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(57) **ABSTRACT**

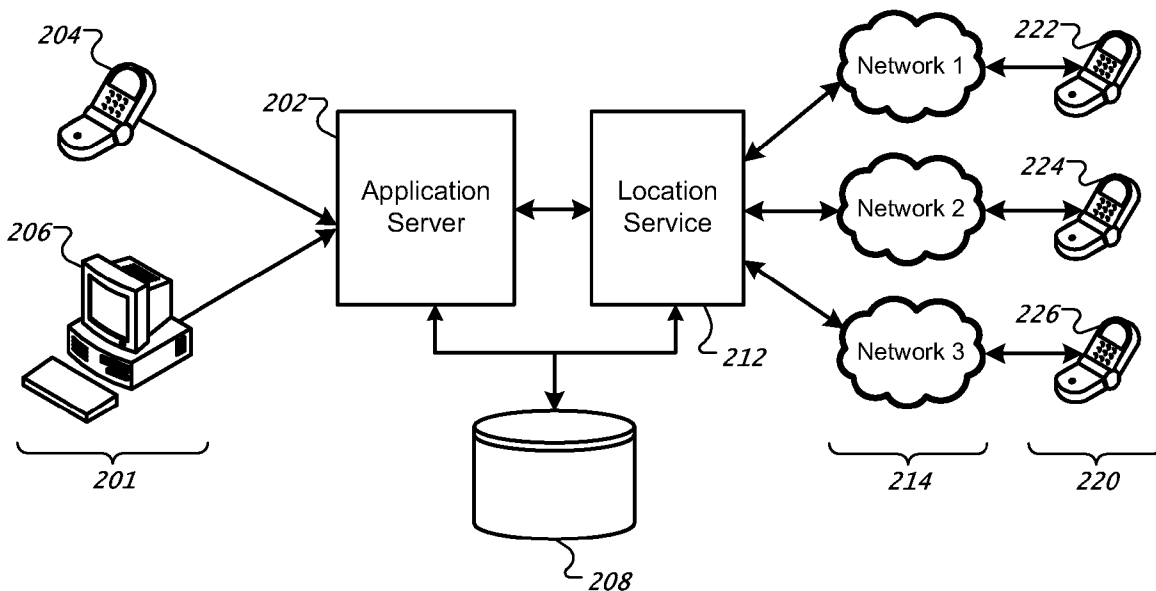
Methods and apparatus, including computer program products, for identifying a request to locate a user. The request identifies a network operator-independent personal location code (PLC) for the user. Identifying a first device associated with the user based on the PLC. The first device is associated with a first network operator. And obtaining the current location of the first device from the associated first network operator.

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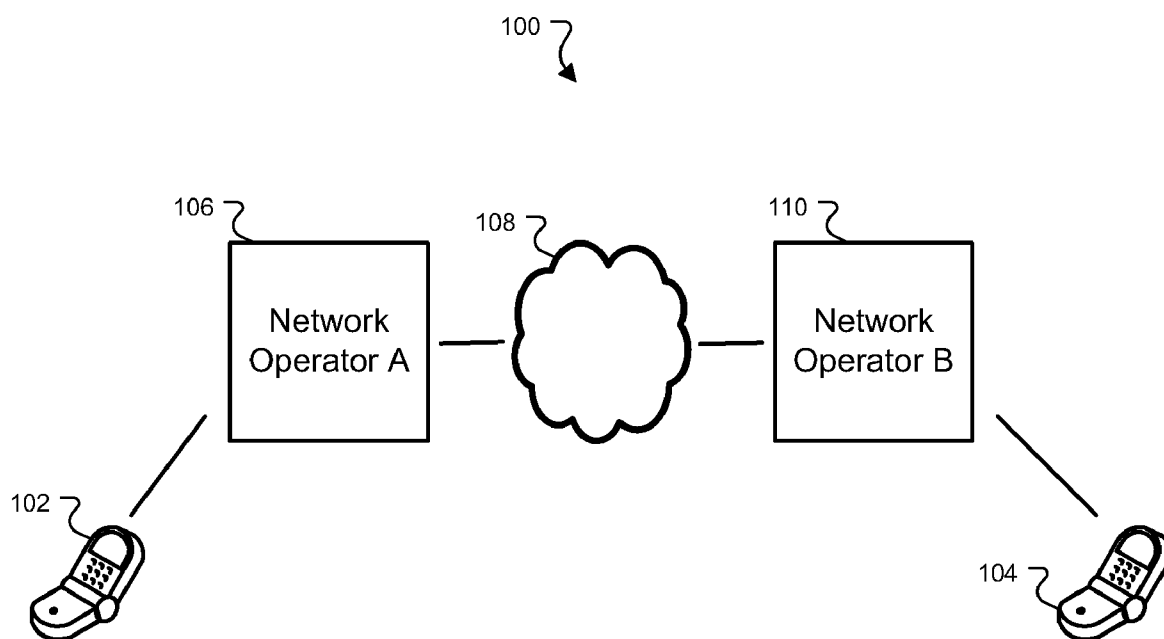


