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(54) **SEATING FOR WAITING AREAS**

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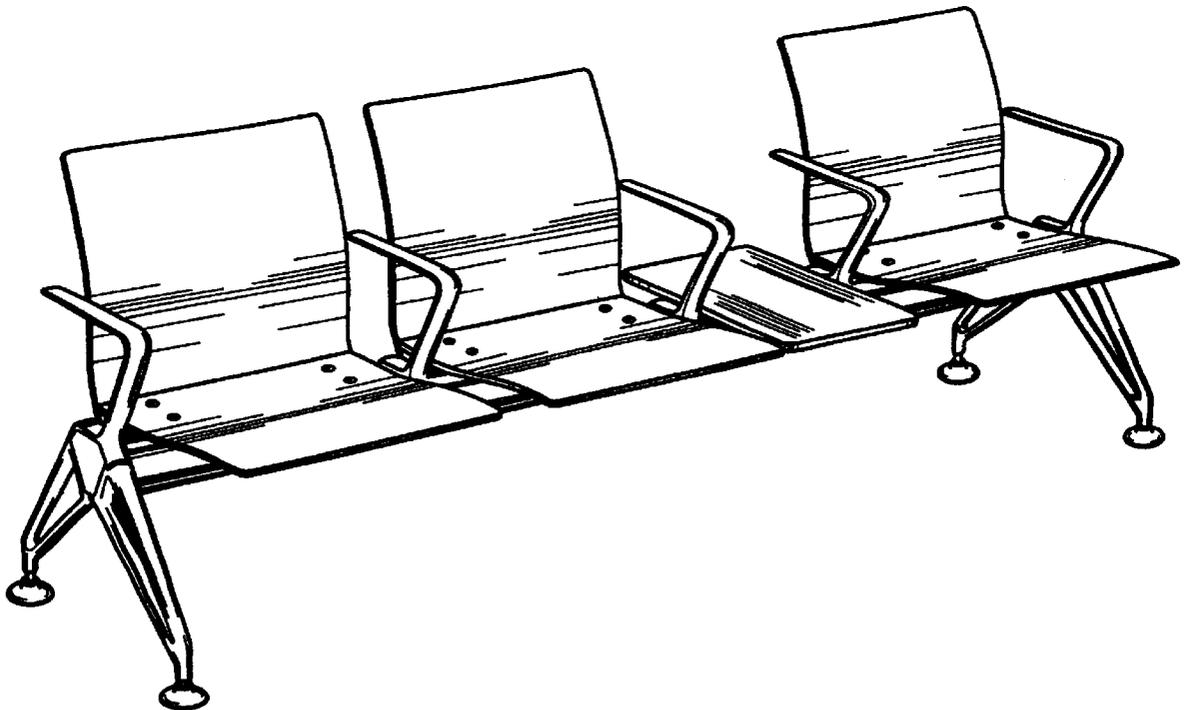
(57) **CLAIM**

