

HB1925 • Missouri

Creates new provisions regarding the discharge of foam fire suppressants

Unknown

Risk: High

Comprehensive

Last Action (May 15, 2026): Referred: Emerging Issues(H)

Summary

This bill prohibits Missouri state agencies from engaging in biometric analysis of photographs and digital data, with specific exceptions for individuals in state custody and law enforcement.

Business Impact

If you operate a state agency in Missouri, you must cease biometric analysis of digital data immediately or face misdemeanor charges.

Key Provisions

- Prohibits state agencies from engaging in biometric analysis of photographs and digital data.
- Allows colleges and universities to conduct biometric analysis for academic purposes with consent.
- Permits law enforcement to collect biometric data for ongoing investigations and for identifying persons of interest.
- Allows biometric data collection for individuals in state custody and for public assistance identification.
- Establishes penalties for unauthorized sharing or accessing of biometric data.
- Defines 'biometric analysis' in accordance with existing Missouri law.

Compliance Checklist

- Cease all biometric analysis of photographs and digital data | Who: All state agencies and departments in Missouri | Penalty: Class A misdemeanor for violations
- Obtain consent for any biometric analysis conducted by colleges or universities | Who: Colleges and universities engaging in biometric analysis | Penalty: Not specified, but must comply to avoid violations

Industries Affected

General

Bill Sponsors

Name	Party	Role
Gregg Bush		Primary
Adrian Plank		Cosponsor

Official Source

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