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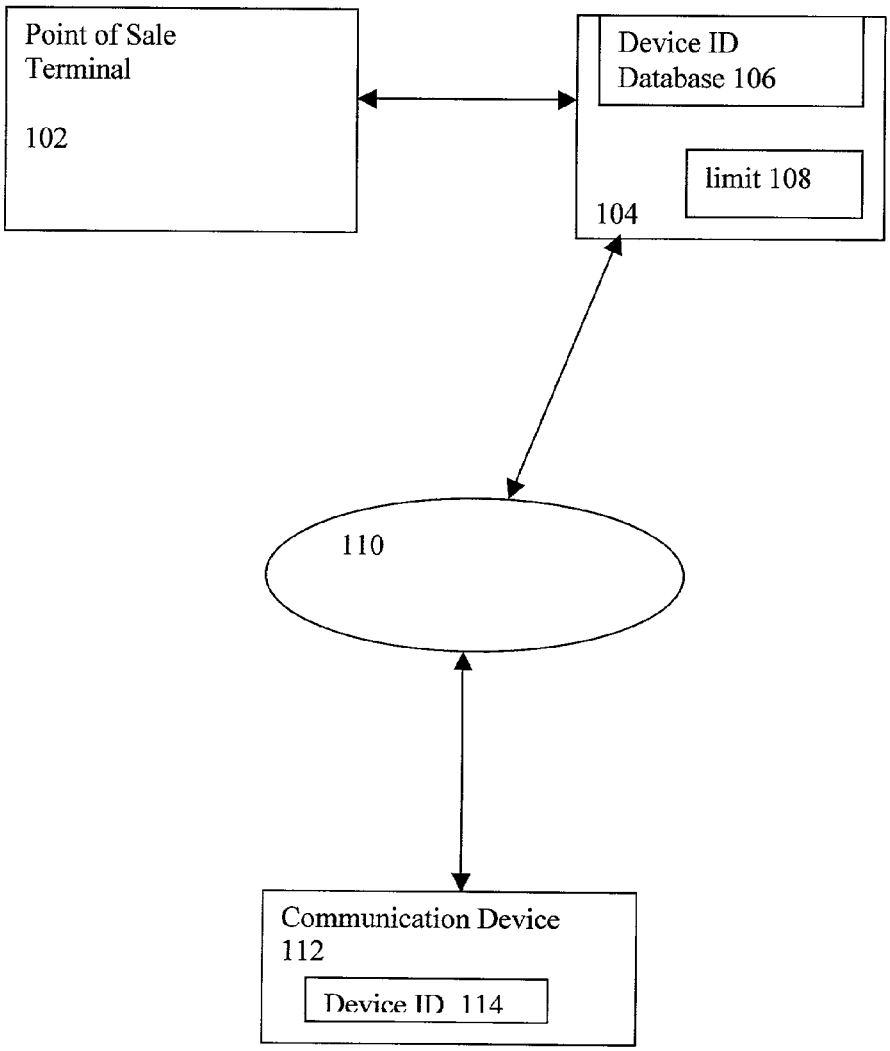
(57) **ABSTRACT**

A system and method for preventing credit card fraud by comparing the location of a given transaction with the location of a predetermined communication device is provided.