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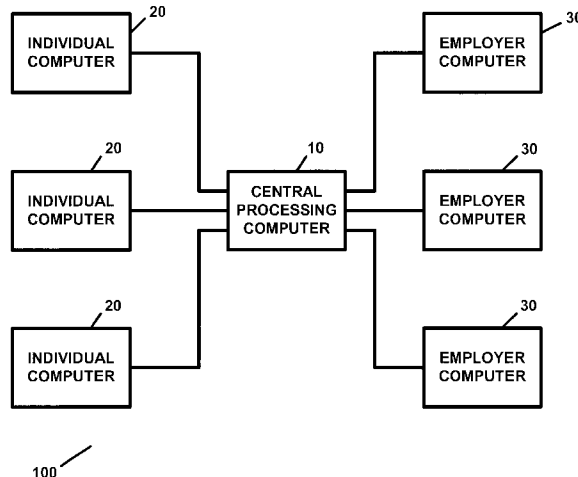
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

An apparatus and method for providing recruitment information, including a memory device for storing information regarding at least one of a job opening, a position, an assignment, a contract, and a project, and information regarding a job search request, a processing device for processing information regarding the job search request upon a detection of an occurrence of a searching event, wherein the processing device utilizes information regarding the at least one of a job opening, a position, an assignment, a contract, and a project, stored in the memory device, and further wherein the processing