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(54) **AUTOMOBILE HOOD HINGE**

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The ornamental design for an automobile hood hinge, as shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

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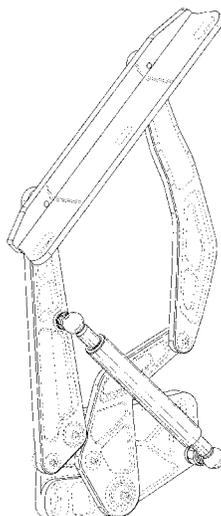
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FIG. 1 is a right, perspective view of an automobile hood hinge showing our new ornamental design;
FIG. 2 is a top plan view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a right side elevation view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a front elevation view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a left side elevation view thereof;
FIG. 6 is a rear elevation view thereof; and,
FIG. 7 is a bottom plan view thereof.

The broken lines in the drawings illustrate portions of the automobile hood hinge and form no part of the claimed design.

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Screen captures of a Wayback Machine Internet Archive showing images of a 1970-1974 E-Body Billet Hood Hinge Kit—Solid Frame as published and offered for sale at least as early as Sep. 2, 2016, at the following URL: <http://ringbrothers.com/80/1970-1974-e-body-billethood-hinge-kit-solid-frame.html>; enlarged image of the hinge kit as published at the referenced URL address (2 pages).

Screen captures of a Wayback Machine Internet Archive showing images of a 1970-1974 E-Body Billet Hood Hinge Kit—Air Frame as published and offered for sale at least as early as Apr. 1, 2017 at the following URL: <https://ringbrothers.com/1970-1974-e-body-billet-hoodhinge-kit-air-frame.html>; enlarged image of the hinge kit as published at the referenced URL address (2 pages).

Screen captures of a wayback Machine Internet Archive showing images of a 1970-1981 Camaro Billet Hood Hinge Kit—Solid Frame and a 1970-1981 Camaro Billet Hood Hinge Kit—Air Frame as published and offered for sale at least as early as Apr. 15, 2016, at the following URL: <https://ringbrothers.com/hinges/hood-hinges/chevrolet/camaro.html?cat=330>; enlarged images of the hinge kits as published at the referenced URL address (2 pages).

Screen captures of a Wayback Machine Internet Archive showing images of a 1973-1977 Chevelle Billet Hood Hinge Kit—Solid Frame and a 1973-1977 Chevelle Billet Hood Hinge Kit—Air Frame as published and offered for sale at least as early as May 8, 2018, at the following URL: <https://ringbrothers.com/hinges/hoodhinges/chevrolet/chevelle-el-camino/1973-1977-chevelle.html>; enlarged images of the hinge kits as published at the referenced URL address (2 pages).

Screen captures of a Wayback Machine Internet Archive showing images of a 1973-1977 Cutlass Billet Hood Hinge Kit—Solid Frame and a 1973-1977 Cutlass Billet Hood Hinge Kit—Air Frame as published and offered for sale at least as early as May 8, 2018, at the following URL: <https://ringbrothers.com/hinges/hoodhinges/oldsmobile/1973-1977-cutlass.html>; enlarged images of the hinge kits as published at the referenced URL address (2 pages).

Screen captures of a Wayback Machine Internet Archive showing images of a 1973-1977 Monte Carlo Billet Hood Hinge Kit—Solid Frame and a 1973-1977 Monte Carlo Billet Hood Hinge Kit—Air Frame as published and offered for sale at least as early as May 8, 2018, at the following URL: <https://ringbrothers.com/hinges/hoodhinges/chevrolet/monte-carlo/1973-1977-monte-carlos.html>; enlarged images of the hinge kits as published at the referenced URL address (2 pages).

Screen captures of a Wayback Machine Internet Archive showing images of a 1973-1980 Chevy/GMC Truck Hood Hinge Kit—Solid Frame and a 1973-1980 Chevy/GMC Hood Hinge Kit—Air Frame as published and offered for sale at least as early as Aug. 1, 2018, at the following URL: <https://ringbrothers.com/hinges/hood-hinges/chevrolet/chevy-gmc-truck/1973-1980-chevy-gmc-truck.html>; enlarged images of the hinge kits as published at the referenced URL address (2 pages).

Screen captures of a Wayback Machine Internet Archive showing images of a 1977-1991 Box Chevy Hood Hinge Kit—Air Frame—as published and offered for sale at least as early as Nov. 27, 2020, at the following URL: <https://www.ringbrothers.com/1977-1991capriceimpala-hood-hinge-kit-air-frame-steel-natural-patent-pending>; enlarged images of the hinge kit as published at the referenced URL address (5 pages).

