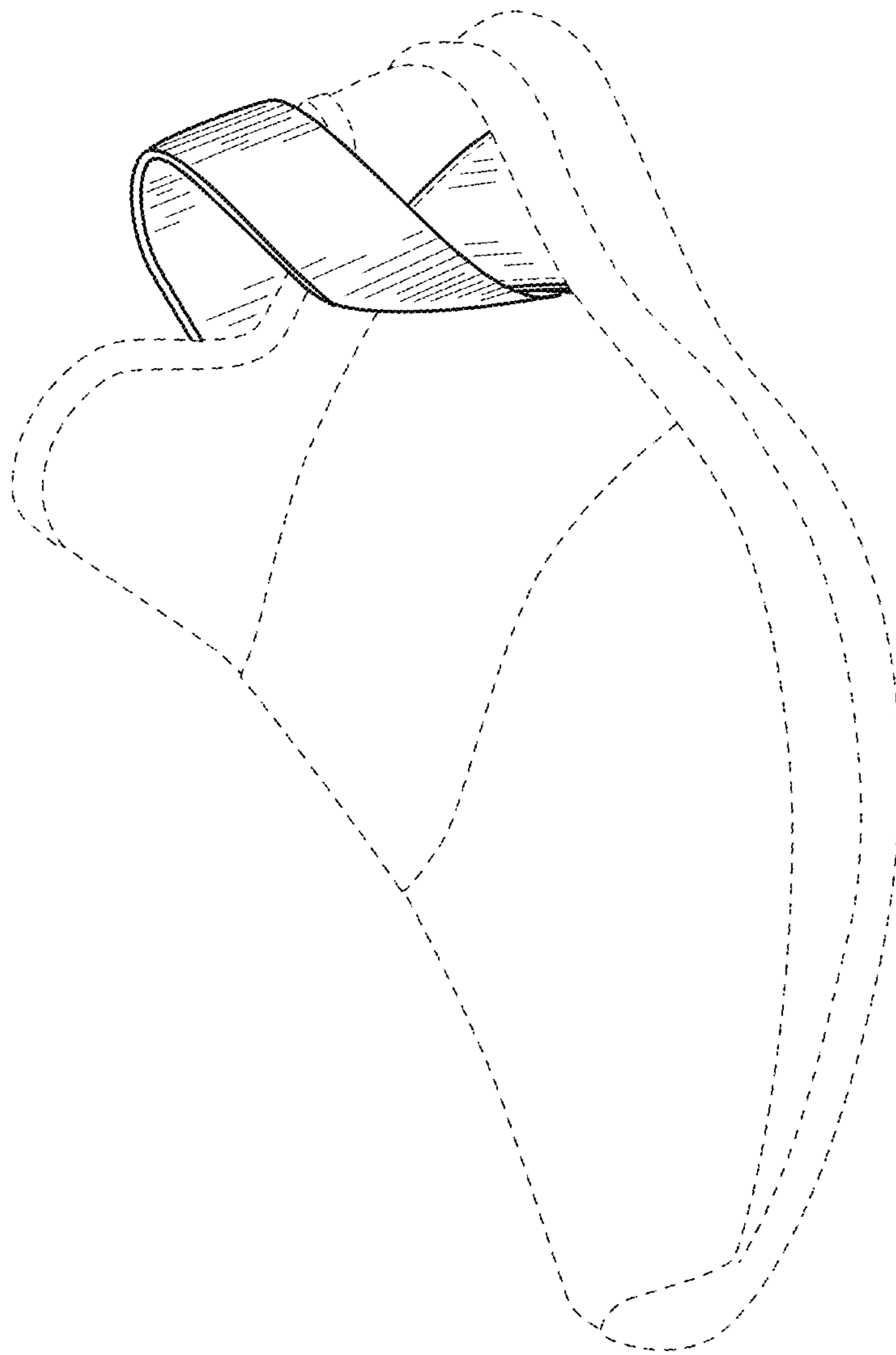


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