Intellectual Property Tracker

September 2026

Right of publicity, digital replicas and voice cloning, copyright and music licensing, noncompete agreements, and patents, including pharmaceutical patents.

This month in numbers

Measure	Bills
Matched to this Tracker	434
Signed into law in 2026	32
New this month	6
Moved a stage	4
Passed a chamber	4
Signed into law this month	3
Vetoed this month	0

Where it happened

State	Bills that moved
CA	3
US	1

By topic

Topic	Moved	Signed into law
Digital replicas and deepfakes	2	10
Right of publicity	2	6
Student-athlete NIL	1	3
Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	0	9
Trademarks, trade secrets and patents	0	3
Copyright and music licensing	0	1

The month in brief

September 2026 was a quiet month for intellectual property legislation, with only four bills changing stage out of 434 tracked. California accounted for all three enactments, strengthening protections around AI-generated content and digital replicas. CA SB 1111 expanded the state's right of publicity law to cover digital replicas, while CA SB 1050 imposed disclosure requirements on advertisements featuring synthetic performers. A federal bill regulating college athlete name, image, and likeness rights passed one chamber. Four laws take effect on 1 October 2026: Connecticut measures on synthetic intimate images and digital fraud, and Maryland measures on architect noncompete clauses and identity fraud involving deepfakes.

Taking effect

Laws and rules matched to this Tracker with an effective date between 1 September 2026 and 29 December 2026. Of the 32 laws signed in 2026, 16 name no effective date that could be read and are not listed.

Takes effect	State	Law or rule	Title
1 October 2026	CT	HB 5312	AN ACT ESTABLISHING A CIVIL ACTION FOR THE OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL AND A PRIVATE RIGHT OF ACTION FOR VICTIMS OF UNLAWFUL DISSEMINATION OF A SYNTHETICALLY CREATED INTIMATE IMAGE. Digital replicas and deepfakes
1 October 2026	CT	SB 483	AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE CRIME OF DIGITAL DEFRAUDING. Digital replicas and deepfakes
1 October 2026	MD	HB 1016	Noncompete and Conflict of Interest Clauses - Licensed Architects - Employer Workforce Relocation and Out-of-State Employers Noncompetes and restrictive covenants
1 October 2026	MD	SB 8	Criminal Law - Identity Fraud - Artificial Intelligence and Deepfake Representations Digital replicas and deepfakes Companion: MD HB 184

Signed into law in September 2026

State	Bill	Title	Became law
CA	AB 2713	California AI Transparency Act: system provenance data.	30 September 2026

Requires large online platforms to detect system provenance data in content and let users inspect it. Signed into law.

State	Bill	Title	Became law
CA	SB 1111	Digital replicas. Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	30 September 2026

Expands right of publicity law to cover digital replicas and clarifies criminal false impersonation statutes. Signed into law.

State	Bill	Title	Became law
CA	SB 1050	False advertising: synthetic performers. Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	16 September 2026

State	Bill	Title	Became law
Prohibits advertisements featuring synthetic performers without clear disclosure. Signed into law.			

On the governor's desk

No bill in this Tracker is currently awaiting a governor's signature.

What else moved this month

Passed one chamber

State	Bill	Title	Current status	Action
US	S. 4668	Protect College Sports Act of 2026 Student-athlete NIL Companion: US H.R. 9137	■ Passed chamber	28 September 2026
Would regulate college athlete name, image, and likeness rights, require agent registration, and establish medical and academic protections. Passed one chamber.				

New and notable

State	Bill	Title	Current status
NY	A 11683†	Relates to audiovisual advertisements and synthetic performer disclosures and materially deceptive media disclosures in certain political communications Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	■ In committee

State	Bill	Title	Current status
NY	A 11717	Relates to compensation received by minor student-athletes from contracts for the use of a student-athlete's name, image and likeness Student-athlete NIL	■ In committee
US	H.R. 10215	Workforce Mobility Act of 2026 Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	■ In committee
US	H.R. 10364	American Copyright Protection Act of 2026 Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Copyright and music licensing	■ In committee
US	H.R. 10575	Deterring Extraterritorial Foreign Exploitation of Networks Damaging Intellectual Property (DEFEND IP) Act of 2026 Trademarks, trade secrets and patents	■ In committee
US	S. 5610†	Prohibiting Adversarial Patents Act of 2026 Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Patents and pharmaceutical exclusivity	■ In committee

