

The background of the image shows several large spools of thread in a textile factory. The spools are arranged in rows, and the threads are a light blue color. The lighting is soft, creating a professional and industrial atmosphere.

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The “Triman” Symbol

Textile Industry

A few rules and information

- This webinar has been recorded: it will be available on **replay**.
- Ask any questions in the **Q&R** space
You can comment and vote for the questions put forward by other participants.
- The **presentation will be sent by email** to each webinar participant.

Agenda

- The ERP* principle
- The classification system for the products concerned
- The timetable for implementation
- The pictograms
- The symbol's position on products
- Dematerialised display
- Q&R

* = Extended Producer Responsibility



The principle of ERP

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About us

- ✓ Created in **2008** in response to ERP (Extended Producer Responsibility) requirements for Clothing, Household linen and Footwear.
- ✓ A simplified joint-stock company approved by the French public authorities
- ✓ **28 associates + 4 federations**

Clothing

1083 - ARMAND THIERY - ARMOR-LUX - AUCHAN -
BLANCHEPORTE - C&A - CAMAÏEU
CARREFOUR - CELIO - CORA - DAMART -
DECATHLON - ETAM - GALERIES LAFAYETTE
GO SPORT - GROUPE-BEAUMANOIR - KIABI -
LIDL - LVMH - MONOPRIX - OKAÏDI - SYSTÈME U

Household linen

GROUPE CASINO - LA REDOUTE - LES
MOUSQUETAIRES - VALMON

Footwear

ETS RICHARD PONTVERT - ÉRAM - MINELLI

Professional organisations

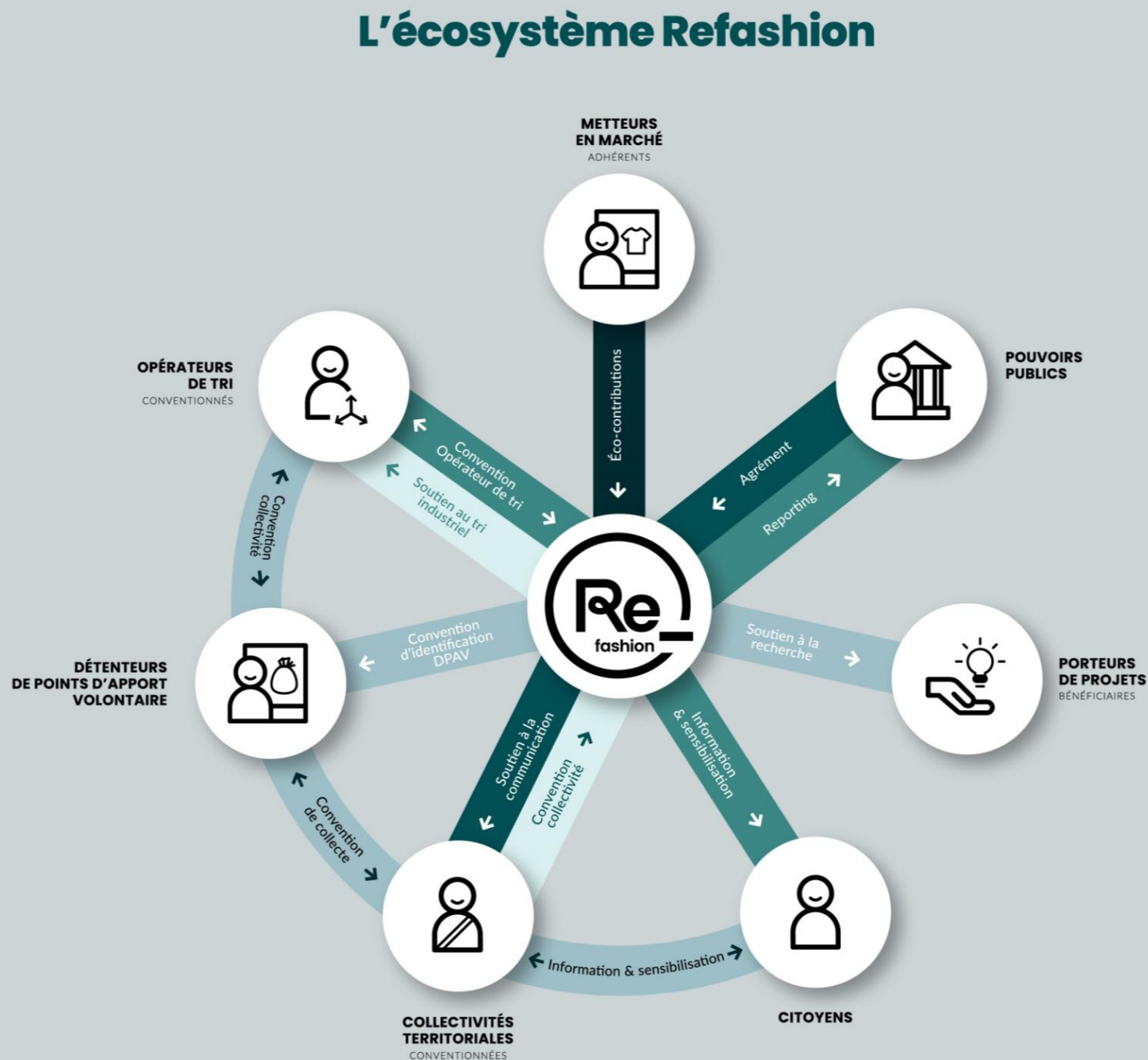
FÉDÉRATION DES DÉTAILLANTS - EN CHAUSSURES DE
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FÉDÉRATION NATIONALE DE L'HABILLEMENT (FNH) -
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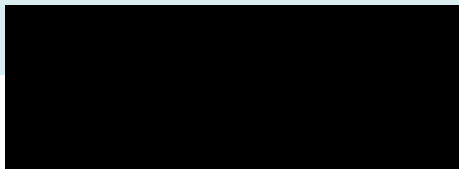
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Business Model

