

## Re: Laws concerning cryptography in different countries

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] > [farefin@fastmail.fm](mailto:farefin@fastmail.fm) (Last Man Standing) writes:

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] > ]Could anyone suggest a RELIABLE website where I can find laws

] > ]concerning the use of cryptography in all the countries of the world

] > ](third world countries like India, Pakistan, Bangladesh included)?

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] > Wh, what do you mean by reliable? If you are going to base your

] > actions on it, no web site is good enough. It is you or your colleagues

] > who will go to jail, not the web site author. Hire a lawyer in each

] > country who is familiar with the crypto laws of that country.

] So if I was to go out and hire a lawyer in each country who if familiar

] with the crypto laws of that country, and ask them to generate a web site

] for me, their advice would suddenly become unreliable the moment it was

] uploaded?

Find me such lawyers and such a web site, and I will alter my advice.

a) No lawyer would do it.

b) And How would I know to trust that site.

So the answer to your question is "Yes".