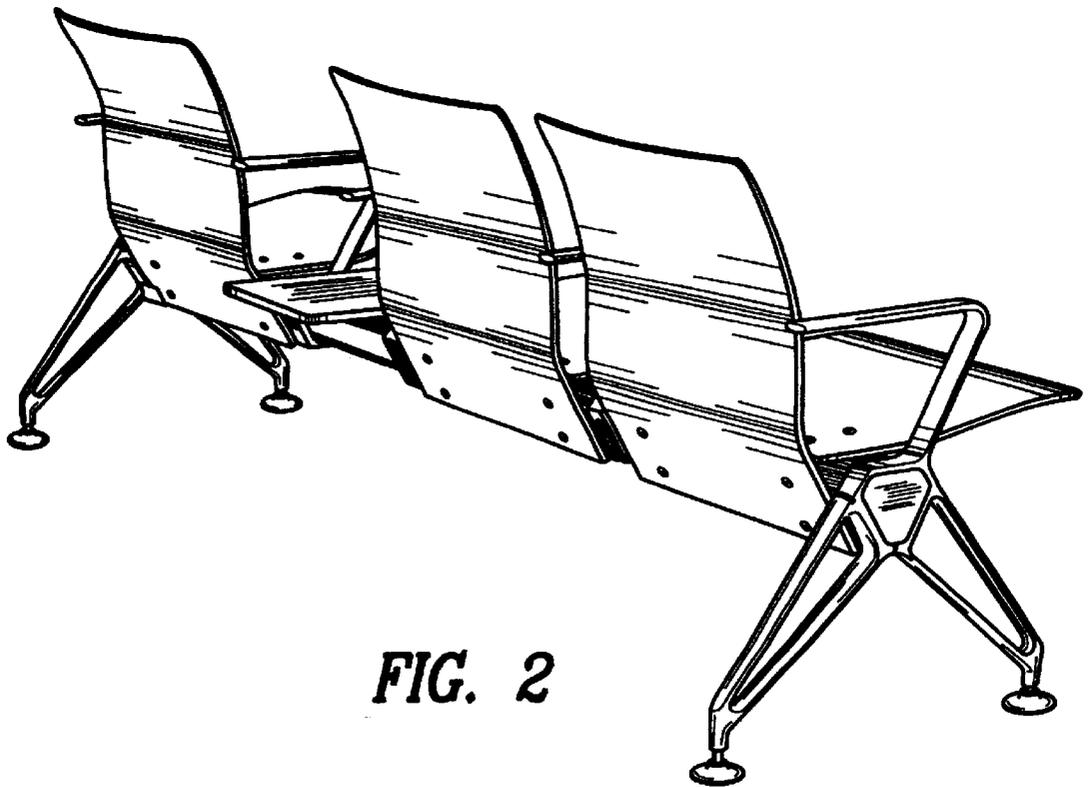
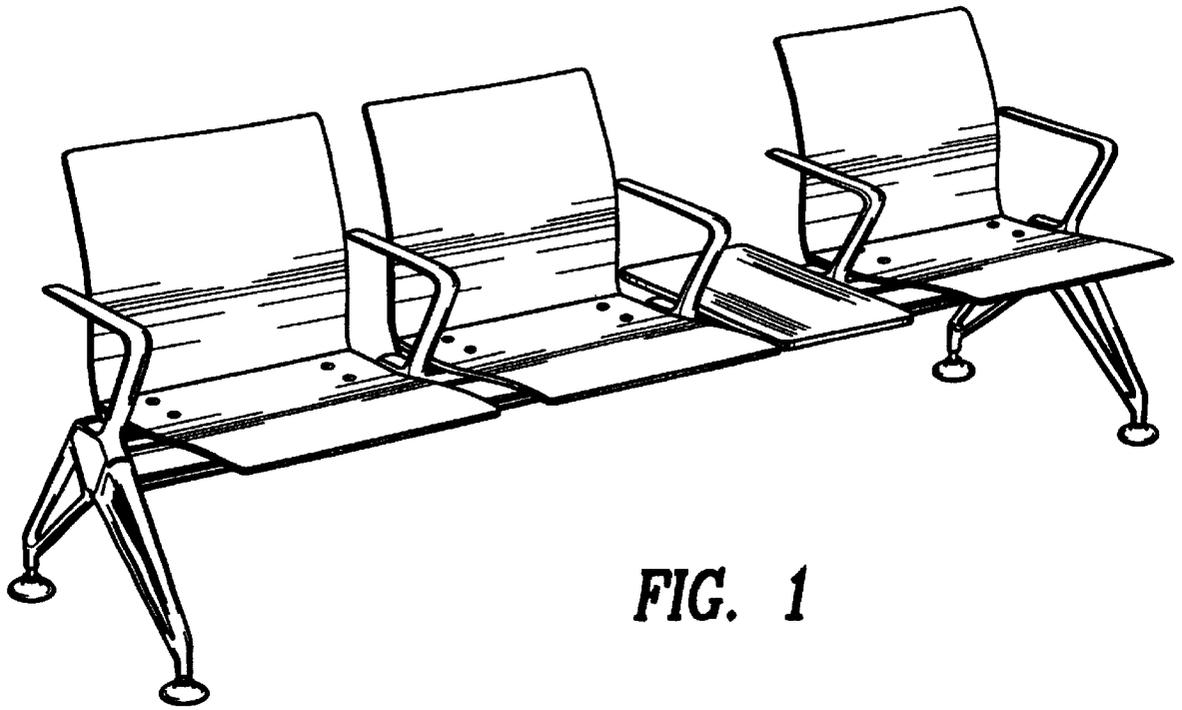
The ornamental design for seating for waiting areas, as shown.