Regulatory Watch

Open for comment

Type	Document	Date
Notice	Determination of Regulatory Review Period for Purposes of Patent Extension; VYALEV Health and Human Services Department, Food and Drug Administration FDA determination of regulatory review period for patent extension on human drug product VYALEV.	Comments close 28 December 2026
Notice	Determination of Regulatory Review Period for Purposes of Patent Extension; BRINSUPRI Health and Human Services Department, Food	Comments close 8 February 2027

Type	Document	Date
	and Drug Administration Patent extension determination for pharmaceutical product; patent law and exclusivity.	
Notice	Determination of Regulatory Review Period for Purposes of Patent Extension; DAYVIGO Health and Human Services Department, Food and Drug Administration FDA determines regulatory review period for patent extension on drug product DAYVIGO.	Comments close 8 February 2027
Notice	Determination of Regulatory Review Period for Purposes of Patent Extension; ANDEMBRY Health and Human Services Department, Food and Drug Administration FDA patent extension determination for ANDEMBRY; patent law and exclusivity.	Comments close 8 March 2027
Notice	Determination of Regulatory Review Period for Purposes of Patent Extension; ANZUPGO Health and Human Services Department, Food and Drug Administration Patent extension determination for human drug product under patent law procedures.	Comments close 8 March 2027

Taking effect

Type	Document	Date
Rule	International Trademark Classification Changes Commerce Department, Patent and Trademark Office Final rule updating trademark classification system under Nice Agreement affecting trademark registration.	Effective 1 January 2027

Also published

Type	Document	Date
Notice	Certain Ink Cartridges and Components Thereof I; Notice of a Commission Determination Finding a Violation of Section 337; Issuance of a Limited Exclusion Order and Cease and Desist Orders; Termination of the Investigation International Trade Commission ITC determination of patent infringement and issuance of exclusion order on patent claims.	29 September 2026
Notice	Certain Powered Rocker-Recliner and Glider-Recliner Mechanisms and Seating Units Containing Same; Notice of Institution of Investigation International Trade Commission ITC Section 337 investigation alleging patent infringement of four U.S. patents for powered recliner mechanisms.	28 September 2026
Notice	Certain Dynamic Random Access Memory (DRAM) Devices, Products Containing the Same, and Components Thereof (III); Notice of Institution of Investigation International Trade Commission ITC investigation into patent infringement of DRAM devices; product-specific patent case.	25 September 2026
Notice	Certain Flash-Spun Nonwoven Materials and Products Containing Same; Notice of Commission Determination To Review in Part a Final Initial Determination Finding a Violation of Section 337; Request for Written Submissions on Remedy, the Public Interest, and Bonding International Trade Commission ITC section 337 investigation reviewing violation of patent infringement; requests submissions on remedy and bonding.	24 September 2026
Notice	Certain Wearable Breast Pumps, Associated Milk Storage Containers,	24 September 2026

Type	Document	Date
	and Components Thereof; Notice of Institution of Investigation International Trade Commission ITC section 337 patent infringement investigation involving U.S. patents on wearable breast pumps.	
Notice	Certain Electronic Devices With Certain Audio Technologies; Notice of Institution of Investigation International Trade Commission ITC patent infringement investigation for electronic devices with audio technologies involving three U.S. patents.	18 September 2026
Notice	Prospective Grant of an Exclusive Patent License: Development and Commercialization of Engineered Cell Therapies for the Treatment of HPV 16 E6-Expressing Cancers Health and Human Services Department, National Institutes of Health Patent license grant for engineered cell therapies; patent law and exclusive licensing.	Comments closed 30 September 2026
Notice	Certain Photodynamic Therapy Systems, Components Thereof, and Pharmaceutical Products Used in Combination With the Same; Notice of the Commission's Determination To Lift the Partial Suspension of Enforcement of the Remedial Orders as to U.S. Patent No. 11,697,028 International Trade Commission ITC determination lifting suspension of enforcement of patent remedial orders affects patent enforcement obligations.	4 September 2026
Notice	Certain Mobile Electronic Devices; Notice of a Commission Determination To Review in Part a Final Initial Determination Finding a Violation of Section 337; Request for Written Submissions on the Issues Under	3 September 2026

