

Quiz

Can Publishing Fake News for Profit be Prosecuted as Fraud?

- 1. Which was the original US fraud statute?
 - a. The mail fraud statute
 - b. The wire fraud statute
 - c. The bank fraud statute
 - d. None of the above.
- 2. When was Cleveland v United States?
 - a. 1896
 - b. 2000
 - c. 1909
 - d. 1865.
- 3. What is the relevant part of *Cleveland v United States* for Size's argument that fake news is fraud?
 - a. A licence is not a property
 - b. The right to free speech
 - c. The intangible rights doctrine
 - d. The wire fraud statute.
- 4. When did Congress amend the original mail fraud statute?
 - a. 1865
 - b. 1791

- c. 1909
- d. 2000.
- 5. Which fake news could lead to prosecution under Size's argument?
 - a. All fake news
 - b. Fake news promoted by politicians
 - c. Fake news reported by people on their Twitter or Facebook account
 - d. Fake news published for monetary gain.

Answers:

1. A 2. B 3. D 4. C 5. D