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(54) **MULTIPORT TERMINAL FOR MAKING OPTICAL CONNECTIONS**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a multiport terminal for making optical connections, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. **1** is a top perspective view of a first embodiment of a multiport terminal for making optical connections showing our new design;
FIG. **2** is a bottom perspective view thereof of FIG. **1**;
FIG. **3** is a front view thereof of FIG. **1**;
FIG. **4** is a rear view thereof of FIG. **1**;
FIG. **5** is a right side view thereof of FIG. **1**;
FIG. **6** is a left side view thereof of FIG. **1**;
FIG. **7** is a top view thereof of FIG. **1**; and
FIG. **8** is a bottom view thereof of FIG. **1**.
FIG. **9** is a top perspective view of a second embodiment of a multiport terminal for making optical connections showing our new design;
FIG. **10** is a bottom perspective view thereof of FIG. **9**;
FIG. **11** is a front view thereof of FIG. **9**;
FIG. **12** is a rear view thereof of FIG. **9**;
FIG. **13** is a right side view thereof of FIG. **9**;
FIG. **14** is a left side view thereof of FIG. **9**;
FIG. **15** is a top view thereof of FIG. **9**; and
FIG. **16** is a bottom view thereof of FIG. **9**.
FIG. **17** is a top perspective view of a third embodiment of a multiport terminal for making optical connections showing our new design;
FIG. **18** is a bottom perspective view thereof of FIG. **17**;
FIG. **19** is a front view thereof of FIG. **17**;
FIG. **20** is a rear view thereof of FIG. **17**;
FIG. **21** is a right side view thereof of FIG. **17**;
FIG. **22** is a left side view thereof of FIG. **17**;
FIG. **23** is a top view thereof of FIG. **17**; and,
FIG. **24** is a bottom view thereof of FIG. **17**.

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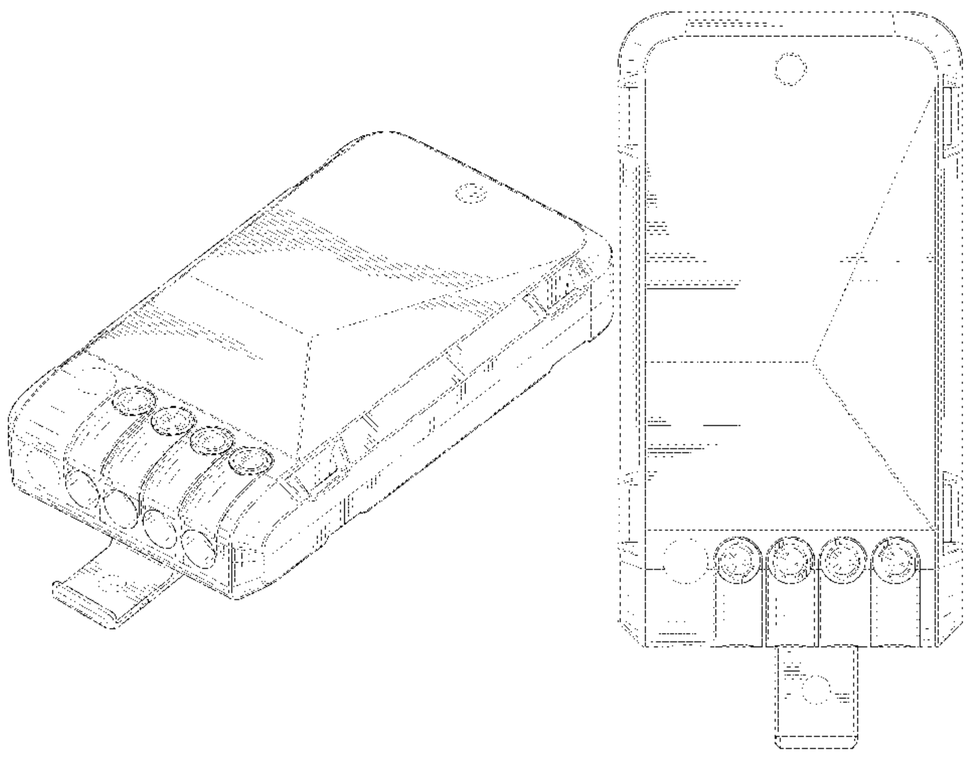

In FIGS. **1-25**, the evenly-spaced broken lines are included for the purpose of illustrating environmental structure and form no part of the claimed design.

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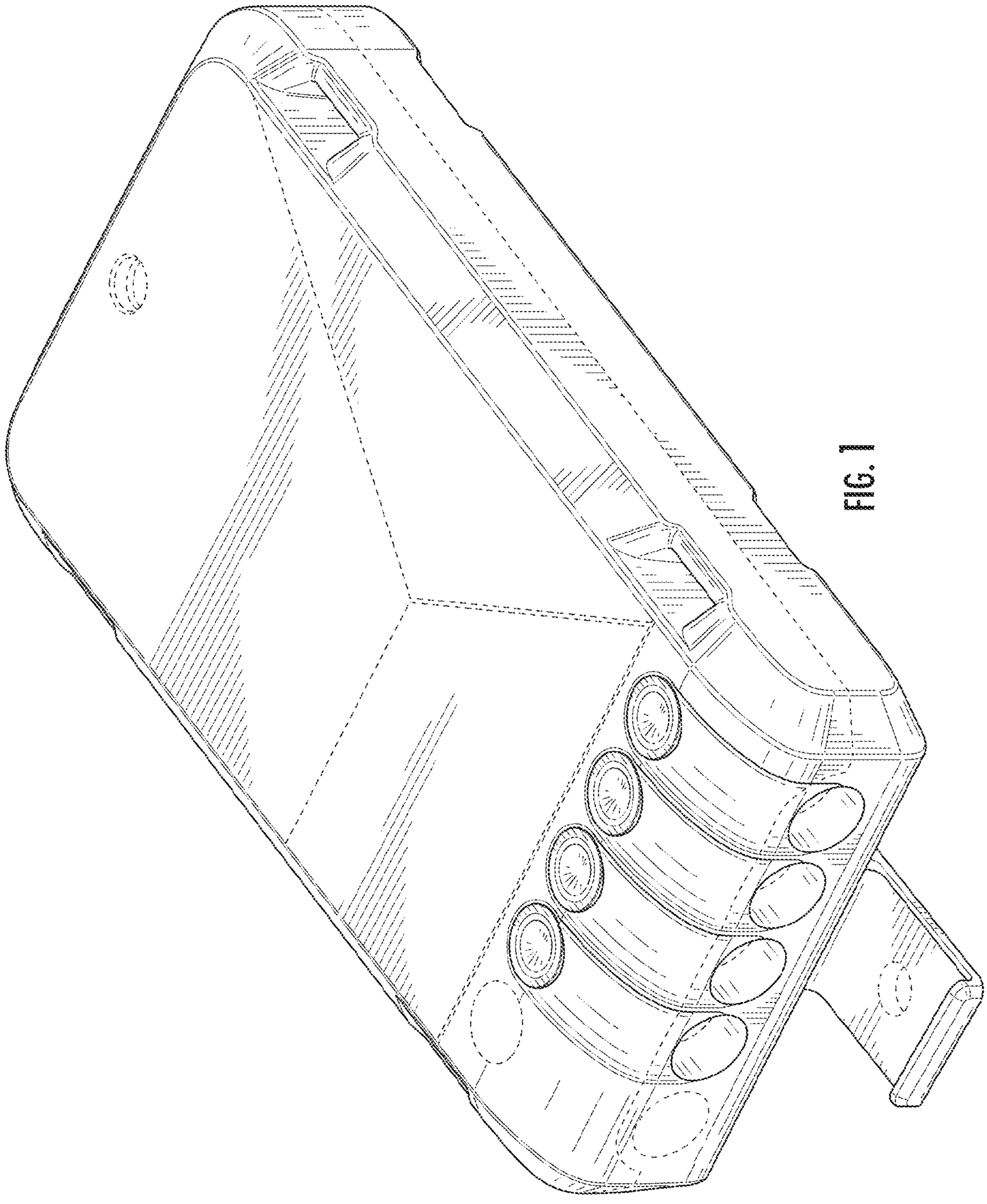

