

Title (en)

Device and method for cancelling postage indicia and other markings

Title (de)

Vorrichtung und Verfahren zum Entwerten von Postwertzeichen und anderen Kennzeichnungen

Title (fr)

Dispositif et procédé pour annuler des empreintes d'affranchissement et d'autres marquages

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Abstract (en)

[origin: EP1365361A2] The cancellation device has a laser device (10) that burns a visible marker into the postage stamp (28) and/or its surroundings with a laser beam. The laser device has a deflector (18,22), a partially transparent mirror (14) that passes light in the infrared range and reflects light in the visible range and a light sensitive detector (30). The mirror is arranged so visible light reflected from the surface passes to the detector. An Independent claim is also included for the following: (a) a method of canceling postage stamps and other markings.

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