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- (54) **Title:** SUB-FRAME CONFIGURATION

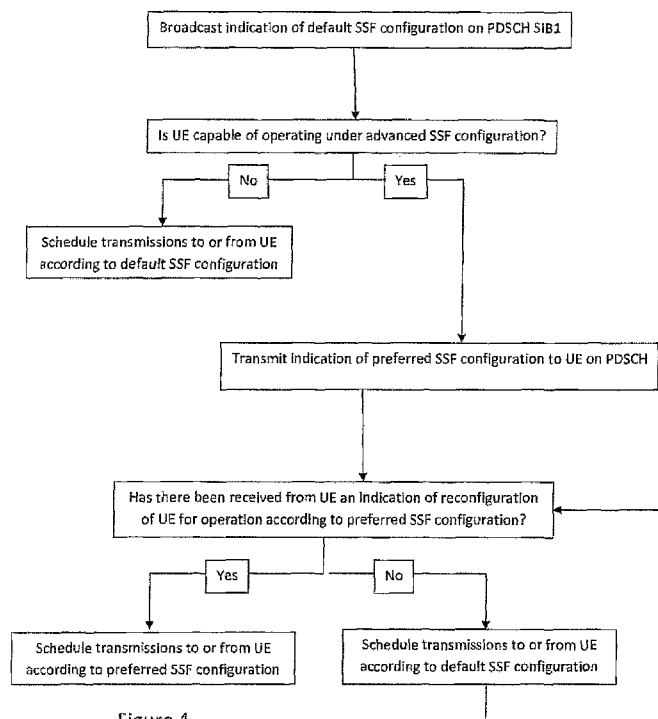


Figure 4

- (57) **Abstract:** Transmitting an indication of a default configuration for a sub-frame having a downlink transmission portion and an uplink transmission portion; transmitting an indication of a preferred configuration for said sub-frame; and scheduling transmissions to and/or from a communication device according to said preferred sub-frame configuration.



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