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1. A method for remotely controlling recording of multimedia data on a client system, comprising:

5 receiving a capture request from a server on a client system, the capture request instructs the client system to record specific multimedia content from a broadcast signal or multicast signal or to record specific multimedia content from a source across a network;

monitoring the capture request on the client system and recording from a specified station or specified channel the specific multimedia content in digital form on at least one
10 storage device, or storing specific multimedia content from a source across a network in digital form on the at least one storage device;

autonomously scheduling, by the client system, at least two capture request recordings and simultaneously recording multimedia content from at least two input sources on the at least one storage device.

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