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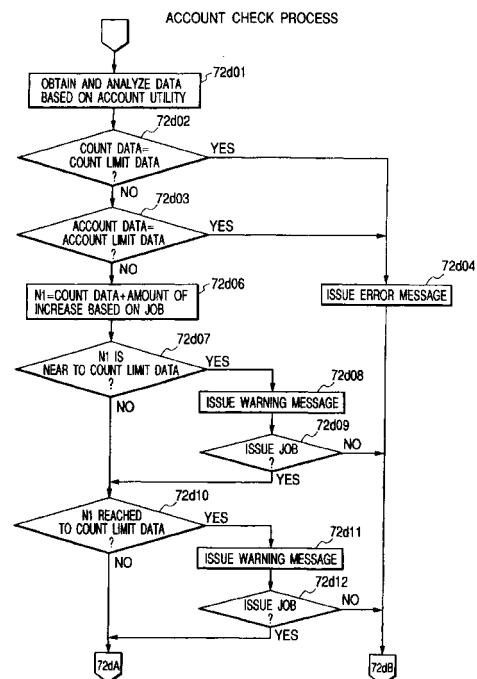
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(57) A job not executable because of an account limit is rejected before it is transmitted so that there is no job which is transmitted but discarded without being executed at a peripheral device because of the account limit. Prior to issuing a job, account information recorded in a peripheral device is acquired to judge whether the job to be issued is in excess of the account limit. If in excess of the account limit, the job is not transmitted and cancelled by displaying an error message to a client.

FIG. 93





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