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[origin: WO9818532A1] A method of controlling the operation of a plurality of interconnected poker machines (20a, 20b ... 20n) in a controlling system in which a jackpot prize (26) is awarded when a monetary accumulation related to the total monetary value played through the poker machines in a given period of time reaches a jackpot value, the method including providing players of the poker machines with machine readable means of personal identification (21a, 21b ... 21n), recording the identity of players when operating a poker machine and identifying as the jackpot winning player (25) that player identified by the player identification means used to operate the poker machine which when thus operated caused the monetary accumulation to equal or exceed the jackpot value.

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