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(54) **SET OF TOILET RIM-BLOCKS**

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(57) **CLAIM**
The ornamental design for a set of toilet rim-blocks, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

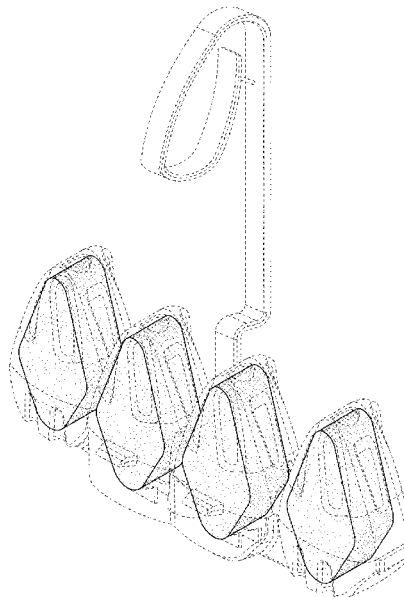
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FIG. 1 is a top, front, right perspective view of a set of toilet rim-blocks showing our new design in its exemplary environment;
FIG. 2 is a front view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a rear view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a left side view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a right side view thereof;
FIG. 6 is a top view thereof; and,
FIG. 7 is a bottom view thereof.
The broken lines showing a set of toilet rim-block holder depicts environment which forms no part of the claimed design.

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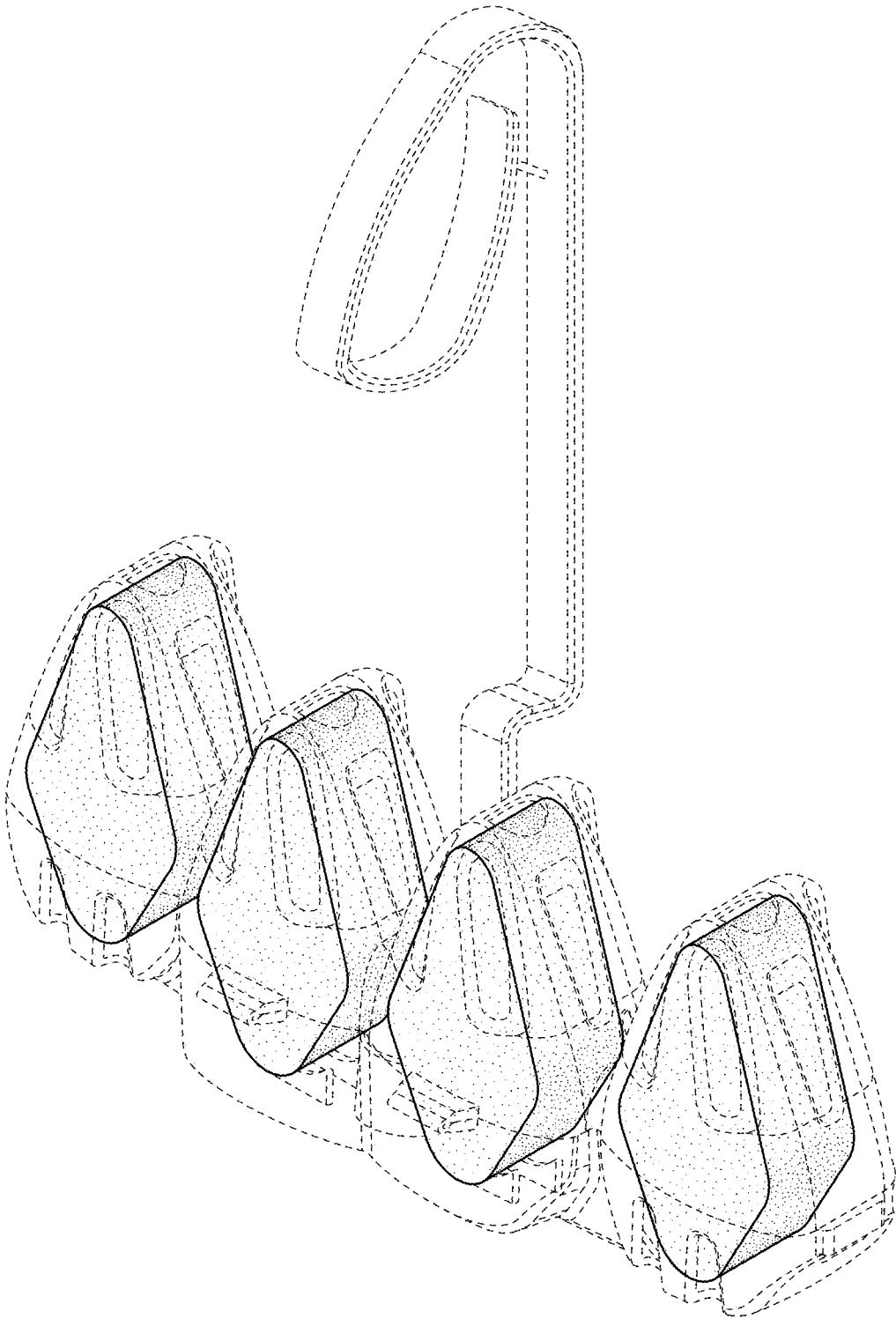


