

# US Navy Responds to Copyright Infringement Suit Filed by Bitmanagement Software

Bitmanagement Software GmbH has filed suit against the US Navy alleging willful copyright infringement of its 3D virtual reality software "BS Contact Geo" and demanding \$600 million in damages. The Silicon Valley Software Law Blog discussed this and the issues likely involved in the dispute in the following blogpost:

<http://www.siliconvalleysoftwarelaw.com/us-navy-responds-to-copyright-infringement-suit-filed-by-bitmanagement-software/>

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# Most Early-Stage Development Projects Overlook the Need to Procure a Copyright Assignment

If you are like most early stage software companies, you will complete your next development project without ever asking for or procuring a copyright assignment. The Silicon Valley Software Law Blog explored this issue in the blog post linked below:

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# **Silicon Valley Lawyer Kristie Prinz to speak on Copyrights: Lessons and Practice Tips from Recent Cases**

Silicon Valley Lawyer Kristie Prinz will speak on copyright law on April 5, 2004 at the San Francisco Downtown Courtyard by Marriott

*Developing, Protecting, and Exploiting Software Conference* sponsored by Law Seminars International. Please [click here](#) to view the PowerPoint presentation.