

AI PRODUCT LIABILITY ACT

Introduced

Risk: High

Comprehensive

Last Action (May 22, 2026): Rule 3-9(a) / Re-referred to Assignments

Summary

The AI Product Liability Act establishes liability for developers and deployers of AI systems for defects and misuse, ensuring accountability, including failure to conform to an express warranty.

Business Impact

If you deploy AI systems in Illinois, you must ensure compliance with safety standards or face liability for harm caused.

Key Provisions

- Establishes liability for developers of AI systems for defective design and inadequate warnings.
- Deems deployers liable if they make material and substantial changes or intentionally misuse the AI product contrary to express warranties, causing harm.
- Includes liability actions for failure to conform to an express warranty.

Compliance Checklist

- Ensure AI systems are designed and deployed safely with adequate warnings. | Who: Developers and deployers of AI systems. | Penalty: Liability for harm caused by defective products.
- Conduct documented testing and risk management for AI systems. | Who: Deployers of high-impact AI systems. | Penalty: Rebuttable presumption of defectiveness in liability actions.

Industries Affected

General

Topics

Comprehensive AI

AI Liability

Bill Sponsors

Name	Party	Role
Mary Edly-Allen	D	Sponsor

Related Bills

- SB 3590 (IL)
- SB 3502 (IL)
- SB3502 (IL)

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