

Title (en)  
SYSTEM AND APPARATUS FOR ACCOMPLISHING PRODUCT DETECTION

Title (de)  
SYSTEM UND VORRICHTUNG ZUR ERKENNUNG EINES PRODUKTS

Title (fr)  
SYSTEME ET DISPOSITIF POUR DETECTER UN PRODUIT

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Abstract (en)  
[origin: WO2004001687A1] The present invention provides for a vending system wherein a monitoring system verifies that a product ordered by a vending customer is actually delivered through a delivery area to the customer. If the product ordered is unavailable either because of an out of stock situation or a blockage of the delivery path for that product, the present invention allows the customer to request a refund or order a second product. Additionally, the present invention helps to prevent theft of product from the vending system.

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