

Wiretapping: A Legal Research Guide

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- Includes essential primary and secondary sources studying all aspects of wiretapping
- Covers federal and state government materials, court cases, treatises, and much more
- Written by two seasoned experts in legal information
- A timely resource in the age of electronics, digitalization, and hacking



About This Title

For more than two decades, wiretapping—electronically intercepting conversations without the knowledge or consent of at least one of the participants—has remained at the forefront of constitutional debates, igniting discussions about privacy and search and seizure rights. *Wiretapping: A Legal Research Guide* provides readers with the tools they need to research this topic and remain current on the legal landscape revolving this timely and relevant topic.

Wiretapping and electronic eavesdropping are covered under federal law by the Federal Wiretap Act and the Electronic Communications Privacy Act (ECPA). This guide is designed to help readers navigate these federal laws on both criminal and civil aspects, as well as the variety of state laws that address wiretapping. Additionally, the guide includes a wealth of secondary sources, from encyclopedias, practice books, and treatises, to law reviews, legal periodials, websites, and blogs.

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