

## A06767 • New York

Prohibits the provision of an artificial intelligence companion to a user unless such artificial intelligence companion contains a protocol for addressing possible suicidal ideation or self-harm expressed by a user, possible physical harm to others expressed by a user, and possible financial harm...

In Committee

Risk: High

Comprehensive

Last Action (Jan 07, 2026): ordered to third reading cal.175

### Summary

This bill mandates that AI companions must have protocols for addressing user self-harm, harm to others, and financial harm, with notifications required for certain users.

### Business Impact

If you provide AI companions, you must implement harm response protocols and user notifications by [effective date] or face penalties.

### Key Provisions

- Operators must implement protocols for addressing suicidal ideation, self-harm, harm to others, and financial harm.
- AI companions must notify certain users about crisis service providers.
- Certain users must be informed that AI companions are not human beings.

### Compliance Checklist

- Implement protocols for addressing user self-harm and harm to others. | Who: Operators of AI companions | Penalty: Legal action for damages by harmed individuals
- Provide user notifications about the non-human nature of AI companions. | Who: Operators of AI companions | Penalty: Legal action for damages by harmed individuals

### Industries Affected

## Bill Sponsors

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## Roll Call Votes

Date	Description	Yea	Nay	Result
2025-03-25	Assembly Vote	149	0	Passed

## Related Bills

- S2195 (RI)
- H7350 (RI)

## Official Source

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