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(54) **USER CONTROLLED MULTI-DEVICE  
MEDIA-ON-DEMAND SYSTEM**

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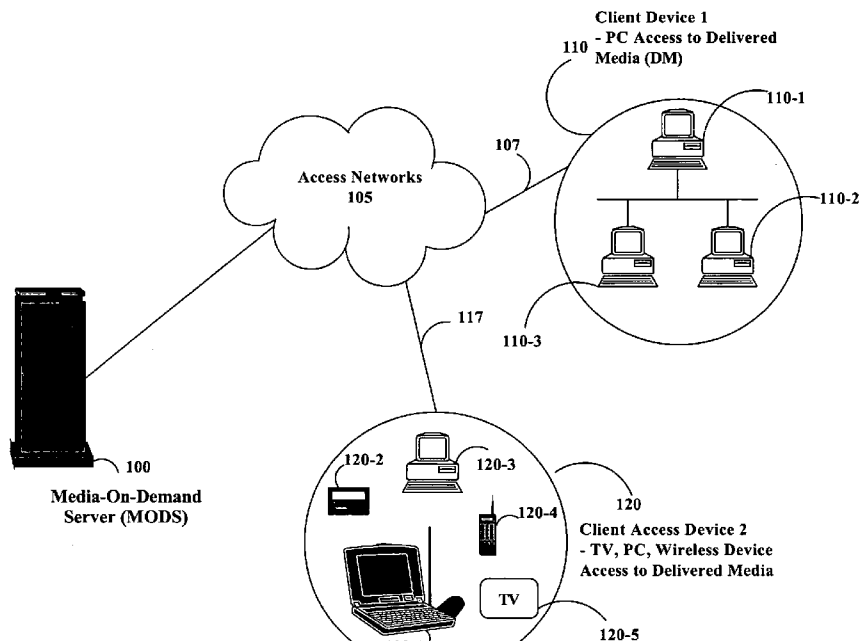
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

A method for providing configurable access to media in a media-on-demand system also can include delivering the media to a first client device in a format compatible with the first client device; interrupting the delivery of the media; recording a bookmark specifying a position in the media where the interruption occurred; and resuming delivery of the media to a second client device, the resumed delivery beginning at a position in the media specified by the recorded bookmark. The method further can include identifying device properties for each of the first and second client devices; delivering the media to the first client device in a format compatible with the identified device properties for the first client device; and, delivering the media to the second client device in a format compatible with the identified device properties for the second client device.

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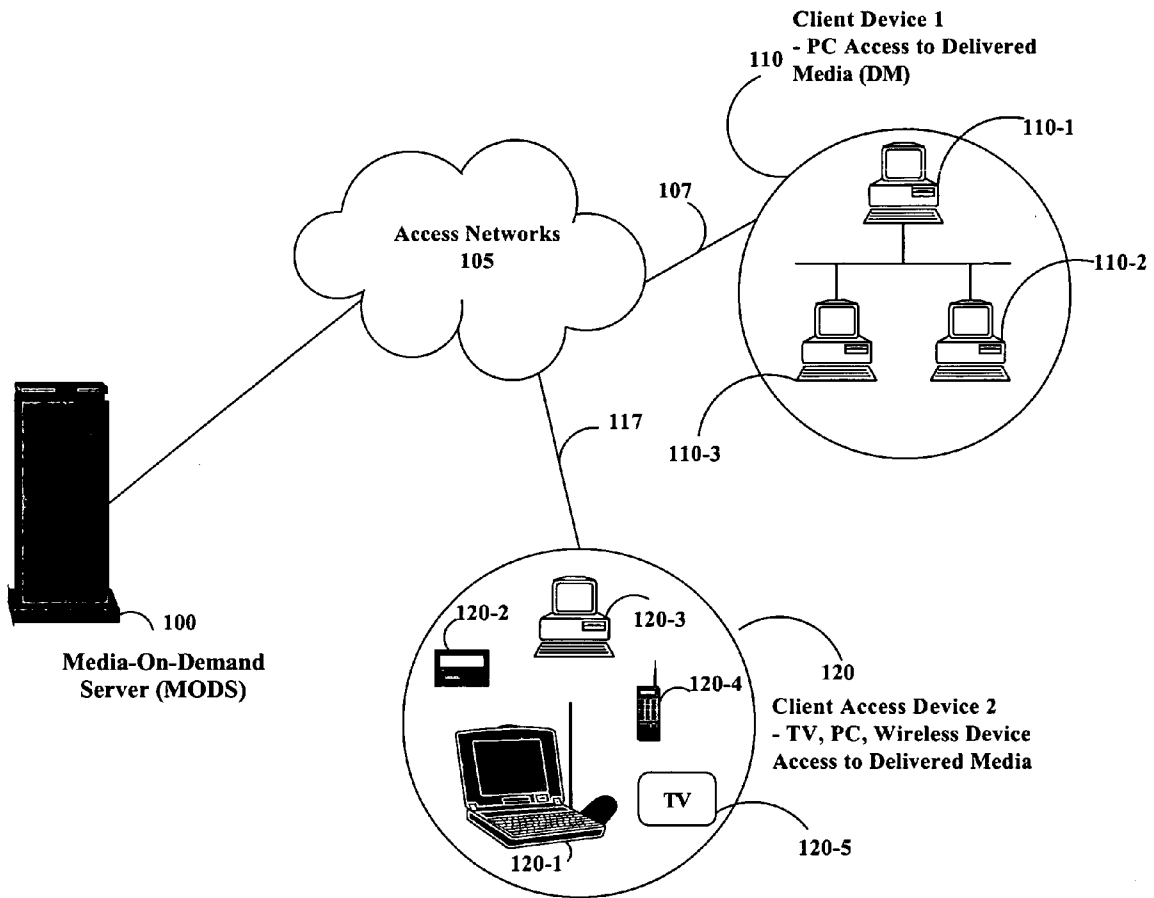