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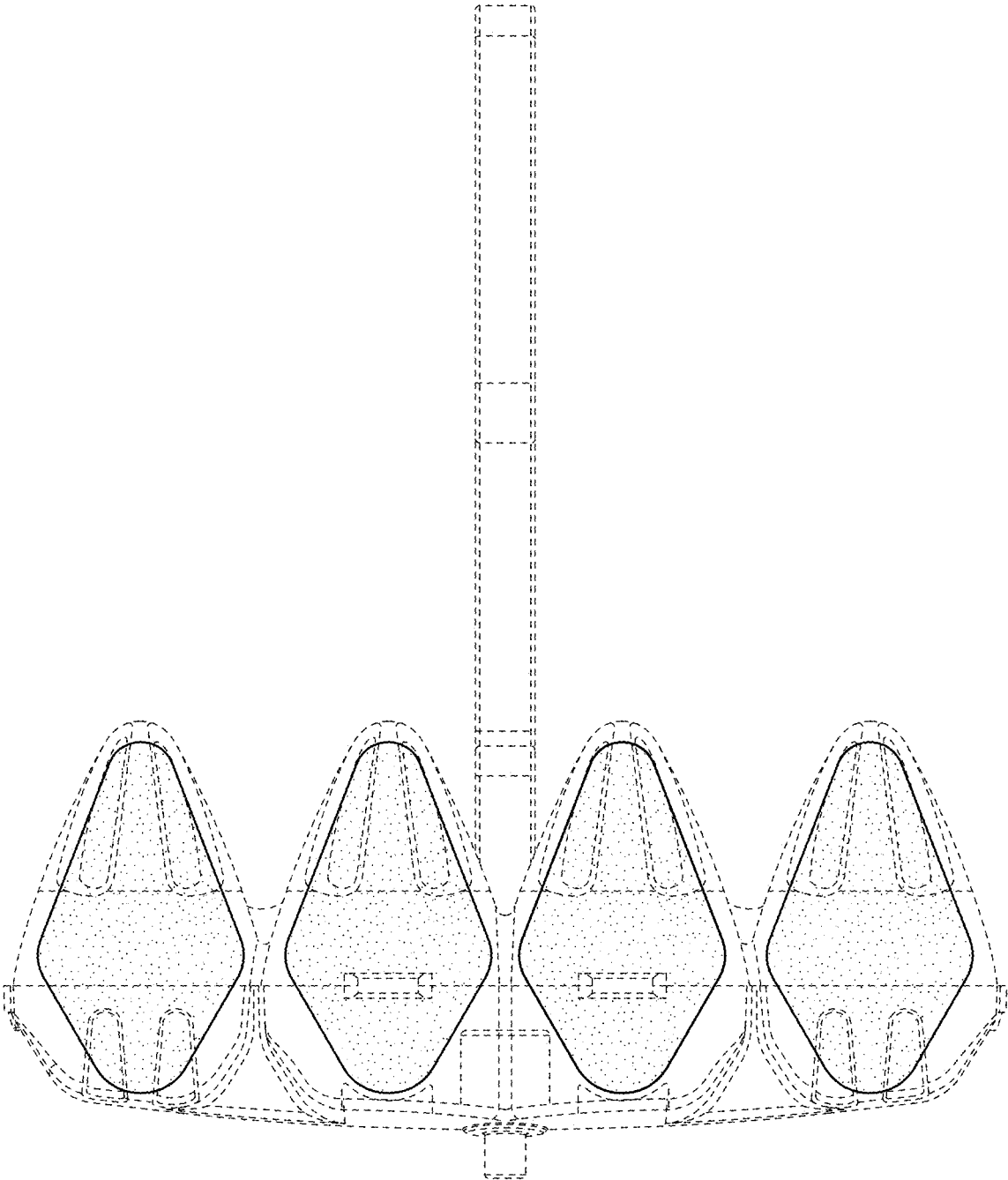


