

HB2974 • Illinois

AUTONOMOUS VEHICLE TESTING

Introduced

Risk: Medium

Comprehensive

Effective: Jan 01, 2026 | Last Action (Feb 06, 2025): Referred to Rules Committee

Summary

IL HB2974: AUTONOMOUS VEHICLE TESTING

Business Impact

If you operate CAVs in Illinois, you must register for testing and comply with safety requirements by January 1, 2026, or face suspension from the program.

Key Provisions

- Establishes the Illinois Autonomous Vehicle Testing Program.
- Requires registration for entities wishing to test CAVs.
- Mandates compliance with safety standards and reporting requirements.
- Allows the Department to suspend testing if safety violations are evident.
- Provides for assistance in identifying testing locations.
- Requires biannual reporting to the Governor and General Assembly.

Compliance Checklist

- Register for the Illinois Autonomous Vehicle Testing Program and submit annual notification forms. | Who: Entities wishing to test CAVs. | Penalty: Suspension from the testing program.
- Maintain compliance with safety requirements during testing. | Who: Participating entities. | Penalty: Possible suspension of testing privileges.

Industries Affected

Technology

Transportation

Automotive

Topics

Autonomous Vehicles

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