

S9408 • New York

Relates to a prohibition on chatbot toys

Unknown

Risk: High

Narrow/Targeted

Effective: Jun 08, 2026 | Last Action (Jun 02, 2026): RETURNED TO SENATE

Summary

This bill prohibits the manufacture, exchange, distribution, and sale of chatbot toys throughout New York State.

Business Impact

If you manufacture or sell children's toys with AI companions in New York, you must cease operations immediately or face penalties.

Key Provisions

- Prohibits the manufacture, exchange, distribution, and sale of chatbot toys.

Compliance Checklist

- Cease manufacture and sale of chatbot toys | Who: Manufacturers and retailers of children's toys | Penalty: \$15,000 per day for each violation

Industries Affected

General

Topics

User-Facing AI

Bill Sponsors

Name	Party	Role
Andrew Gounardes		Primary

Related Bills

- A11144 (NY)

Official Source

<https://legislation.nysenate.gov/api/3/bills/2025-2026/S9408?summary=&detail;=>

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