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The ornamental design for an organ protection layer, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of an organ protection layer.

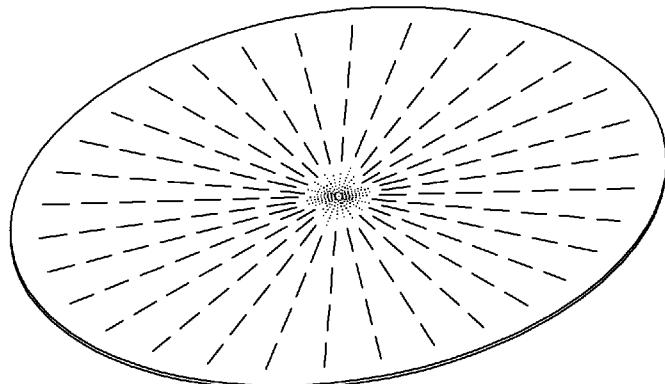
FIG. 2 is a top plan view of the organ protection layer of FIG. 1.

FIG. 3 is a bottom plan view of the organ protection layer of FIG. 1.

FIG. 4 is a right or left side elevation view of the organ protection layer of FIG. 1; and,

FIG. 5 is a front or rear elevation view of the organ protection layer of FIG. 1.

The dotted lines in the center of the organ protection layer form no part of the claimed design. The dashed lines radiating outward from the center of the organ protection layer illustrate a pattern of opening in the organ protection layer and form a part of the claimed design.

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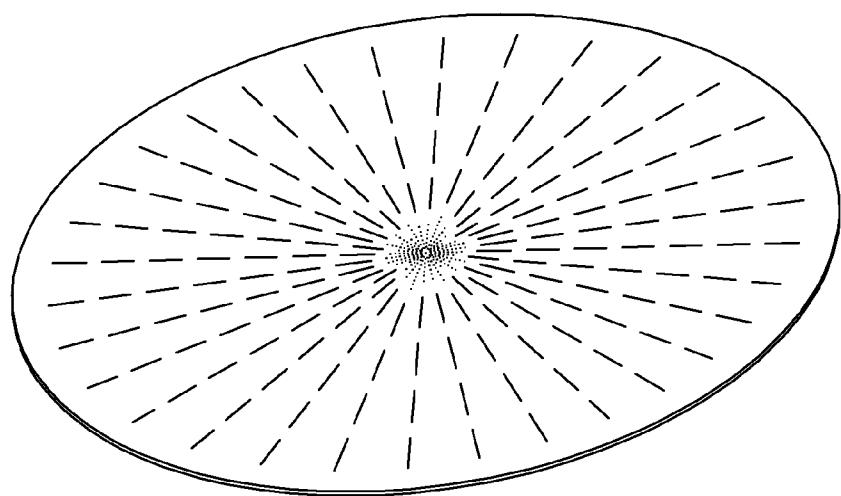
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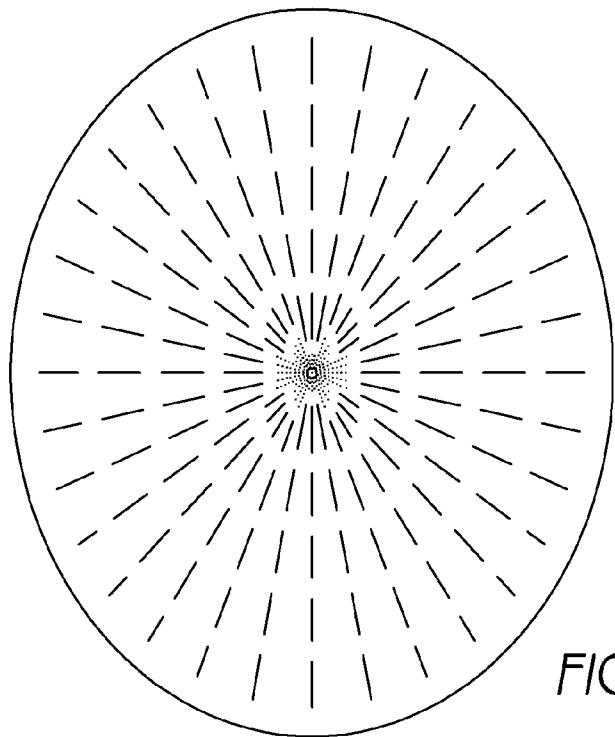
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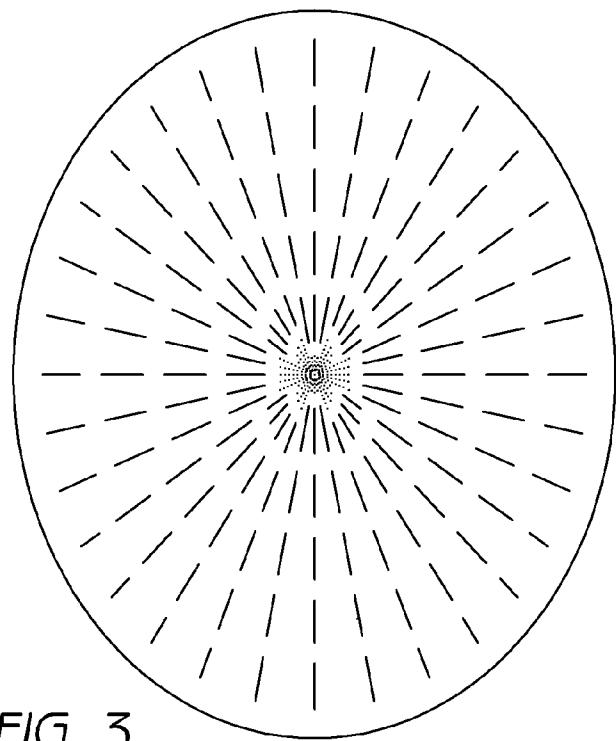
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*FIG. 1*



*FIG. 2*



*FIG. 3*



*FIG. 4*

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*FIG. 5*