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Prohibits any motor vehicle with a manufacturers' gross vehicle weight rating of ten thousand one pounds or more which utilizes autonomous vehicle technology from being operated on public highways unless a natural person holding a valid license for the operation of the motor vehicle's class is...

Introduced

Risk: Medium

Sector-Specific

Last Action (Jan 03, 2024): REFERRED TO TRANSPORTATION

Summary

This bill prohibits the operation of heavy autonomous vehicles on public highways without a licensed driver present.

Business Impact

If you operate heavy autonomous vehicles in New York, you must ensure a licensed driver is present or face penalties.

Key Provisions

- Prohibits operation of heavy autonomous vehicles on public highways without a licensed driver.
- Applies to vehicles with a gross vehicle weight rating of 10,001 pounds or more.
- Requires a natural person to be present in the vehicle during operation.

Compliance Checklist

- Ensure a licensed driver is present in the vehicle during operation. | Who: Operators of heavy autonomous vehicles. | Penalty: Potential penalties for non-compliance not specified.

Industries Affected

Transportation

Technology

Automotive

Topics

Autonomous Vehicles

Bill Sponsors

Name	Party	Role
BONACIC		Primary
HARCKHAM		Primary
Pete Harckham	Democratic/Working Families	Primary
Jeremy Cooney	Democratic/Working Families	Cosponsor
Shelley Mayer	Democratic/Working Families	Cosponsor
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Lea Webb	Democratic/Working Families	Primary

Related Bills

- S07956 (NY)
- A08621 (NY)

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