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Compared to Slemmer 6,226,677 Claim 25

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## U.S. Patent Slemmer 6,226,677 Claim 25:

25. A method related to controlling communications between a user machine and a global computer network including the Internet, comprising:

providing a user machine that can operate with a browser involved with enabling communications by said user machine over the global computer network, said user machine being normally configured for a first intranet network;

connecting said user machine to a second intranet network different from said first intranet network;

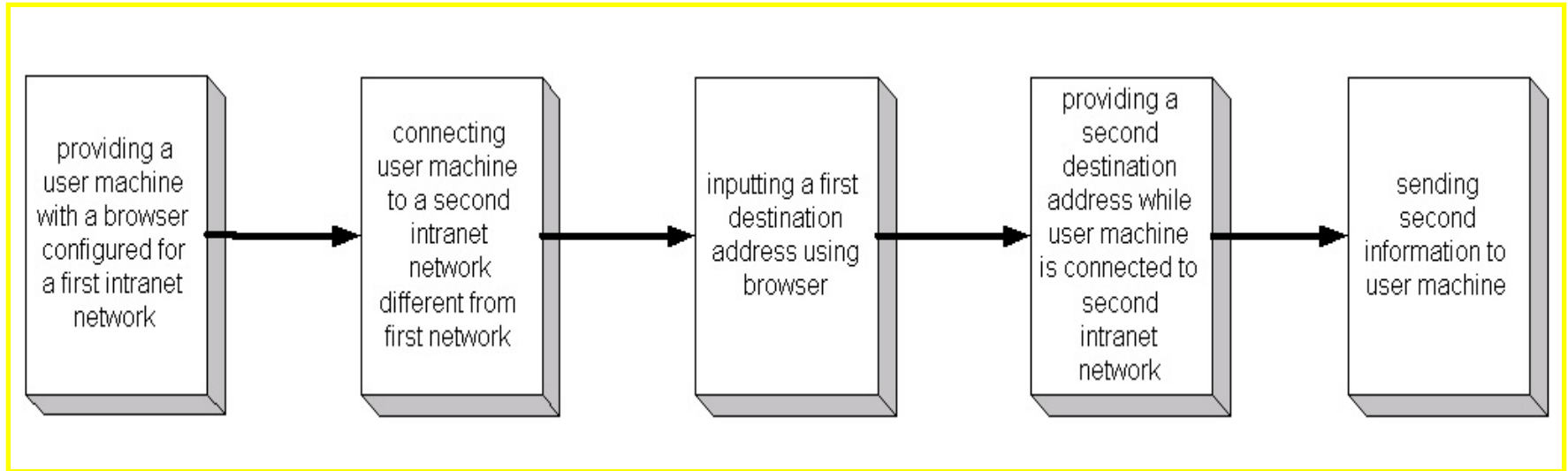
inputting a first destination address using said browser after said connecting step, said first destination address being associated with a first web site having first information accessible using the Internet;

providing a second destination address associated with a second web site accessible using the Internet while said user machine is connected to said second intranet network, said second web site having second information different from said first information, said second information including at least one of: logging in information and advertising information, said providing step being conducted using a proxy server responsive to said user machine; and

sending said second information to said user machine.

