

## AI PRODUCT LIABILITY ACT

In Committee

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 defective designs, failure to conform to express warranties, and misuse.

## Business Impact

If you deploy AI systems in Illinois, you must ensure compliance with design and warranty standards to avoid liability for harm caused.

## Key Provisions

- Establishes liability for developers of AI systems for defective design.
- Developers are liable for failure to provide adequate instructions or warnings.
- Liability extends to failure to conform to express warranties.
- Deployers are liable as developers if they make a material and substantial change to the product.
- Deployers are liable if they intentionally misuse the product contrary to express warranty and that misuse was the proximate cause of harm.
- Sets forth applicability and enforcement mechanisms.

## Compliance Checklist

- Ensure AI systems meet design and warranty standards | Who: Developers and deployers of AI systems | Penalty: Liability for damages caused by defects.
- Provide adequate instructions and warnings for AI products | Who: Developers and deployers | Penalty: Liability for harm due to inadequate information.

## Industries Affected

## Topics

Comprehensive AI

AI Liability

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## Related Bills

- SB3502 (IL)
- SB 3590 (IL)
- SB3590 (IL)

## Official Source

<https://ilga.gov/Legislation/BillStatus?DocNum=3502&GAID;=18&DocTypeID;=SB&LegId;=166507&SessionID;=114>

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