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Screen captures of a Wayback Machine Internet Archive showing images of a 1978-1988 G-Body Hood Hinge Kit—Air Frame—as published and offered for sale at least as early as Oct. 20, 2021, at the following URL: <https://www.ringbrothers.com/1978-1988-g-body-hood-hinge-kit-air-frame-natural-finish>; enlarged images of the hinge kit as published at the referenced URL address (5 pages).

Screen captures of a Wayback Machine Internet Archive showing images of a Chevy/GMC Truck Billet Hood Hinge Kit—Solid Frame and a Chevy/GMC Truck Billet Hood Hinge Kit—Air Frame as published and offered for sale at least as early as Apr. 13, 2016 at the following URL: <http://ringbrothers.com/hinges/hood-hinges/chevrolet/chevy-gmc-truck.html?dir=desc&order=position>; enlarged images of the hinge kits as published at the referenced URL address (2 pages).

Screen captures of a Wayback Machine Internet Archive showing images of a Ford Falcon Billet Hood Hinge Kit—Air Frame as published and offered for sale at least as early as Apr. 14, 2016, at the following URL: <http://ringbrothers.com/hinges/hood-hinges/ford-australia.html?dir=desc&order=position>; enlarged image of the hinge kit as published at the referenced URL address (2 pages).

Screen captures of a wayback Machine Internet Archive showing images of a HQ-W B Holden Monaro And LH-UC Torana Billet Hood Hinge Kit—Solid Frame as published and offered for sale at least as early as Apr. 14, 2016, at the following URL: <http://ringbrothers.com/1968-1971-holden-monaaro-billet-hood-hinge-kit-solidframe.html>; enlarged image of the hinge kit as published at the referenced URL address (2 pages).

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Screen captures of a Wayback Machine Internet Archive showing images of a 1970-1981 Firebird Billet Hood Hinge Kit—Air Frame and a 1970-1981 Firebird Billet Hood Hinge Kit—Solid Frame as published and offered for sale at least as early as Jan. 14, 2016, at the following URL: <https://ringbrothers.com/hinges.html>; enlarged images of the hinge kits as published at the referenced URL address (2 pages).

