

# SB1964 • Texas

Relating to the regulation and use of artificial intelligence systems and the management of data by governmental entities.

Passed Both Chambers

Risk: Medium

Comprehensive

Last Action (Jun 20, 2025): Effective on 9/1/25

## Summary

SB1964 addresses the regulation and use of AI systems and data management by Texas governmental entities. Specific guidelines and committee status have been verified.

## Business Impact

If you use AI in government contracts, ensure compliance with new regulations by 9/1/25.

## Key Provisions

- The bill mandates transparency and accountability standards for AI systems.
- It includes specific data security and privacy measures.
- Regular audits of AI systems and data management practices are required.

## Compliance Checklist

- Designate a data management officer or enter into an agreement for shared services. | Who: State agencies with 150 or fewer full-time employees. | Penalty: Potential administrative penalties for non-compliance.
- Conduct a review of AI systems and submit findings to the department. | Who: State agencies and local governments. | Penalty: Potential penalties for failure to comply with review requirements.

## Industries Affected

Government

Technology

# Topics

AI in Government

## Bill Sponsors

Name	Party	Role
Zaffirini		Primary
West		Primary
Alvarado		Primary
Parker		Primary
Capriglione		Primary

## Roll Call Votes

Date	Description	Yea	Nay	Result
2025-05-30	passage	30	1	Passed
2025-05-28	passage	104	6	Passed
2025-05-27	passage	119	23	Passed
2025-04-28	Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requi	31	0	Passed

## Official Source

<https://capitol.texas.gov/BillLookup/History.aspx?LegSess=89R&Bill;=SB1964>

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