

CCPA BASIC OVERVIEW

The California Consumer Privacy Act of 2018 (CCPA) is a state law that imposes a number of obligations on companies that collect personal information.

It's pretty important for everyone - not just lawyers - to know how the law works.

WHAT DOES THE CCPA DO?

- It gives consumers more **knowledge** of and **control over** the personal information that businesses collect about them.
- Creates rights for consumers
- Places obligations on businesses to change how they handle personal information from their users

WHERE IS IT APPLICABLE?

It's applicable if you're doing business in California and meet one of three criteria:

- O1 You have annual revenues in excess of \$25 million
- 102 You derive 50% of your revenue from the sale of personal info
- O3 You collect or share the data of 50,000 or more people



CONSUMERS' RIGHTS INCLUDE:

- The right to access what personal data a business uses (or sells);
- A right to delete personal data;
- A right to prohibit the sale of personal data- "opting out"
- The right for kids under 16 to not have any personal information sold by a business without their actual consent- "opting in"

There are more - but those are the basics.

A BUSINESS' OBLIGATIONS INCLUDE:

- Notifying consumers about personal data being collected;
- Making it easy for consumers to protect their privacy;
- Honoring consumer rights requests
- Disclosing privacy policies and how personal data is used and sold

Lots more here too - these are just the basics

THE CCPA IS COMPLICATED!

These **rights** and **obligations** are the heart of the law. - It gives consumers the **right** to control personal information - with lots of **obligations** for companies.