

# A00222 • New York

Imposes liability for misleading, incorrect, contradictory or harmful information to a user by a chatbot that results in financial loss or other demonstrable harm.

Introduced

Risk: Medium

Narrow/Targeted

Last Action (Mar 05, 2026): reference changed to science and technology

## Summary

NY A00222 imposes liability for chatbot information causing financial loss or harm, but details are speculative without the full bill text.

## Business Impact

If you use chatbots, ensure information accuracy to avoid liability for user harm.

## Key Provisions

- Liability for chatbot information causing user harm, details speculative without full text.

## Compliance Checklist

- Ensure chatbot provides accurate information aligned with policies. | Who: Chatbot proprietors | Penalty: Liability for user harm
- Provide clear notice to users about chatbot interaction. | Who: Chatbot proprietors | Penalty: Liability for misleading information
- Implement measures to prevent self-harm in companion chatbots. | Who: Proprietors of companion chatbots | Penalty: Liability for user self-harm
- Verify user age and obtain parental consent for minors. | Who: Proprietors of companion chatbots | Penalty: Strict liability for harm to minors

## Industries Affected

Healthcare

Consumer Services

Finance

Customer Service

Technology

# Topics

User-Facing AI

## Bill Sponsors

Name	Party	Role
GANTT		Primary
PAULIN		Primary
MAGNARELLI		Primary
Linda Rosenthal	Democratic	Primary
Chris Burdick	Democratic/Independence/ Working Families	Cosponsor
Harvey Epstein		Cosponsor
Clyde Vanel	Democratic	Primary
Jen Lunsford	Democratic/Working Families	Cosponsor

## Related Bills

- S05668 (NY)
- S09381 (NY)
- A10494 (NY)
- S 5668 (NY)

## Official Source

<https://www.nysenate.gov/legislation/bills/2025/A222>

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