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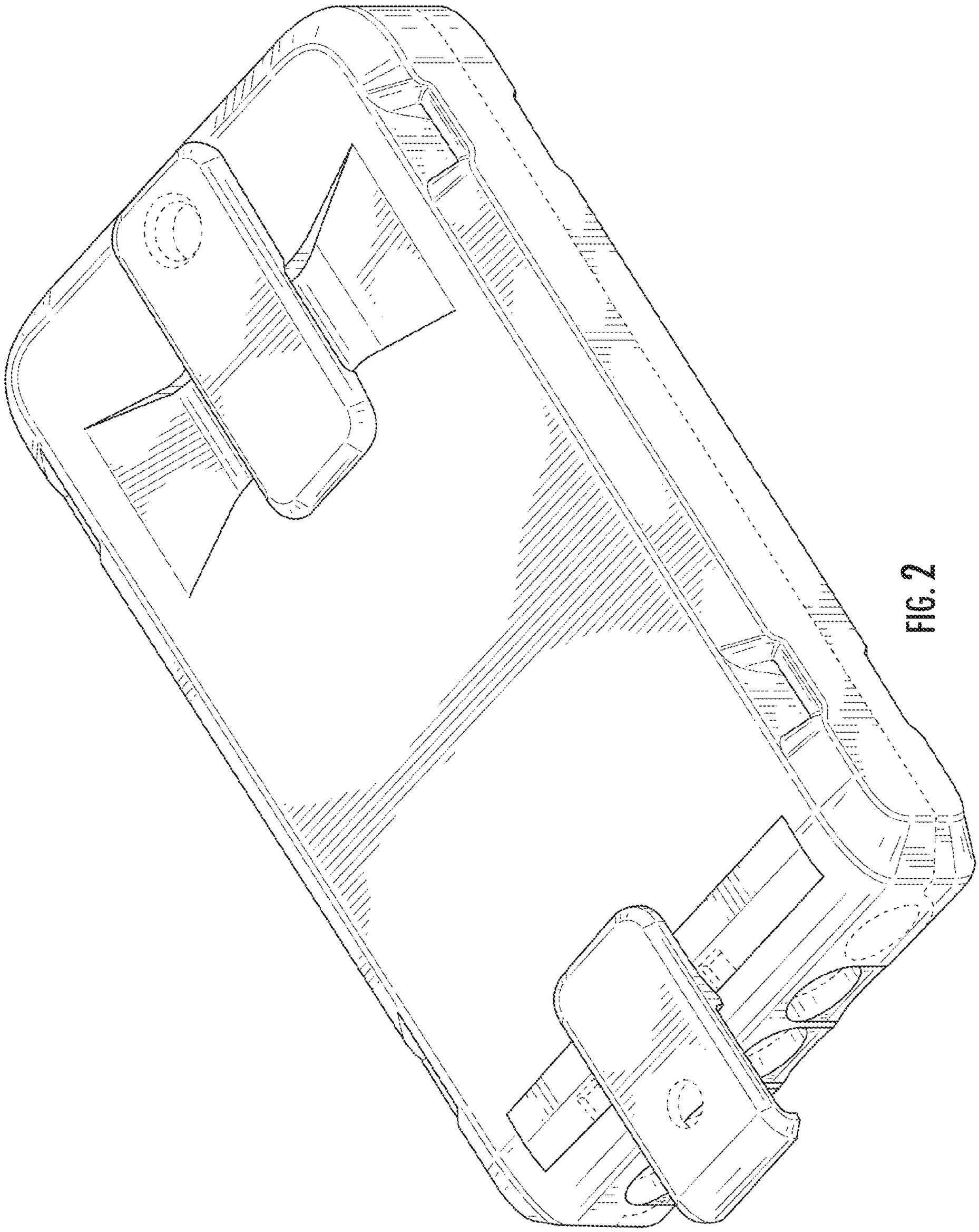

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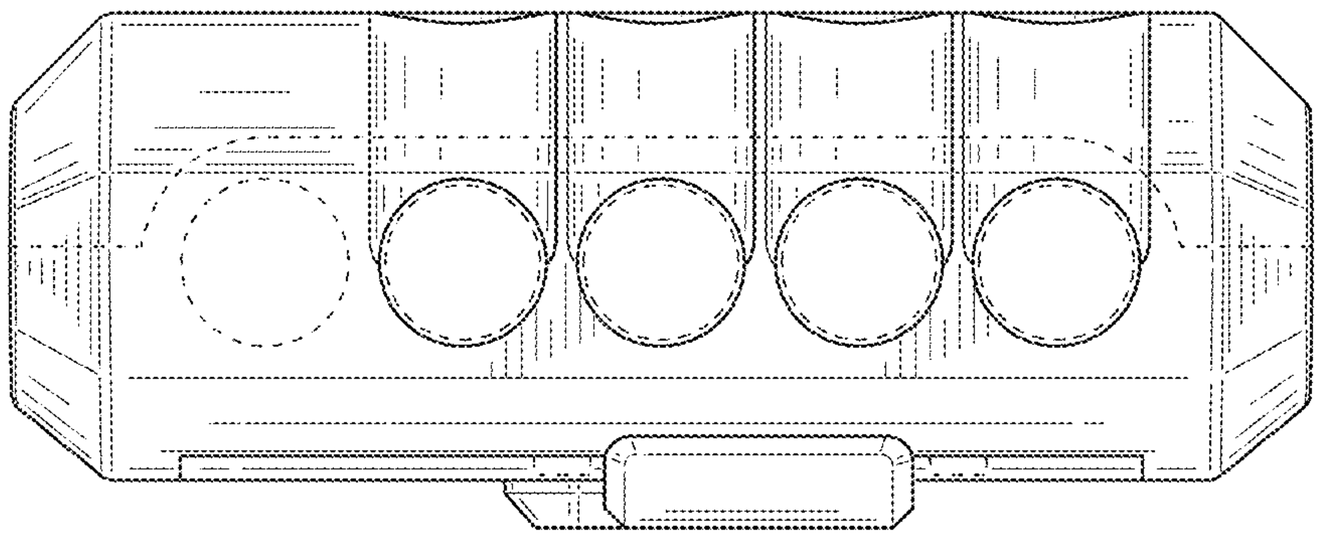

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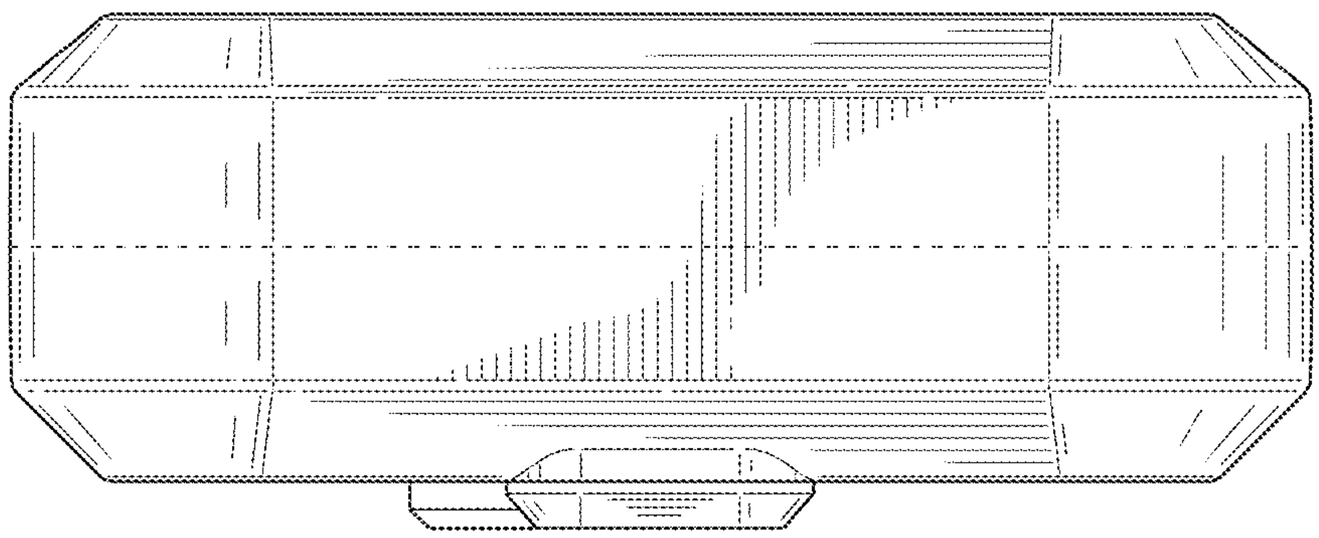

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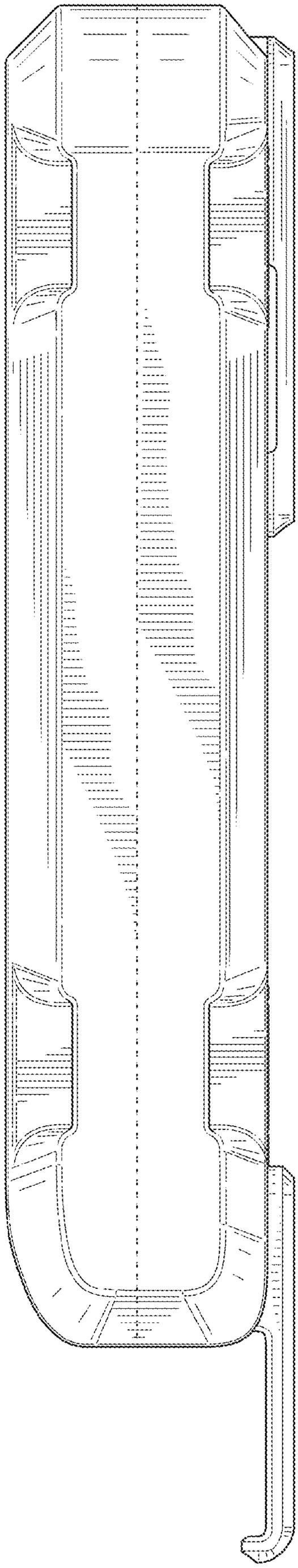

