

## Tex. Bus. & Com. Code § 324.054

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### Sec. 324.054. Other Prohibited Conduct.

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A person other than the owner or operator of the computer may not:

- (1) induce the owner or operator of a computer in this state to install a computer software component to the computer by intentionally misrepresenting the extent to which the installation is necessary:
  - (A) for security or privacy reasons;
  - (B) to open or view text; or
  - (C) to play a particular type of musical or other content; or
- (2) copy and execute or cause the copying and execution of a computer software component to a computer in this state in a deceptive manner with the intent to cause the owner or operator of the computer to use the component in a manner that violates this chapter.

### History

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Enacted by Acts 2007, 80th Leg., ch. 885 (H.B. 2278), § 2.01, effective April 1, 2009.

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