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This second edition of *Information Technology & The Law* analyses and discusses:

- new legislation, such as data protection, which has an impact on information technology;
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