# Generic Wireless Hot Spot Operation Compared to the '677 Patent Claim 25:

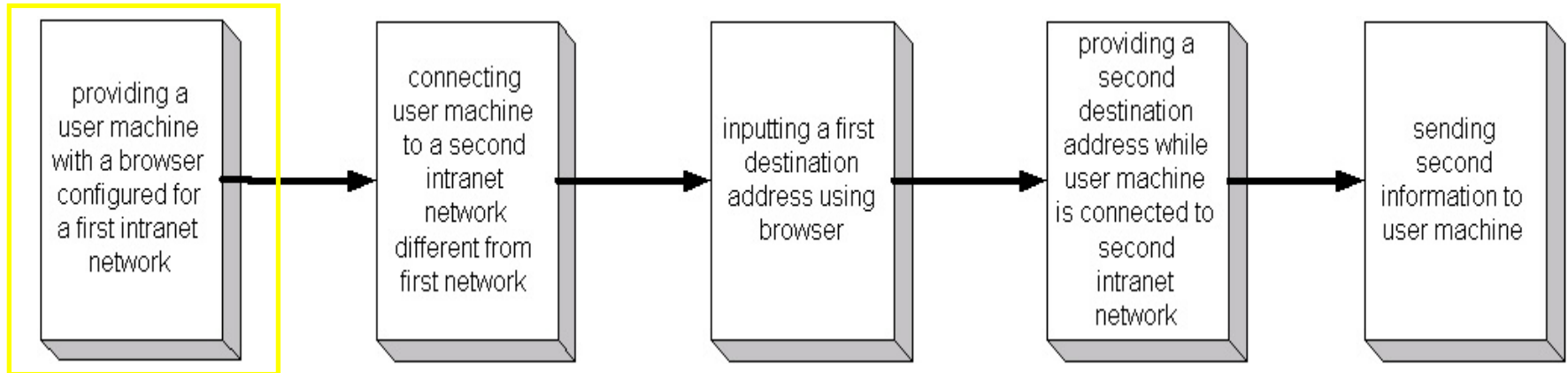
A method related to controlling communications between a user machine and a global computer network including the Internet, comprising:



*A public wireless hot spot system providing Internet access to users is an example of a method of controlling communication from a user machine to the Internet.*

# Generic Wireless Hot Spot Operation Compared to the '677 Patent Claim 25:

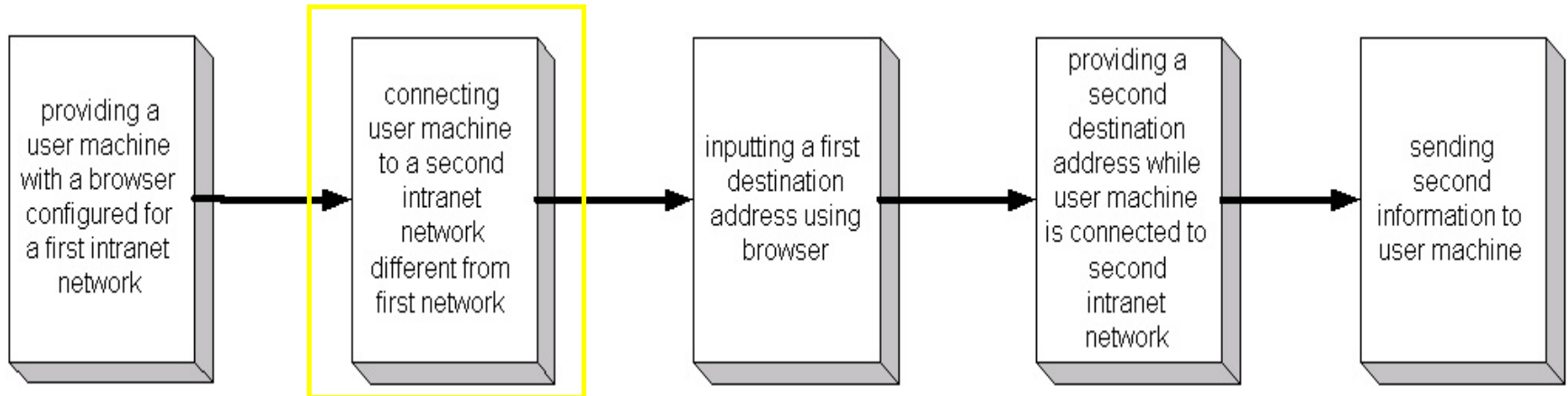
providing a user machine that can operate with a browser involved with enabling communications by said user machine over the global computer network, said user machine being normally configured for a first intranet network;



*A user brings a laptop computer running, for example, Windows XP and Internet Explorer to a wireless hot spot location. This computer, for example, is normally configured for use with a particular intranet network. The laptop computer configured to operate with this intranet network is an example of a user machine being normally configured for a first intranet network and is able to operate a browser.*