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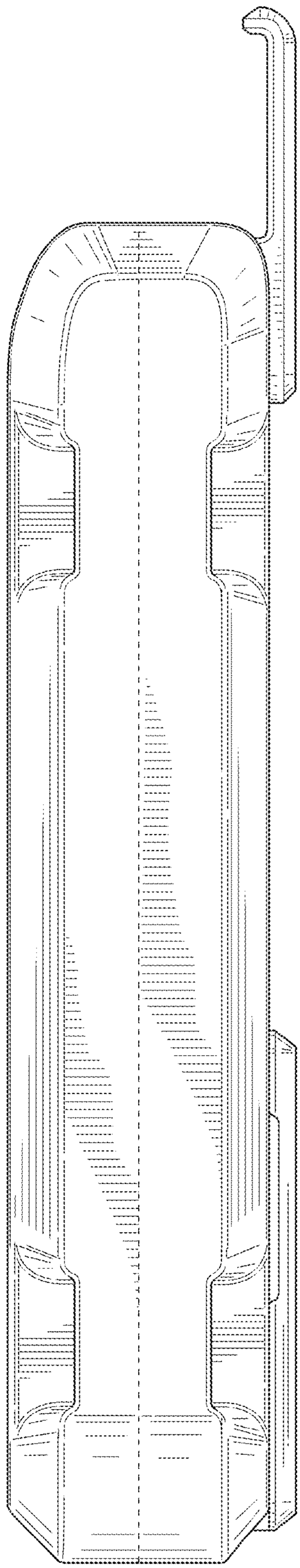

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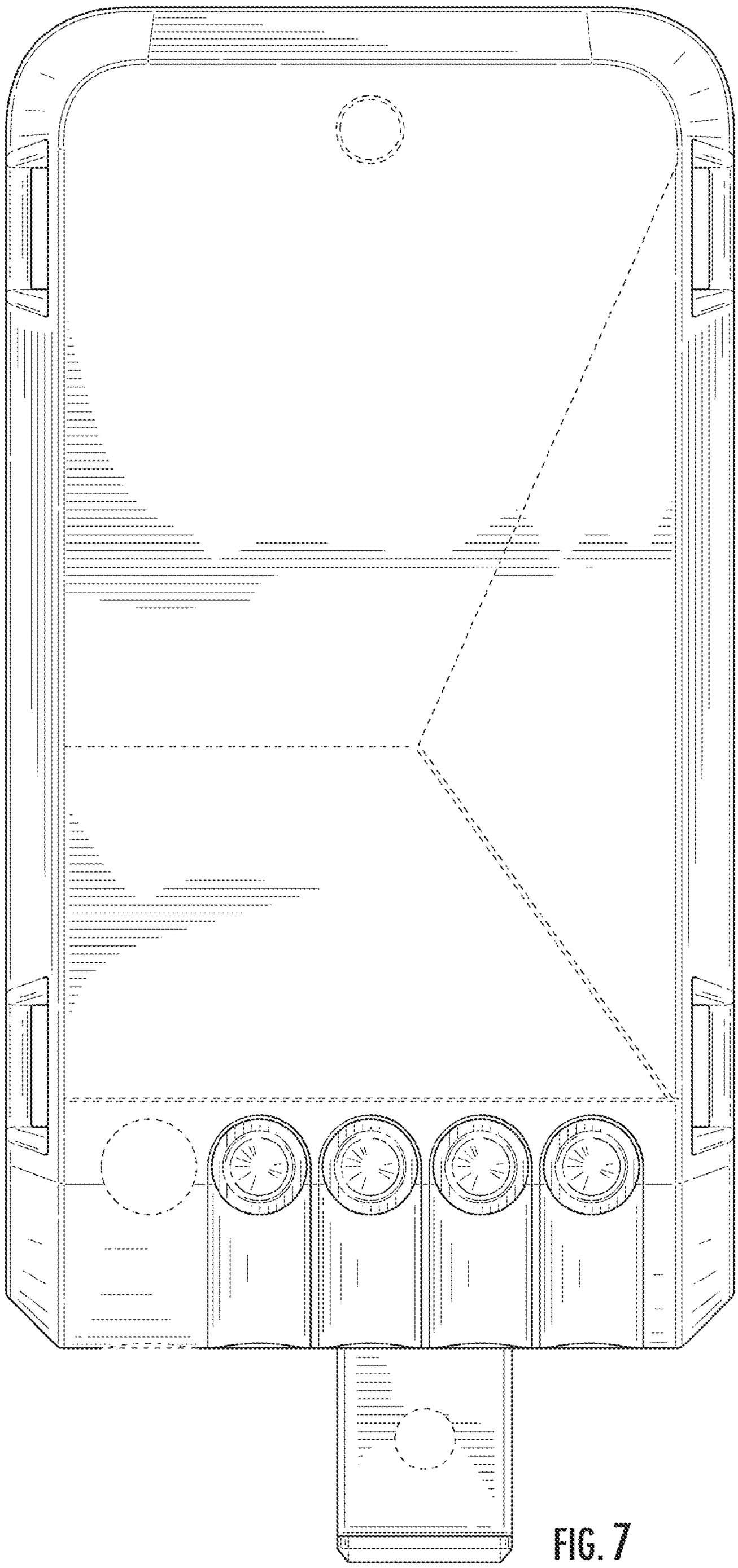

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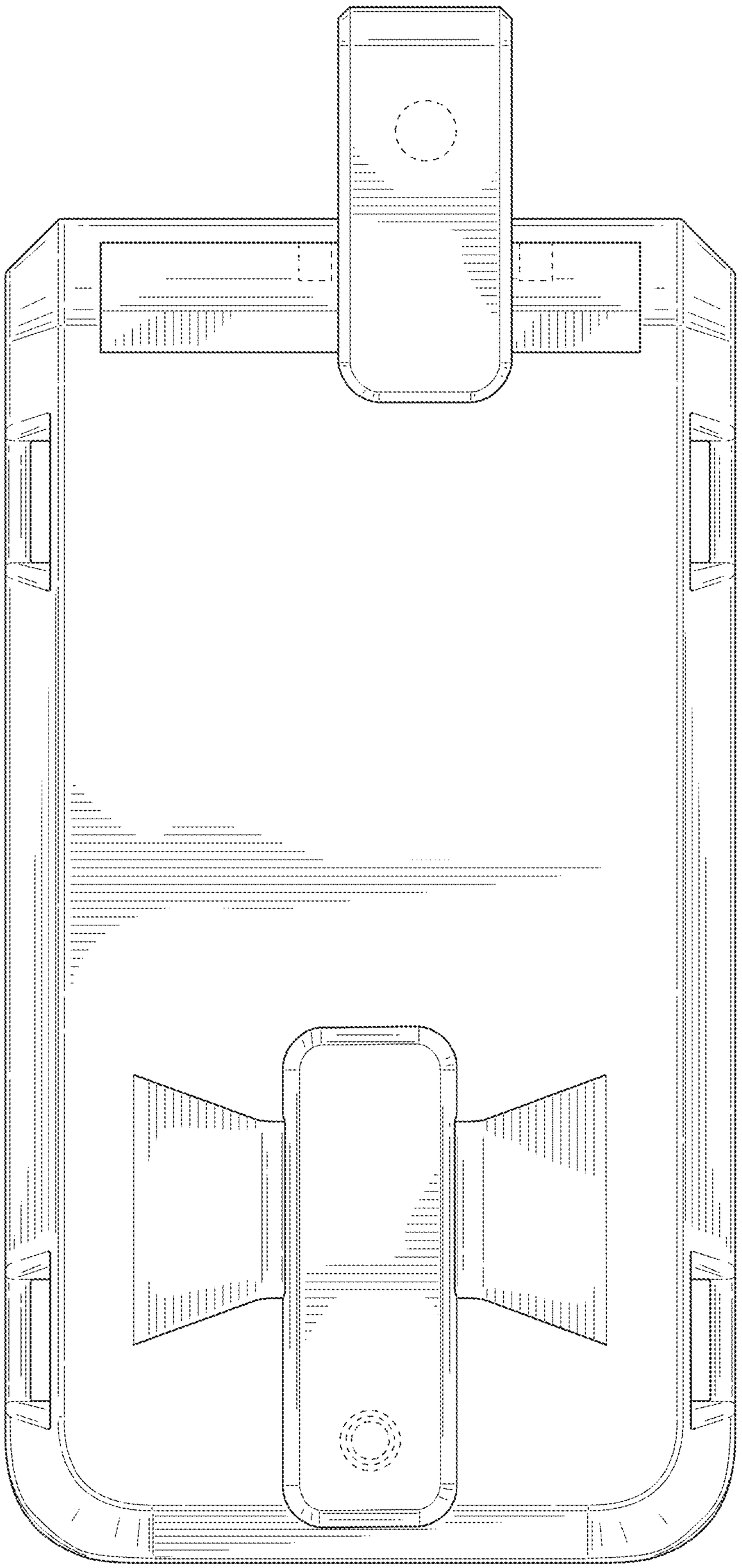