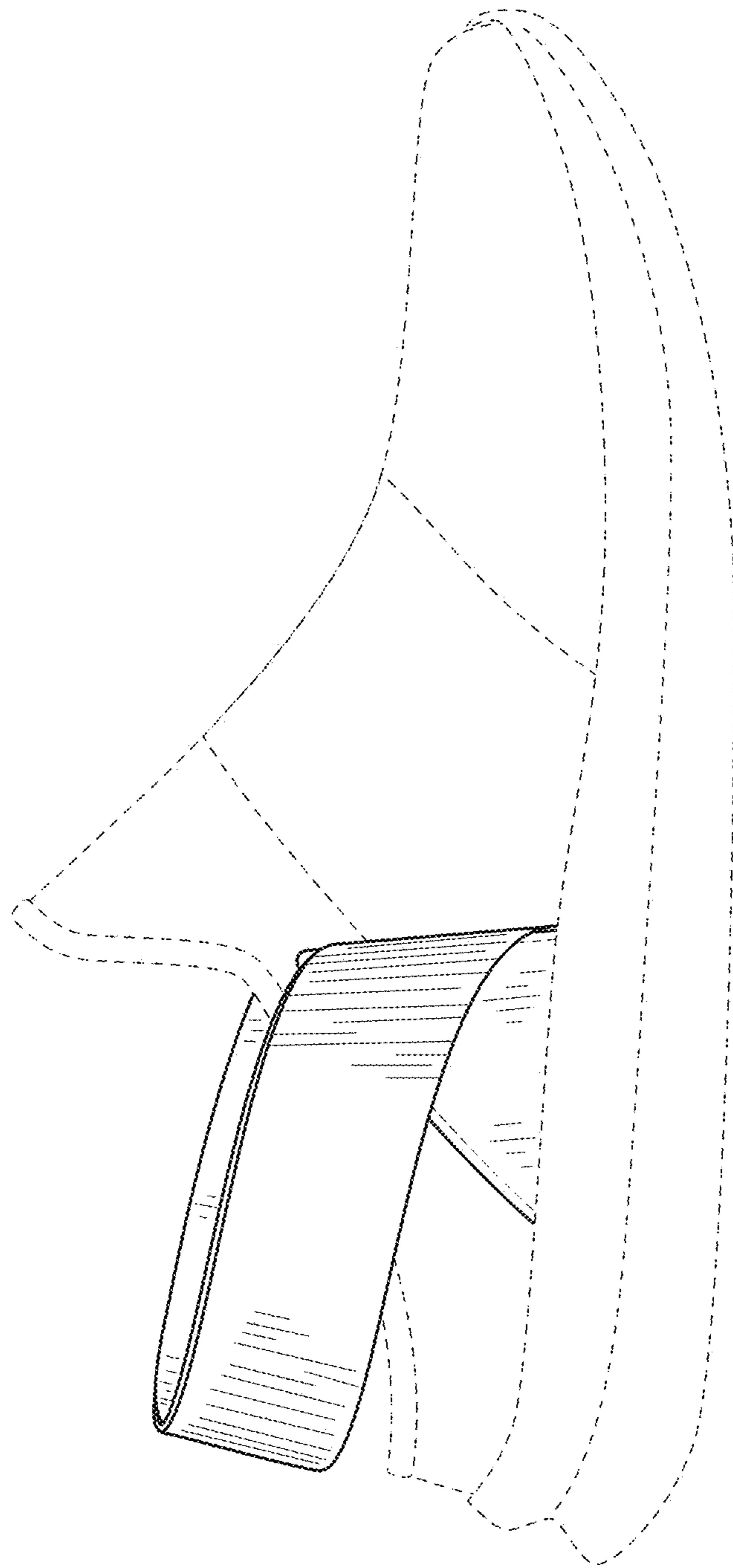


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