- ✓ We receive eco-fees paid by the brands
- ✓ We provide financial support to **sorting operators** (€/tonne)
- ✓ We provide financial support to **local authorities** for their communication initiatives aimed at the public (€/inhabitant)
- ✓ We provide support for **innovation** (€/project)
- ✓ We encourage the eco-designing of products
- ✓ We raise awareness of the public
- ✓ We make it easier for ecosystem stakeholders to co-build solutions



Products concerned by the symbol



Marketer:

- Manufacturer
- Contractor
- Importer
- Retailer (own brand)

[Article R. 543-242](#)

The products concerned

Decision of August 2008

- **Category 1 “clothing”:** socks, underwear, trousers, T-shirts, coats, etc.

Except for all-leather goods, natural fur and leather items.

- **Category 2 “Footwear”:** in-door shoes, shoes (in leather too)

Except for special footwear (medical, sport).

- **Category 3 “Household linen”:**

bed linen, kitchen/office, table, bathroom, etc.

Except for household or furnishing textiles.

Classification

Warning!

The AGECL law modified article L. 541-10-1 of the French Environment Code.

A draft decree is currently being examined on the topic of extending decorative textile items

under ERP to include furnishing items (mats, carpet, curtains, blinds, net curtains). To date, this draft has not yet entered into force.

As soon as it enters into force those producing decorative textile items will need to affix the “Info-tri” information established by the eco-organisation (eco-mobilier) onto their products.

The implementation timetable



Validation by Ministers
1st February 2022

Enforcement
1st February 2023

The stockpiles of
manufactured/imported products
are sold off before enforcement of
the decree.
1st August 2023

Validation by Ministers
9 September 2021

The stockpiles of
manufactured/imported products are
sold off before enforcement of the
decree.
9 March 2023

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Enforcement
9 September 2022

The stockpiles of
manufactured/imported products are
sold off before enforcement of the
decree.
9 June 2023

écomobilier

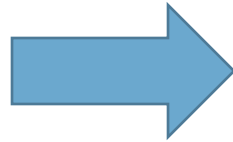
Validation by Ministers
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Enforcement
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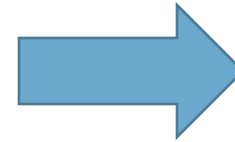
The new ERP streams

The AGEC Law created 10 new ERP streams, including:

- toys,
- sports and leisure items,
- DIY and gardening items,
- Industrial and commercial packaging (2025).



Which products are concerned?



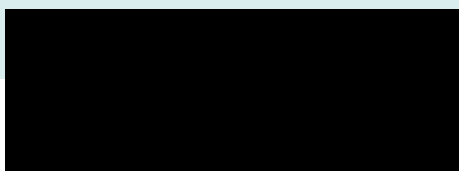
Which Triman symbol should be used?