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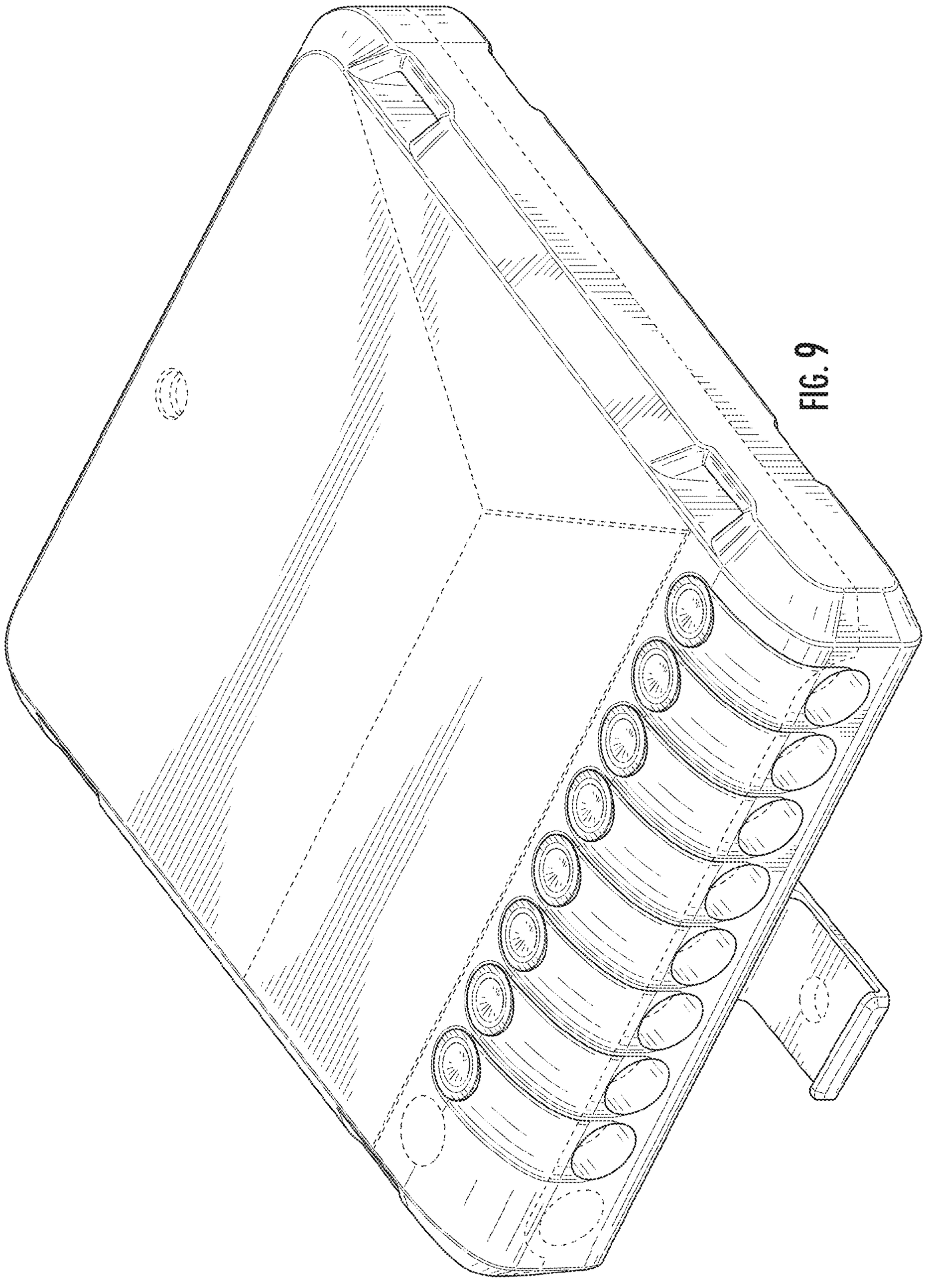

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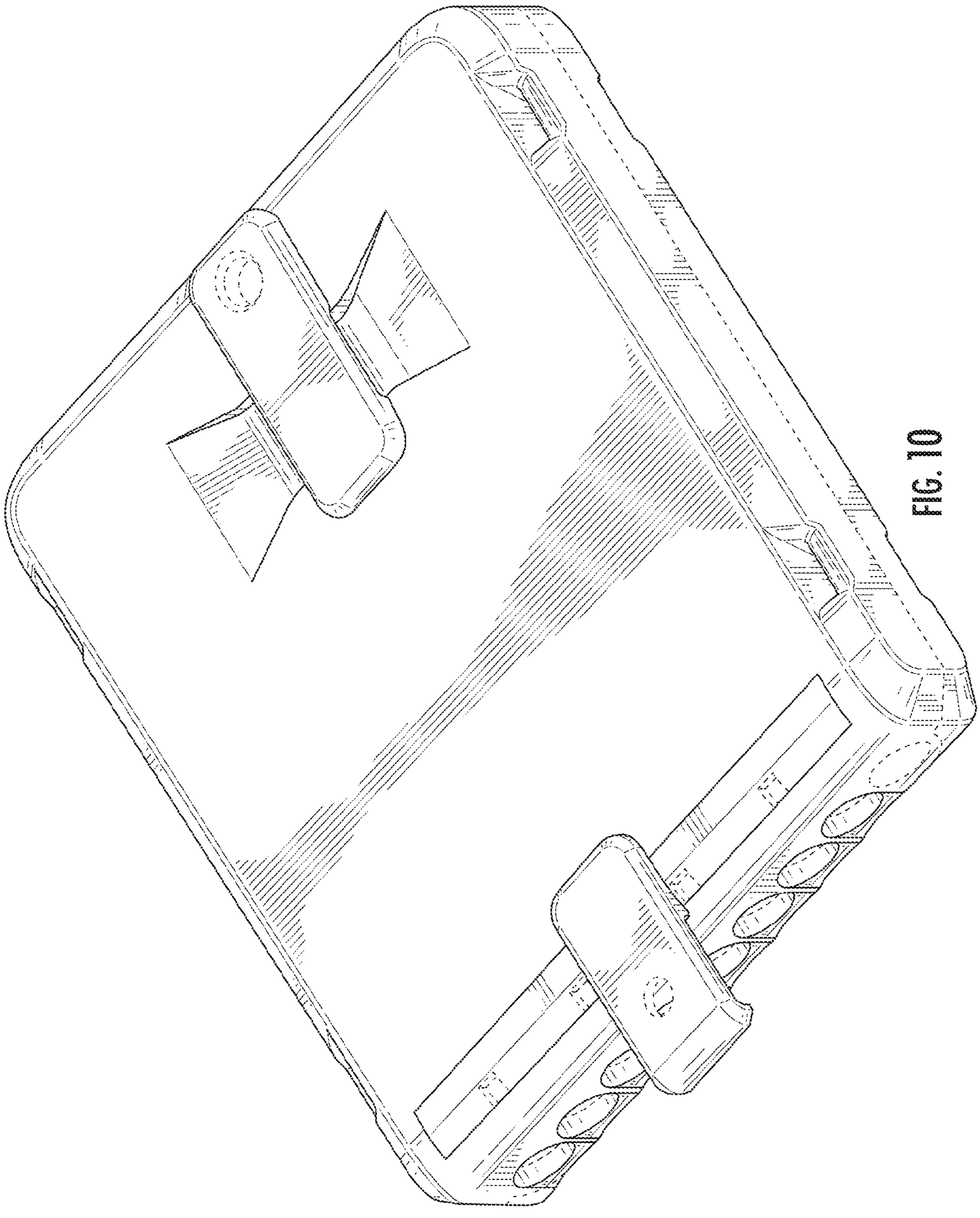

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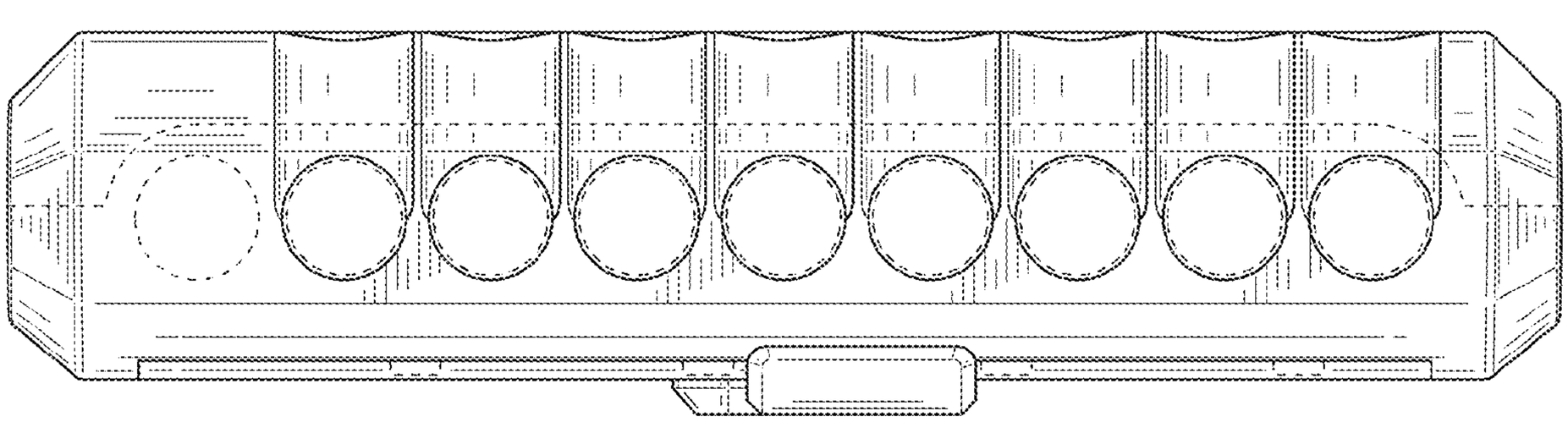

