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[54]	SUBSCRIBER-ORIGINATED CALL
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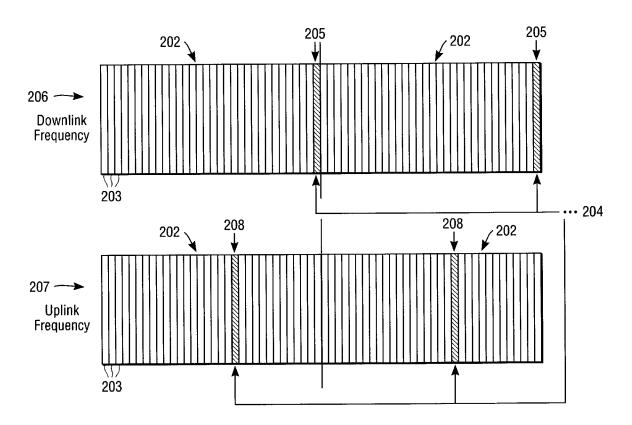
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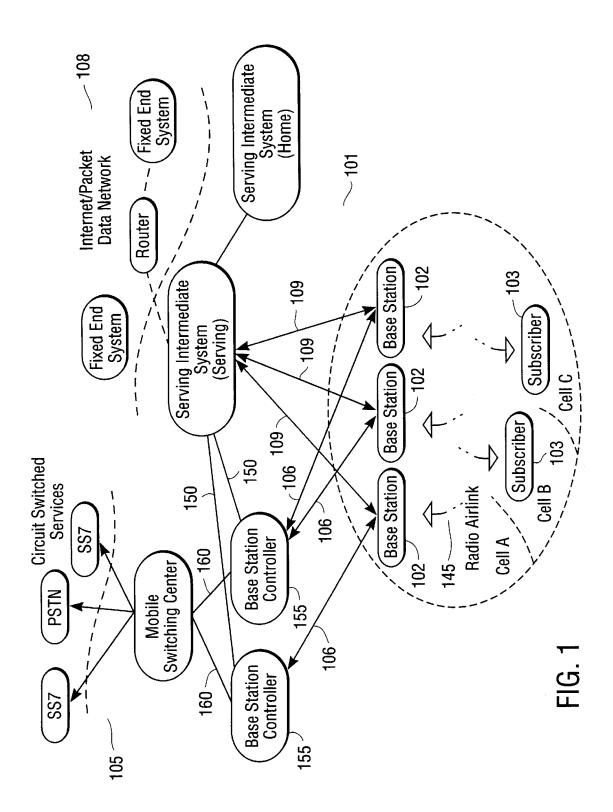
#### **ABSTRACT** [57]

Methods and apparatus for queuing subscriber-originated connection requests for respective calls at a server system. A server system in a telecommunications network receives subscriber-originated connection requests for subscriber pending call access to the server system, and thus, the network. Subscriber-originated connection requests are queued at the receiving server system. The server system receiving the subscriber-originated connection request transmits a first message to the respective subscriber originating the connection request upon the server system's queuing of the connection request. Subsequently, upon the server system allocating a connection resource to a queued subscriberoriginated connection request, the server system transmits a second message to the respective subscriber.

