

# **Microsoft Launches New Constitutional Challenge Against Alleged Federal Government Searches of Customer Data in Cloud**

Microsoft has just launched a constitutional challenge against the federal government over its use of indefinite gag orders when the government subpoenas information from customer cloud account. The action was clearly timed to capitalize on public sentiment against the government for its perceived intrusion on privacy rights in the recent action against Apple regarding the encryption of the San Bernardino terrorist smartphone. The Silicon Valley Software Law Blog further explores this development in the blogpost linked below:

**<http://www.siliconvalleysoftwarelaw.com/microsoft-launches-new-constitutional-challenge-against-government-over-secret-data-requests>**