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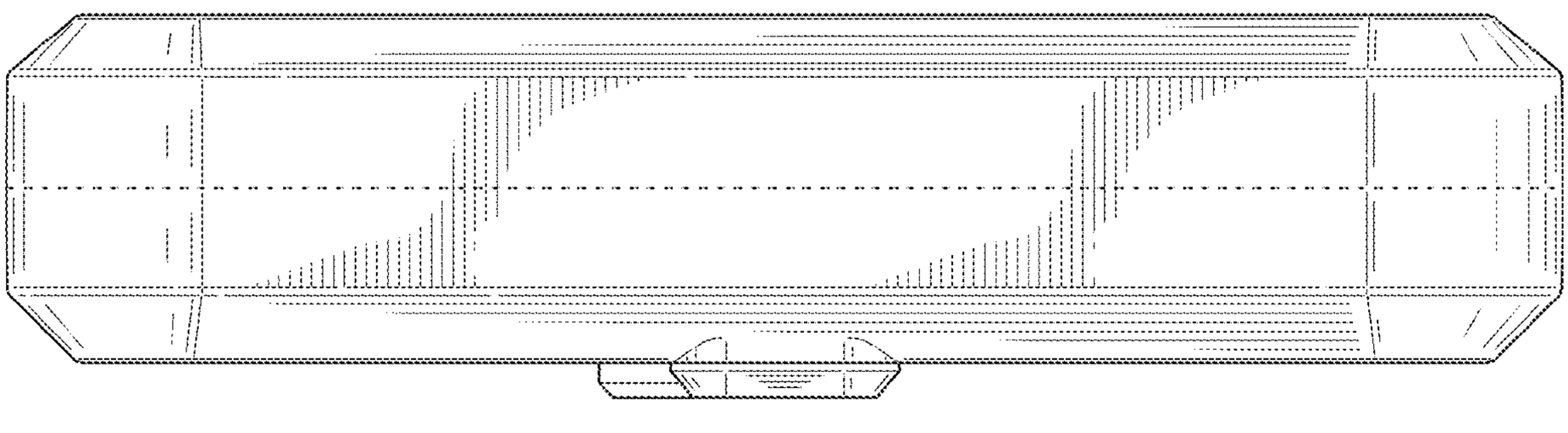

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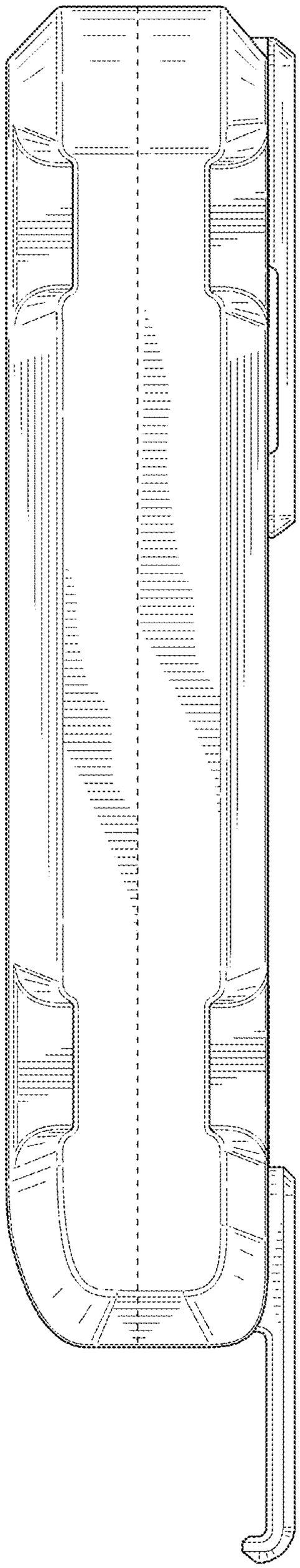

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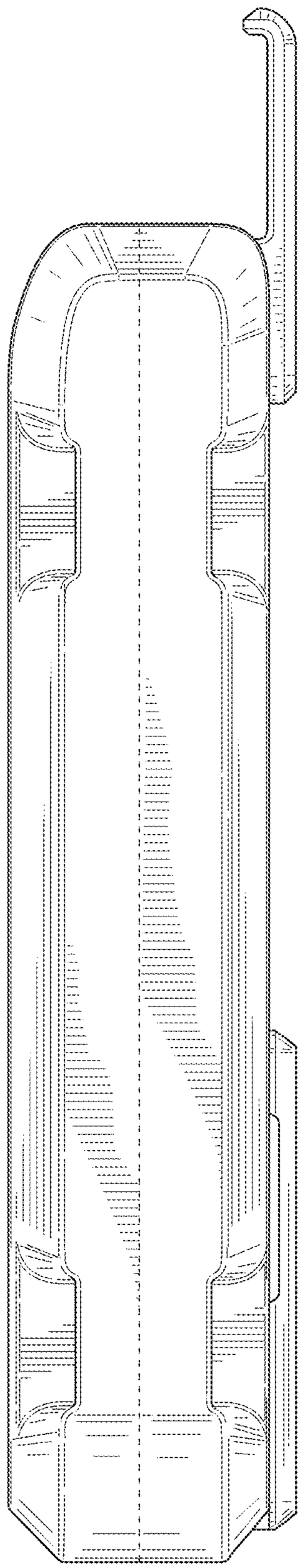

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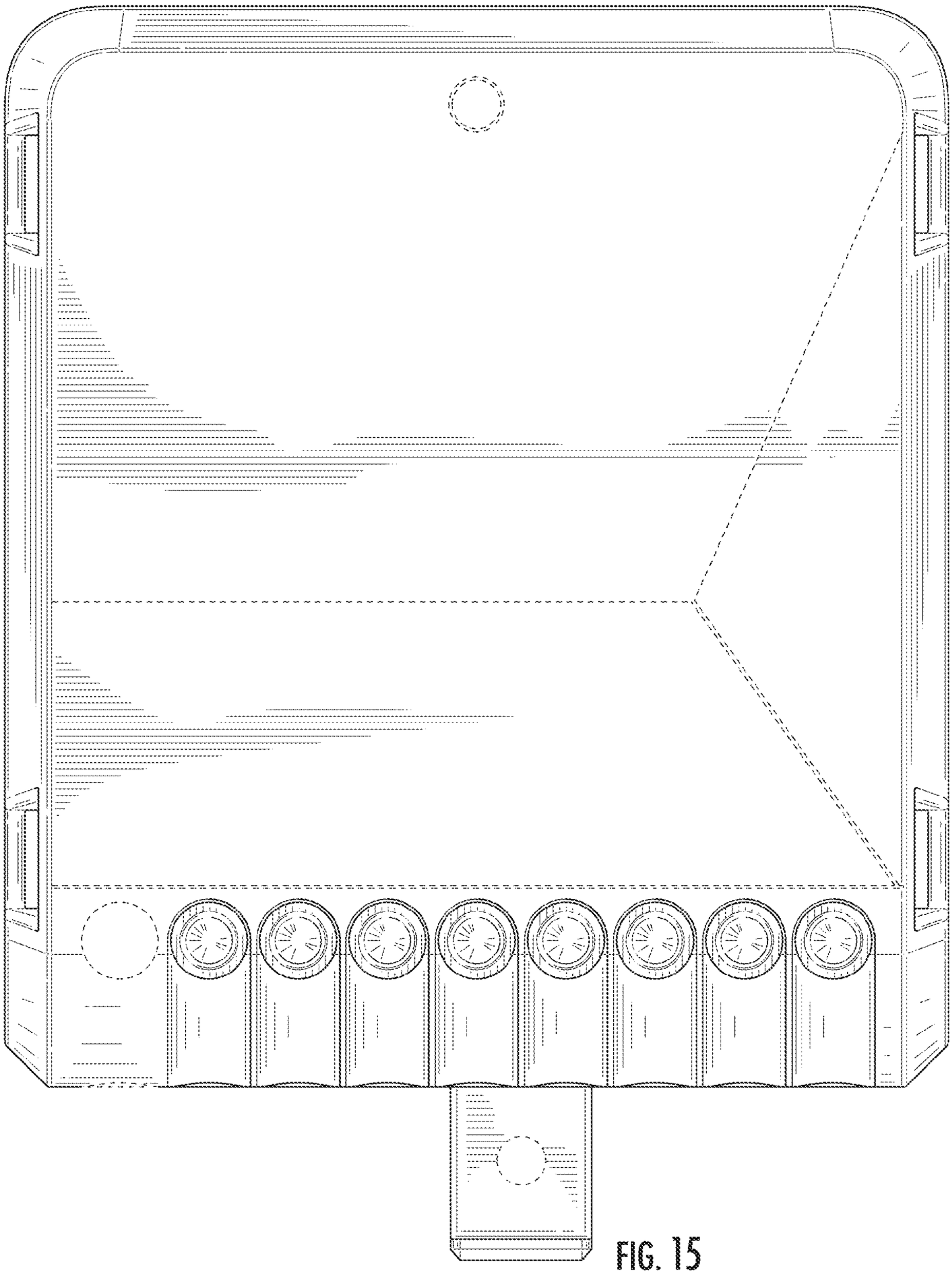

