

Title (en)

METHOD FOR CHECKING THE AUTHENTICITY OF A SECURITY DOCUMENT

Title (de)

VERFAHREN ZUR PRÜFUNG DER AUTHENTIZITÄT EINES SICHERHEITSDOKUMENTS

Title (fr)

PROCÉDÉ POUR VÉRIFIER L'AUTHENTICITÉ D'UN DOCUMENT DE SÉCURITÉ

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Abstract (en)

[origin: WO2014090839A1] The present invention concerns a method for checking the authenticity of a security document, in particular a fiduciary document, which comprises an area with, within or at the surface of this area, a reversible mecanoluminescent compound of formula (i): In which R represents an alkyl chain comprising 1 to 12 carbon atoms, which comprises a step in which said area is subjected to ultraviolet radiation such that the whole of said area is visible to the naked eye in a first fluorescent colour (C1), characterised by the fact that it also comprises a step that consists of heating at least said area to a temperature of at least 50° C, without subjecting it to any friction or mechanical stress whatsoever, the revealing of the authenticity of said document being confirmed by the shift from said first colour (C1) to a second fluorescent colour (C2) different from the first.

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