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FIG. 1

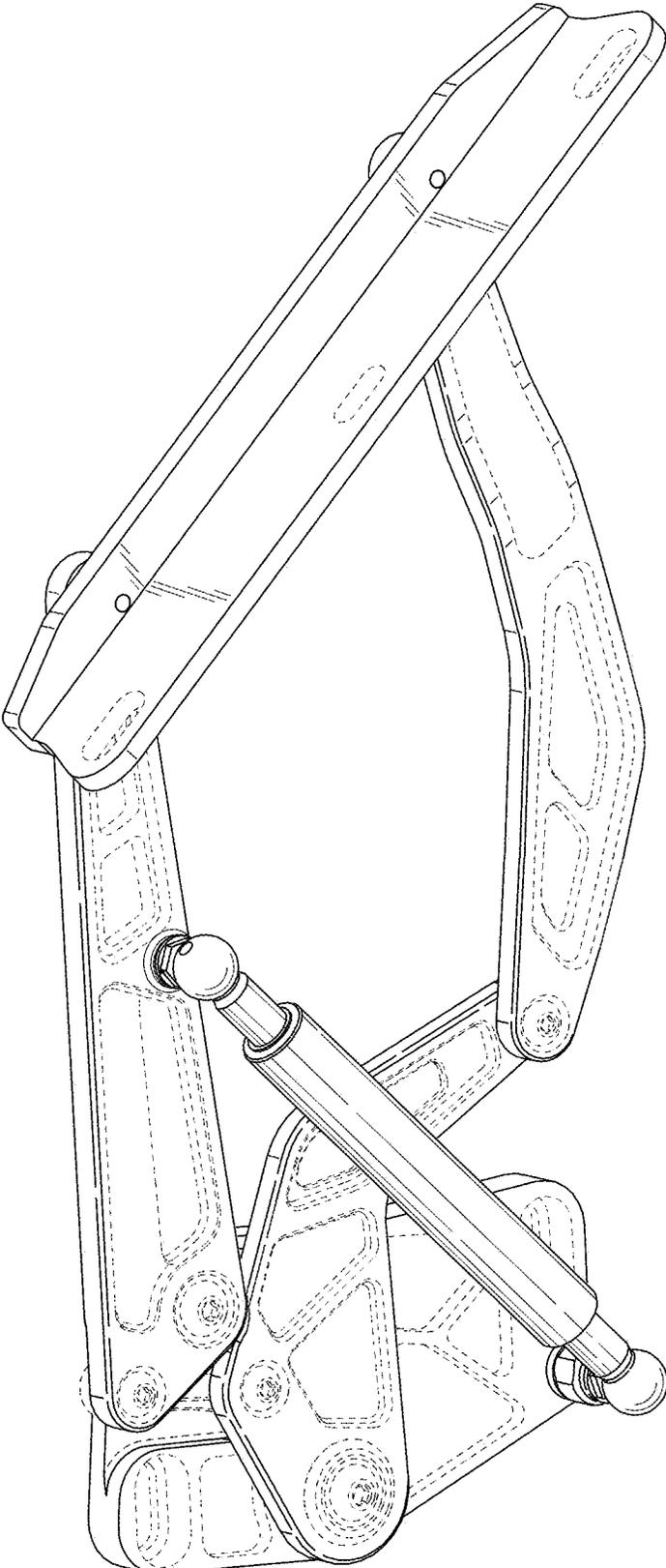


FIG. 2

