

EQUITY

As a source of Common law

WHAT DOES EQUITY MEAN?

- ◉ When everyone is treated fairly and equally
- ◉ Fairness
- ◉ Equity Law

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- Actions in different courts.

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- Double satisfaction.

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- ◉ He who comes to equity must come with clean hands.

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