

Legal Maxims

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Maxim	Meaning
actus non facit rea nisi mens sit rea	There can be no crime without a guilty mind
ad valorem	According to Value
amicus curiae	Friend of the Court
audi alterem partem	Giving opportunity to hear the other side
ex parte	When the judgement is given without hearing the other side
assentio mentium	Mutual consent and meeting of minds
consensus ad idem	Consensus on the same things and in the same context
bona vacantia	A property with no owner
caveat emptor	Let the buyer be aware (let the buyer be informed and be aware)
caveat venditor	Let the seller be aware
corpus delicto	Body of Crime (Proof that a certain crime has taken place)
damnum sine injuria	Damage without injury