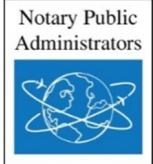


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ALASKA	Alaska Statutes: AS 44.50.063(a), (b),(c); 44.50.065(d)	Statutes: http://www.legis.state.ak.us/basis/statutes.asp#44.50.063
ARIZONA	Arizona Revised Statutes, Title 41, Chapter 2, Article 3, Sec. 41-351 through 41-370; Arizona Administrative Code, Title 2, Chapter 12, Article 12	Statutes: http://www.azleg.state.az.us/ArizonaRevisedStatutes.asp?Title=41 (scroll down page to Chapter 2, Article 2) Arizona Administrative Code: http://apps.azsos.gov/public_services/Title_02/2-12.pdf (scroll to Article 12)
ARKANSAS	UETA with rules effective 01/01/2014	Rules: http://170.94.37.152/REGS/116.00.13-003F-13834.pdf
CALIFORNIA	UETA and Gov't Code 27391(e), specifying information elements to appear in the notary's electronic signature in lieu of a stamp/seal	Govt. Code 27391(e): http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/cgi-bin/displaycode?section=gov&group=27001-28000&file=27390-27399
COLORADO	UETA and specific notary statute and rules authorizing the Document Authentication Number ("DAN") program	Statute (search "electro"): http://www.sos.state.co.us/pubs/notary/files/article55.pdf Rules: 8 CCR 1505-11 - http://www.sos.state.co.us/CCR/DisplayRule.do?action=ruleinfo&ruleId=2904&deptID=20&agencyID=104&deptName=1505%20State&agencyName=1505%C3%82%C2%A0Secretary%20of%20State&seriesNum=8%20CCR%201505-11
DELAWARE	Delaware Code Title 29, Chapter 43, Subchapters I and II	Statute: http://delcode.delaware.gov/title29/c043/index.shtml
FLORIDA	UETA, notary statute and notary administrative rules	Statute: http://www.leg.state.fl.us/statutes/index.cfm?App_mode=Display_Statute&Search_String=&URL=0100-0199/0117/Sections/0117.021.html Rules: https://www.flrules.org/gateway/ChapterHome.asp?Chapter=1N-5
IOWA	UETA and Revised Uniform Law on Notarial Acts (RULONA)	2012 Iowa Acts (IA Legislature web site); Chapter 1050
KANSAS	UETA and Kansas Administrative Regulations-Agency 7, Article 43	Rules: http://www.kssos.org/pubs/KAR/2009/1%20007_7-Secretary%20of%20State,%202009%20KAR%20Vol%201.pdf (scroll to 7-43, Electronic Notarization)
MARYLAND	Uniform Electronic Transactions Act (UETA)	
MINNESOTA	UETA and notary statutes	Statutes: https://www.revisor.mn.gov/statutes/?id=358.41
MISSOURI	Revised Statutes of Missouri, Chapter 486, and Emergency Administrative Rule	Statute: http://www.moga.mo.gov/mostatutes/stathtml/48600002751.html Emergency Rule: https://www.sos.mo.gov/CMSImages/AdRules/moreg/2017/v42n3Feb1/v42n3a.pdf (scroll to page 155)
MONTANA	RULONA and administrative rules	RULONA enacted: http://www.sos.mt.gov/notary/update/Title1Chapter5Part6MCA.pdf Rules: http://www.sos.mt.gov/notary/update/NotaryRules.pdf
NEBRASKA	Nebraska LB 465, effective 7-1-17	Enacted legislation pending effective date: http://www.nebraskalegislature.gov/FloorDocs/Current/PDF/Slip/LB465.pdf
NEVADA	UETA and statute (Electronic Notary Public Authorization Act)	Statutes: https://www.leg.state.nv.us/nrs/NRS-240.html (scroll to NRS 240.181 through 240.206)
NEW MEXICO	UETA and regulations	Rules: http://www.nmcpr.state.nm.us/nmac/parts/title12/12.009.0002.htm
NORTH CAROLINA	UETA with specific notary statutes and administrative rules	Statutes: http://www.ncleg.net/gascripts/statutes/statutelookup.pl?statute=10B Rules (scroll down to Title 18, select; then select Chapter 07; then browse to Subchapter C): http://reports.oah.state.nc.us/ncac.asp
NORTH DAKOTA	UETA and RULONA, although e-notarization is not yet implemented	Statutes: http://www.legis.nd.gov/cencode/t44c06-1.pdf
OREGON	UETA, RULONA and administrative rules	Statutes: https://www.oregonlegislature.gov/bills_laws/lawsstatutes/2013orLaw0219.pdf Rules (scroll to page 146): http://arcweb.sos.state.or.us/doc/rules/bulletin/October2013_Bulletin.pdf#page=146
PENNSYLVANIA	UETA and Pilot program (plus RULONA possibly taking effect in 2015-2016)	RULONA (effective date pending): http://www.legis.state.pa.us/cfdocs/legis/LI/consCheck.cfm?txtType=HTM&ttl=57
TEXAS	UETA ("TUETA")	
UTAH	Uniform Electronic Transactions Act (UETA)	
VIRGINIA	UETA, specific notary law and SOS's "eNotarization Assurance Standard."	Statutes: http://law.lis.virginia.gov/vacode/title47.1/ eNotarization Assurance Standard: https://commonwealth.virginia.gov/media/2090/VAe-NotarizationStandard2013Version10.pdf
WEST VIRGINIA	RULONA and rules effective 06/30/2014	(Upon accessing this page, look under "Documents," then open the PDF that correlates to "Final File.") http://apps.sos.wv.gov/adlaw/csr/ruleview.aspx?document=9426

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