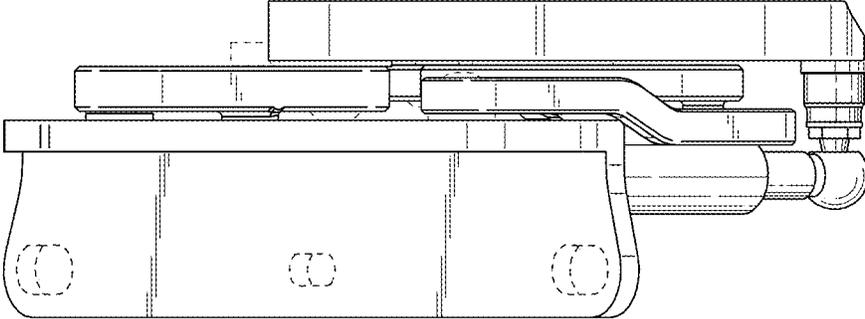


FIG. 3

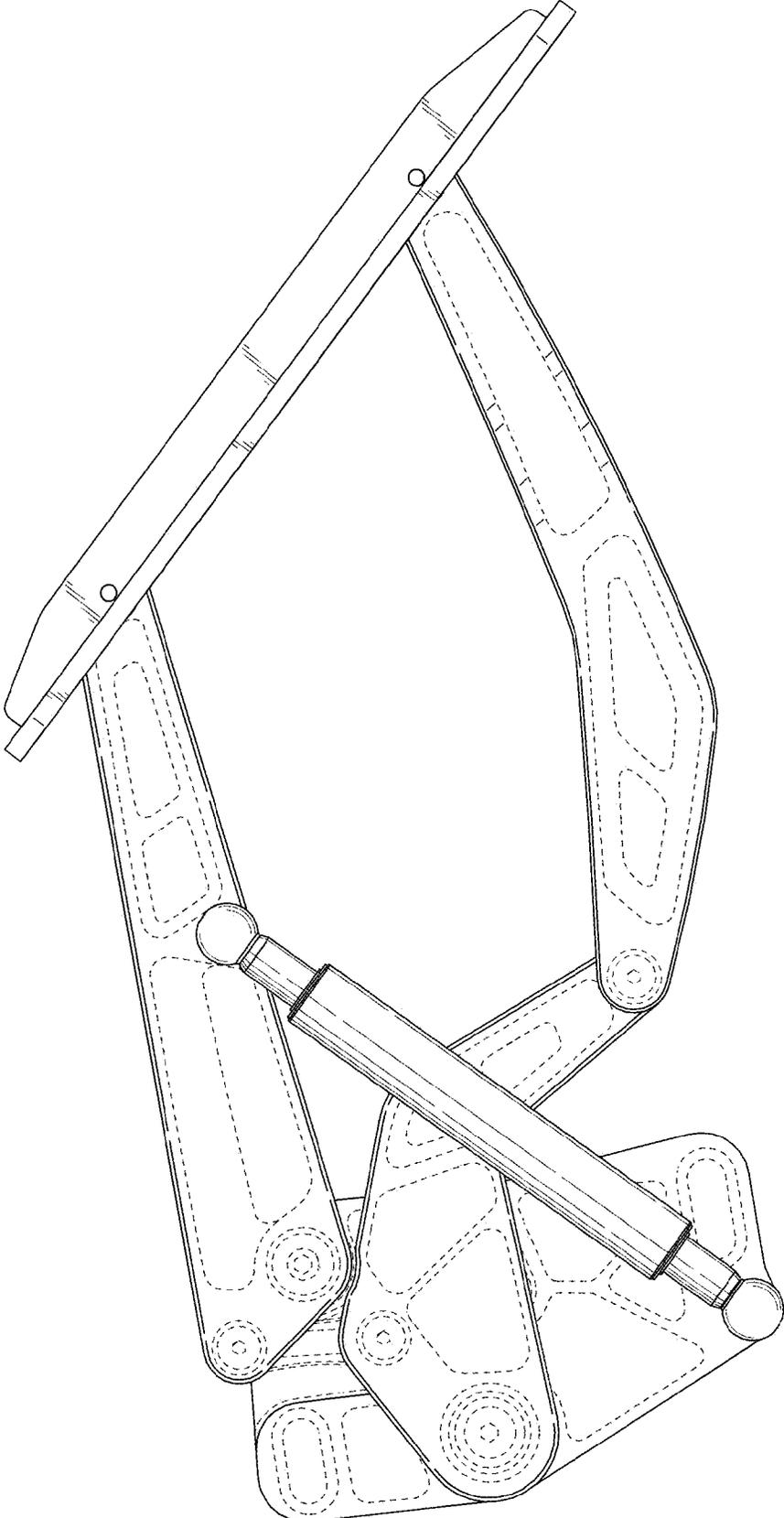


FIG. 4

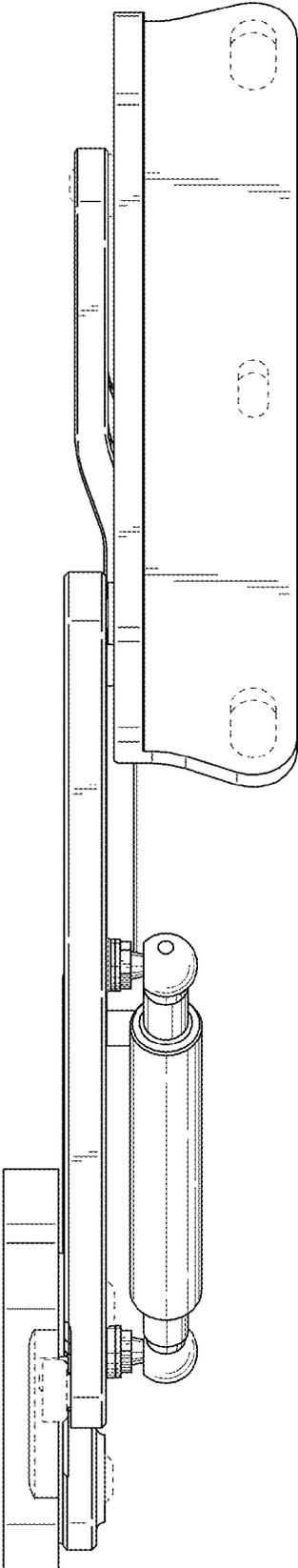


