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UNITED STATES EDITION · CORPORATE BROCHURE · 2026

PADMA™ Legal Intelligence Platform

United States Edition

Federal and State Legal Intelligence

Federal · State · Local · Courts · Agencies

Governed Legal Intelligence. Lawyer-Controlled.

The PADMA Vision & United States Edition

PADMA derives its name from the Sanskrit word पद्म, meaning lotus. The lotus represents knowledge, clarity, resilience, integrity, and transformation. PADMA also represents Personalized, Agentic, Digital, Multi-modal AI.

PADMA—पद्म in Sanskrit—means lotus, connecting the platform's name directly to the Lotus Cloud brand and to the qualities the lotus represents: knowledge, clarity, resilience, integrity, and transformation.

The United States Edition is a focused Jurisdiction Pack within the PADMA Legal platform. It organizes research, drafting, and matter workflows around the federal system, the fifty state systems, and the local and municipal layers beneath them, together with the courts and agencies that operate at each level.

Every capability remains lawyer-controlled. PADMA Legal assists licensed professionals with research, analysis, and drafting; it does not replace the judgment of an attorney, in-house counsel, or the courts and agencies of the United States.

NAME	PADMA™	SANSKRIT	पद्म
PRONUNCIATION	“PAD-ma”	MEANING	Lotus
ACRONYM	Personalized, Agentic, Digital, Multi-modal AI		

Legal intelligence should strengthen professional judgment—not obscure it.

WHO PADMA LEGAL SERVES

Law firms, Solo practitioners, Corporate legal departments, General counsel and in-house legal teams, Compliance and regulatory-affairs teams, Litigation and e-discovery teams, Contract-management teams, Privacy and data-protection teams, Government and public-sector legal offices, Legal researchers and authorized educational institutions, Legal operations and knowledge-management leaders.

The US Legal-Intelligence Challenge

The United States legal system is a dual system of federal and state law layered over local government, spread across fifty-plus jurisdictions. PADMA Legal is designed to help licensed professionals navigate that complexity — not to simplify away the care it requires.

Federalism & dual sovereignty

Federal and state governments each hold independent lawmaking and enforcement authority.

Fifty-plus state systems

Each state maintains its own constitution, statutes, courts, and administrative agencies.

Local & municipal layers

Counties, cities, and other local bodies add ordinances and licensing regimes beneath state law.

Federal & state court structures

District courts, courts of appeals, and the Supreme Court sit alongside distinct state trial and appellate courts.

Choice-of-law & venue questions

Determining which jurisdiction's law and which forum governs a matter takes deliberate analysis.

Agency rulemaking volume

Federal and state administrative agencies issue and amend regulations continuously.

Effective-date & amendment tracking

Statutes and regulations take effect on varying schedules that must be confirmed.

Case-law volume

A large and growing body of federal and state appellate decisions requires careful, current research.

Professional-review requirements

Every conclusion ultimately depends on a licensed attorney's review.

The PADMA Matter Spine

PADMA Legal organizes every United States matter around a single structure — the Matter Spine — so that research, drafting, and decisions stay connected to the authority that governs them.

For US matters, the spine keeps each activity tied to the applicable court or agency, the federal-or-state jurisdiction, the supporting evidence, the firm's playbook, and the attorney of record accountable for the outcome.



Because the Matter Spine travels with the work, nothing PADMA Legal produces for a US matter floats free of its permissions, its jurisdiction, its evidence, or the attorney who is accountable for it.

US Legal-System Structure

PADMA Legal is built around the structure of the United States legal system, so research and drafting stay anchored to the correct level of government and the correct authority.