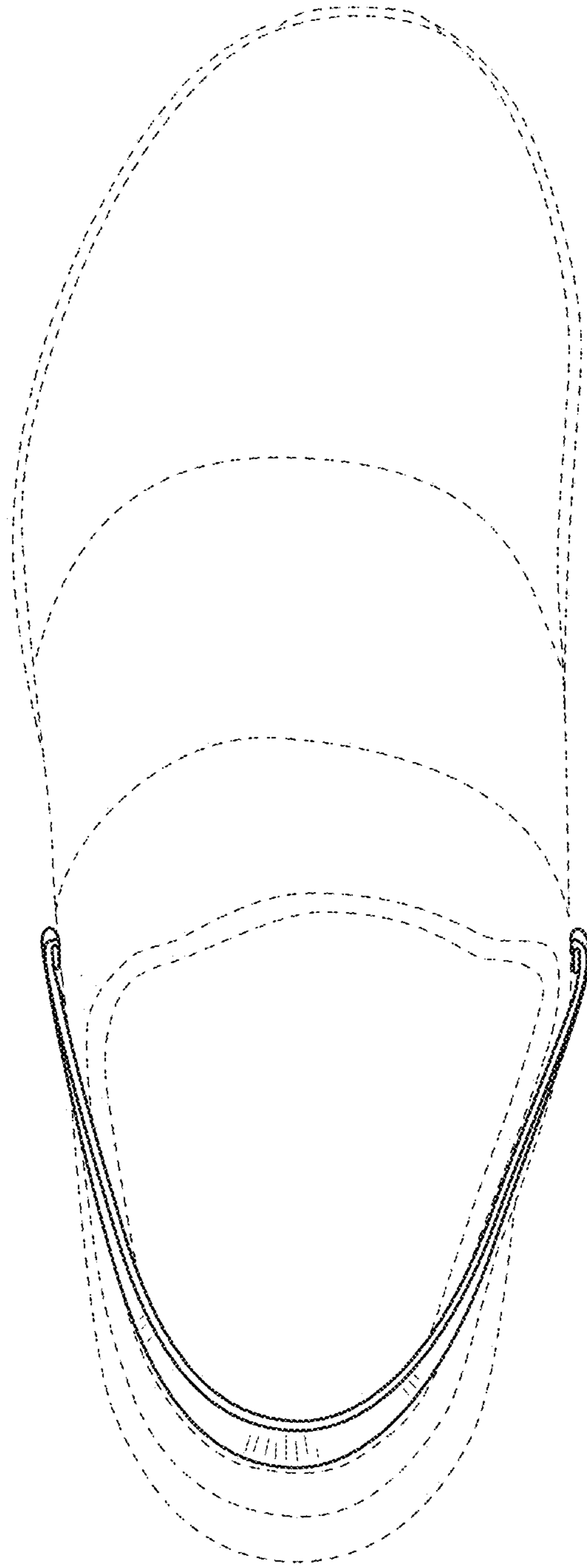


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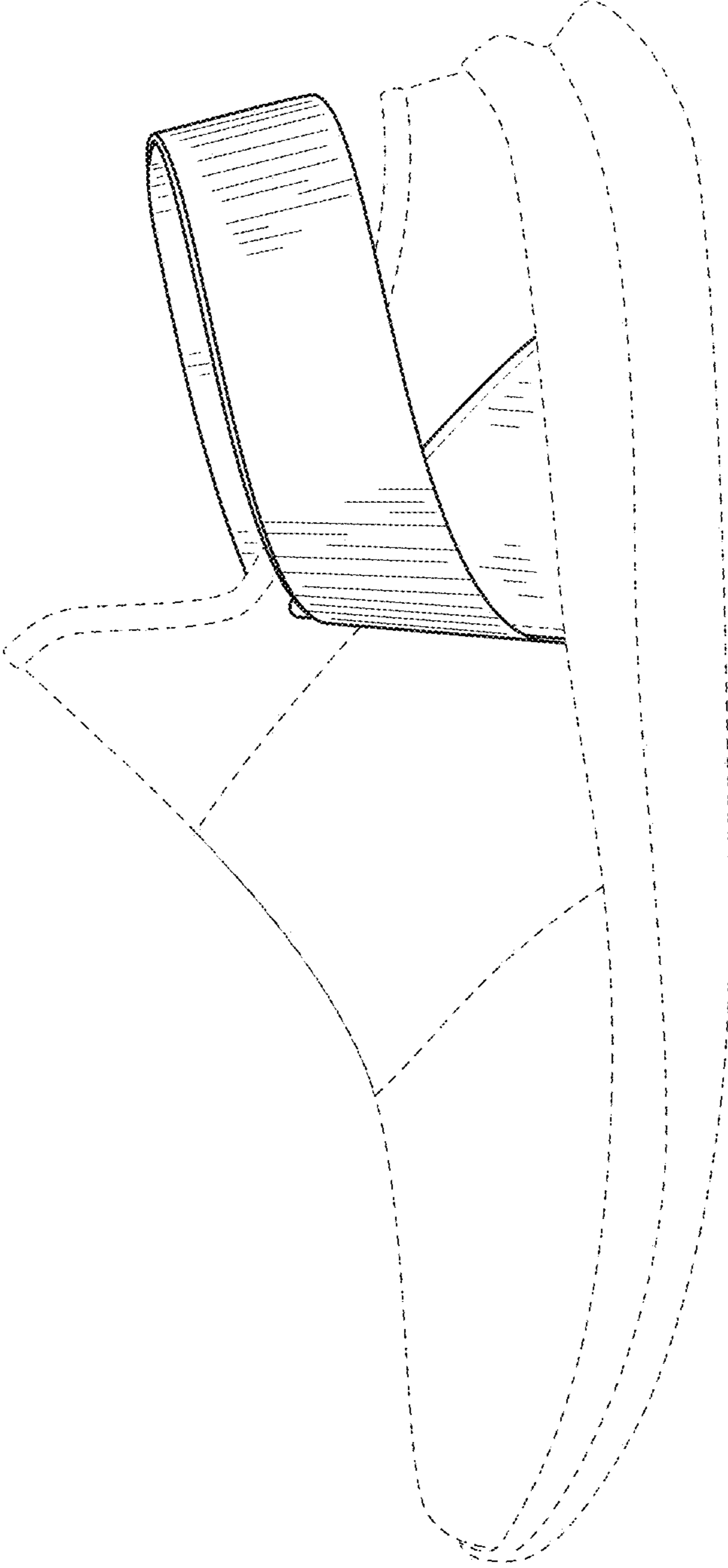


