

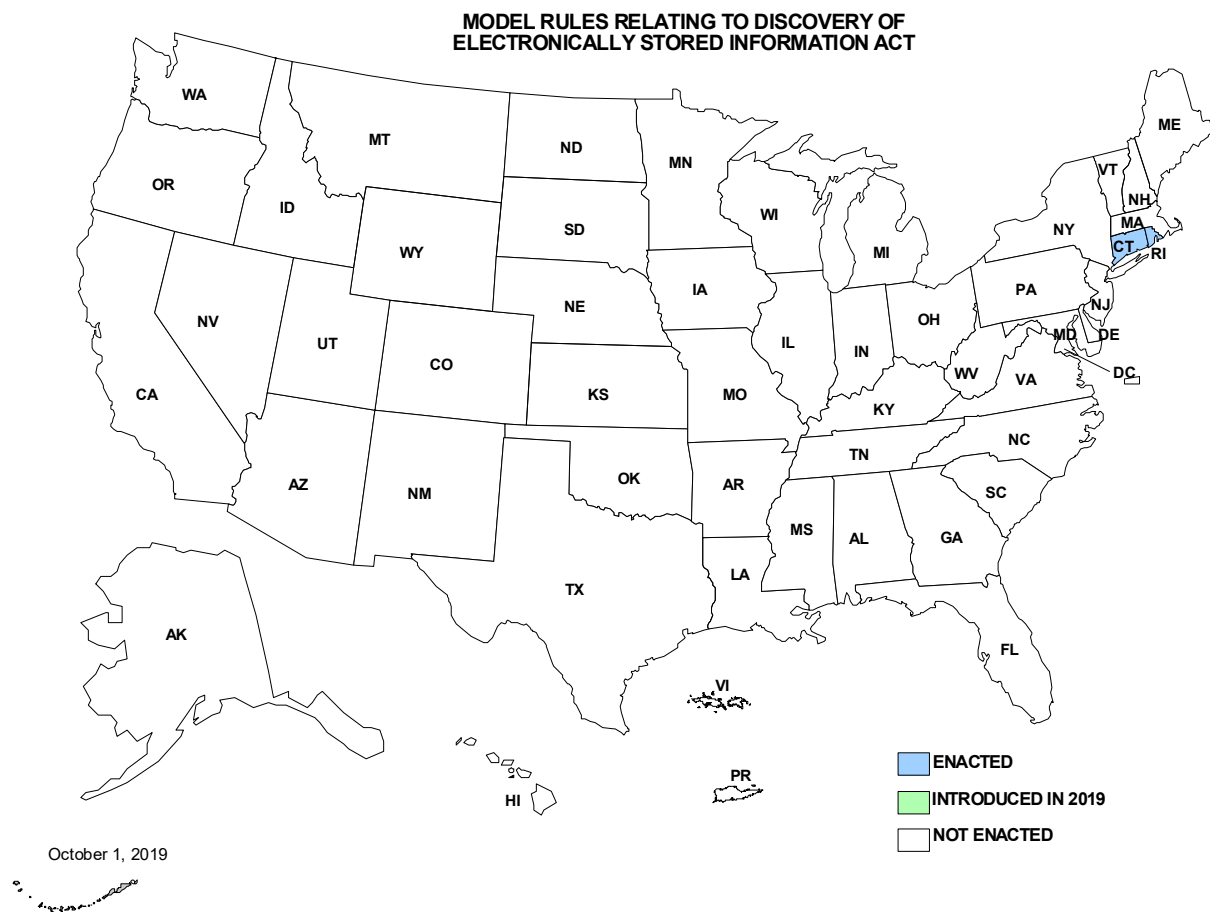


A Few Facts about  
**MODEL RULES RELATING TO DISCOVERY OF  
ELECTRONICALLY STORED INFORMATION**

**PURPOSE:** The primary purpose of the Model Rules is to provide states with up-to-date rules for the discovery of electronic documents in civil cases. These new rules mirror the recently adopted amendments to the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure dealing with electronically stored information.

**ORIGIN:** Completed by the Uniform Law Commission in 2007.

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