# Generic Wireless Hot Spot Operation Compared to the '677 Patent Claim 25:

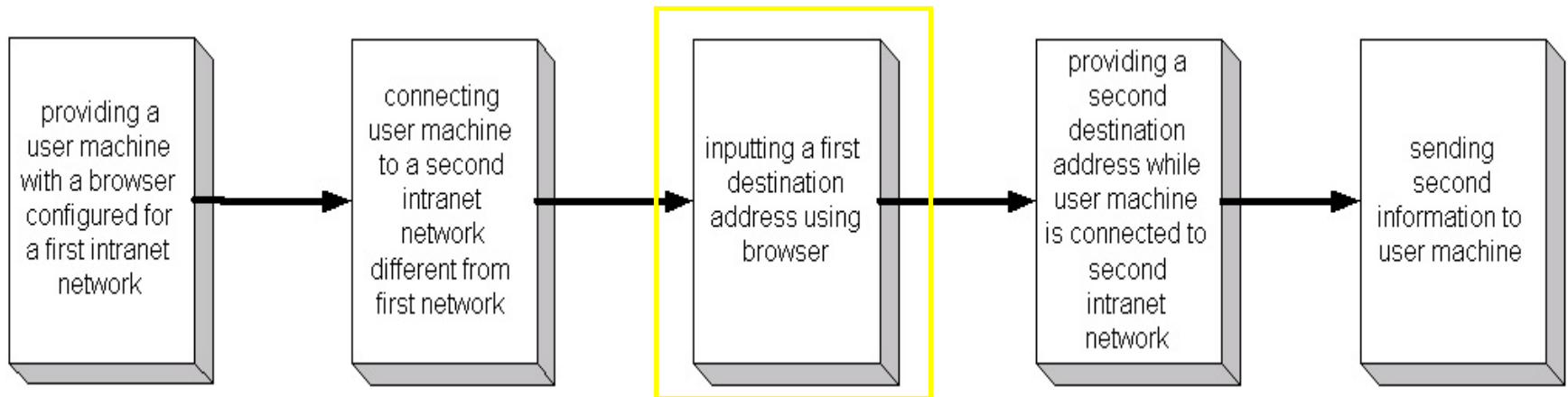
connecting said user machine to a second intranet network different from said first intranet network;



*The user connects the laptop to the wireless hot spot using a wireless network adapter. The user laptop connecting to the wireless hot spot is an example of a user machine connecting to a second intranet network different from the first intranet network.*

# Generic Wireless Hot Spot Operation Compared to the '677 Patent Claim 25:

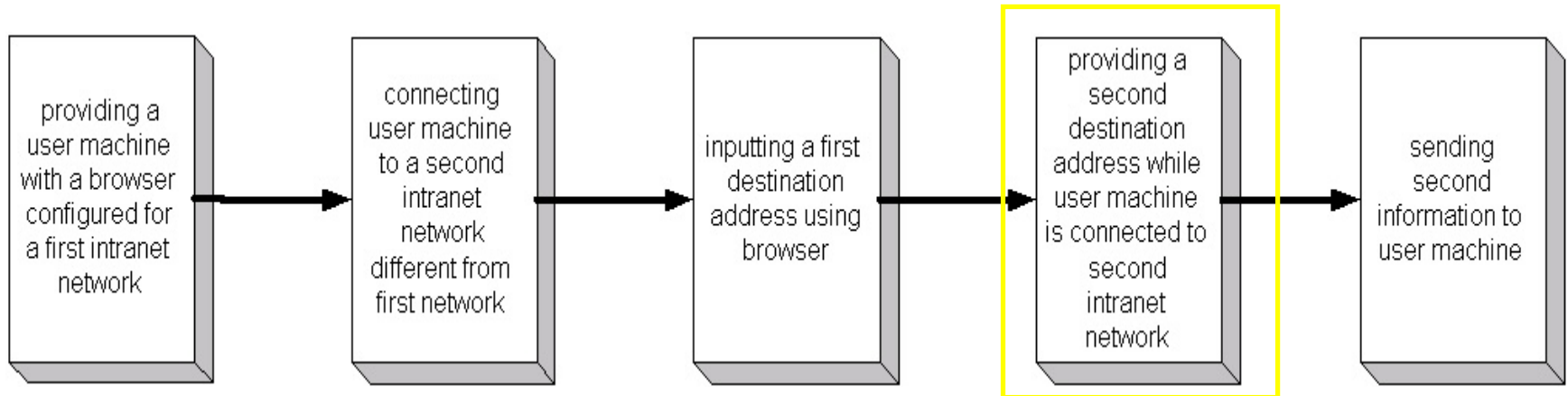
inputting a first destination address using said browser after said connecting step, said first destination address being associated with a first web site having first information accessible using the Internet;



