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(57) Abstract

In a dictation device (1) for the storage of speech signals, in which the processing means (14) are adapted to digitize applied speech signals and to generate data blocks (DB) comprising digital data, which data blocks comprise a header portion (HP) and a data portion (DP), the data in each data block (DB) being organized in accordance with a specification comprising specification information, and in which the generation means (41) are adapted to generate designation records which are each associated with specification, the processing means (14) are adapted to generate data blocks (DB) whose header portion (HP) comprises a first section (HSP-"1") and at least one further section (HSP-"2", HSP-"3", HSP-"4"), and the generation means (41) are adapted to generate a designation record (DS3) associated with a specification partner code associated with a specification partner, which designation record can be inserted in the first section (HSP-"1") of a data block (DB), and there have been provided further generation means (41) adapted to generate at least one additional designation record (DS2, DS4, DS5, DS6) associated with additional specification information, which additional designation record can be inserted in a further section (HSP-"2") of the header portion (HP) of a data block (DB).

