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[54] **PLASTIC CONTAINER**
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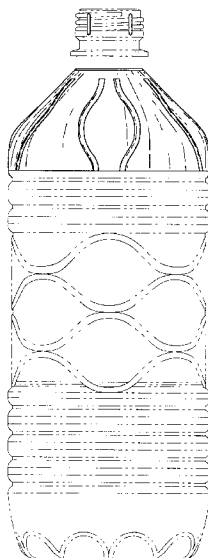
[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a plastic container, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view showing my new design;
FIG. 2 is a first side elevational view;
FIG. 3 is a second side elevational view;
FIG. 4 is a front elevational view;
FIG. 5 is a rear elevational view;
FIG. 6 is a top plan view; and,
FIG. 7 is a bottom plan view.
The broken lines showing a bottle neck and the lower portion of a container are for illustrative purposes only and do not form part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 4 Drawing Sheets



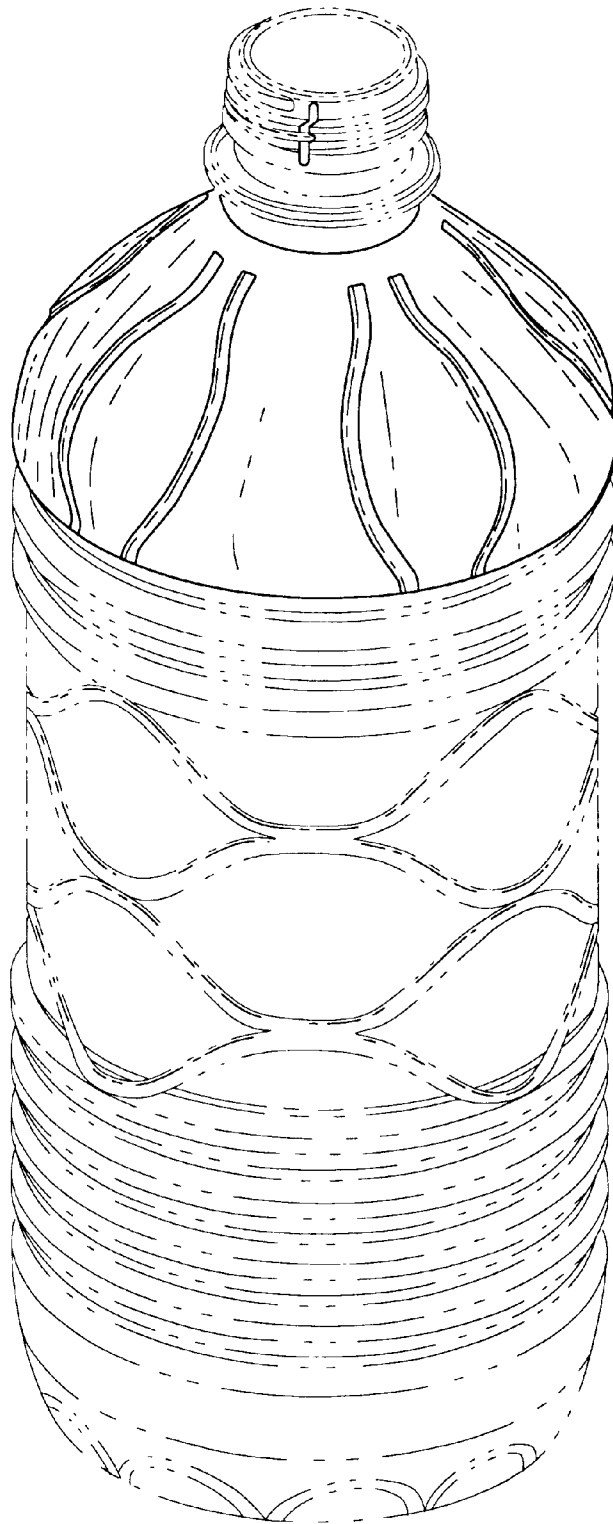


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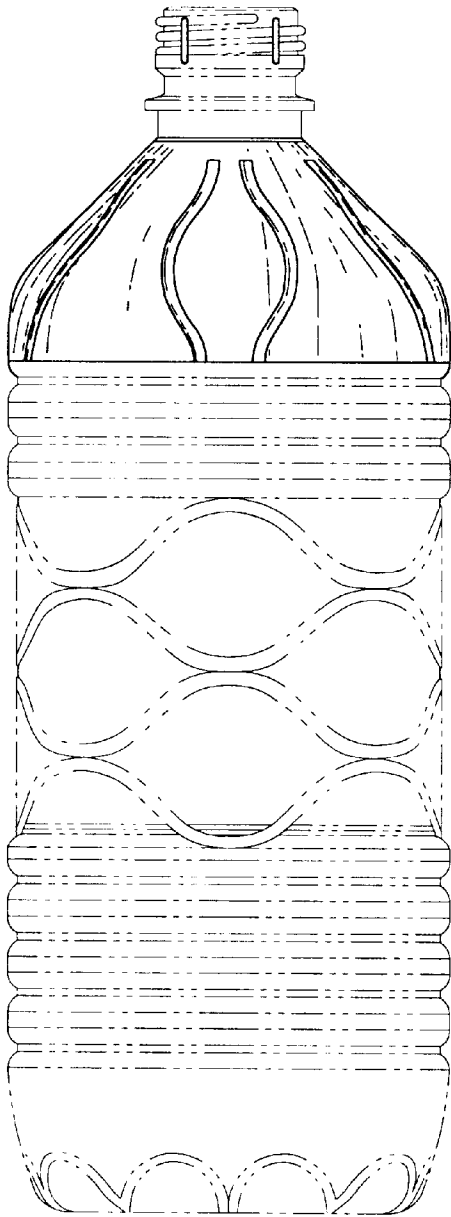


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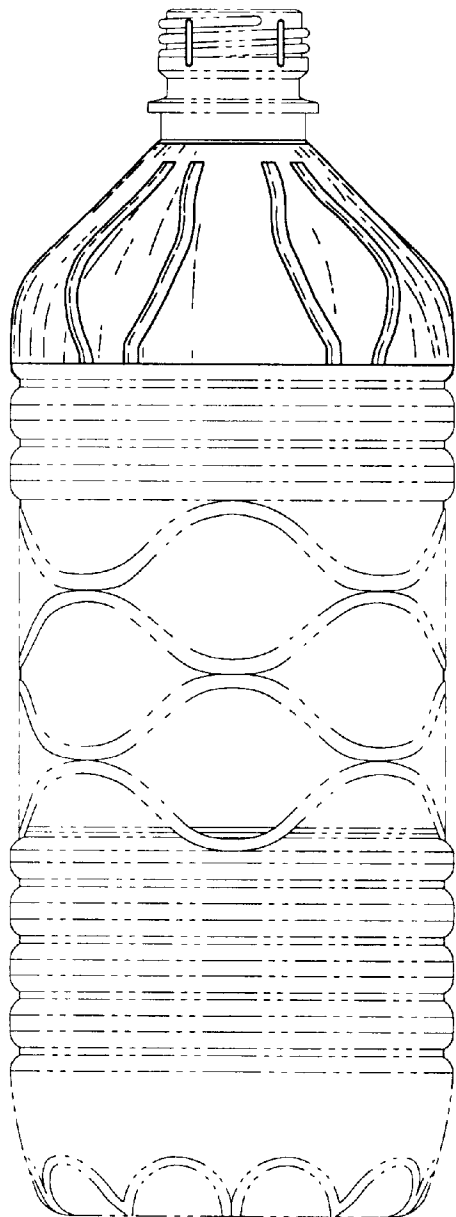


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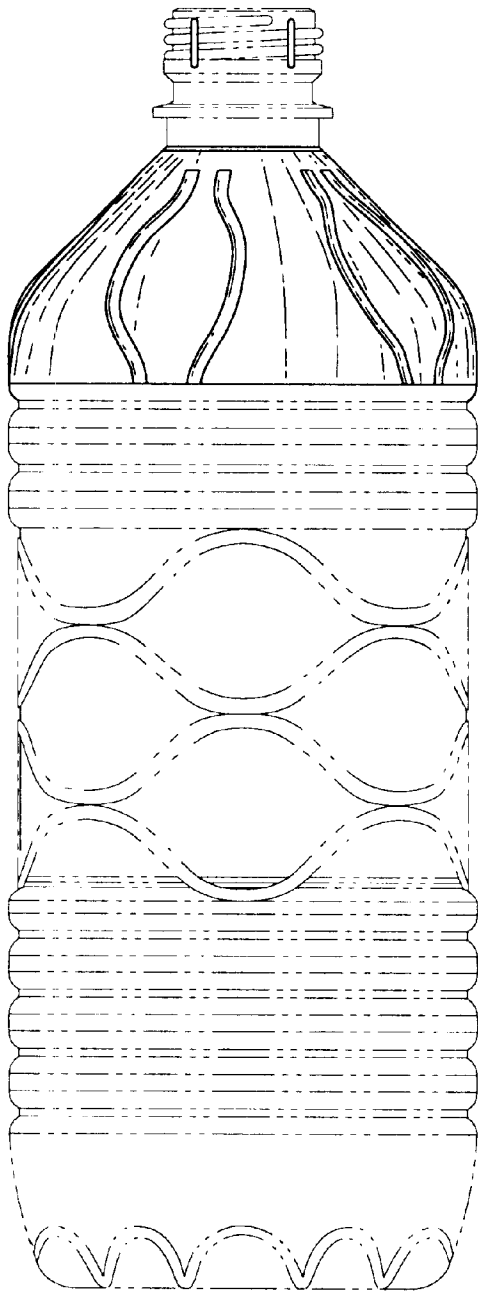