Type	Document	Date
	Review and on Remedy, The Public Interest, and Bonding International Trade Commission ITC Section 337 patent infringement investigation with remedy and public interest review requested.	
Notice	Prospective Grant of an Exclusive Patent License: Development and Commercialization of Mifepristone and Analogues To Treat Hypercortisolism-Related Insulin Resistance Disorders Health and Human Services Department, National Institutes of Health Prospective grant of exclusive patent license for patented inventions; sets terms others will be measured by.	Comments closed 17 September 2026

State rulemaking

State registers and regulators in Alabama, Arkansas, California, Florida, Idaho, Iowa, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Mexico, New York, Ohio, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Virginia, Washington, West Virginia and Wisconsin were read for September 2026. Not yet covered: Alaska, Arizona, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Georgia, Hawaii, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Maine, Massachusetts, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, New Jersey, North Carolina, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Tennessee and Wyoming. None carried a rulemaking matched to this Tracker.

Watchlist for next month

State	Bill	Title	Current status
US	S. 4668	Protect College Sports Act of 2026 Student-athlete NIL Companion: US H.R. 9137	■ Passed chamber

Signed into law earlier in 2026

State	Bill	Title	Became law
CT	SB 483	AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE CRIME OF DIGITAL DEFRAUDING. Digital replicas and deepfakes	4 June 2026
CT	HB 5312	AN ACT ESTABLISHING A CIVIL ACTION FOR THE OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL AND A PRIVATE RIGHT OF ACTION FOR VICTIMS OF UNLAWFUL DISSEMINATION OF A SYNTHETICALLY CREATED INTIMATE IMAGE. Digital replicas and deepfakes	26 May 2026
FL	SB 7026	OGSR/Trade Secret Held by an Agency Trademarks, trade secrets and patents Companion: FL SPB 7026	23 April 2026
FL	HB 679	Registration of Trademarks Trademarks, trade secrets and patents Companion: FL SB 696	14 April 2026
HI	HB 2137	RELATING TO ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE. Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	14 July 2026
HI	HB 1682	RELATING TO THE DISCLOSURE OF INTIMATE IMAGES.	7 July 2026
IA	HF 2254†	A bill for an act relating to the prohibition of noncompete clauses in certain employment contracts entered into by the university of Iowa hospitals and clinics, and including effective date provisions. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	2 June 2026

State	Bill	Title	Became law
LA	HB 513†	ATHLETICS: Provides relative to the name, image, and likeness of intercollegiate and interscholastic athletes (EN NO IMPACT GF EX See Note) Student-athlete NIL	8 June 2026
LA	HB 315†	CONTRACTS: Provides relative to noncompete contracts or agreements for interns and apprentices Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	15 May 2026
MD	SB 8	Criminal Law - Identity Fraud - Artificial Intelligence and Deepfake Representations Digital replicas and deepfakes Companion: MD HB 184	12 May 2026
MD	HB 1016	Noncompete and Conflict of Interest Clauses - Licensed Architects - Employer Workforce Relocation and Out-of-State Employers Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	28 April 2026
ME	LD 2200	An Act To Prohibit Noncompete Clauses For Health Care Professionals As Recommended By The Commission To Evaluate The Scope Of Regulatory Review And Oversight Over Health Care Transactions That Impact The Delivery Of Health Care Services In The State Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	15 April 2026
ME	LD 109	Resolve, Directing The Maine Arts Commission To Study Federal And National Efforts To Protect Artists From Copyright Infringement By Artificial Intelligence Companies And Users And To Monitor Educational Use Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Copyright and music licensing	11 January 2026
NH	SB 402	eliminating certain non-compete agreements for physician associates. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	12 May 2026
OH	HB 184	Prescribe limitations on intercollegiate athlete contracts Student-athlete NIL	20 March 2026

