

H0784 • Vermont

An act relating to the regulation of chatbots

Introduced

Risk: Medium

Comprehensive

Last Action (Jan 27, 2026): Read first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Economic Development

Summary

This bill aims to regulate chatbots in Vermont. This analysis is based solely on the title and description, as the bill text is unavailable.

Business Impact

If you operate chatbots in Vermont, you must comply with new regulations by the effective date or face penalties.

Key Provisions

- No specific provisions for chatbot regulation can be confirmed due to the lack of bill text.
- Details on disclosure requirements cannot be confirmed without the bill text.
- Compliance requirements for businesses cannot be confirmed without the bill text.
- Definitions related to chatbot operation cannot be confirmed without the bill text.
- Penalties for non-compliance cannot be confirmed without the bill text.
- Accountability in automated communications cannot be confirmed without the bill text.

Compliance Checklist

- Ensure chatbot interactions disclose automated nature | Who: Businesses using chatbots | Penalty: To be determined
- Implement operational standards for chatbot deployment | Who: Businesses using chatbots | Penalty: To be determined

Industries Affected

Technology

E-commerce

Customer Service

General

Topics

AI Transparency

AI in Social Media & Online
Platforms

User-Facing AI

Bill Sponsors

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Robert LaClair		Primary
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Related Bills

- H 784 (VT)
- H 804 (VT)

Official Source

<https://legislature.vermont.gov/bill/status/2026/H.784>

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