Constitutional foundation

- The Constitution of the United States
- State constitutions
- Congress and federal statutes
- State legislatures and state statutes



Local & municipal law

- County and municipal ordinances
- Local licensing and permitting regimes
- Home-rule and local-authority questions



Courts

- Federal district, appellate, and Supreme Court
- State trial and appellate courts
- Specialized federal and state courts



Administrative agencies

- Federal executive-branch agencies
- State administrative agencies
- Quasi-judicial and regulatory bodies



Boundary note. Tribal law and tribal sovereignty form a distinct body of governmental authority, separate from federal, state, and local law. PADMA Legal's United States Edition does not extend into tribal-law research at this time; matters touching tribal jurisdiction require review by counsel qualified in that area.

Federal / State / Local Authority Intelligence

These are platform capabilities that help surface the questions a matter raises about which law and which forum apply — they are not legal conclusions and do not substitute for attorney analysis.

Governing-law identification

PILOT CAPABILITY

Surface candidate governing-law questions raised by a matter's facts and documents.

Venue identification

PILOT CAPABILITY

Surface candidate venue considerations for professional review.

Preemption flagging

ATTORNEY REVIEW REQUIRED

Flag where federal and state authority may overlap or conflict for review.

Removal-jurisdiction flagging

JURISDICTION VALIDATION REQUIRED

Flag facts potentially relevant to federal removal jurisdiction.

Erie-doctrine-related routing

ATTORNEY REVIEW REQUIRED

Flag state-versus-federal substantive-law routing questions in diversity matters.

Effective-date tracking

PILOT CAPABILITY

Track statutory and regulatory effective dates for professional confirmation.

Jurisdiction validation

JURISDICTION VALIDATION REQUIRED

Require professional validation of jurisdiction before a conclusion is used.

ⓘ PADMA Legal does not determine governing law, venue, preemption, removal, or Erie-doctrine outcomes. Every flagged question requires review and determination by a licensed attorney.

PILOT CAPABILITY

ATTORNEY REVIEW REQUIRED

JURISDICTION VALIDATION REQUIRED

Core US Legal Domains

PADMA Legal's United States coverage spans core legal domains at varying stages of readiness. Status labels indicate what is available today versus planned.

Contracts	DEMONSTRATION CAPABILITY	Litigation & civil procedure	DEMONSTRATION CAPABILITY
Evidence & discovery	PILOT CAPABILITY	Corporate & securities	PILOT CAPABILITY
Employment & labor	PILOT CAPABILITY	Intellectual property	PILOT CAPABILITY
Privacy & data protection (state privacy laws)	PILOT CAPABILITY	Regulatory & administrative law	JURISDICTION VALIDATION REQUIRED
Tax	PROPOSED / ENTERPRISE ROADMAP	Real property	JURISDICTION VALIDATION REQUIRED
Bankruptcy	PILOT CAPABILITY	Immigration law & global mobility	PILOT CAPABILITY
Health law	PROPOSED / ENTERPRISE ROADMAP	Environmental law	PROPOSED / ENTERPRISE ROADMAP
Litigation risk & e-discovery analytics	PILOT CAPABILITY		

ⓘ PADMA Legal does not claim complete implementation of every domain listed. The controlled immigration pilot may support family-based, employment-based, humanitarian, citizenship and naturalization, consular-processing, removal-defense, and employer-compliance workflows, but it does not determine eligibility, select a filing, predict an outcome, or replace counsel. Every immigration matter requires current official sources, deadline verification, and licensed-attorney review.

DEMONSTRATION CAPABILITY

PILOT CAPABILITY

PROPOSED / ENTERPRISE ROADMAP

JURISDICTION VALIDATION REQUIRED

Legal Research & Citation Verification

Every research output is designed to be traceable to an authoritative primary source, dated, and reviewable by a licensed attorney before it is relied upon. PADMA Legal does not invent citations.

Authoritative primary-source prioritization

DEMONSTRATION CAPABILITY

Prioritize official statutory, regulatory, and judicial text over secondary summaries.

Section & provision identification

DEMONSTRATION CAPABILITY

Identify the specific statutory or regulatory provision in question.

Effective-date verification

ATTORNEY REVIEW REQUIRED

Surface the effective or commencement date for professional confirmation.