Contact the ERP stream's eco-organisation



The pictograms

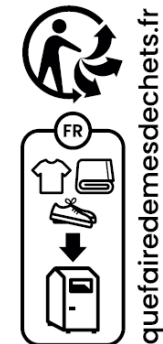
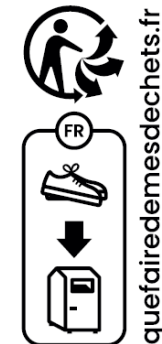
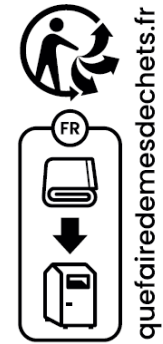
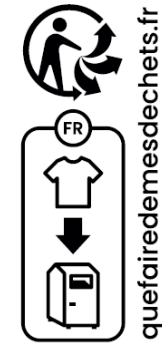
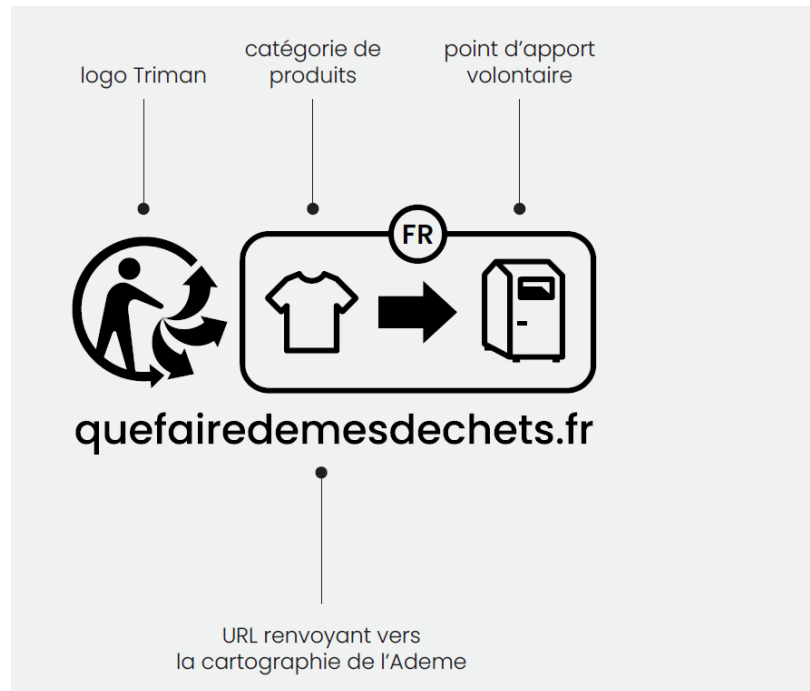


The pictograms

The Triman symbol + information on the disposal of waste

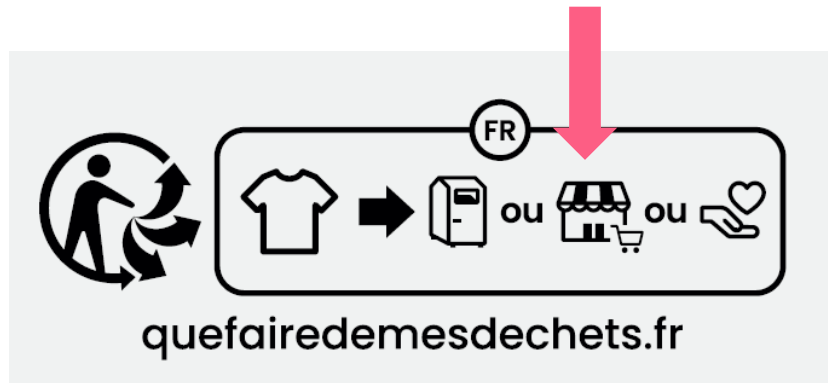
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the box

