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(54) Title: METHOD OF MODIFYING THE INSTRUCTION SET OF A SMART CARD

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PROCEDURE TABLE	
PRONR.	PROCEDURE
1	[DES]
2	[NEW FUNCTION]
3	[RSA]
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(57) Abstract

The invention provides a method of modifying and/or extending the instruction set (READ, WRITE) of a smart card (1). Use is made of the attribute tables (100, 200, 300) associated with certain files and with the commands of the existing instruction set to modify the functions of the instructions. Thus, non-standard functions may be implemented without the need to use additional, i.e. non-standard instructions.