FIG. 1  
(PRIOR ART)

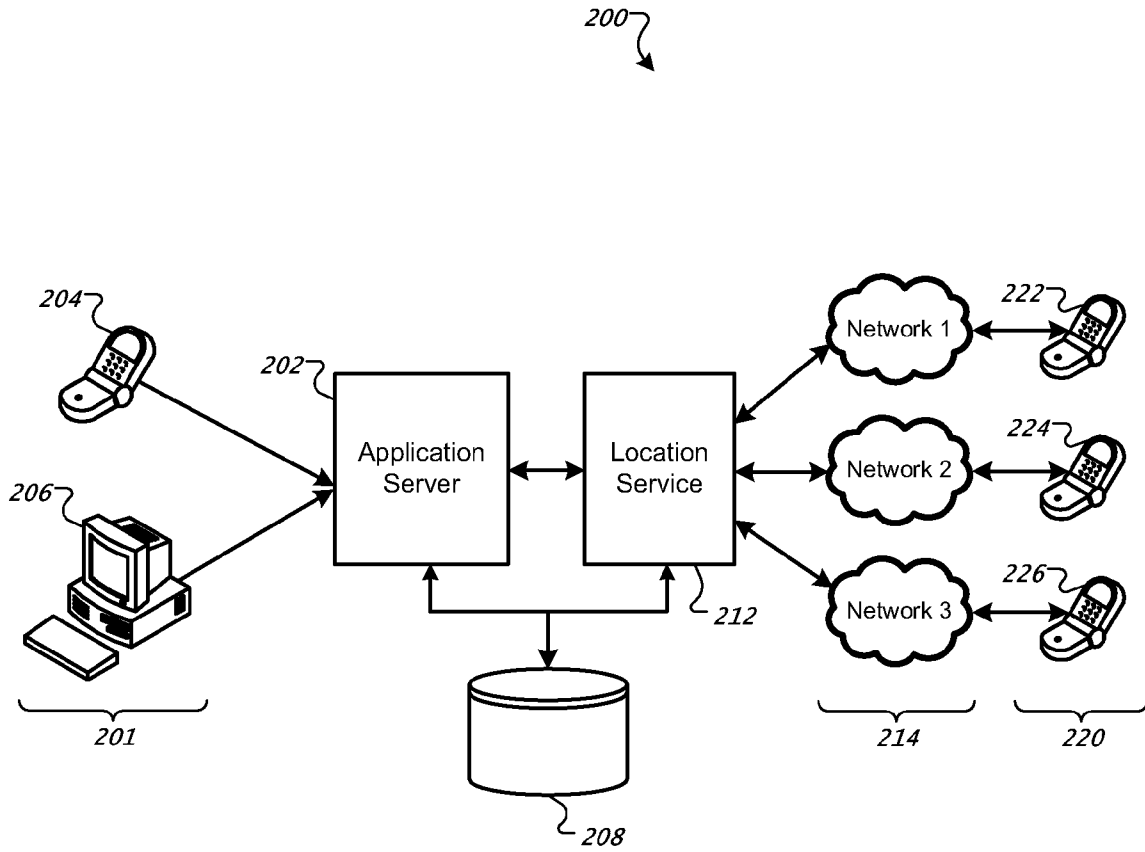


FIG. 2

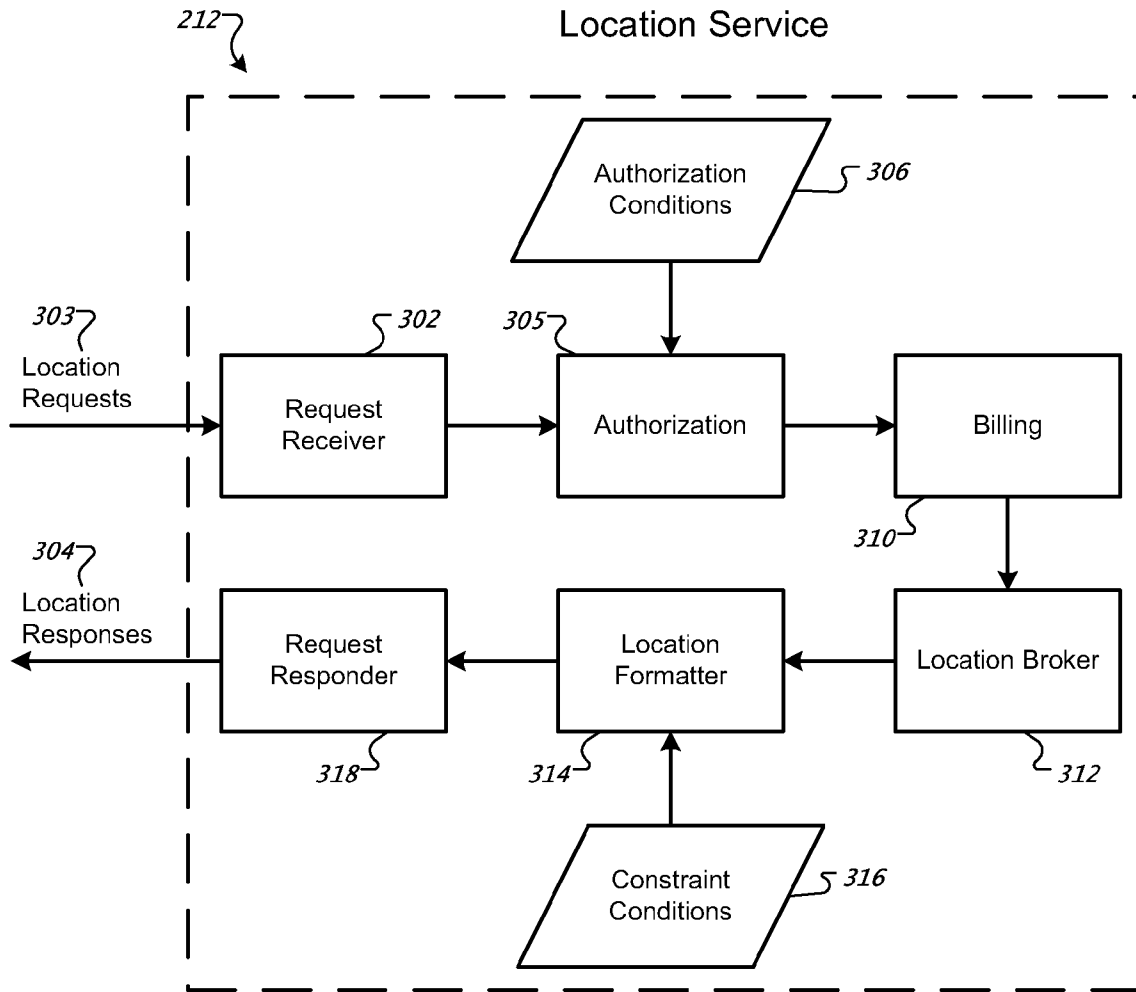


FIG. 3

