

ABSTRACT

Content of a setting associated with a security function performed on an information processing apparatus using a first communication procedure may not be referred to by a client apparatus which employs a second communication procedure different from the first communication procedure.

An information processing apparatus includes first processing means for performing a setting for performing encrypted communication on the information processing apparatus in response to a command based on a first communication procedure, second processing means for performing a setting for performing encrypted communication on the information processing apparatus in response to a command based on a second communication procedure, and transmitting means for transmitting information indicating that the setting for performing the encrypted communication is made in response to the command based on the first communication procedure to a reception apparatus if the command based on the second communication procedure is received from the reception apparatus after the first processing means performs the setting for performing the encrypted communication on the information processing apparatus in response to the command based on the first communication procedure.