

Title (en)

METHOD FOR INITIALIZING A GAME AND GAMING DEVICE

Title (de)

VERFAHREN ZUM INITIALISIEREN EINES SPIELS UND SPIELGERÄT

Title (fr)

PROCEDE D'INITIALISATION D'UN JEU ET APPAREIL DE JEU

Publication

EP 1584075 A1 20051012 (DE)

Application

EP 03767291 A 20031230

Priority

- AT 0300393 W 20031230
- AT 582003 A 20030117

Abstract (en)

[origin: WO2004066225A1] The invention relates to a method for initializing a desired game in an electronic gaming device that involves placing a predetermined stake for the execution of the game, and the game action is displayed on a screen. The invention is characterized in that: the following alternatives are offered to the player: a) forgoing an offered pre-game that is to be played before the desired game, and; b) executing this pre-game. The invention is also characterized in that: when the pre-game is forgone, the main game is executed with predetermined chances of winning and predetermined winnings; when selected and after execution of the pre-game that permits only one win or one loss, i.e. without fixing or paying a winning, the winning or loss of the pre-game is determined; when the pre-game is won, the main game is executed, and; when the pre-game is lost, the game is ended, and the placed stake is considered lost and, optionally, the gaming device offers the player the aforementioned alternatives once again.

IPC 1-7

G07F 17/32

IPC 8 full level

G07F 17/32 (2006.01)

CPC (source: EP US)

G07F 17/32 (2013.01 - EP US); **G07F 17/3244** (2013.01 - EP US); **G07F 17/3262** (2013.01 - EP US)

Citation (search report)

See references of WO 2004066225A1

Cited by

EP1981009A1

Designated contracting state (EPC)

AT BE BG CH CY CZ DE DK EE ES FI FR GB GR HU IE IT LI LU MC NL PT RO SE SI SK

DOCDB simple family (publication)

WO 2004066225 A1 20040805; AT 500311 A1 20051115; AT 500311 B1 20060615; AT 500311 B8 20070215; AU 2003291833 A1 20040813; EP 1584075 A1 20051012; US 2006166736 A1 20060727; US 8152620 B2 20120410; ZA 200504791 B 20060329

DOCDB simple family (application)

AT 0300393 W 20031230; AT 582003 A 20030117; AU 2003291833 A 20031230; EP 03767291 A 20031230; US 54256305 A 20051201; ZA 200504791 A 20050613