

Chapter 18: Government Information

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Review Questions

- 1. This chapter provides some general sources for the U.S. federal government used to locate information on a wide variety of entities. What are the five sources discussed and how would each be useful to your patrons?
- 2. In what ways are the Canadian government and the U.S. government different and similar? What are factors that need to be taken into consideration when looking at foreign governments and intergovernmental organizations?
- 3. Compare and contrast the federal government and state government. What are the different approaches when sourcing information from each? What are the similar approaches?

Strengthen Your Understanding

To strengthen your understanding of this chapter, be sure to complete the activities found in Box 18.2 Search Tips for Locating Laws by Popular Name on page 485, Box 18.3 Search Strategies for Locating State Government Information on page 491, and Box 18.4 Appropriate Terminology on page 494.