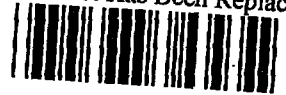


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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING ELEVATORS

Abstract of Disclosures

An evaluation function used to the nextly occurring hall call is determined based on results of previous elevator allocation and present situations of traffic demands and traffic flow. The determination of the evaluation function is carried out on occasions in such an operation situation change as arrival of an elevator at the destination floor, registration of a new hall call, a occurrence of long waiting time and so on, besides after determining elevator allocation. By using such elevator operation control method wherein it is not necessary to judge a traffic mode, by preparing the nextly used evaluation function after determining elevator allocation or in the changes of traffic situations, it is further not necessary to change a elevator control method according to traffic slow modes or time zones, which realizes a modeless group control of elevators.