Are Electronically-Signed Contracts Enforceable?

Though most business-to-consumer transactions do not involve the signing of contracts, a lot of business-to-business transactions do, which is why it is important to remain current on the law to ensure that your electronically signed contracts are enforceable, writes **John Di Giacomo** for **Practical Ecommerce**.

“In the United States, the federal government has adopted the E-Sign Act, which states that a signature cannot be denied legal effect simply because it is made in an electronic form,” he writes. “The E-Sign Act preempts state law concerning electronic signatures to the extent that states haven’t adopted their own electronic signature laws.”

He also discusses the enforceability of e-signed contracts in the European Union.

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