# **D.C. Code § 36-405**

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***District of Columbia Official Code* > *Division V. Local Business Affairs. (Titles 25 — 37)* > *Title 36. Trade Practices. (Chs. 1 — 6)* > *Chapter 4. Trade Secrets. (§§ 36-401 — 36-410)***

**§ 36-405. Preservation of secrecy.**

In an action under this chapter, a court shall preserve the secrecy of an alleged trade secret by reasonable means, which may include granting protective orders in connection with discovery proceedings, holding in-camera hearings, or sealing the records of the action and ordering any person involved in the litigation not to disclose an alleged trade secret without prior court approval.

**History**

(Mar. 16, 1989, D.C. Law 7-216, § 6, 36 DCR 519.)

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