State	Bill	Title	Became law
RI	HB 8060	AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - - IMPERSONATION AND IDENTITY FRAUD Digital replicas and deepfakes Companion: RI SB 3338	23 June 2026
RI	SB 3338	AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - - IMPERSONATION AND IDENTITY FRAUD Digital replicas and deepfakes	23 June 2026
SD	SB 41	revise a provision related to criminal invasions of privacy, prohibit the creation and distribution of digitally fabricated material of an identifiable individual, and provide penalties therefor. Digital replicas and deepfakes	30 March 2026
SD	HB 1180	ensure the validity of non-compete agreements in the context of jointly owned business entities. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	12 March 2026
UT	SB 256	Identity Protection Modifications Right of publicity	26 March 2026
UT	HB 276	Artificial Intelligence Modifications	24 March 2026
UT	SB 111	Veterinary Post-employment Amendments Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	17 March 2026
VA	HB 581	Unauthorized use of voice or likeness; punitive damages, statute of limitations. Right of publicity	13 April 2026
VA	SB 170†	Protection of employees; covenants not to compete, discharged employees. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	13 April 2026
VA	SB 753	Unauthorized use of voice or likeness; punitive damages, statute of limitations. Right of publicity	13 April 2026
WA	HB 1155	Prohibiting noncompetition agreements and clarifying nonsolicitation agreements. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants Companion: WA SB 5437	23 March 2026

State	Bill	Title	Became law
WA	SB 5886	Concerning forged digital likenesses. Digital replicas and deepfakes	16 March 2026
WI	AB 1034	Relating to: name, image, and likeness rights for University of Wisconsin System student athletes; maintenance costs for University of Wisconsin–Madison intercollegiate athletic facilities; and making an appropriation. (FE) Student-athlete NIL	9 April 2026
WI	AB 884	Relating to: who may purchase certain contractual services and technical changes to tax provisions related to qualified retirement plans and the film production services credit. Companion: WI SB 880	2 April 2026

Every matched bill

State	Bill	Title	Current status	Last action
AK	HB 240	An Act requiring school districts to adopt a digital harassment and nonconsensual digital impersonation policy; and providing for an effective date. Digital replicas and deepfakes	In committee	16 March 2026
AK	HB 47	An Act relating to distribution of a forged digital likeness; relating to crime and criminal procedure; relating to distribution of a generated sexual depiction; relating to generated obscene child sexual abuse material; relating to teaching certificates; relating to	Dead	13 April 2026

State	Bill	Title	Current status	Last action
		licensing... Digital replicas and deepfakes		
AK	SB 111	An Act relating to the diagnosis, maintenance, and repair of consumer products that use digital electronics to operate; adding an unlawful act to the Alaska Unfair Trade Practices and Consumer Protection Act; and providing for an effective date. Companion: AK HB 162	■ Passed chamber	17 May 2026
AL	HB 240	Income Tax; to exempt compensation earned by a student athlete for the use of their name, image, or likeness from income tax Student-athlete NIL	In committee	11 February 2025
AL	HB 327	Consumer protection; production of digital replicas of voice or visual likenesses, prohibited for commercial use unless licensed, procedures established, private right of action authorized Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	In committee	19 February 2026
AL	HB 340	High School athletics, right to compensation for name, image, and likeness Student-athlete NIL	In committee	27 January 2026
AL	HB 489	High school athletics, student athletes permitted to receive compensation for name, image, or likeness, subject to restrictions Student-athlete NIL	In committee	1 April 2025

State	Bill	Title	Current status	Last action
AL	HB 490	Alabama Sports Wagering Control Act; licensure of sports wagering activities provided for; student athlete compensation for name, image, and likeness provided for Student-athlete NIL	In committee	1 April 2025
AR	HB 1071	TO AMEND THE FRANK BROYLES PUBLICITY RIGHTS PROTECTION ACT OF 2016; AND TO PROVIDE PROTECTIONS FOR AN INDIVIDUAL WHOSE PHOTOGRAPH, VOICE, OR LIKENESS IS REPRODUCED THROUGH MEANS OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE AND USED COMMERCIALLY. Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	■ Enacted	26 February 2025
AR	HB 1823	TO ESTABLISH THE DISRUPT EXPLICIT FORGED IMAGES AND NONCONSENSUAL EDITS ACT OF 2025; AND TO CLARIFY THE RIGHTS FOR AN INDIVIDUAL AFFECTED BY NONCONSENSUAL ACTIVITIES INVOLVING INTIMATE DIGITAL FORGERIES. Digital replicas and deepfakes	In committee	5 May 2025
AR	HB 1917	TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS STUDENT-ATHLETE PUBLICITY RIGHTS ACT; AND TO AMEND THE LAW RELATED TO ATHLETIC PROGRAM FUNDING.	■ Enacted	17 April 2025

