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Criminal Procedure - Facial Recognition Technology - Requirements, Procedures, and Prohibitions

Introduced

Risk: Medium

Comprehensive

Effective: Oct 01, 2023 | Last Action (Feb 11, 2022): Hearing 2/22 at 1:00 p.m.

Summary

The bill mandates audits for law enforcement agencies using facial recognition technology to ensure compliance with established requirements and prohibitions.

Business Impact

If you operate a law enforcement agency in Maryland and use facial recognition technology, you must complete an annual compliance audit by October 1 each year or face penalties.

Key Provisions

- Law enforcement agencies must conduct annual audits of facial recognition technology use.
- Audits must begin on October 1, 2023, and continue each year thereafter.
- The bill establishes requirements and prohibitions for the use of facial recognition technology.

Compliance Checklist

- Conduct an annual audit of facial recognition technology use | Who: Law enforcement agencies using or contracting for facial recognition technology | Penalty: Unspecified penalties for non-compliance

Industries Affected

Surveillance Technology

Technology

Public Safety

Law Enforcement

Topics

Bill Sponsors

Name	Party	Role
David Moon	D	Sponsor

Related Bills

- SB762 (MD)
- HB223 (MD)
- SB192 (MD)
- HB338 (MD)
- SB182 (MD)

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