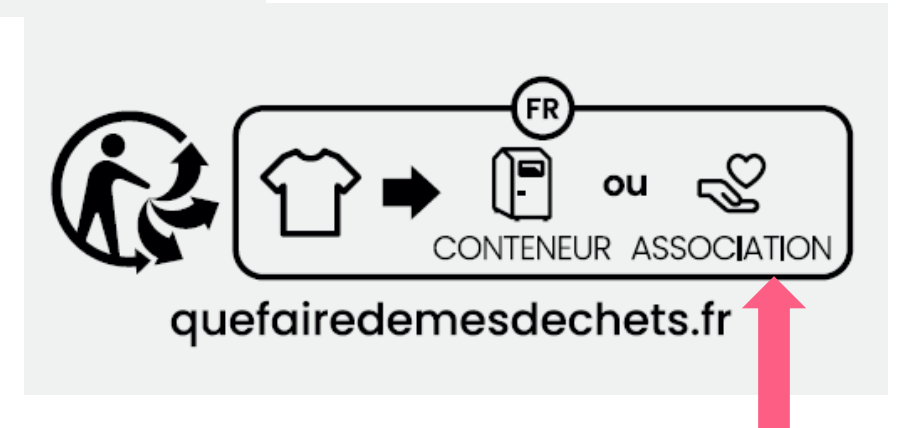


The options

For brands who have implemented in-store collection



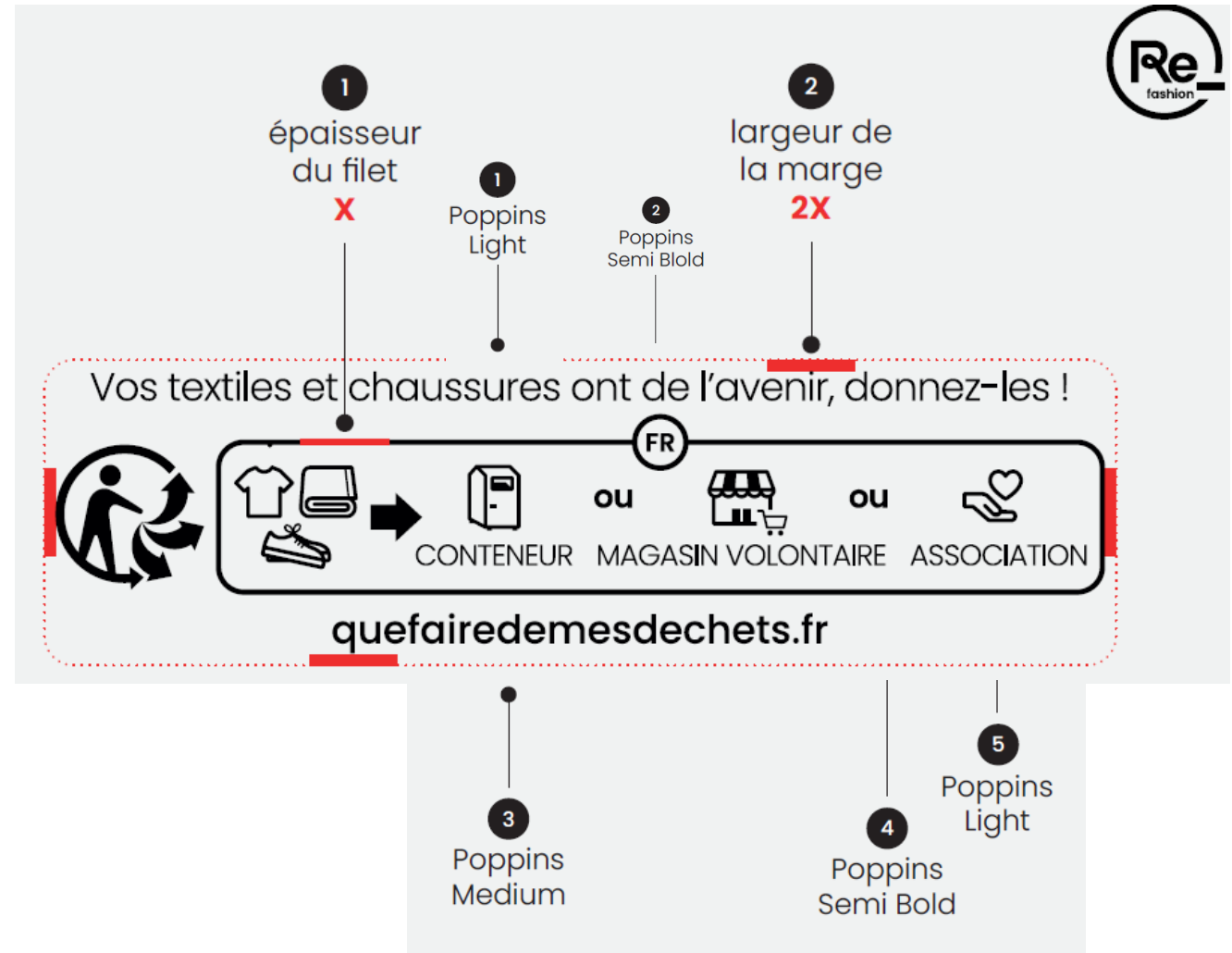
For brands that only sell products in France