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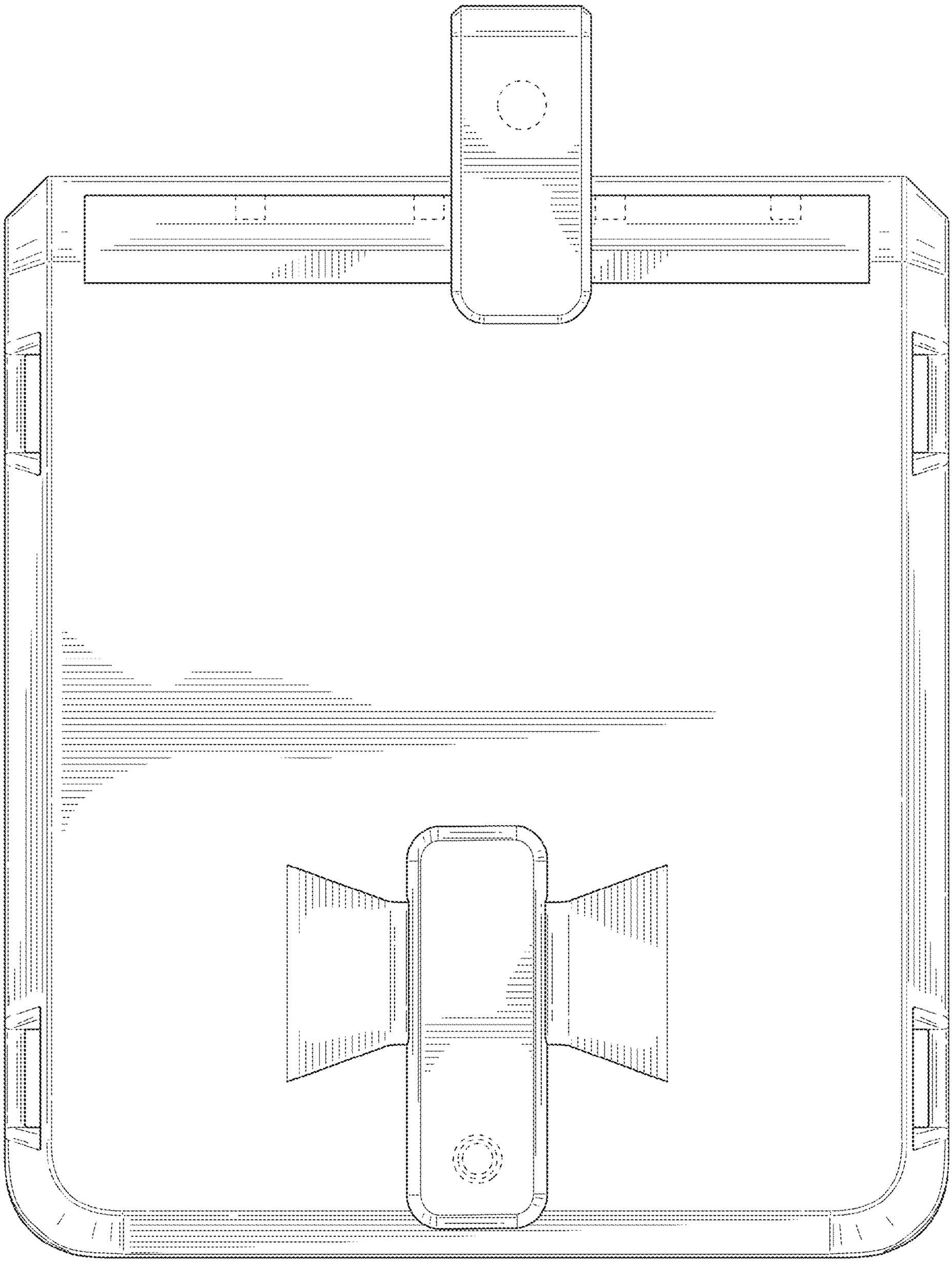

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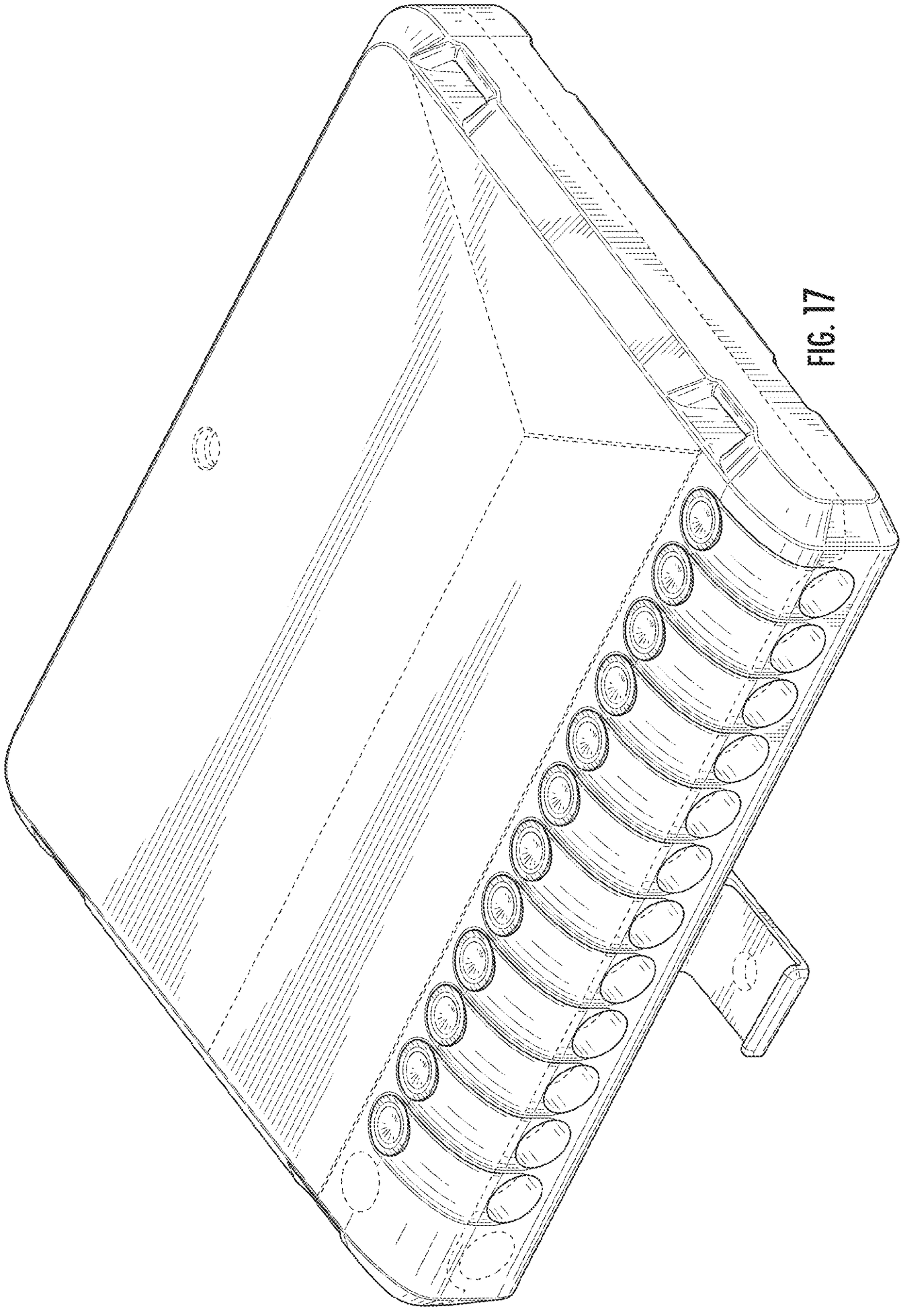

