

# Notarization in the Digital Age: The Evolution of Remote Online Notarization

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# 1.25 Billion Notarizations Every Year

# What Does RON Look Like?

[Example 1](#)

[Example 2](#)

# How Customers Are Already Using RON



**Buy or Sell  
a Home**



**Finance a  
Business**



**Buy or Sell  
a Car**



**Settle  
Insurance**



**Open an  
Account**



**Notarize a  
PoA, etc.**

# RON is Transforming Industries

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# Numbers and the Adoption of RON

**6**  
Continents  
(except Antarctica)

**0**  
Travelling to  
US Embassy

**55**  
Average age  
of signers

**6**  
Minutes  
Average Signing Time  
(non-mortgage)

**0**  
Powers of Attorney  
(home sales/refi)

## Incredible Feedback

Not a piece of paper was used. All docs digitally signed, we used an online notary, and all documents were sent electronically for recording. The paperless era of Closing has arrived!!!

-- Aaron

Great service! Super fast! Literally took less than 5 minutes in the convenience of my own home. Surprised to find out that they operate even into the late hours. I had my notary session around 10:45pm. Staff very nice and personable. Thank you for this service!

-- Ashley

# Sample Deed

**Prepare Documents**  
STEP 3 OF 4

DEED OF TRUST PAGE 1 OF 9

BY SIGNING BELOW, Borrower accepts and agrees to the terms and covenants contained in this Security Instrument and in any Rider executed by Borrower and recorded with it.

[Space Below this Line For Acknowledgment]


STATE OF Texas

COUNTY OF Waco

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me on this 10-17-19, by  
Notary McNotarson

*Notary McNotarson*  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:  
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SAVE & CLOSE CONTINUE



# Sample Acknowledgment

Certified by Henry Smith <henry.smith@notarycam.com>. Unaffiliated, certificate issued by IGC CA 1. Signed and all signatures are valid. Signature Panel

Signatures

Validate All

Certified by Henry Smith <henry.smith@notarycam.com>

Rev. 1: Signed by Henry Smith <henry.smith@notarycam.com>

[Space Below This Line For Acknowledgment]


State of Virginia

County of Chesterfield

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 23rd of October 2018

by David Kressel

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(Seal)

*Henry Allen Smith*

Signature of Person Taking Acknowledgment

Notary Public

Title

7558779

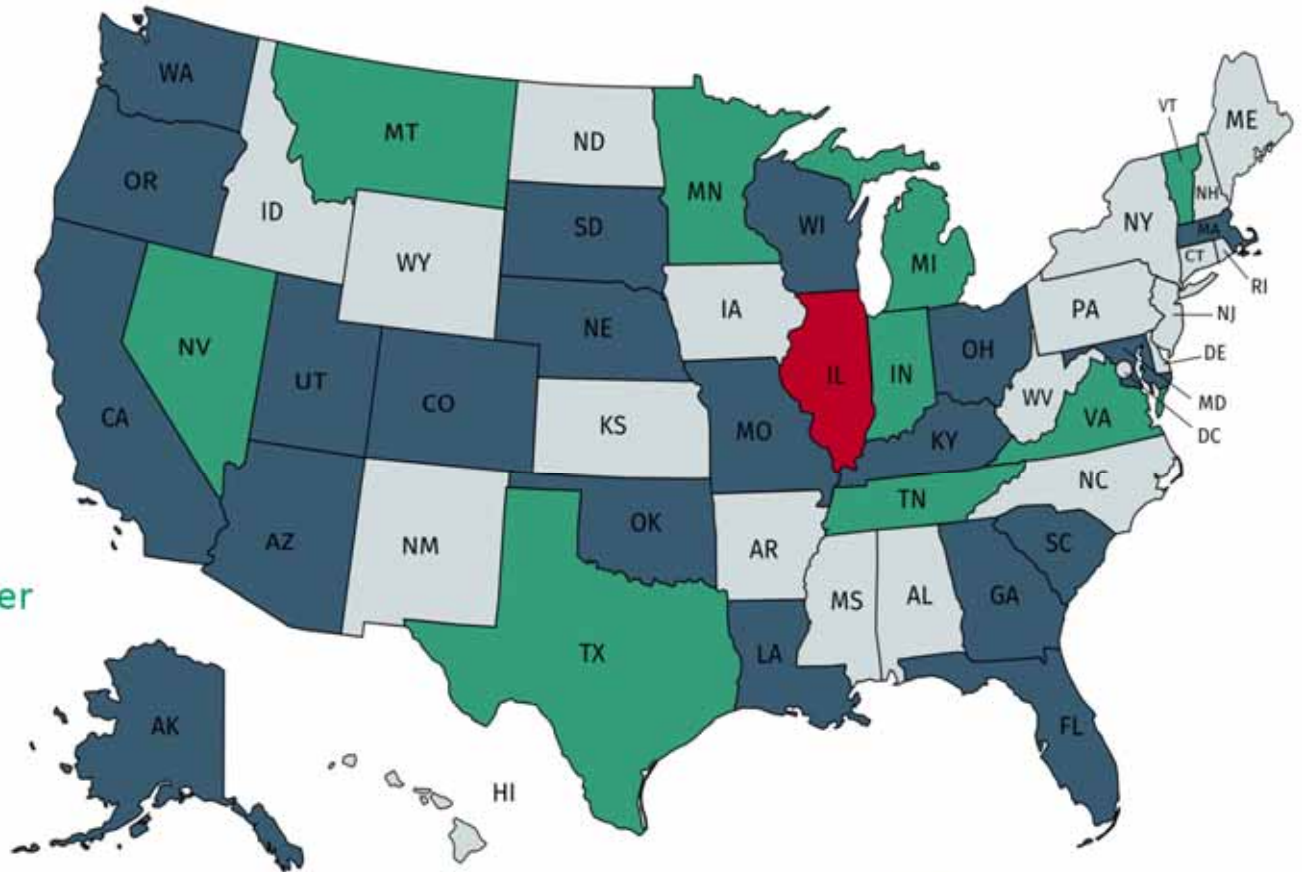
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# Legislative Map (2018-2019)

States in **GREEN** have enacted legislation.

States in **BLUE** have legislation pending, or are likely to consider in upcoming session.

States in **RED** have task forces or other working groups (formally or informally) currently in progress.



# Acceptance Map (2018-2019)

States in **BLUE** have existing laws providing for recognition and acceptance of out-of-state notarial acts.

States in **RED** have express limitations on recognition or acceptance of out-of-state remote notarial acts.

