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(54) **VIAL**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a vial, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is an exploded perspective view of a vial according to our new design;

FIG. 2 is a front elevational view of the vial of FIG. 1 partially assembled;

FIG. 3 is a front elevational view of the vial of FIG. 1 fully assembled;

FIG. 4 is a bottom plan view thereof;

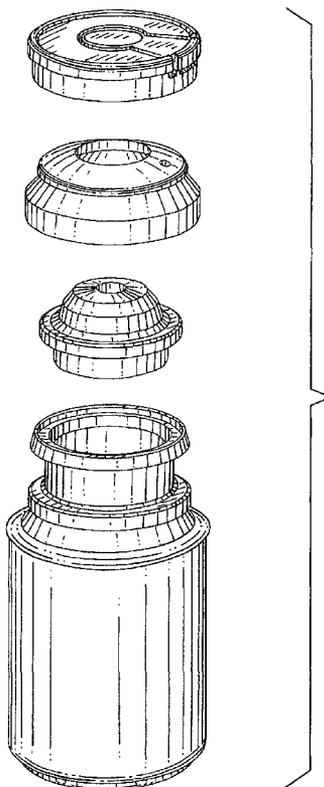
FIG. 5 is a top plan view of the partially assembled vial of FIG. 2;

FIG. 6 is a top plan view of the fully assembled vial of FIG. 3; and,

FIG. 7 is an overhead perspective view of the fully assembled vial of FIG. 3.

In the drawings, the broken lines in FIG. 4 depict portions of the design that form no part of the claim.