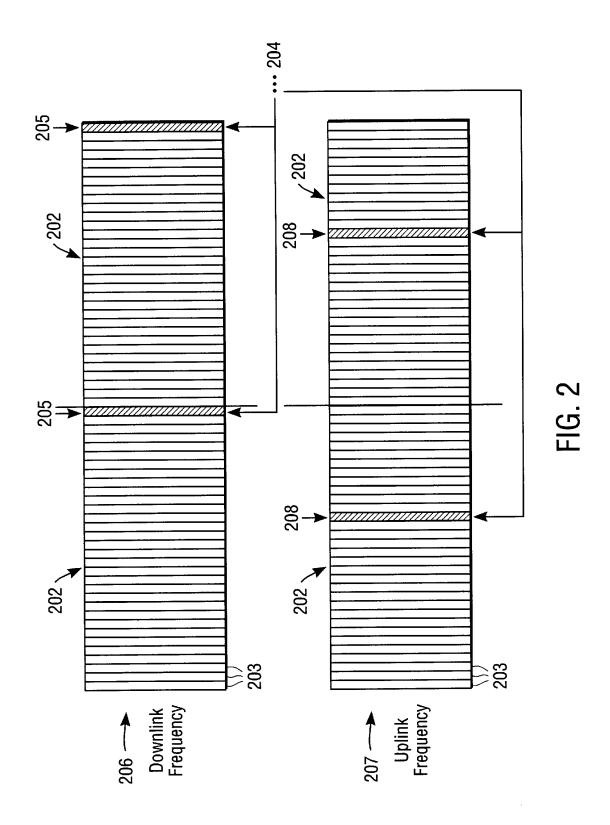
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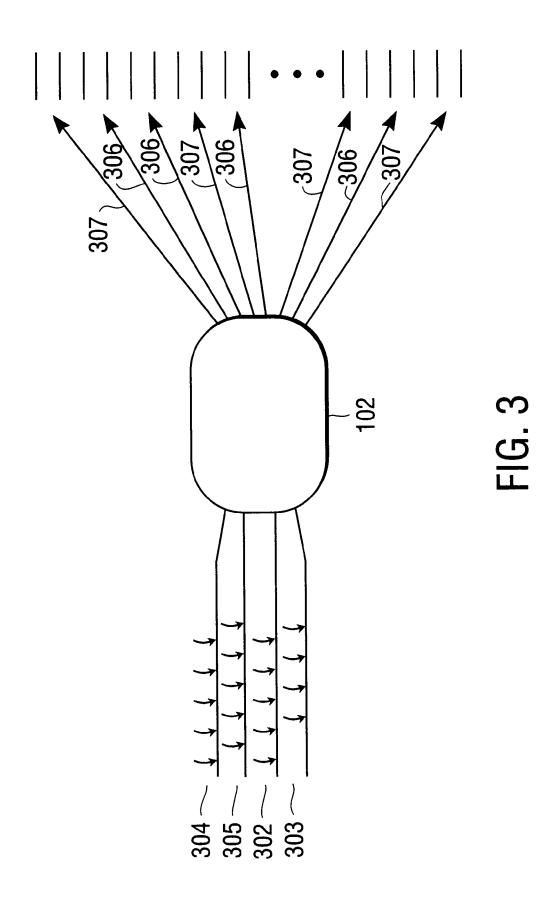




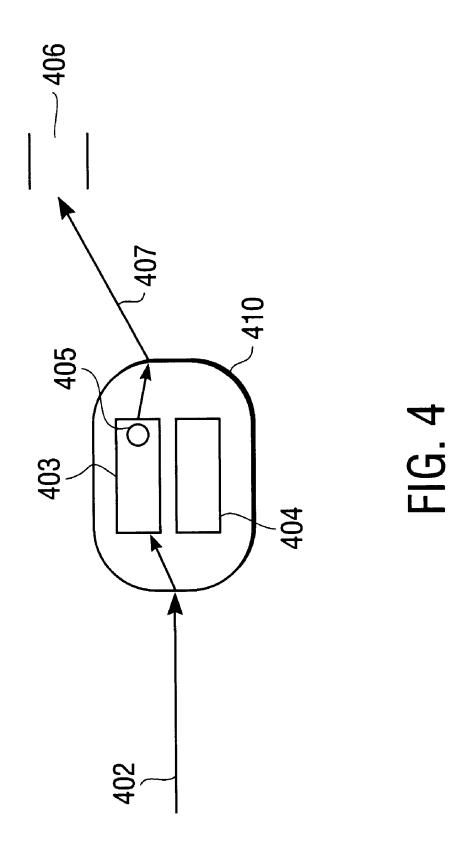












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