Graphic design charter

Remember:

- minimum height: 1 cm / 10 mm (in the event of technical difficulties: 0.6 cm/6 mm).
- minimum length: 2.7 cm



Methods for affixing the symbol

The principle: physically displayed

❑ The adjoining Triman and ‘info-tri’ are affixed either:

- on **the product** (sewn label, or direct marking on the items, printing, embossing, etc.).
- Or **on its packaging**, (hangtag/cardboard label, name tag, box, bag, etc.)
- Failing this on the **other documents supplied with the product** (user guide, instructions for use, etc.)

❑ Possibility of using **stickers** for example on footwear.

Article R.541-12-21 of the French Environment Code

The principle: physically displayed



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Special cases: multiple “info-tris”

- ❑ If several components of a product are subject to different sorting methods, these methods must be **detailed component by component**.
- ❑ The foregoing shall apply without prejudice to the symbols affixed in application with other measures.

Article R.541-9-3 of the French Environment Code

Special cases: multiple “info-tris” (Refashion & Citéo)



The exception: dematerialised format

❑ Assumptions for using dematerialised media:

- The Triman and “info-tri” symbols may be dematerialised if the surface area is greater than the sides of a product or if its packaging is smaller than **10 cm²** and **no other document is supplied with the product.**
- The Triman symbol **must be affixed onto product** but the info-tri symbol may be dematerialised, if the surface area of the product or its packaging is between **10 cm² and 20 cm².**

Products likely to be concerned: items of lingerie (*bra, fine lingerie such as a string, etc.*)

The exception: dematerialised format

❑ What is meant by “dematerialised media”?

- The absence of a limiting list
- The possibility of using an internet page, product information sheet, etc.

NB: All parts of this symbol must be grouped together in a dematerialised manner and be available online to make it easier to understand and explain its practical application and meaning (Art. L. 541-9-3 of the French Environment Code).



Q&R

Can the symbol be in colour or does it have to be monochrome?

- The standard colour is black and white, which we recommend.
- You are free to roll out the symbol in a colour. The important thing is to ensure that a contrast exists between the background and symbol in order to ensure that the symbol can be clearly read.
- However, the symbol must remain monochrome. It is prohibited to use several colours.

Can I change the suggested pictograms?

- No, you cannot change the pictograms in the box because these have been validated by the authorities (Ministry and ADEME).
- Thus, you only have a choice between the symbol with 1 pictogram (T-shirt, folded clothing or footwear) or the 3 together.
- You can find all the symbols options in the Guide and the pictogram information sheets that can be downloaded from our website.

Do I have to affix the REFASHION symbol when the CITEO one is already present?

- Yes, you must affix both.
- Since the AGECL law (French Anti-waste and Circular Economy Law) entered into force, each ERP sector has its own Triman symbol.
- A [decree](#) entrusted the establishment of this new symbol to eco-organisations.
- CITEO is an eco-organisation in charge of domestic packaging.
- Refashion is an eco-organisation in charge of Clothing, Household linen and Footwear.
- As Refashion is not a substitute for CITEO, our symbol can be added to theirs when clothing is packaged.

Can a single Triman pictogram be followed by 2 boxes (Refashion and CITEO), one for the product and the other for packaging?

- No. You cannot affix only one Triman symbol.
- The AGECL law adjoins the Triman symbol and the information block. They form an inseparable, uniform block.
- Therefore, if the clothing, household linen or footwear is packaged it will have 2 Triman symbols.

Do all old stockpiles from previous years have to be relabelled as from 1st August 2023?

- Yes. As from 1st August 2023, all clothing, household linen and footwear products sold in France must carry the new Triman symbol.

Where can I download an English version of the Guidelines?

To download the Guidelines, in French or in English, as well as the symbol (.exe format): [go to this page on our website.](#)

Who is responsible for affixing the symbol on products purchased from stock which must be relabelled?

- The responsibility lies with the marketer. The marketer is responsible for correctly applying the law.

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