Amendment tracking

PILOT CAPABILITY

Track amendments affecting a federal or state provision.

Federal-state cross-mapping

PILOT CAPABILITY

Map related federal and state provisions where relevant.

Federal & state appellate authority

DEMONSTRATION CAPABILITY

Surface binding and persuasive judicial authority.

Binding-vs-persuasive distinction

ATTORNEY REVIEW REQUIRED

Distinguish binding precedent from persuasive authority.

Pinpoint citations

DEMONSTRATION CAPABILITY

Reference specific sections, paragraphs, or passages.

Source provenance

DEMONSTRATION CAPABILITY

Trace a conclusion back to its underlying source.

Verification status & attorney review

ATTORNEY REVIEW REQUIRED

Flag verification status and require professional review.

DEMONSTRATION CAPABILITY

PILOT CAPABILITY

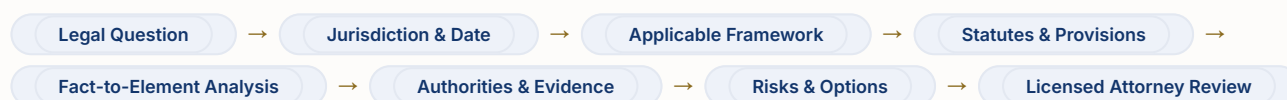
ATTORNEY REVIEW REQUIRED

PADMA Legal Issue & Advisory Support

[Pilot Capability · Attorney Review Required]

Within a controlled pilot, PADMA Legal can support licensed professionals working through a United States legal issue end to end — always concluding in professional review, never in autonomous advice.

- • Jurisdiction and date determination
- • Fact-to-element analysis
- • Evidence requirements
- • Arguments and counterarguments
- • Statute-of-limitations questions
- • Risks and uncertainties
- • Potentially applicable provisions
- • Missing-fact identification
- • Procedural pathways
- • Potential defenses
- • Relevant authorities
- • Attorney-review memoranda



⚠ **Notice.** Outputs are informational, generated with AI assistance, and require attorney review before reliance. They do not constitute legal advice and do not create an attorney-client relationship. A licensed attorney must approve any legal conclusion or filing before it is used or submitted.

Contracts, Litigation, Immigration & Legal Operations

PADMA Legal brings United States contract, litigation, and compliance work into a single governed workspace, from clause review through discovery and audit trail.



Contracts & Drafting

- ◆ Contract review
- ◆ Clause and deviation analysis
- ◆ Obligations and deadlines
- ◆ Governed drafting



Litigation & Evidence

- ◆ Litigation chronology
- ◆ Case timeline
- ◆ Evidence organization
- ◆ Privilege and confidentiality indicators



Immigration & Regulatory

- ◆ Immigration matter and deadline tracking
- ◆ Petition/application evidence organization
- ◆ Employer and global-mobility workflows
- ◆ Agency-source and regulatory calendars



Privacy & Operations

- ◆ Privacy-obligation tracking
- ◆ Tasks and approvals
- ◆ Matter coordination
- ◆ Audit history

Governance, Security & Professional Responsibility

Governance is the architecture, not an add-on. Control stays with the firm or department, and ultimately with the licensed attorney accountable for the matter.



Isolation & Access

- ◆ Law-firm tenant isolation
- ◆ Role-based access
- ◆ Matter-level permissions
- ◆ Ethical walls
- ◆ Privilege-aware controls



Professional Responsibility

- ◆ Human approval gates
- ◆ Attorney-of-record accountability
- ◆ Professional-responsibility alignment
- ◆ Confidentiality controls



