

HB726 • Hawaii

Relating To A Statewide Data And Artificial Intelligence Governance And Decision Intelligence Center.

Introduced

Risk: Medium

Comprehensive

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Summary

This bill establishes a statewide data and AI governance center to enhance data quality and sharing across agencies in Hawaii.

Business Impact

If you operate in Hawaii and handle data or AI, you must comply with new governance standards by July 1, 2025, or face potential penalties.

Key Provisions

- Establishes a data and AI governance center within the Office of Enterprise Technology Services.
- Facilitates the creation of a statewide memorandum of understanding for data sharing.
- Implements policies for data protection and responsible AI use.
- Creates a master citizen record for improved service delivery.
- Appropriates funds for necessary staff positions to support the center's operations.
- Defines key terms related to data governance and decision intelligence.

Compliance Checklist

- Align data practices with new governance standards | Who: All state agencies | Penalty: Potential penalties for non-compliance not specified
- Participate in the creation of a statewide memorandum of understanding for data sharing | Who: State agencies | Penalty: Potential penalties for non-compliance not specified

Industries Affected

Topics

Comprehensive AI

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- SB487 (HI)

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