

Who Exactly Is a 'User' under the DMCA Safe Harbor?

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The DMCA was enacted in 1998 to preserve "strong incentives for service providers and copyright owners to cooperate to detect and deal with copyright infringements that take place in a digital networked environment." As part of this implicit bargain, Title II of the DMCA offers safe harbors for qualifying service providers to limit their liability for claims of copyright infringement. The Section 512(c) safe harbor protects storage providers (and has been the subject of the much litigation over the past decade)... Continue Reading

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