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(54) **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR EXPANDING THE HARDWARE CAPABILITIES OF A DIGITAL IMAGING DEVICE**

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(57) **ABSTRACT**

A system and method for adding at least one function to a digital imaging device is disclosed. The method and system include accessing a remote memory containing information relating to the at least one function. The at least one function utilizes hardware which is not already supported by the digital imaging device. The method and system further include loading the information relating to the at least one function on the digital imaging device so that the at least one function and the hardware can be used by the digital imaging device.

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