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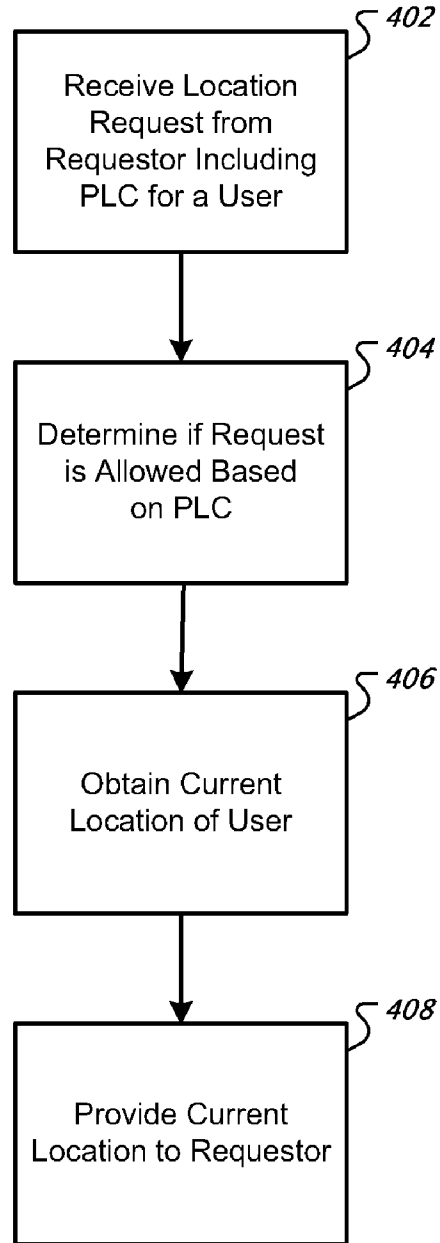


FIG. 1A

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