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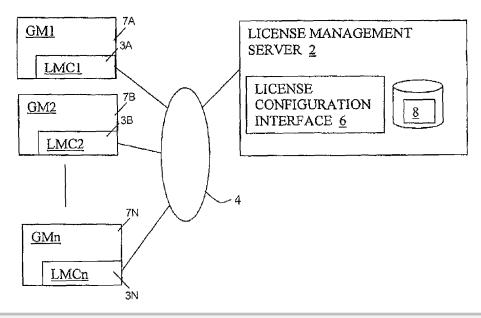
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#### (57) ABSTRACT

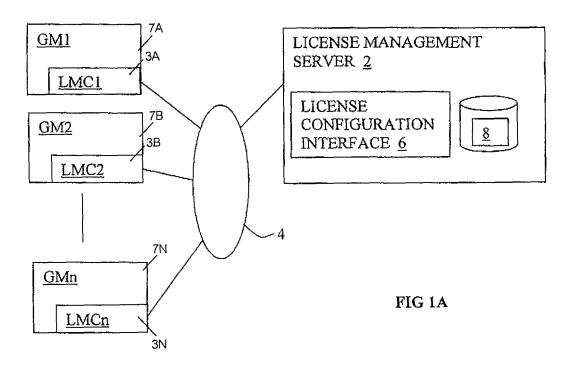
There is disclosed a gaming system comprising, a gaming machine terminal configured to seek to initiate a game session, a license management client configured to control initiation of the game session based on a license control parameter, and a license management server in data communication with the license management client and configured to generate the license control parameter and serve the license control parameter to the license management client.

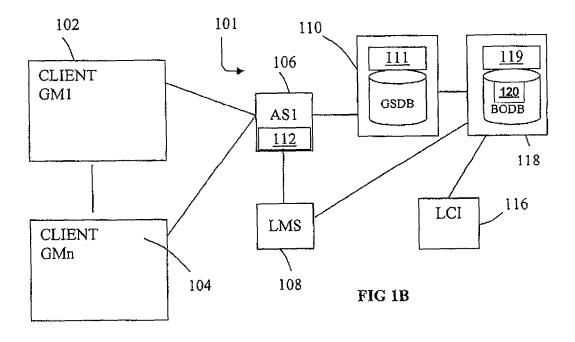
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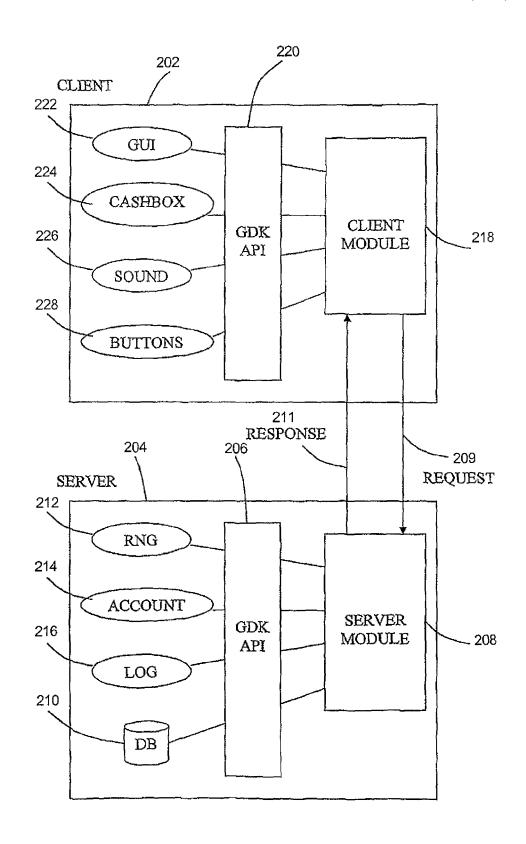
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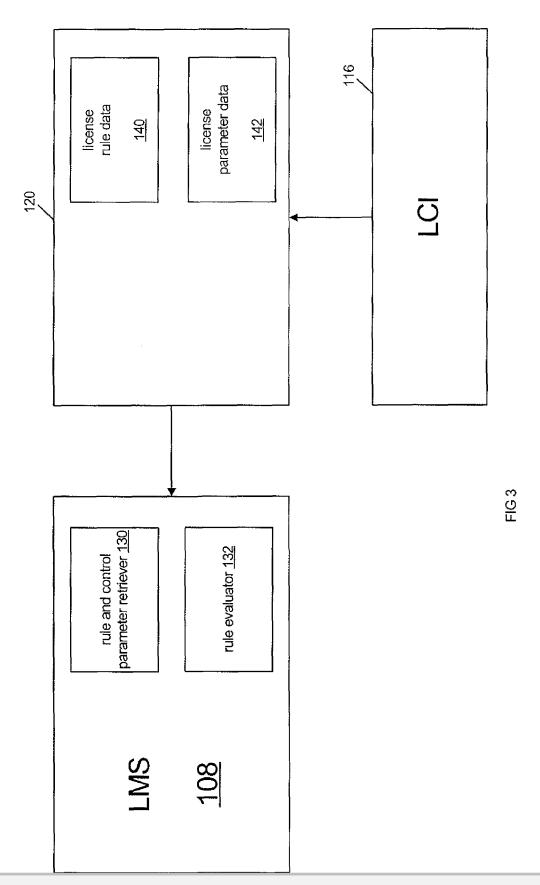


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