

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**TRUSTED INPUT FOR MOBILE PLATFORM TRANSACTIONS**

According to one embodiment, computer system is disclosed. The computer system includes a central processing unit (CPU), and a chipset coupled to the CPU including protected registers. The computer system also includes a micro-controller coupled to the chipset to perform scans to receive key-matrix data, wherein trusted software accesses the key-matrix data via the protected registers to ensure the authenticity of the data.