State	Bill	Title	Current status	Last action
		Right of publicity, Student-athlete NIL		
AR	SB 139	TO CLARIFY THAT A COVENANT NOT TO COMPETE AGREEMENT IS UNENFORCEABLE FOR CERTAIN LICENSED MEDICAL PROFESSIONALS. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	■ Enacted	4 March 2025
AZ	HB 2192	video content; minors; employment; compensation Right of publicity	■ Passed chamber	20 April 2026
AZ	HB 2361†	employers; contracts; noncompete clause; prohibition Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	21 January 2026
AZ	HB 2391	vloggers; minors; compensation; trust accounts	In committee	21 January 2026
AZ	HB 2589†	employers; contracts; noncompete clause; prohibition Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	28 January 2025
AZ	SB 1295	fraudulent voice recordings Digital replicas and deepfakes	■ Enacted	13 May 2025
AZ	SB 1615	student athletes; employment status; restrictions Student-athlete NIL	■ Enacted	7 May 2025
AZ	SB 1786	artificial intelligence; content verification Digital replicas and deepfakes	■ Passed chamber	5 May 2026

State	Bill	Title	Current status	Last action
CA	AB 2416	Privacy: use of a person's name, voice, signature, photograph, or likeness. Right of publicity	Introduced	21 February 2026
CA	AB 2713	California AI Transparency Act: system provenance data.	■ Enacted	30 September 2026
CA	AB 412	Generative artificial intelligence: training data: copyrighted materials. Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Copyright and music licensing	Dead	13 August 2026
CA	AJR 33	Intellectual property enforcement: Priority Foreign Countries. Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Copyright and music licensing	Introduced	10 June 2026
CA	SB 1050	False advertising: synthetic performers. Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	■ Enacted	16 September 2026
CA	SB 11	Artificial intelligence technology. Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	■ Vetoed	2 March 2026
CA	SB 1111	Digital replicas. Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	■ Enacted	30 September 2026
CA	SB 1142	Digital Dignity Act. Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	■ Passed committee	14 May 2026
CA	SB 1146	Advertisement claims: health-related consumer products and services: digital	■ Passed chamber	13 August 2026

State	Bill	Title	Current status	Last action
		replicas and synthetic performers. Digital replicas and deepfakes		
CA	SB 683	Privacy: use of a person's name, voice, signature, photograph, or likeness: injunctive relief. Right of publicity	■ Enacted	10 October 2025
CO	HB 1049	Prohibit Use of Personally Identifying Feature Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	Introduced	12 February 2026
CO	HB 25-1041†	Student Athlete Name Image or Likeness Student-athlete NIL	■ Enacted	28 March 2025
CO	SB 25-083	Limitations on Restrictive Employment Agreements Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	■ Enacted	3 June 2025
CO	SB 25-288	Intimate Digital Depictions Criminal & Civil Actions Digital replicas and deepfakes	■ Enacted	2 June 2025
CT	HB 5015	AN ACT AUTHORIZING SPIN-OFF COMPANIES FOR EMPLOYEES OF THE CONNECTICUT AGRICULTURAL EXPERIMENT STATION.	■ Enacted	29 May 2025
CT	HB 5312	AN ACT ESTABLISHING A CIVIL ACTION FOR THE OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL AND A PRIVATE RIGHT OF ACTION FOR VICTIMS OF UNLAWFUL DISSEMINATION OF A SYNTHETICALLY CREATED	■ Enacted	26 May 2026

