

S3438 • New Jersey

Requires DLPS to establish training program to prepare law enforcement to interact with autonomous vehicles.

Introduced

Risk: Medium

Comprehensive

Last Action (Feb 07, 2019): Introduced in the Senate, Referred to Senate Law and Public Safety Committee

Summary

This bill requires the establishment of a training program for law enforcement to safely interact with autonomous vehicles.

Business Impact

If you operate autonomous vehicles in New Jersey, you must ensure law enforcement is trained to interact with them by December 31, 2020.

Key Provisions

- The Attorney General must develop a training course for law enforcement on interacting with autonomous vehicles.
- All law enforcement officers must complete the training by December 31, 2020.
- Individuals must complete the training before being appointed to permanent law enforcement status.
- The Police Training Commission will adopt rules to implement the act.
- The curriculum will be reviewed every five years.
- An 'autonomous vehicle' is defined as a vehicle that operates without human control.

Compliance Checklist

- Complete the training course on autonomous vehicles | Who: All law enforcement officers | Penalty: Non-compliance may affect appointment to permanent status.
- Ensure training course is developed and approved | Who: The Attorney General and Commissioner of Transportation

Industries Affected

Transportation

Automotive

Law Enforcement

Topics

Autonomous Vehicles

AI in Law Enforcement

Bill Sponsors

Name	Party	Role
Joseph Cryan	D	Sponsor

Related Bills

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- A2495 (NJ)
 - A4977 (NJ)
 - A3757 (NJ)
 - A2807 (NJ)

Official Source

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