**1 Claim, 4 Drawing Sheets**



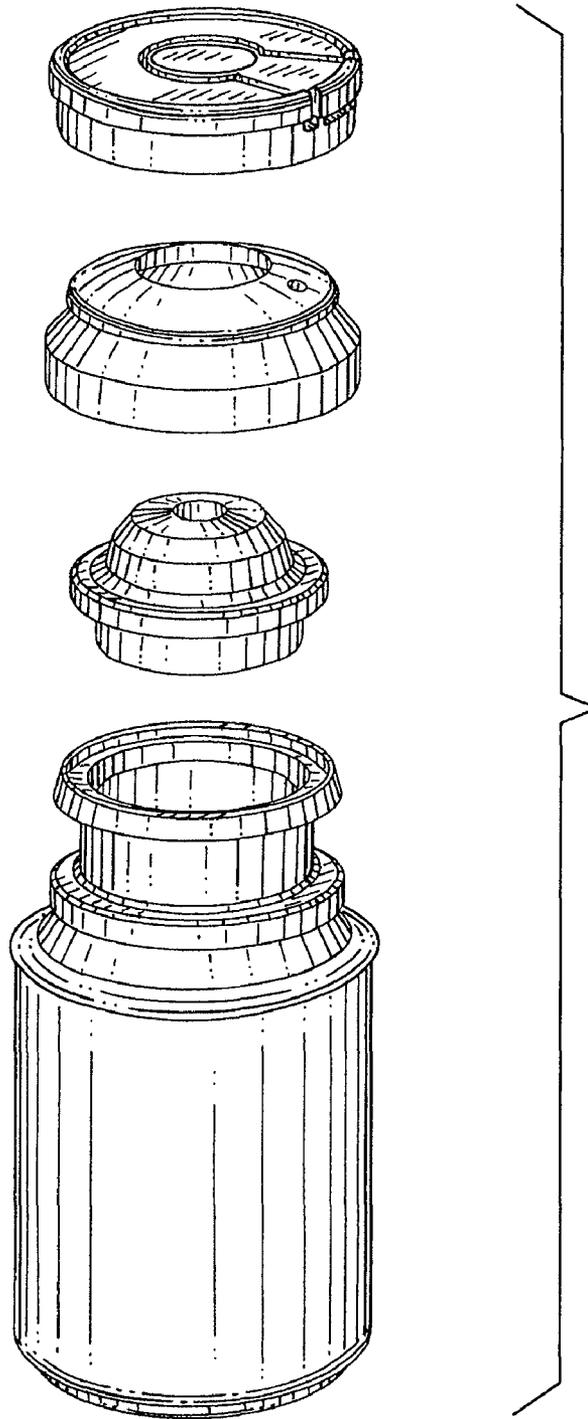


FIG. 1

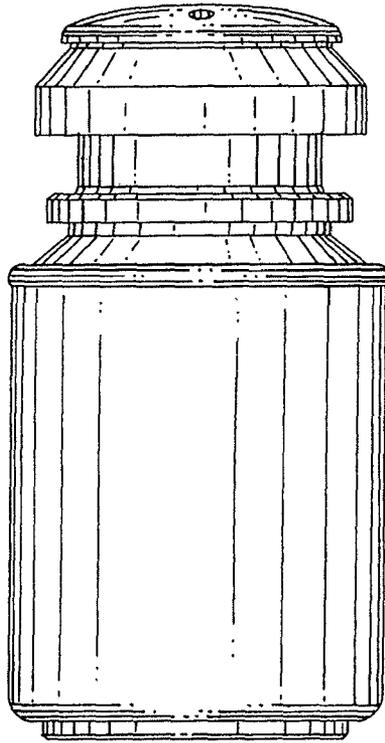


FIG. 2

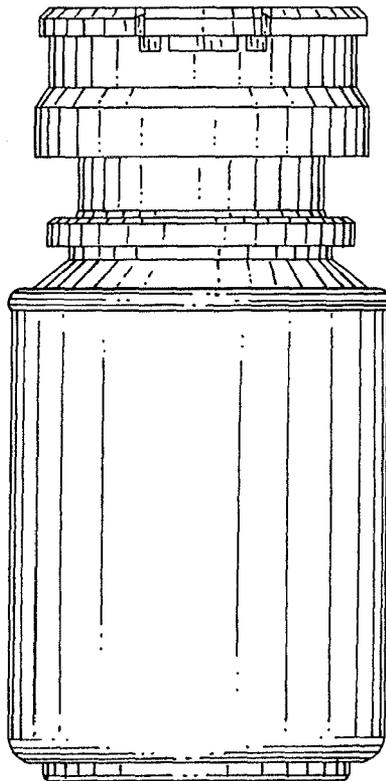


FIG. 3

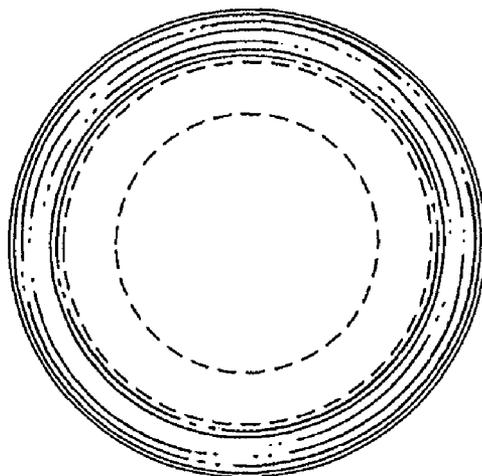


FIG. 4

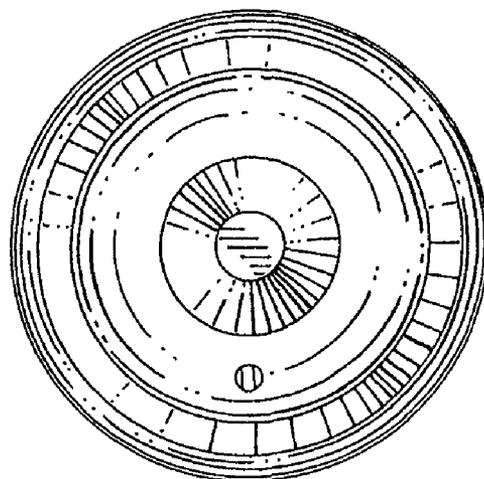


FIG. 5

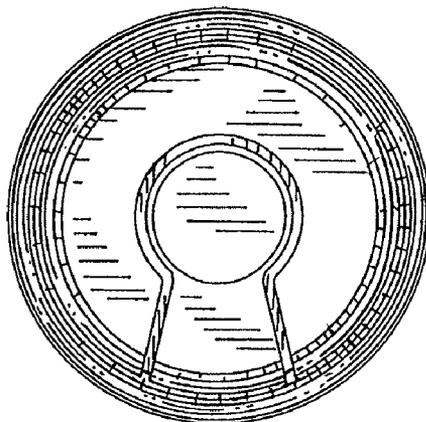


FIG. 6

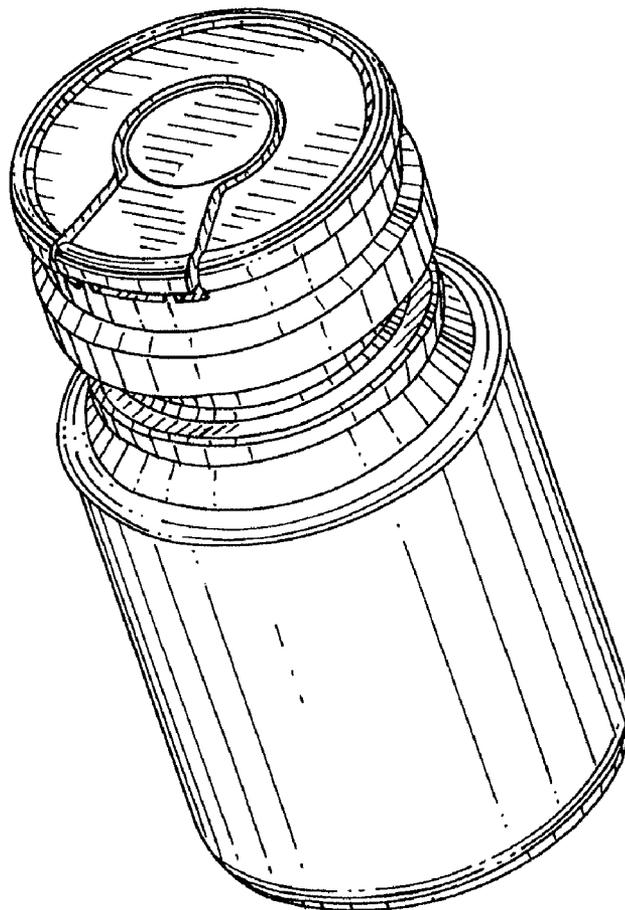


FIG. 7