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Abstract (en)
[origin: WO9926389A1] A mobile electronic appliance such as a mobile handheld telephone comprising a display device (10) such as a liquid crystal display (LCD) for displaying alphanumerical or graphical information for a user of the mobile electronic appliance, the display device being provided with at least one illumination device (14a ... 20a), and a control circuit (24, 26) for providing drive signals for the display device and the at least one illumination device, is improved in that the display device being divided into a plurality of display areas (14 ... 20), at least one of the display areas being provided with an illumination device illuminating the display area in response to a drive signal from the control circuit. Thus, a reduced power consumption is achieved and the userfriendliness of the appliance is improved.

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