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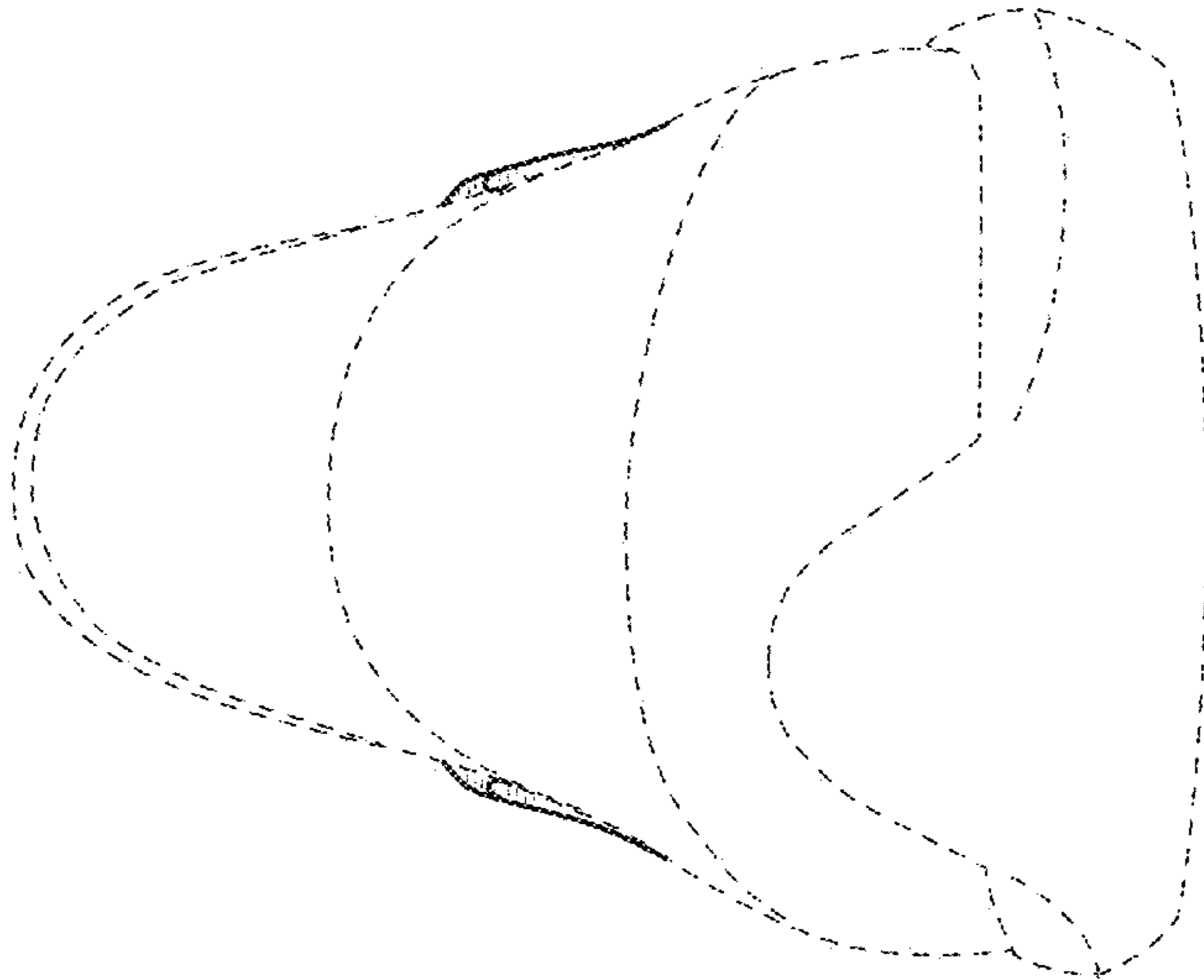