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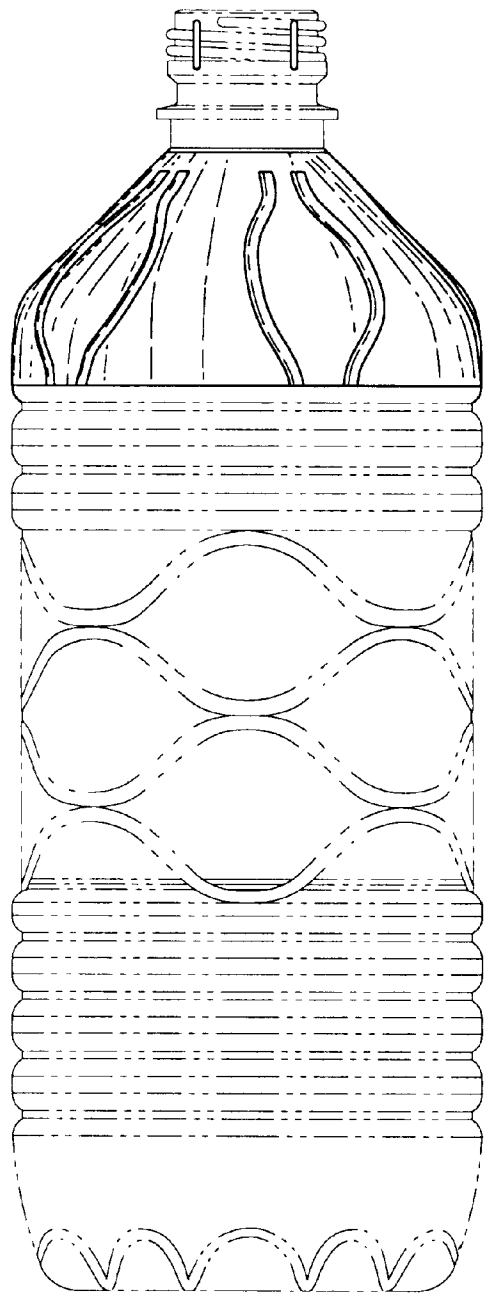


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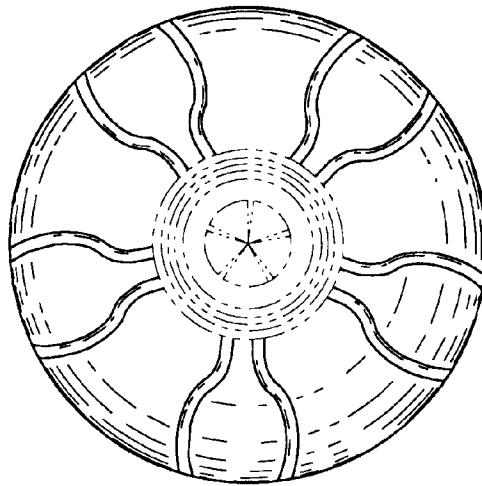


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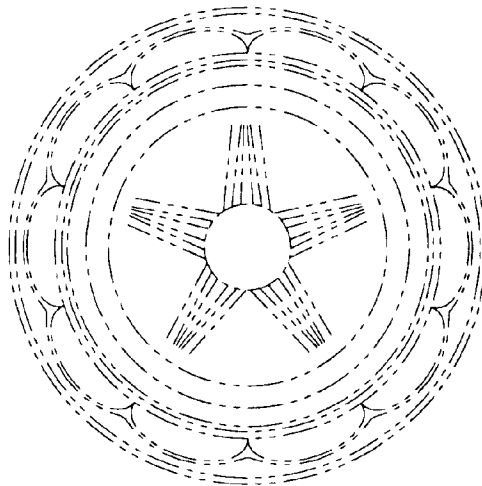


FIG. 7

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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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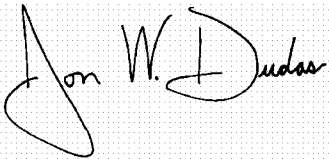
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-- Cross Reference to Related Applications

This application is related to U.S. Serial No. 29/079,317 filed November 12, 1997; U.S. Serial No. 29/079,318, filed November 12, 1997; and U.S. Serial No. 29/079,342, filed November 12, 1997. --.

Signed and Sealed this

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A handwritten signature in black ink on a light gray dotted background. The signature reads "Jon W. Dudas" in a cursive style. The "J" is large and loops around the "on". The "W" is written with two distinct peaks. The "Dudas" part is written in a fluid, cursive script.

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