FIG. 1

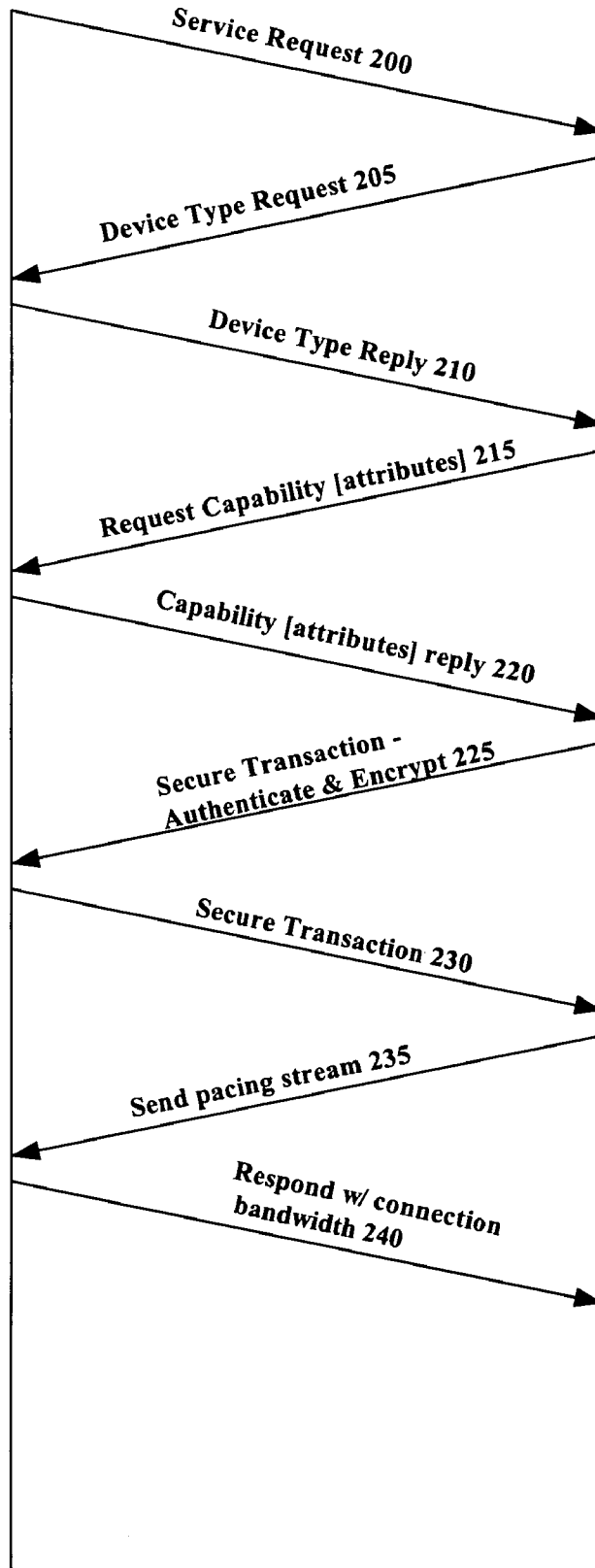


FIG. 2

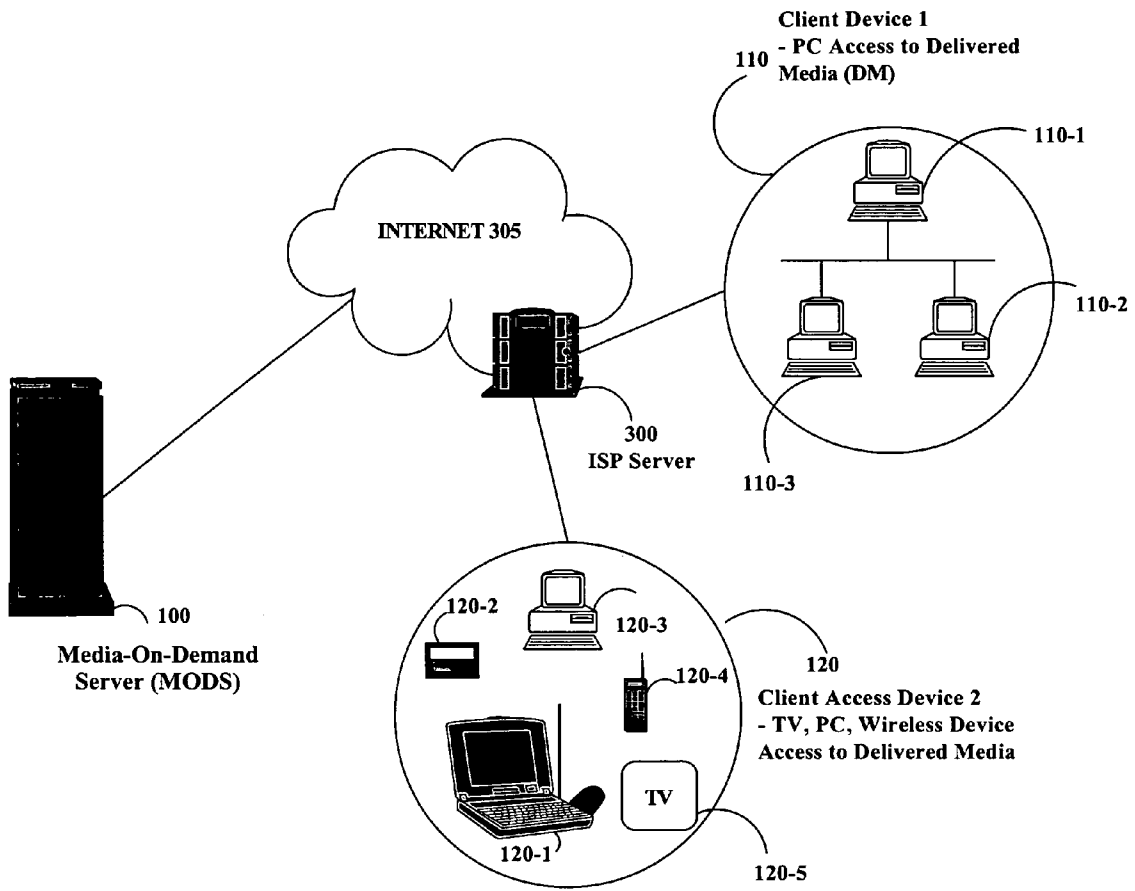
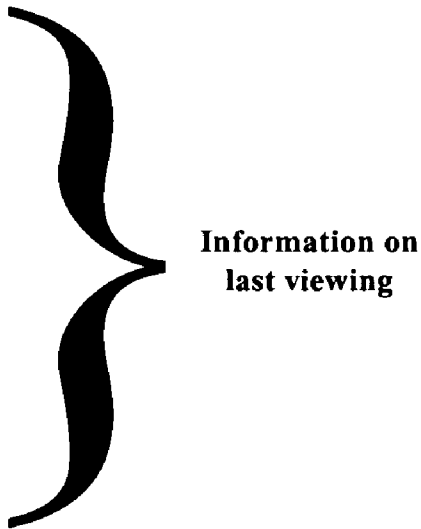


FIG. 3

User Identification	400
Delivered Media Identification	405
Billing Information	410
MODS Identification	415
DM Identification/this MODS	420
Time code of last viewed second	425
Time code of beginning of last scene in progress	430
Last Format Used	435
Transaction Identification	440
Duration	445



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**FIG. 4.**

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