*The user launches a web browser on the laptop computer. The user enters a web address such as <http://www.yahoo.com>. The user entering the Yahoo web address is an example of inputting a first destination address where the first destination address is associated with a first web site having first information accessible using the Internet.*

# Generic Wireless Hot Spot Operation Compared to the '677 Patent Claim 25:

providing a second destination address associated with a second web site accessible using the Internet while said user machine is connected to said second intranet network, said second web site having second information different from said first information, said second information including at least one of: logging in information and advertising information, said providing step being conducted using a proxy server responsive to said user machine; and

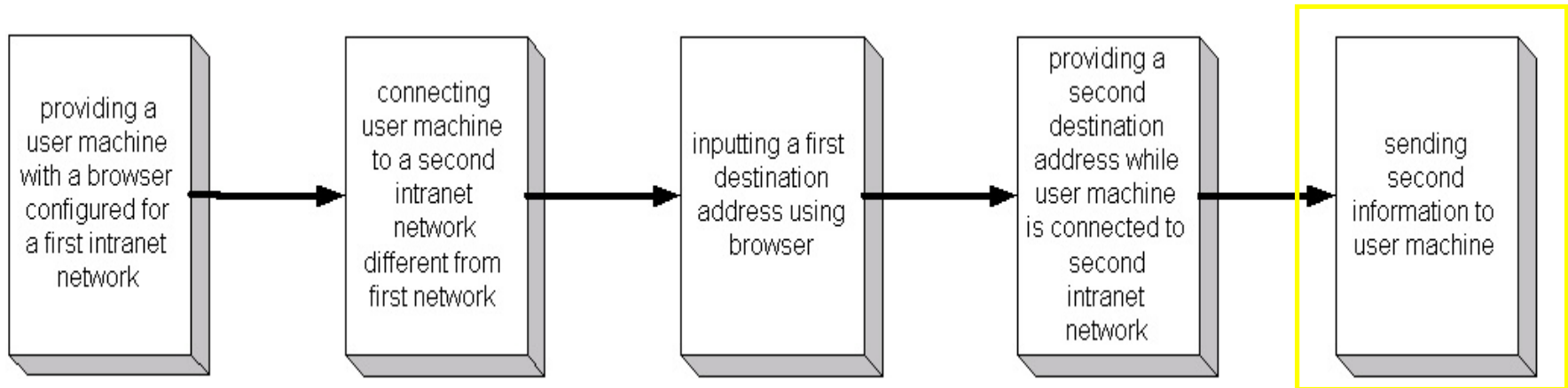


*While connected to the wireless network, the hot spot gateway redirects the request for the Yahoo web site and provides a second destination address such as a login page or advertising to the user machine instead. The redirection by the hot spot gateway is an example of providing a second destination address associated with a second web site accessible using the Internet while the user machine is connected to the second intranet network.*



# Generic Wireless Hot Spot Operation Compared to the '677 Patent Claim 25:

sending said second information to said user machine.



*The web page is delivered from the second destination address to the user machine. The web page being delivered is an example of sending said second information to said user machine.*

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## Generic Wireless Hot Spot Performs all Steps of US Patent 6,226,677 Claim 25



providing a user machine that can operate a browser,  
where user machine is configured for a first network



connecting user machine to a second intranet network  
different from first intranet network



inputting a first destination address using said browser  
where this address is associated with a web site.



providing a second destination address while connected  
to second intranet network where second address is a  
login page or advertising information



sending second information to the user machine.



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