

Insights: Perspectives

U.S. v. Microsoft Litigation Provides the Supreme Court with a Rare Opportunity to Further Clarify and Define the Role of Comity in International Discovery Disputes

January 3, 2018

Written by **James J. Hefferan, Jr.**

The United States Supreme Court recently granted *certiorari* in the landmark case of *United States v. Microsoft Corp.* This matter presents the Court with an opportunity to establish new precedent in the field of international e-discovery. An amicus brief recently filed by some of the country's leading e-discovery practitioners and professors, including Kilpatrick Townsend's Global Discovery Counsel, [Craig D. Cannon](#), urges the Court to use this occasion to provide further guidance as to the appropriate considerations of international comity that must be weighed when faced with a cross-border discovery dispute.

To read the full article, click [here](#).

Related People



James J. Hefferan, Jr.

t 336.607.7495

jhefferan@ktslaw.com



Craig D. Cannon

t 336.607.7441

ccannon@ktslaw.com