device generates a message containing information regarding at least one of a job opening, a position, an assignment, a contract, and a project, wherein the message is responsive to the job search request, and a transmitter for transmitting the message to a communication device associated with an individual in real-time.

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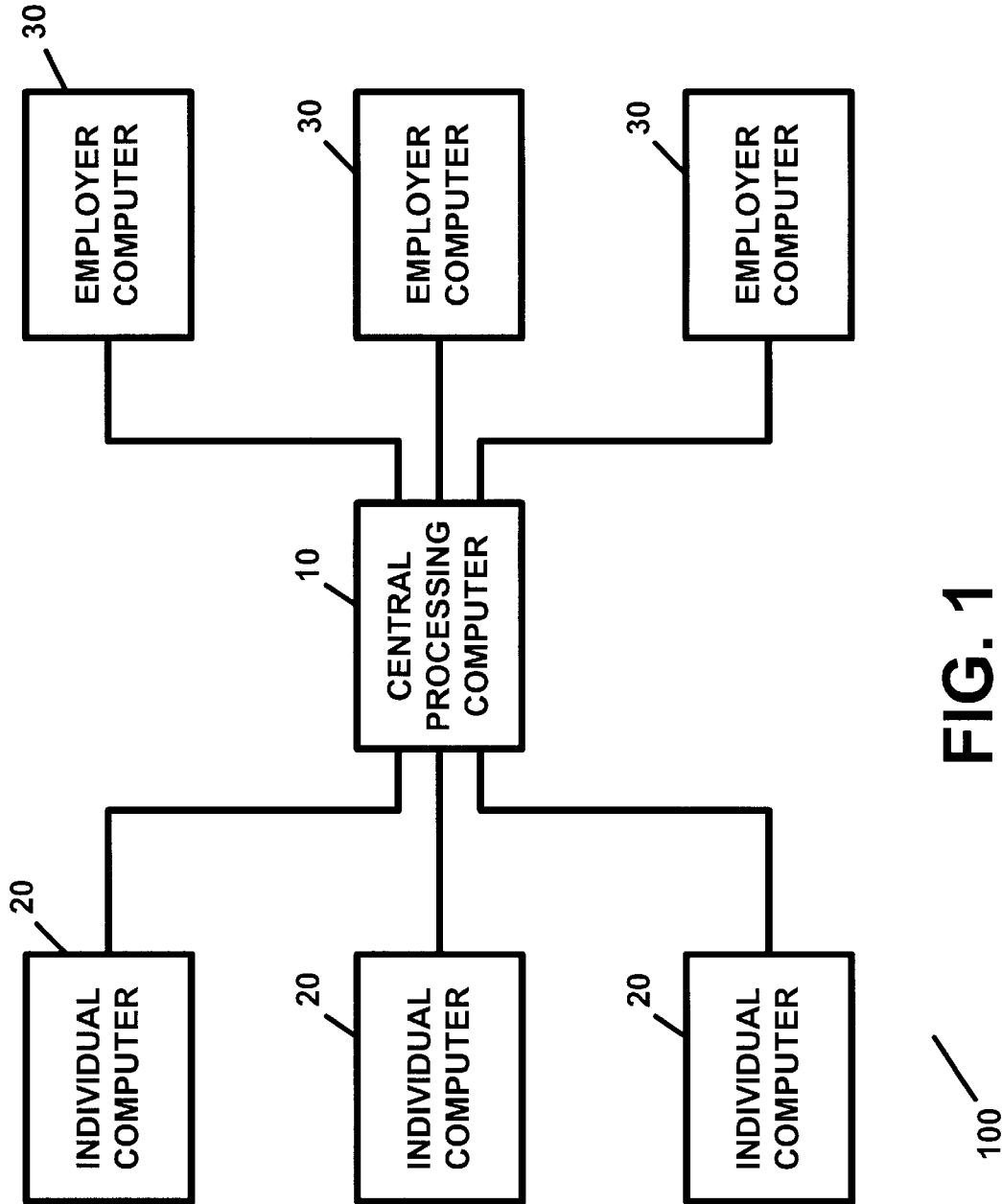