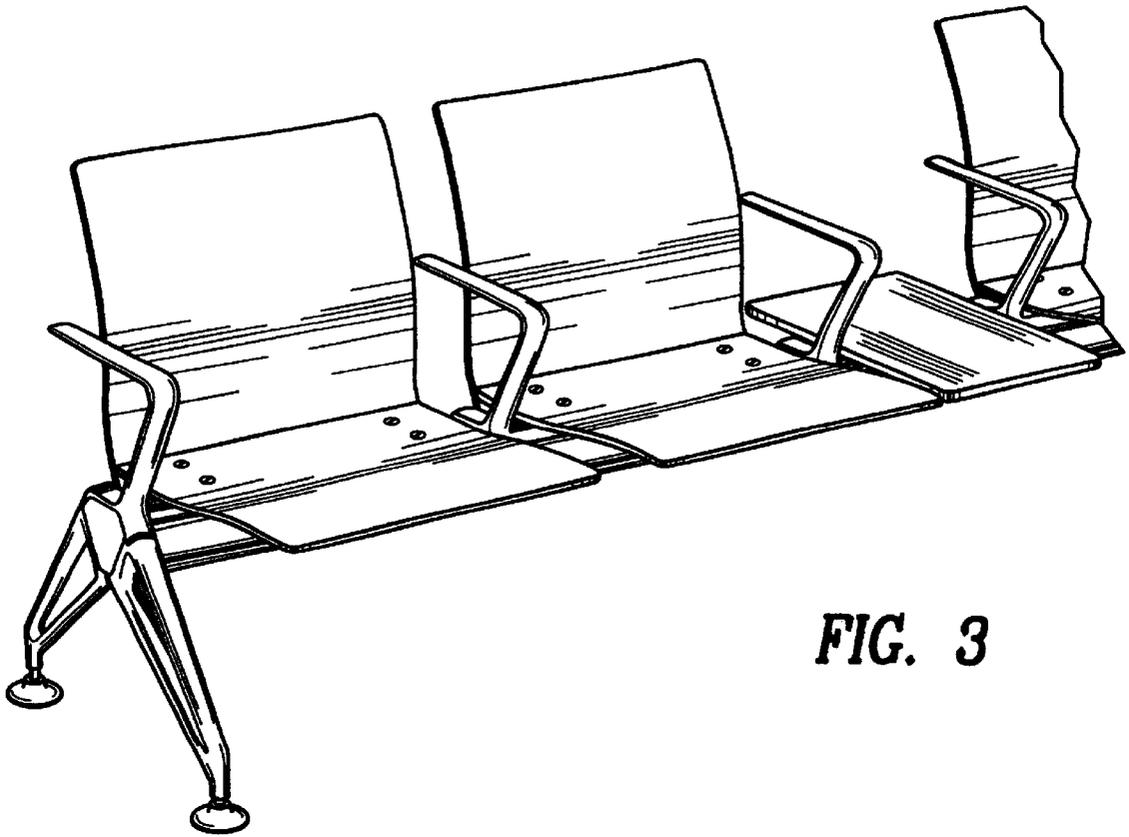
**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a front perspective view of seating for waiting areas showing my new design;  
 FIG. 2 is a rear perspective view thereof;  
 FIG. 3 is an enlarged front perspective view of an end portion thereof; and,  
 FIG. 4 is an enlarged rear perspective view of the end portion thereof.

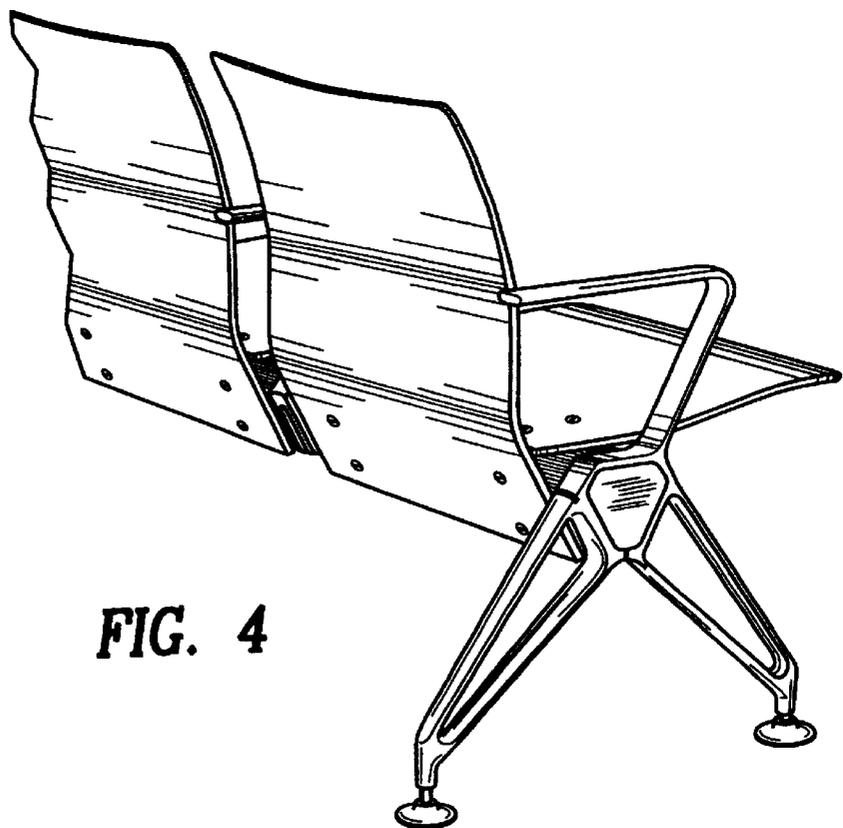
**1 Claim, 2 Drawing Sheets**







**FIG. 3**



**FIG. 4**