

HB1238 • Indiana

Surveillance technology impact and use policy.

Introduced

Risk: Medium

Comprehensive

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Summary

This bill requires law enforcement agencies in Indiana to create and post a surveillance technology impact and use policy by January 1, 2021.

Business Impact

If you operate a law enforcement agency in Indiana using surveillance technology, you must post a policy by January 1, 2021, or face potential compliance issues.

Key Provisions

- Agencies must prepare a surveillance technology impact and use policy.
- The policy must be posted on the agency's website.
- Agencies must comply by January 1, 2021, for technologies in use as of June 30, 2020.
- Agencies must amend the policy before using technology in new ways.
- Surveillance technology includes audio, video, location, and biometric data collection.
- The bill emphasizes transparency and accountability in law enforcement operations.

Compliance Checklist

- Prepare and post a surveillance technology impact and use policy | Who: State or local law enforcement agencies | Penalty: Potential reputational risks for non-compliance
- Amend the policy before implementing new uses of surveillance technology | Who: State or local law enforcement agencies | Penalty: Potential reputational risks for non-compliance

Industries Affected

Government

Public Safety

Law Enforcement

Technology

Topics

Facial Recognition

Bill Sponsors

Name	Party	Role
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Official Source

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