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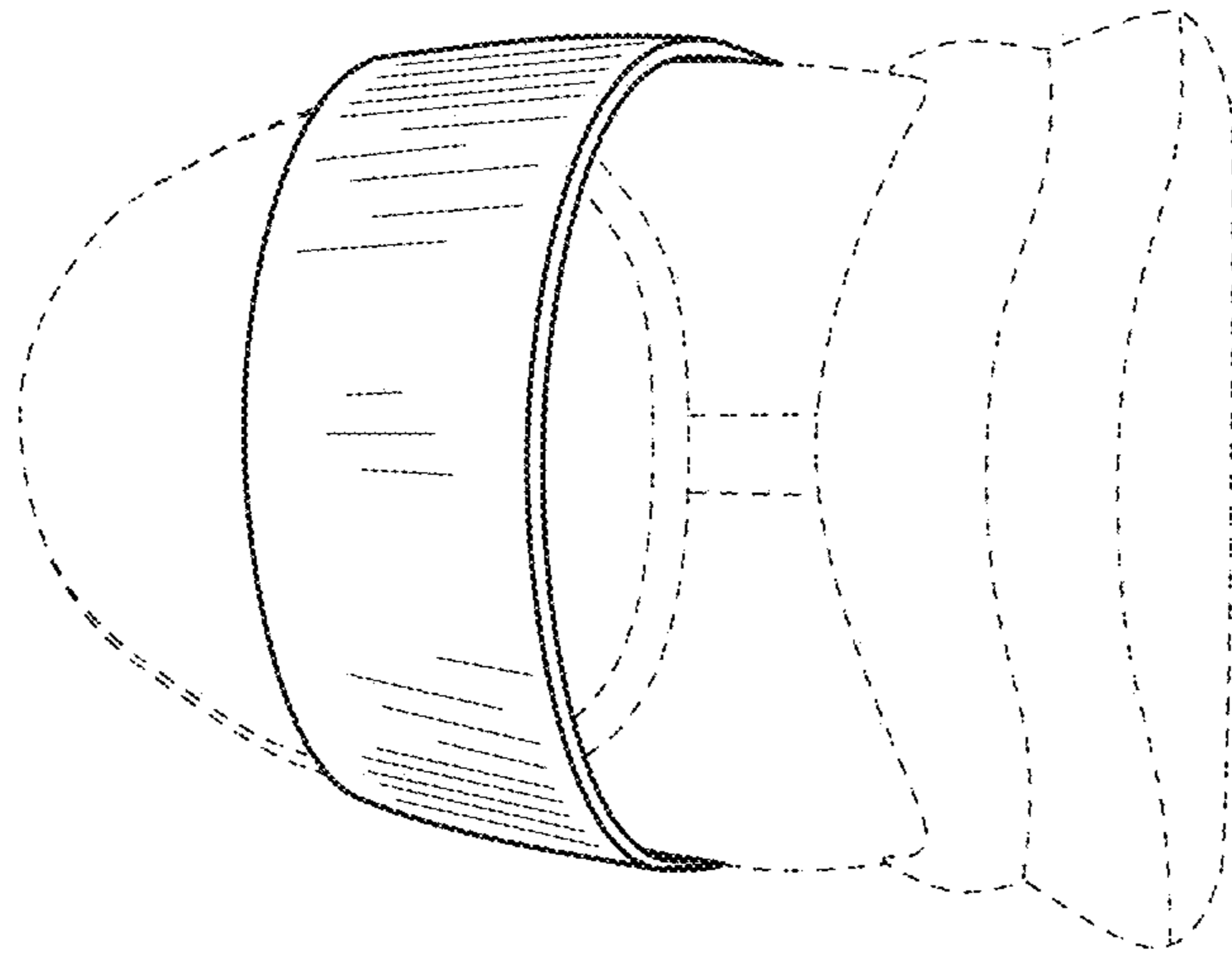


