

METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR SECURING OPTICALLY DISCERNABLE DATA ON A DATA STORAGE DEVICE

ABSTRACT

A method and system for securing access to optically discernable data embedded within a data storage device (46). To secure access, it is first determined if there is registration data stored on an electronic storage device (72) affixed to a data storage device (46), in response to insertion of the data storage device (46) into a reader (47). The registration data is thereafter compared with user identification data. The optically discernable data embedded within the data storage device (46) is then read in response to the registration data matching the user identification data, such that access to optically discernable data on a data storage device (46) is only permitted by proper identification.

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