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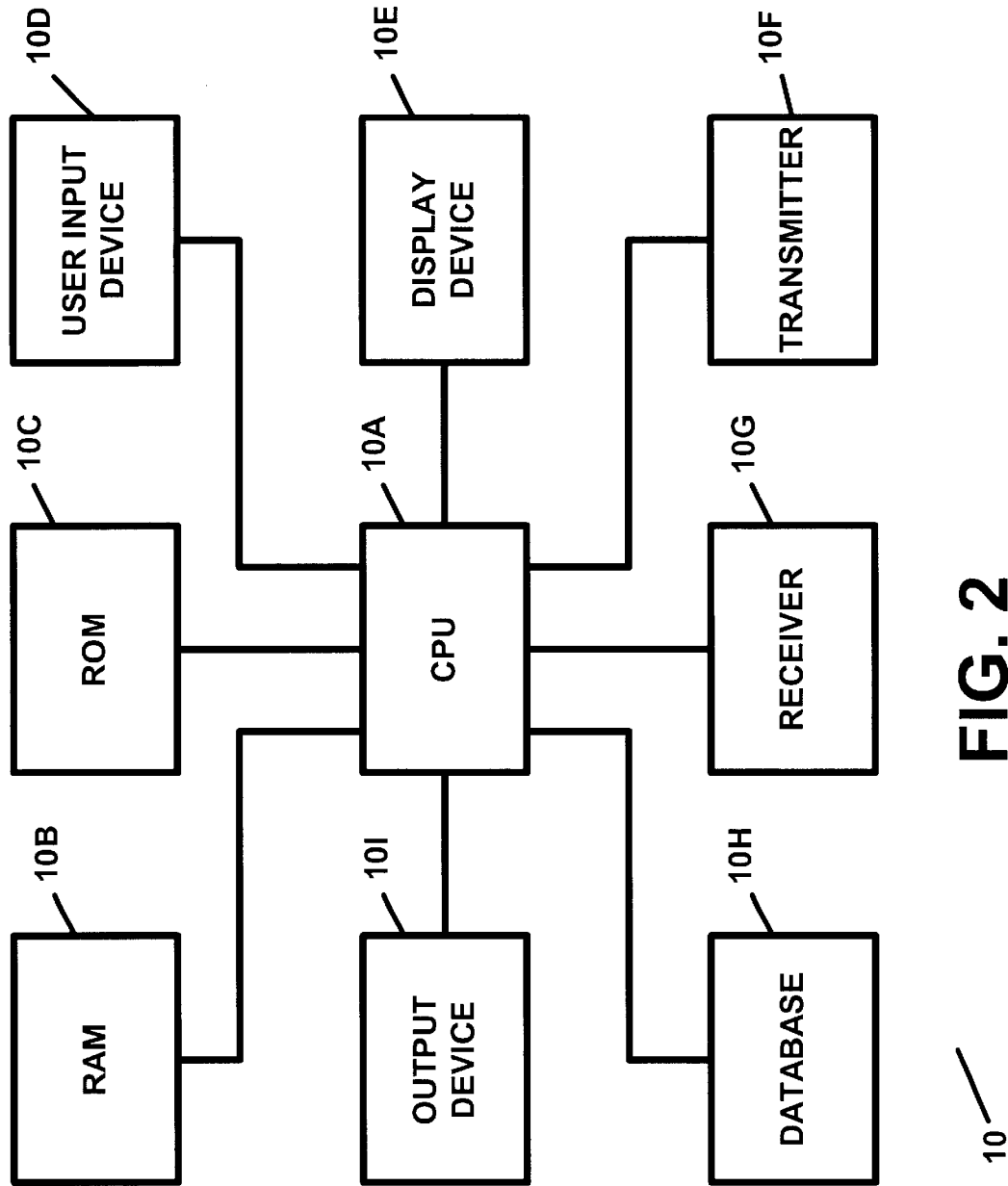


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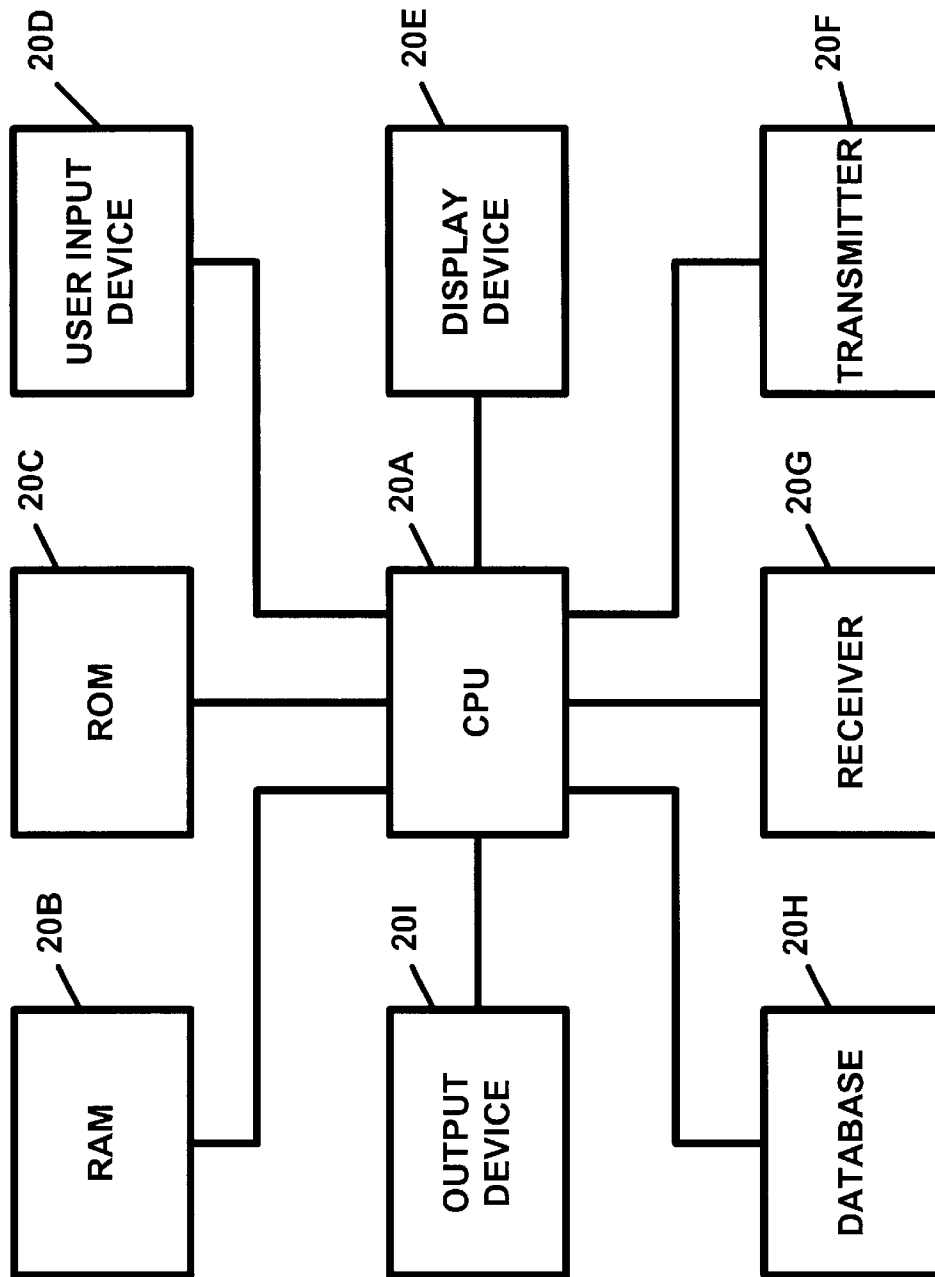


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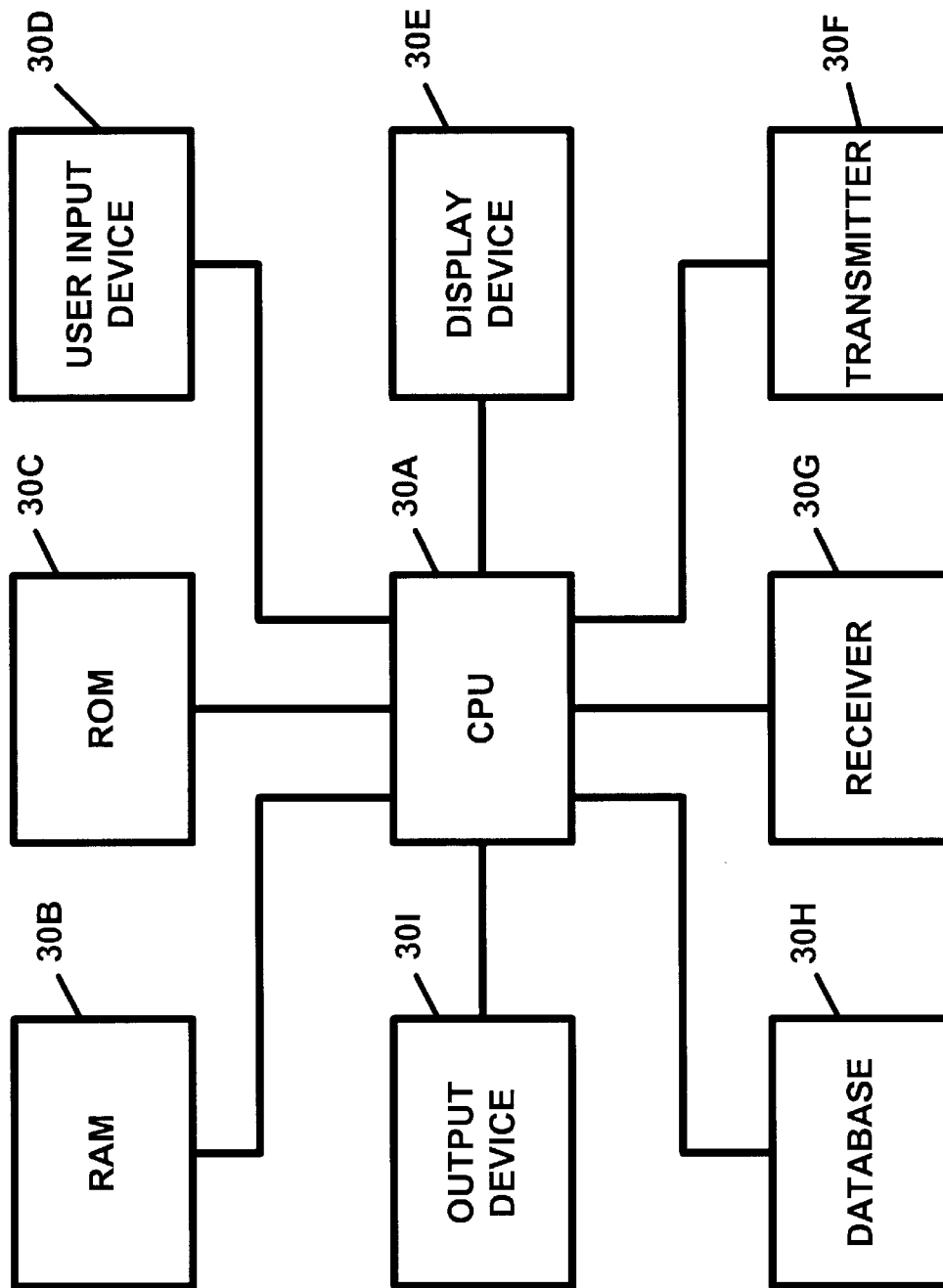


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