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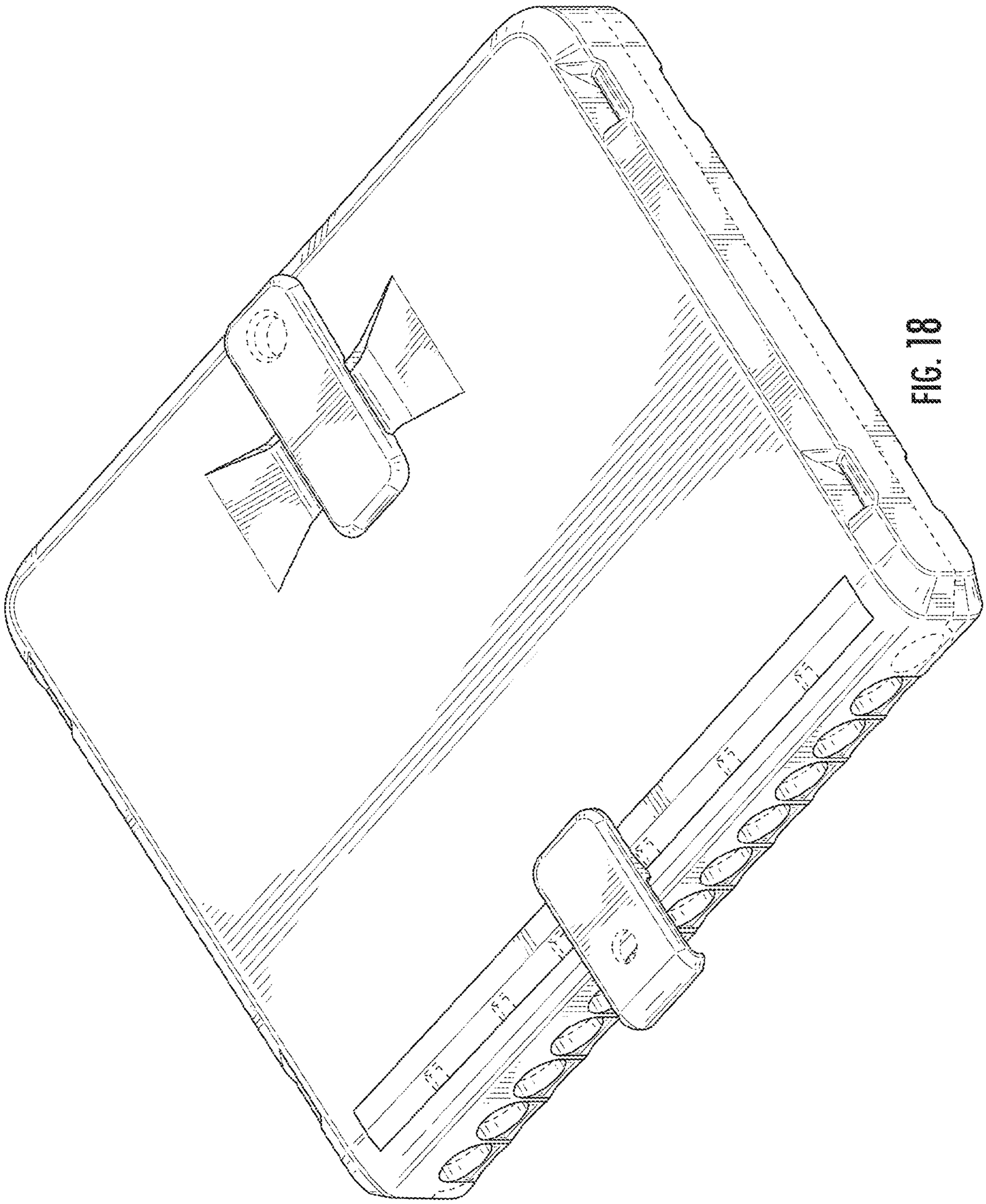

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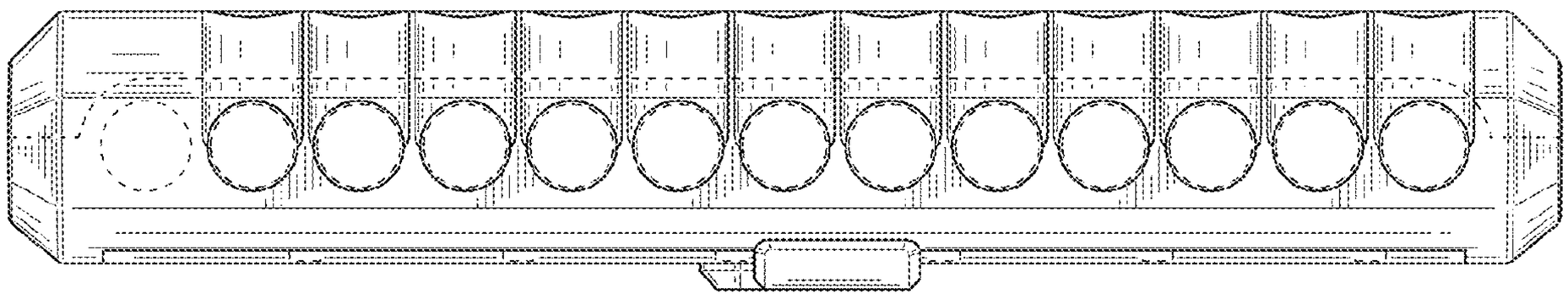

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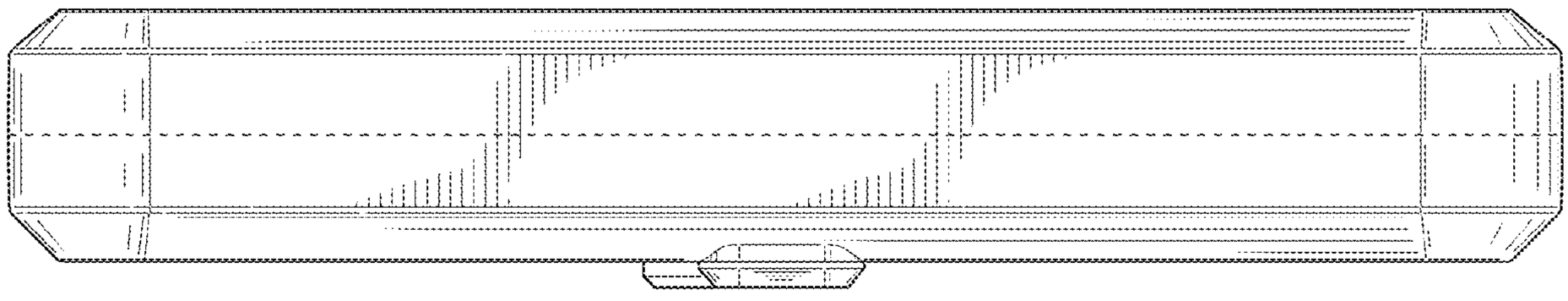

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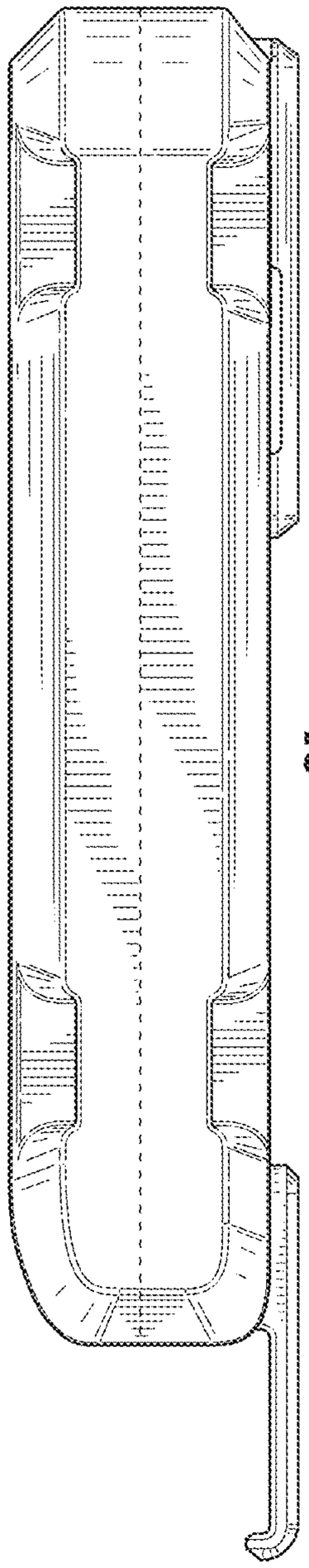

