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Criminal Offenses - As introduced, creates a new offense of coercive suicide; specifies that a person or entity commits the offense of coercive suicide if such person or entity owns an artificial intelligence system and the artificial intelligence system advises or encourages a person to commit or...

Enacted

Risk: Medium

Narrow/Targeted

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Summary

SB 1815 creates the offense of coercive suicide for AI owners if their systems advise or encourage suicide.

Business Impact

If you own AI systems, ensure they do not encourage suicide to avoid legal issues.

Key Provisions

- Creates a new offense of coercive suicide under TCA Title 39.

Compliance Checklist

- Ensure AI systems do not advise or encourage suicide | Who: AI system owners | Penalty: Potential criminal charges

Industries Affected

Law Enforcement

Bill Sponsors

Name	Party	Role
Bailey		Primary

Related Bills

- HB 1951 (TN)
- SB1815 (TN)

Official Source

<https://wapp.capitol.tn.gov/apps/BillInfo/Default?BillNumber=SB1815&ga;=114>

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