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(57) **ABSTRACT**

A gaming machine comprising a variable display device, a stop button for controlling the variable display device, and a lower display device is provided. The lower display device is provided below the stop button. The lower display device may show display contents, which can be modified. The variable display device of the gaming machine may be provided with a transparent acrylic plate serving as a protective cover, a liquid crystal display device, and a cold cathode tube serving as a backlight. The display contents include, for example, payout tables and characters.

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