

## [18 USCS § 1837](#)

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***United States Code Service > TITLE 18. CRIMES AND CRIMINAL PROCEDURE (§§ 1 — 6005) > Part I. Crimes (Chs. 1 — 123) > CHAPTER 90. Protection of trade secrets (§§ 1831 — 1839)***

### **§ 1837. Applicability to conduct outside the United States**

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This chapter [[18 USCS §§ 1831](#) et seq.] also applies to conduct occurring outside the United States if—

(1) the offender is a natural person who is a citizen or permanent resident alien of the United States, or an organization organized under the laws of the United States or a State or political subdivision thereof; or

(2) an act in furtherance of the offense was committed in the United States.

### **History**

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#### **HISTORY:**

Added Oct. 11, 1996, *P. L. 104-294*, Title I, § 101(a), *110 Stat. 3490*.

Annotations

### **Research References & Practice Aids**

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#### **Law Review Articles:**

Sozio; Drab. Economic espionage in the new millennium. 48 *Fed Law* 24, May 2001.

Kelly; Mastrocola. The Economic Espionage Act of 1996. 26 *NE J on Crim & Civ Con* 181, Summer 2000.

#### **Intellectual Property:**

1 [Milgrim on Trade Secrets \(Matthew Bender\), ch 1](#), Definitional Aspects § 1.01.

3 [Milgrim on Trade Secrets \(Matthew Bender\), ch 12](#), Public Law Aspects of Trade Secrets: Regulatory Agencies; Criminal Prosecution § 12.06.

3 [Milgrim on Trade Secrets \(Matthew Bender\), ch 13](#), Issues Prior to Commencement of Action § 13.03.

3 [Milgrim on Trade Secrets \(Matthew Bender\), ch 14](#), Pretrial Considerations § 14.02.

4 [Milgrim on Trade Secrets \(Matthew Bender\), ch 15](#), Trial Considerations § 15.01.

**Criminal Law and Practice:**

1B [Criminal Defense Techniques \(Matthew Bender\), ch 40A](#), Sentencing Issues In Computer Crime Cases § 40A.01.

**Annotations:**

Validity, Construction, and Application of Title I of Economic Espionage Act of 1996 ([18 U.S.C.A. §§ 1831](#) et seq. [[18 USCS §§ 1831](#) et seq.]). [177 ALR Fed 609](#).

**Hierarchy Notes:**

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