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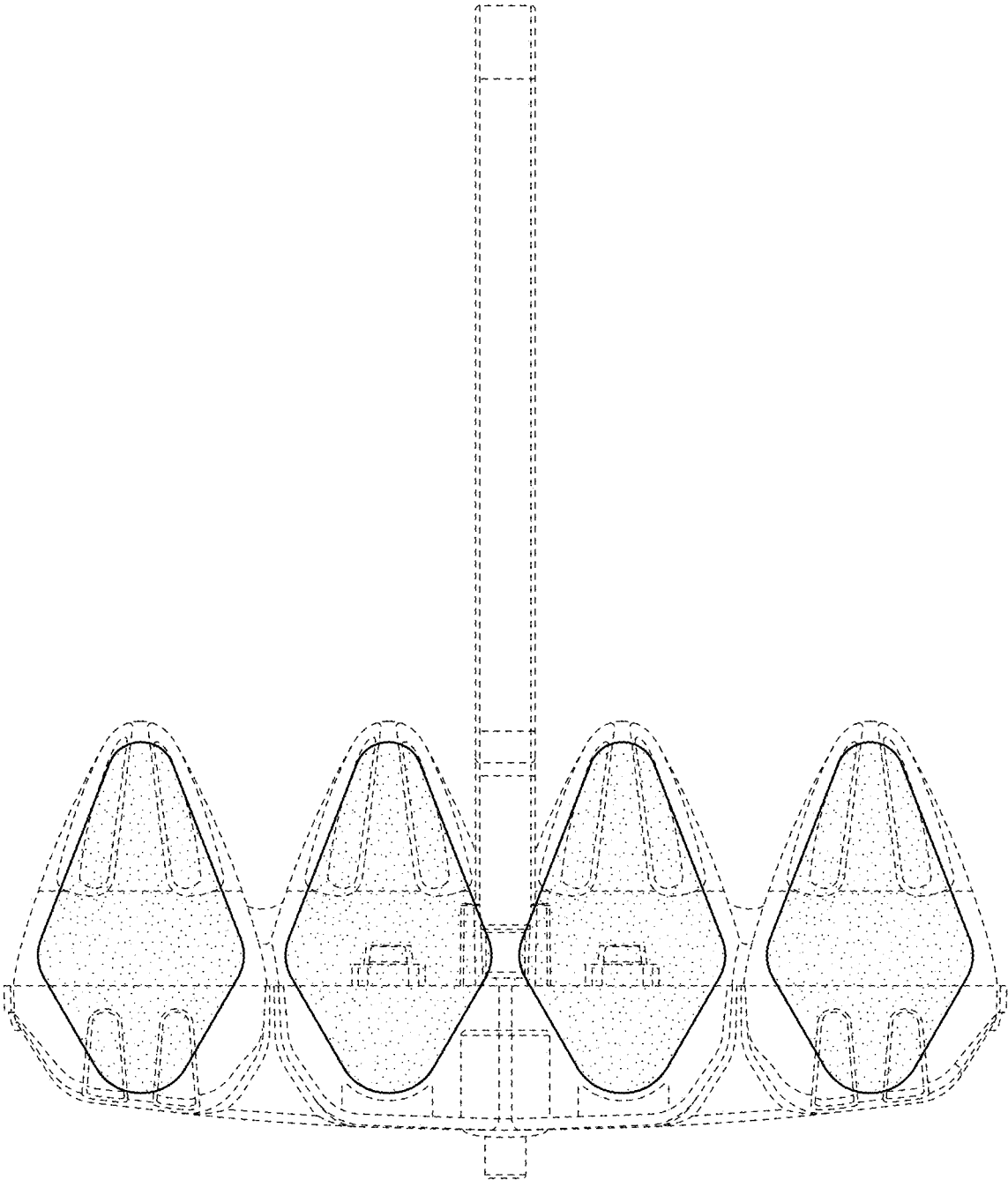


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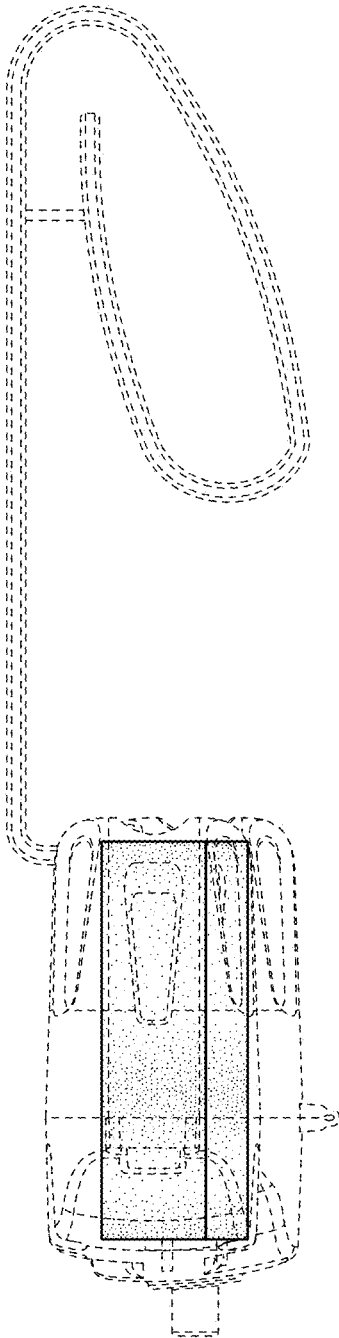