State	Bill	Title	Current status	Last action
		INTIMATE IMAGE. Digital replicas and deepfakes		
CT	HB 5492	AN ACT CONCERNING LIMITATIONS ON THE USE ON NONCOMPETE AGREEMENTS. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	■ Passed committee	2 April 2026
CT	HB 6446	AN ACT CONCERNING STUDENT ATHLETE COMPENSATION THROUGH ENDORSEMENT CONTRACTS AND REVENUE SHARING AGREEMENTS. Student-athlete NIL	■ Passed committee	20 February 2025
CT	HB 7196	AN ACT CONCERNING LIMITATIONS ON THE USE OF NONCOMPETE AGREEMENTS. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	■ Passed committee	14 May 2025
CT	SB 292	AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEFINITION OF "CHILD SEXUAL ABUSE MATERIAL".	■ Passed chamber	6 May 2026
CT	SB 344	AN ACT PROTECTING CHILDREN'S SAFETY BY REQUIRING AFFIRMATIVE CONSENT BY A PARENT OR GUARDIAN FOR THE USE OF A CHILD'S LIKENESS ON SOCIAL MEDIA. Right of publicity	■ Passed committee	17 March 2026
CT	SB 354†	AN ACT ELIMINATING PROHIBITIONS ON NONCOMPETE AGREEMENTS.	In committee	9 January 2025

State	Bill	Title	Current status	Last action
		Noncompetes and restrictive covenants		
CT	SB 483	AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE CRIME OF DIGITAL DEFRAUDING. Digital replicas and deepfakes	■ Enacted	4 June 2026
FL	HB 1395	Artificial Intelligence Digital replicas and deepfakes	Dead	13 March 2026
FL	HB 679	Registration of Trademarks Trademarks, trade secrets and patents Companion: FL SB 696	■ Enacted	15 April 2026
FL	HB 7017	OGSR/Trade Secrets Trademarks, trade secrets and patents	■ Passed committee	9 March 2026
FL	HB 981	Athlete Representation and Compensation Student-athlete NIL	Dead	16 June 2025
FL	SB 476	Registration and Protection of Trademarks Trademarks, trade secrets and patents	Dead	6 January 2026
FL	SB 7026	OGSR/Trade Secret Held by an Agency Trademarks, trade secrets and patents Companion: FL SPB 7026	■ Enacted	24 April 2026
FL	SB 752	Defamation, False Light, and Unauthorized Publication of Name or Likenesses Right of publicity	Dead	16 June 2025
FL	SB 922	Employment Agreements Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	24 April 2025

State	Bill	Title	Current status	Last action
GA	HB 1399	Georgia Likeness, Expression, Generative AI, and Commercial Yield (LEGACY) Act; enact Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	In committee	24 February 2026
GA	HB 1603	Georgia Entertainment Artificial Intelligence Accountability and Performer Protection Act; enact Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	In committee	31 March 2026
GA	HB 418	Georgia Child Performer Empowerment and Protection Act; enact Right of publicity	In committee	18 February 2025
GA	HB 566	NO FAKES Act of 2025; enact Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	■ Passed committee	25 February 2026
GA	HR 592	House Study Committee on Noncompete Clauses in Physician Contracts; create Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	■ Passed committee	19 February 2026
GA	SB 354	Torts; cause of action for appropriating an individual's indicia of identity; provide Right of publicity	In committee	25 March 2025
GA	SB 559	"Fair Business Practices Act of 1975"; any person from facilitating noncompete agreements between residential rental property owners or managers, including by use of algorithmic coordinating functions; prohibit	In committee	25 February 2026

State	Bill	Title	Current status	Last action
		Noncompetes and restrictive covenants		
GA	SB 71	Income Taxes; taxable net income compensation of athletes for the use of the athlete's name, image, or likeness; exempt Student-athlete NIL	In committee	4 February 2025
HI	GM 1349	Informing the Legislature that on July 14, 2026, the Governor signed the following bill into law: HB2137 HD3 SD2 CD1 (ACT 247).	Introduced	14 July 2026
HI	HB 1682	RELATING TO THE DISCLOSURE OF INTIMATE IMAGES.	■ Enacted	7 July 2026
HI	HB 2137	RELATING TO ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE. Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	■ Enacted	14 July 2026
HI	HB 2384	RELATING TO STUDENT-ATHLETE COMPENSATION. Student-athlete NIL	■ Passed chamber	10 March 2026
HI	HB 2607†	RELATING TO PUBLICITY RIGHTS. Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	In committee	6 February 2026
HI	SB 1156	RELATING TO DEEPFAKES. Digital replicas and deepfakes	In committee	8 December 2025
HI	SB 1161	RELATING TO NON-COMPETE CLAUSES. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	8 December 2025

