

## **The Plain Writing Act of 2010 becomes law.**

The [Plain Writing Act of 2010](#) was signed into law by President Obama on Wednesday, October 13. The law, 111th Congress H.R. 946, requires all federal executive agencies to:

- designate one or more senior officials within the agency to oversee the agency implementation of this Act;
- communicate the requirements of the Act to the employees of the agency;
- train employees of the agency in plain writing;
- establish a process for overseeing the ongoing compliance of the agency with the requirements of this Act; and
- create and maintain a plain writing section of the agency's website as required under paragraph (2) that is accessible from the homepage of the agency's website.