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3 POLICY COMMITTEE  
4 RECOMMENDATION

5 FOR

6 HOUSE BILL NO. 3545

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7 POLICY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

8 An Act relating to technology; providing definitions;  
9 clarifying applicability of act; establishing  
10 prohibited uses of artificial intelligence (AI) by  
11 state agencies; establishing allowed uses of AI and  
12 applicable restrictions; directing state agencies to  
13 take action and report compliance to the Office of  
14 Management and Enterprise Services (OMES); requiring  
15 future AI systems comply with act; directing OMES to  
16 provide report on AI systems used by state agencies;  
17 providing for codification; and providing an  
18 effective date.

19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

20 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified  
21 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 200 of Title 75A, unless there  
22 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

23 A. As used in this act:

24 1. "Artificial intelligence" or "AI" means the ability of a  
machine to display human-like capabilities for cognitive tasks such  
as reasoning, learning, planning, and creativity. AI systems can  
adapt their behavior to a certain degree by analyzing the effects of

1 previous actions and operating under varying and unpredictable  
2 circumstances without significant human oversight;

3 2. "Deepfake" means a video of a person in which their face or  
4 body has been digitally altered so that they appear to be someone  
5 else, they appear to be saying something that they have never said,  
6 or they appear to be doing something that they have never done. A  
7 deepfake is typically used maliciously or to spread false  
8 information;

9 3. "Generative AI" means AI that can generate text, images, or  
10 other media in response to prompts;

11 4. "High-risk AI decision" means any recommendation,  
12 classification, scoring, or determination generated in whole or in  
13 part by an artificial intelligence system that, once implemented by  
14 a state agency, materially affects the legal rights, benefits,  
15 obligations, or liberties of an individual person or group of  
16 persons and cannot reasonably be reversed; and

17 5. "State agency" means any department, commission, board,  
18 institution, bureau, office, law enforcement agency, or other  
19 entity, by whatever name called, including the legislative and  
20 judicial branches of state government, established in the state  
21 constitution, statutes, session laws, or executive orders.

22 B. This act shall apply to all computer systems operated by any  
23 state agency, except for systems used in research by state-funded  
24 institutions of higher learning. Also excepted are installed

1 consumer systems in common personal use, including, but not limited  
2 to, facial recognition used to unlock a smartphone.

3 C. The following uses of AI by state agencies shall be  
4 prohibited:

5 1. Cognitive behavioral manipulation of individual persons or  
6 specific groups of persons;

7 2. Classifying persons based on behavior, socioeconomic status,  
8 or personal characteristics in a manner that results in unlawful  
9 discrimination prohibited by state or federal law;

10 3. Real-time and remote biometric identification systems used  
11 for surveillance in public spaces, such as facial recognition,  
12 except when used to locate a missing or abducted person; and

13 4. Deepfakes when used for any deceptive or malicious purpose.

14 D. Use of AI by state agencies shall be allowed under the  
15 following circumstances and with the following restrictions:

16 1. No high-risk AI decision shall take effect unless reviewed  
17 and approved by a human employee or officer of the state agency who  
18 has decision-making authority and is trained in and aware of the  
19 limitations of the AI system;

20 2. Any material produced by generative AI that has not been  
21 reviewed, and possibly edited by a human in an appropriate  
22 responsible position, must be accompanied by a disclosure that the  
23 content was generated by AI; and

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1           3. In all other circumstances in which a human user is  
2 interacting with an AI system, either directly or indirectly, the  
3 user must be informed that they are interacting with an AI system.

4           E. All state agencies shall take the following actions no later  
5 than nine (9) months after the effective date of this act and report  
6 their compliance with the Office of Management of Enterprise  
7 Services (OMES):

8           1. Review the use of AI in their computer systems to verify  
9 that they comply with the provisions of this act. Any AI system  
10 that is prohibited shall be removed; and

11           2. Modify all procedures relative to any use of AI that are  
12 inconsistent with this act so that these procedures are consistent  
13 with the requirements of this act.

14           F. Any AI systems newly deployed by a state agency after the  
15 effective date of this act shall comply with the provisions of this  
16 act. All newly implemented procedures relative to any use of AI  
17 that are implemented by a state agency after the effective date of  
18 this act shall be consistent with the requirements of this act.

19           G. On December 1, 2026, and every year thereafter, OMES shall  
20 provide to the Governor, the Speaker of the Oklahoma House of  
21 Representatives, and the President Pro Tempore of the Oklahoma State  
22 Senate a report summarizing AI systems identified by state agencies,  
23 recording which of those systems were prohibited and removed in  
24 compliance with this act, which systems are allowed according to

1 this act, and what procedures have been implemented to ensure that  
2 the procurement and use of these systems will be in compliance with  
3 this act. This report shall be updated annually to include new  
4 systems that state agencies have purchased. All such reports shall  
5 also be posted on the OMES website.

6 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2026.

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