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(54) **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR VOICE ACCESS TO INTERNET-BASED INFORMATION**

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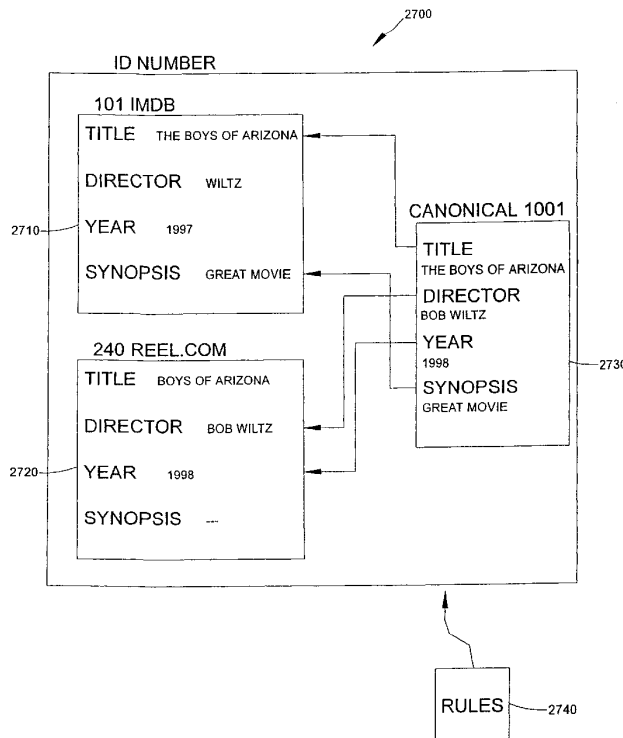
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

A method of providing voice access to Internet-based information and services includes receiving a signal indicating a communication connection request in which the communication connection request is initiated by a user of a communication apparatus, establishing a communication connection with the communication apparatus of the user, receiving voice information from the user, and communicating voice information responsive to the voice information received from the user. The responsive voice information includes Internet-based information.

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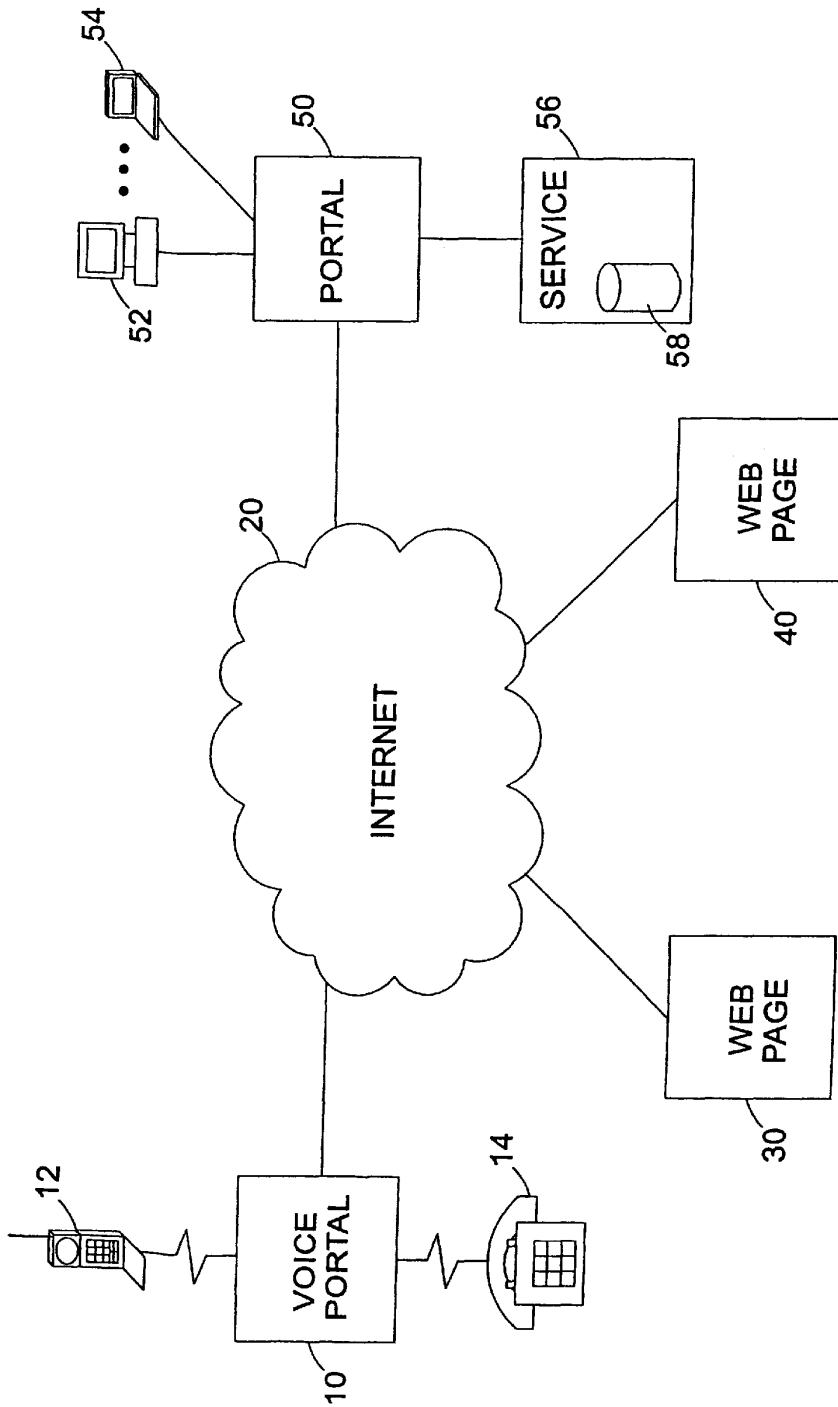