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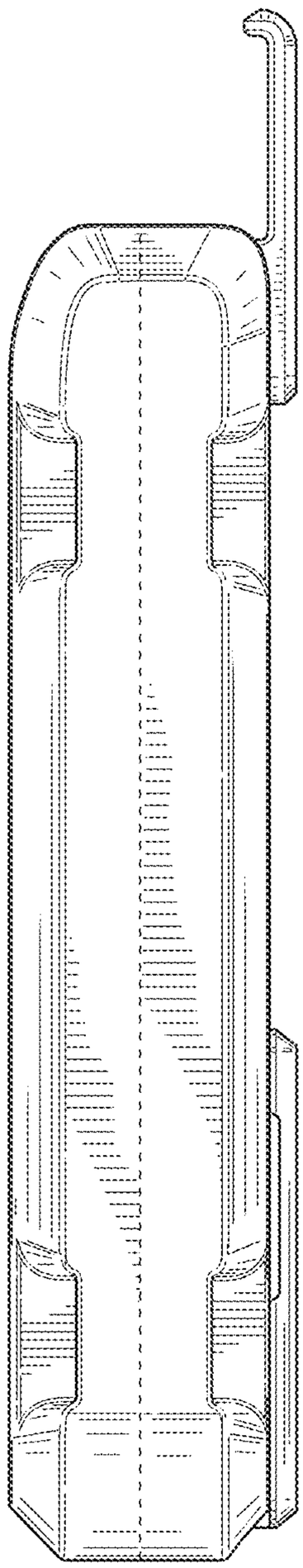

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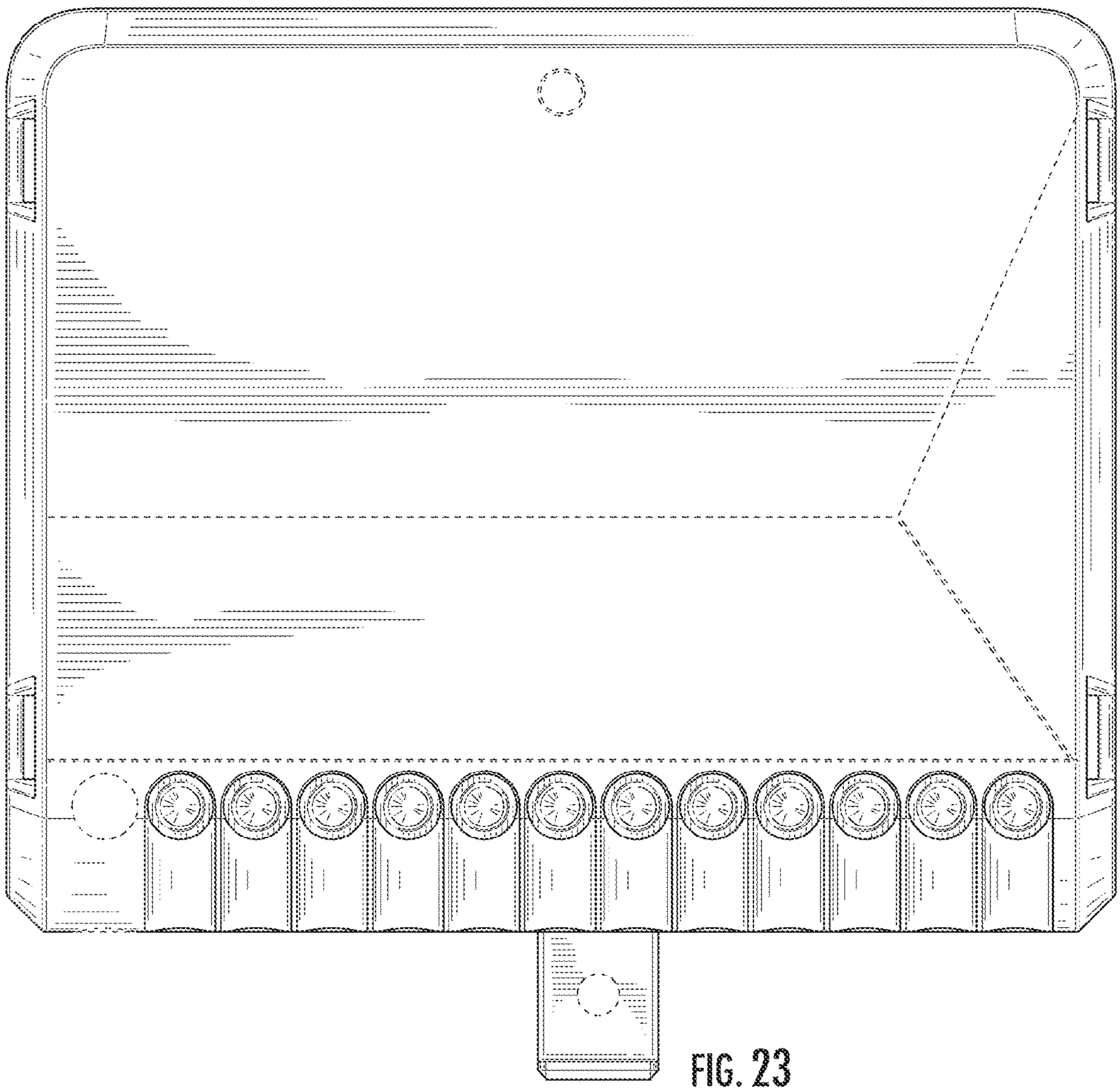

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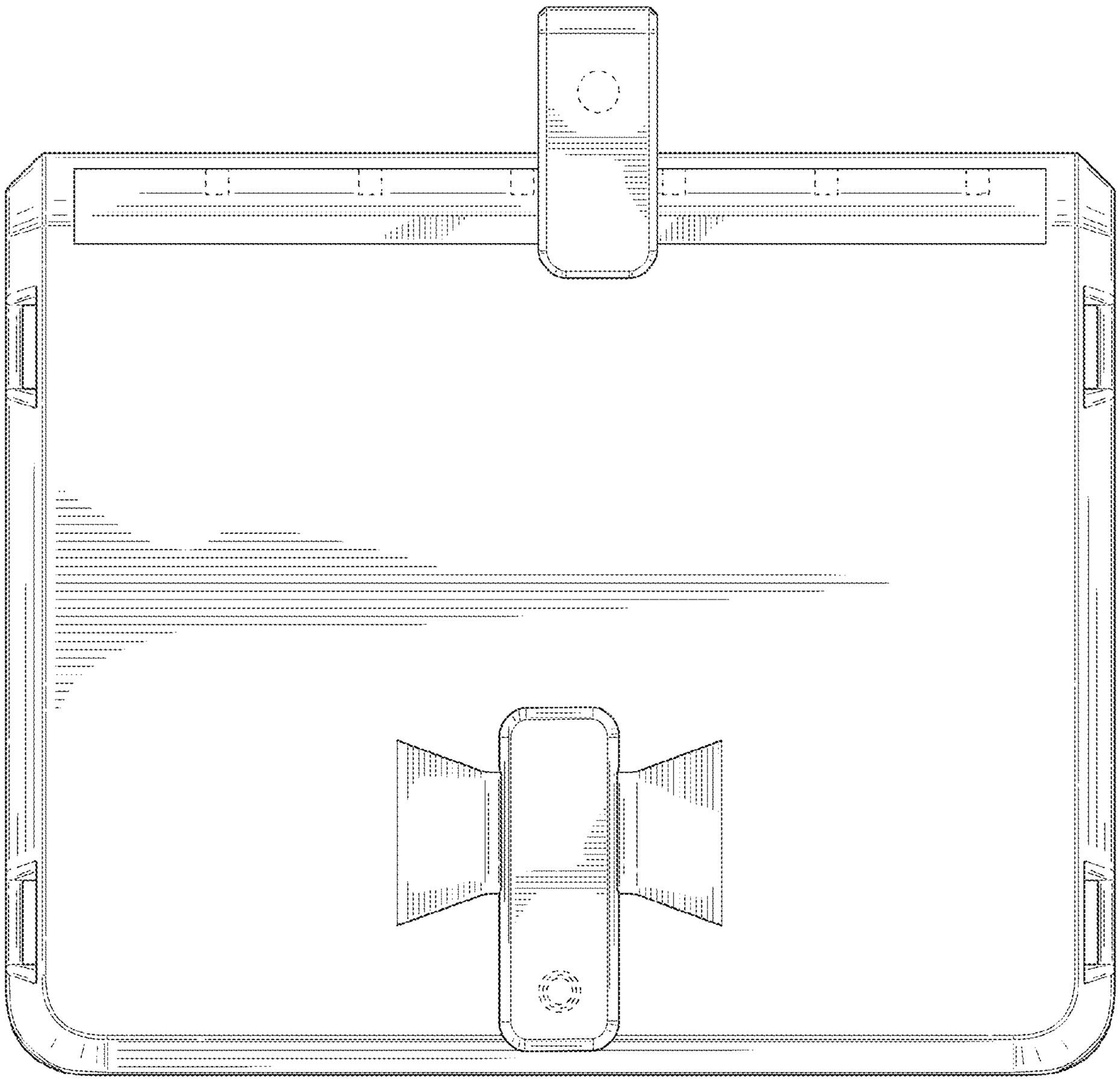

FIG. 24

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CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

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Column 2, Item (56), Other Publications, Line 1, delete "closure" and insert -- closures --, therefor.

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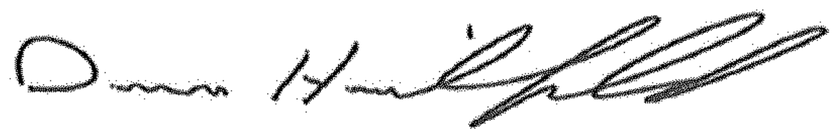

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