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(54) **Cash dispensing system**

(57) An ATM is described. The ATM is embodied as a secure safe and is readily exchangeable for refilling and servicing at a service location. The ATM is provided with a minimal user interface. Interaction with the ATM

may take place using the keypad and screen of a mobile telephone. The ATM comprises a position determining device (22) and a wireless communication device (20) for reporting the position to a remote location.

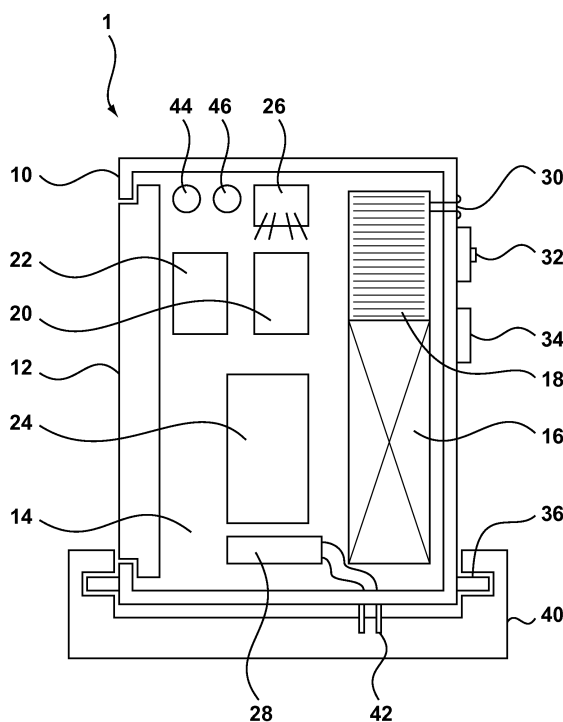


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The present European patent application comprised at the time of filing more than ten claims.

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- ☐ No claims fees have been paid within the prescribed time limit. The present European search report has been drawn up for the first ten claims.

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The Search Division considers that the present European patent application does not comply with the requirements of unity of invention and relates to several inventions or groups of inventions, namely:

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- 1-4, 7, 8, 11, 12, 15, 16, 20
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1. claims: 1-4, 7, 8, 11, 12, 15, 16, 20

ATM comprising locking elements

2. claims: 5, 9, 10, 17-19, 21-24

ATM wherein the dispensing mechanism is responsive to the
communication device

3. claim: 6

ATM comprising a device for verifying the identity of a
person

4. claims: 13,14

monitoring temperature or movement of an ATM

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