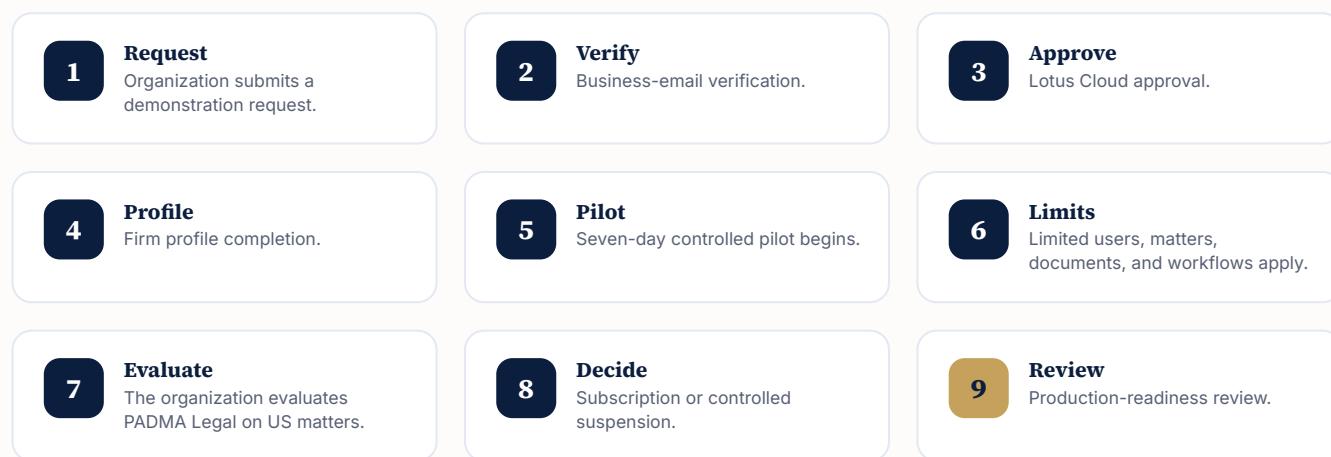
Provenance & Audit

- ◆ Source provenance
- ◆ Citation traceability
- ◆ Retention controls
- ◆ Audit logging

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The Seven-Day US Pilot

Adoption follows a controlled, staged path scoped to United States matters. Production access is earned through review — not switched on by default.



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Official Source & Controlled-Integration Roadmap

PADMA Legal's United States research is built to prioritize official government sources first, with licensed commercial and firm-internal sources layered in under clear controls. Tiers below marked Proposed / Enterprise Roadmap are not currently integrated.

1	Constitution Annotated & Congress.gov constitutional resources	CONTROLLED INTEGRATION
2	United States Code via the Office of the Law Revision Counsel (uscode.house.gov)	CONTROLLED INTEGRATION
3	Congress.gov / GovInfo.gov — bills, statutes, legislative history	CONTROLLED INTEGRATION
4	Supreme Court of the United States & federal judiciary (uscourts.gov)	CONTROLLED INTEGRATION
5	eCFR.gov & Federal Register.gov — regulations	CONTROLLED INTEGRATION
6	USCIS, EOIR/BIA, State Department & DOL official immigration sources	PROPOSED / ENTERPRISE ROADMAP
7	State legislature, state court & state attorney-general official sources	PROPOSED / ENTERPRISE ROADMAP
8	Local, municipal & tribal government official sources	PROPOSED / ENTERPRISE ROADMAP
9	Licensed commercial legal-research databases	PROPOSED / ENTERPRISE ROADMAP

ⓘ PADMA Legal does not claim that every source above is already connected or licensed. Sources not yet connected are labeled [Controlled Integration] or [Proposed / Enterprise Roadmap] and become available only after authorization, licensing, and validation.

CONTROLLED INTEGRATION

PROPOSED / ENTERPRISE ROADMAP

Begin with the United States

Request a PADMA Legal Demonstration

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Read Online

Open the accessible in-browser United States Edition reader.

Explore US Capabilities

Review the United States jurisdiction capability page.



Request Demonstration

Start a guided demonstration request.



Discuss a Seven-Day Pilot

Talk through a controlled pilot scoped to US matters.



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