FIG. 1

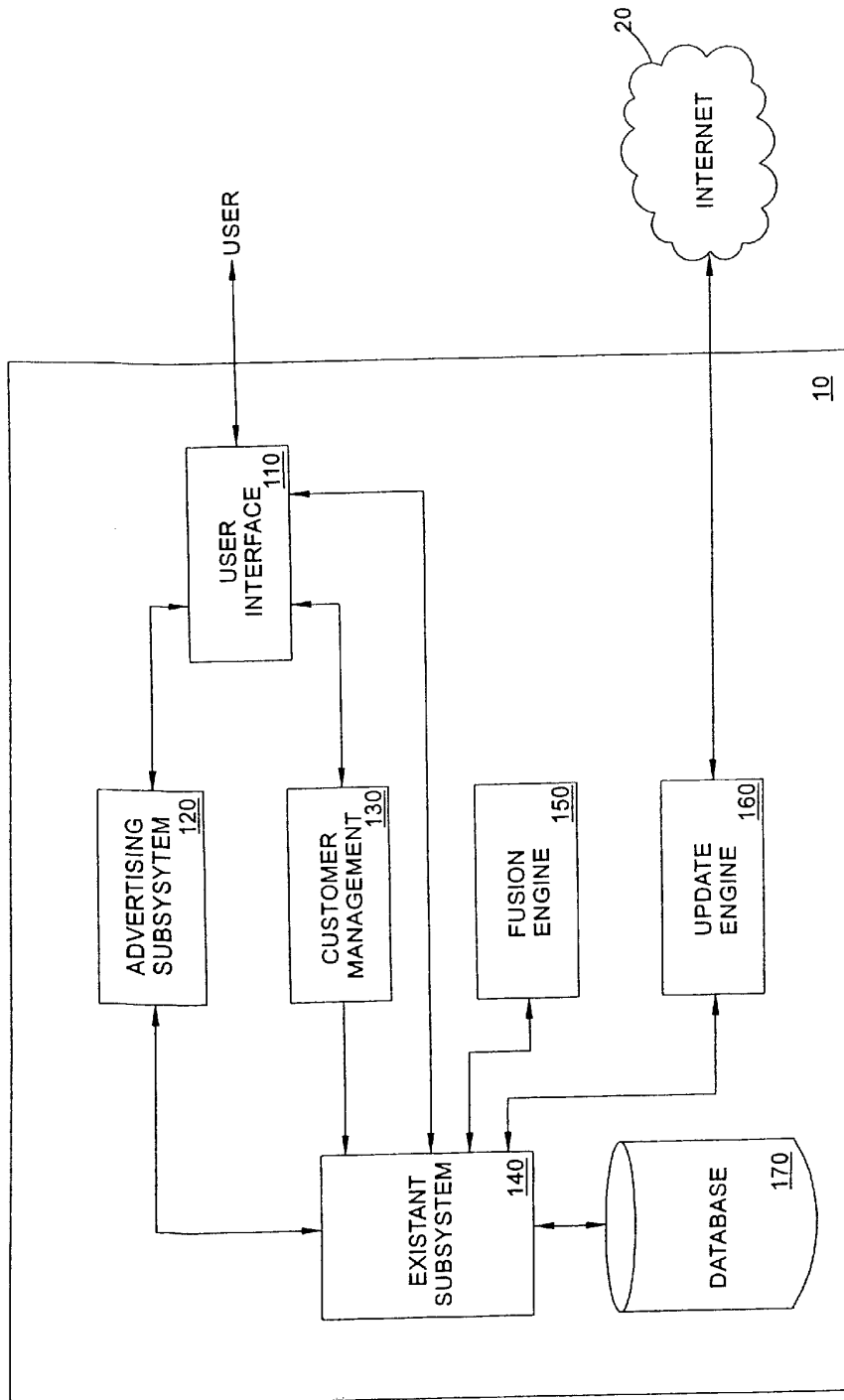


FIG. 2

