Of course, the right and left motions illustrated by the graphical elements in FIGS. **4-13** are provided by way of example only and are not intended to be limiting. In other embodiments, the motion sensing device **62** (FIG. **2**) and/or the touch screen **54** (FIG. **2**) may sense other directional movements to move one or more graphical elements to a confirmation position. For example, the motion sensing device **62** may sense other horizontal movements, vertical movements, rotations, and/or tilts to move a graphical element to a confirmation position or decline position.

While the invention may be susceptible to various modifications and alternative forms, specific embodiments have been shown by way of example in the drawings and have been described in detail herein. However, it should be understood that the invention is not intended to be limited to the particular forms disclosed. Rather, the invention is to cover all modifications, equivalents, and alternatives falling within the spirit and scope of the invention as defined by the following appended claims.

What is claimed is:

1. A method comprising an electronic device performing the following steps:

receiving a user input selecting a payment instrument;

displaying a confirmation screen for receiving a motion based input to confirm a payment with the selected payment instrument, wherein the confirmation screen comprises a graphical element moveable between an initial position and a payment confirmation position, wherein the graphical element comprises an image of a credit card, and wherein the payment confirmation position comprises an image of a credit card terminal;

acquiring motion data corresponding to the motion based input, wherein the motion data represents movement of the graphical element from an initial position to the payment confirmation position; and

confirming, via a processor of the electronic device, the payment with the selected payment instrument in response to the acquired motion data.

2. The method of claim **1**, wherein acquiring motion data comprises sensing a direction of motion through a touch screen or sensing levels of pressure applied through the touch screen.

3. The method of claim **1**, wherein acquiring motion data comprises sensing motion of the electronic device through a one, two, or three axis accelerometer.

4. The method of claim **1**, wherein confirming the payment comprises transmitting at least one of a payment confirmation message, an account number, a sender identifier, a recipient identifier, a payment instrument identifier, remittance advice details, or an authorization key to a financial institution to process a payment transaction.

5. The method of claim **1**, comprising

contemporaneously varying the graphical element displayed on the confirmation screen based on the acquired motion data.

6. A method comprising an electronic device performing the following steps:

receiving a user input selecting a payment instrument;

displaying a confirmation screen for confirming a payment with the selected payment instrument, wherein the confirmation screen comprises an image of a credit card that can be swiped from an initial position towards an image of a credit card terminal to confirm the payment using the selected payment instrument;

detecting movement of the image of the credit card from the initial position towards the image of the credit card terminal;

confirming, via a processor of the electronic device, the payment with the selected payment instrument based on the movement of the image of the credit card; and

transmitting payment information to a financial institution to process the payment transaction in response to confirming the selected payment instrument.

7. The method of claim **6**, wherein detecting movement of the image of the credit card comprises detecting movement through a touch screen of the electronic device.

8. The method of claim **6**, comprising detecting movement of the electronic device through a one, two, or three axis accelerometer, and contemporaneously varying the image of the credit card based on the detected movement of the electronic device.

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