FIG. 5

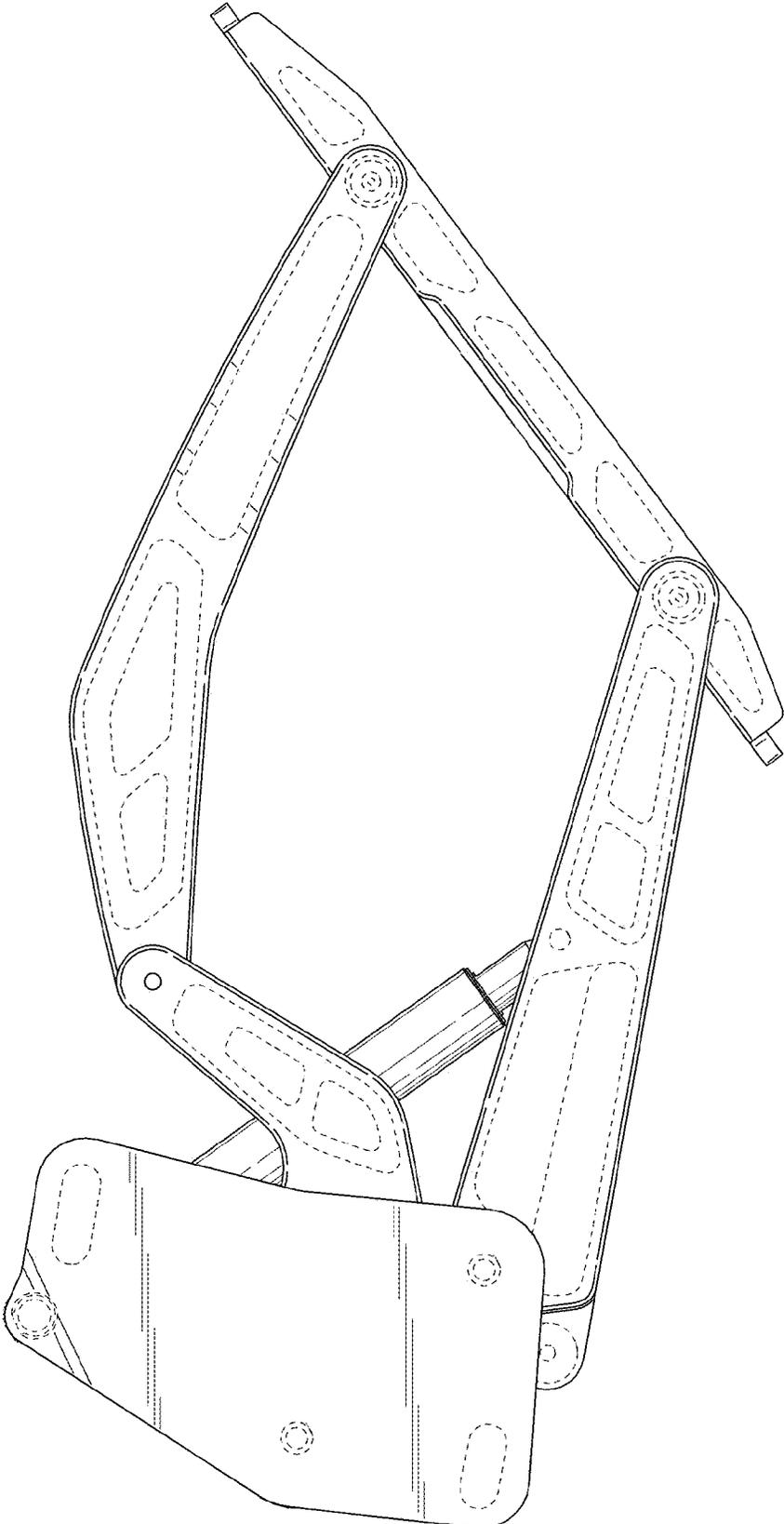


FIG. 6

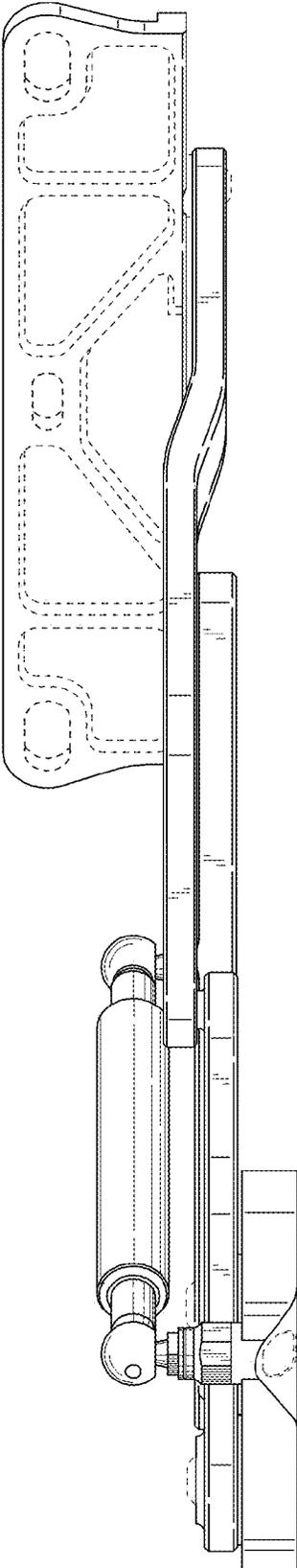


FIG. 7