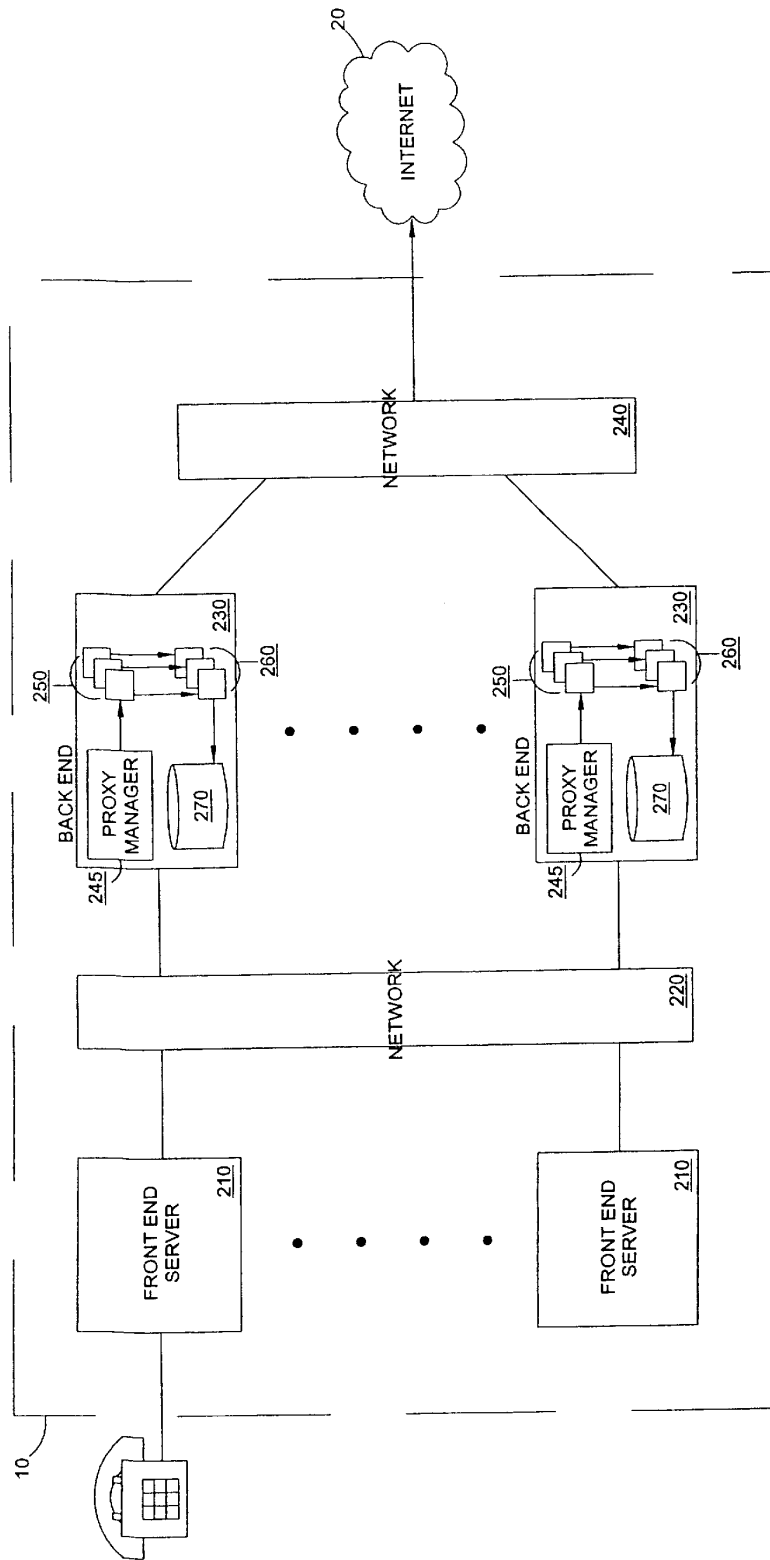


FIG. 3

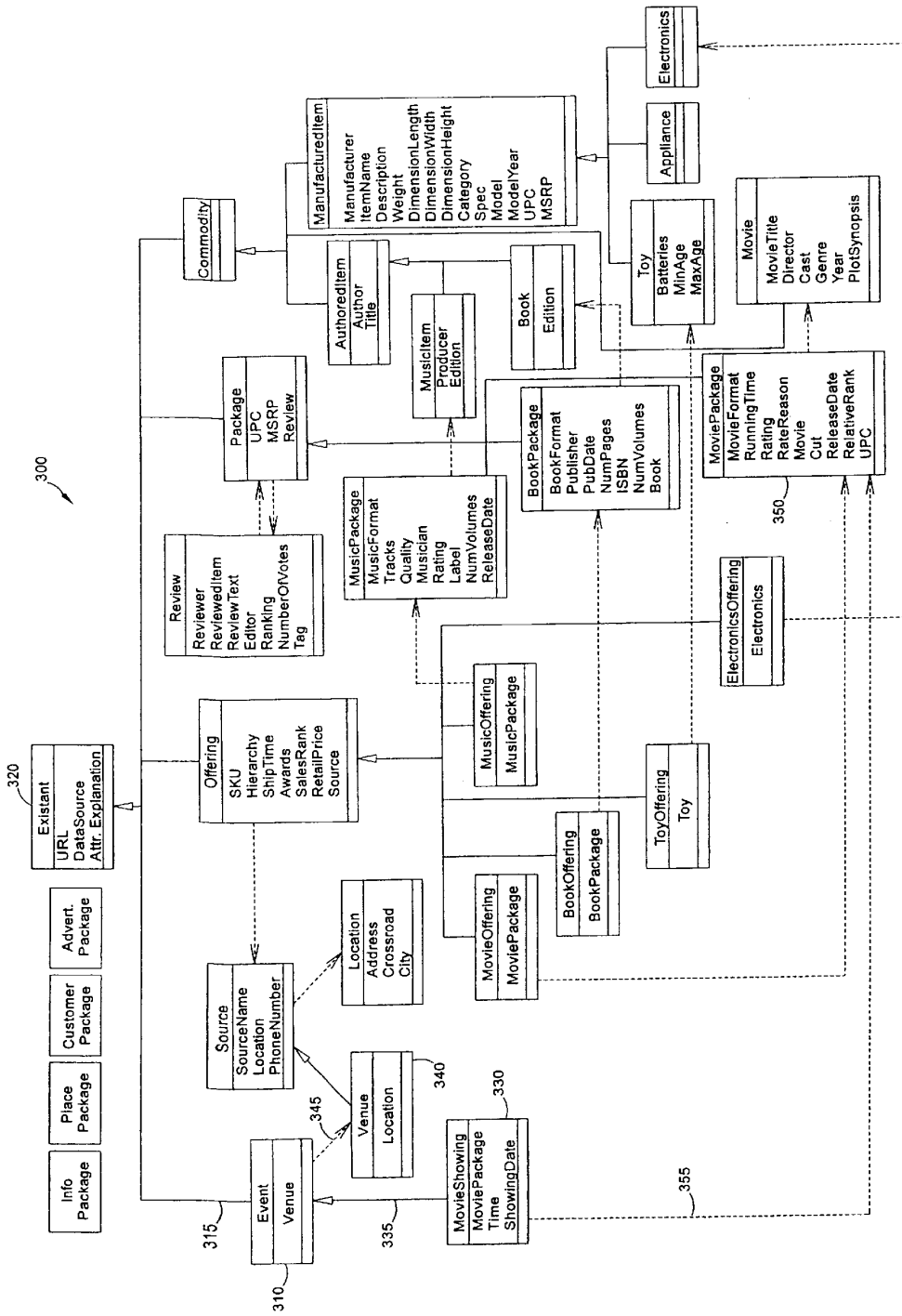


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