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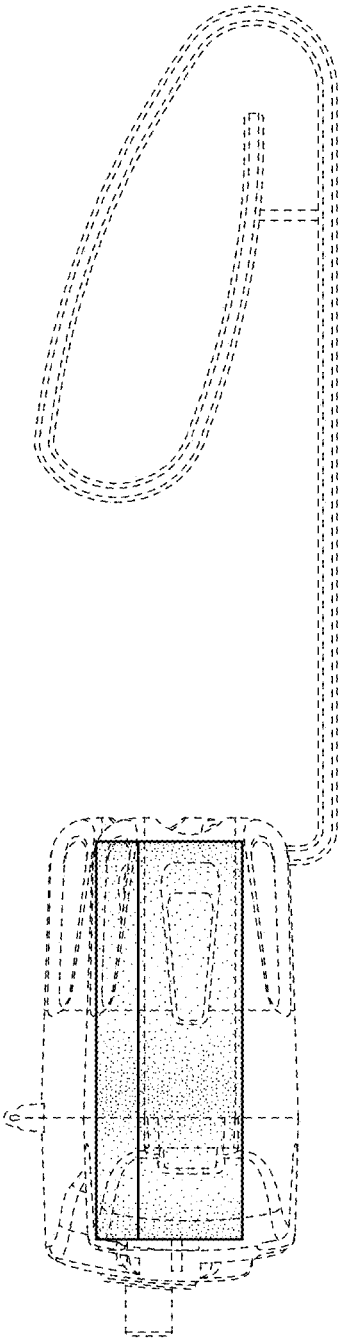


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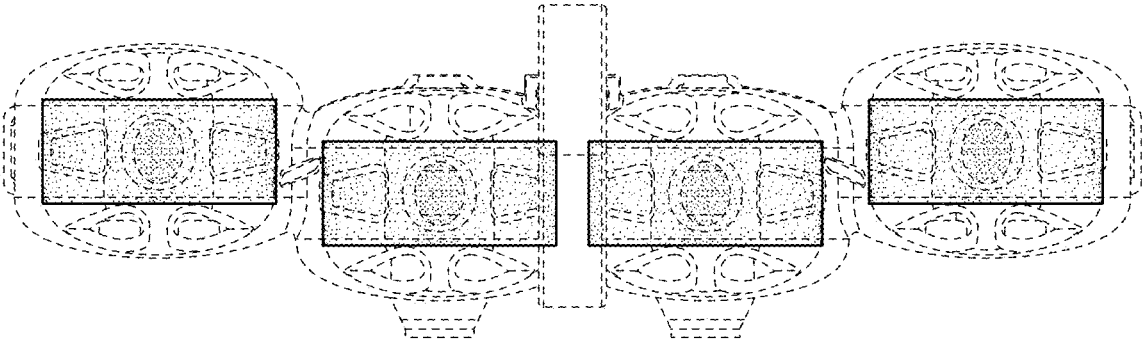


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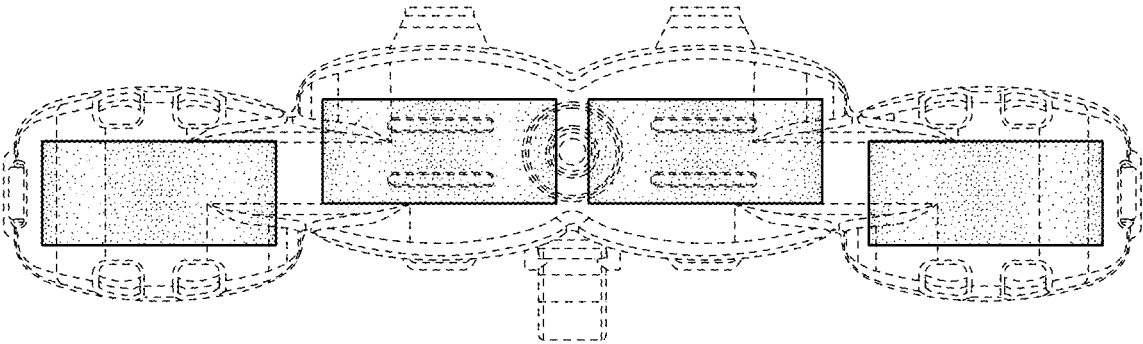


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