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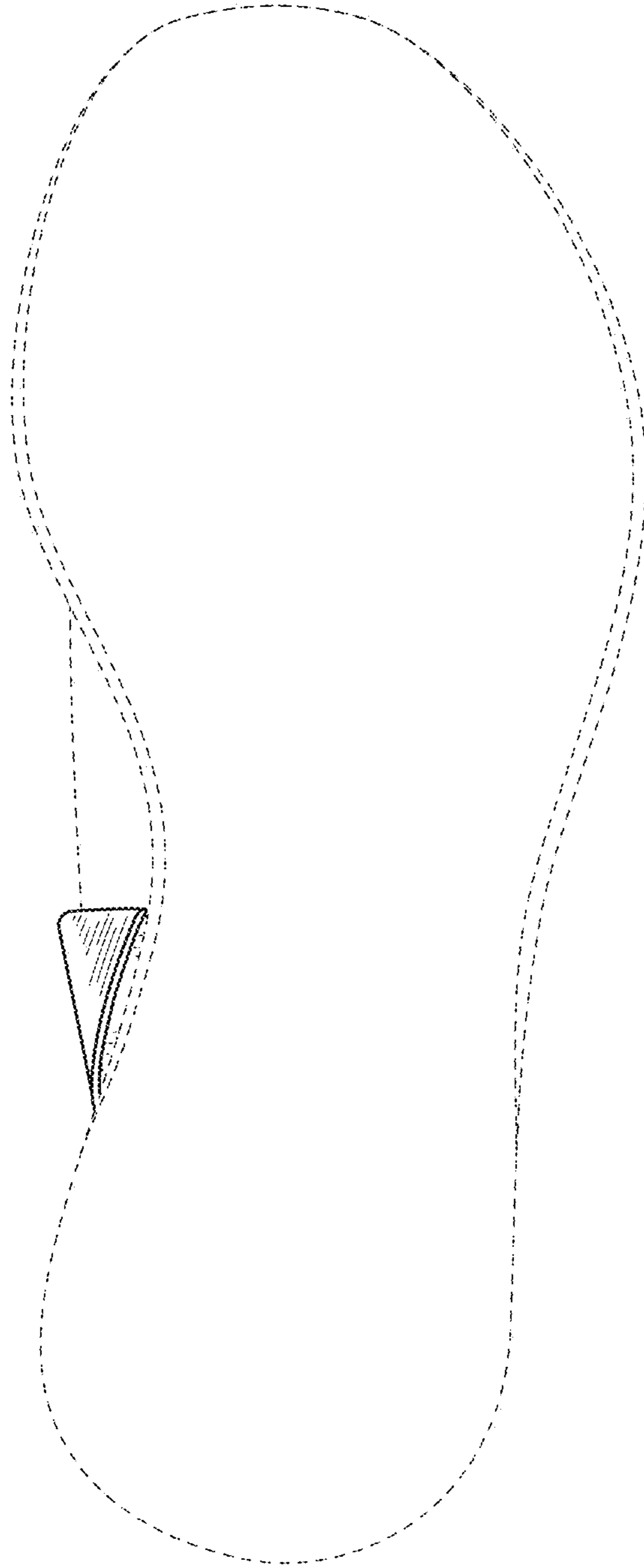


FIG. 14