State	Bill	Title	Current status	Last action
HI	SB 2076	RELATING TO PUBLICITY RIGHTS. Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	Passed chamber	6 February 2026
HI	SB 3261	RELATING TO ATHLETE AGENTS. Student-athlete NIL	Passed chamber	19 February 2026
HI	SB 3263	RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII. Student-athlete NIL	Passed chamber	8 May 2026
IA	HF 2072	A bill for an act relating to the prohibition of noncompete clauses in certain employment contracts entered into by the university of Iowa hospitals and clinics, and including effective date provisions. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	Dead	2 March 2026
IA	HF 2254†	A bill for an act relating to the prohibition of noncompete clauses in certain employment contracts entered into by the university of Iowa hospitals and clinics, and including effective date provisions. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	Enacted	2 June 2026
IA	HF 628	A bill for an act relating to compensation and name, image, and likeness rights of student athletes at postsecondary educational institutions, providing remedies, and including	In committee	5 March 2025

State	Bill	Title	Current status	Last action
		applicability provisions. Student-athlete NIL		
IA	HSB 299	A bill for an act relating to the distribution of counterfeit and unsafe lighters, and making penalties applicable.	In committee	5 March 2025
IA	HSB 643	A bill for an act relating to the use of synthetic media in campaign materials, and making penalties applicable.	■ Passed committee	19 February 2026
IA	SF 2199	A bill for an act relating to the ownership of artificial intelligence output and trained artificial intelligence. Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Copyright and music licensing	■ Passed committee	19 March 2026
IA	SF 380	A bill for an act relating to prohibitions on noncompete covenants involving nurses and including applicability provisions. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	24 February 2025
IA	SSB 3013	A bill for an act relating to the ownership of artificial intelligence output and trained artificial intelligence. Copyright and music licensing	■ Passed committee	4 February 2026
ID	H 486	COVENANTS NOT TO COMPETE – Repeals and adds to existing law to provide that covenants not to compete shall be void and unenforceable except in certain situations.	Introduced	3 April 2025

State	Bill	Title	Current status	Last action
		Noncompetes and restrictive covenants		
IL	HB 1116	STUDENT-ATHLETE ENDORSEMENT Student-athlete NIL	Introduced	9 January 2025
IL	HB 3178	DIGITAL PROTECT-USE OF REPLICA Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	■ Enacted	15 August 2025
IL	HB 4470	ANTICOMPETITIVE PHARMACEUTICAL	In committee	27 March 2026
IL	HB 5106	CRIM CD-DEEPFAKE-HARASS Digital replicas and deepfakes	Introduced	10 February 2026
IL	SB 3263	AI PROVENANCE DATA ACT Digital replicas and deepfakes	In committee	22 May 2026
IN	HB 1054	Plumbing noncompete agreements. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	5 December 2025
IN	HB 1625	Prohibition on noncompete agreements. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	21 January 2025
IN	SB 132	Restriction on noncompete agreements. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	20 January 2026
IN	SB 475	Physician noncompete agreements. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	■ Enacted	6 May 2025

State	Bill	Title	Current status	Last action
KS	HB 2650†	Requiring that noncompete agreements be reasonable and providing that such agreements are null and void upon the sale or change in ownership or control of an employer. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	Dead	10 April 2026
KS	HB 2772†	Enacting the Kansas age-appropriate design code act to require businesses to assess and mitigate risks of compulsive use in minors; enacting the Kansas stopping likeness abuse by nonconsensual digital replicas act to create a private right of action for the unauthorized digital... Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	Dead	10 April 2026
KS	HB 2800	Prohibiting postsecondary educational institutions from using or commingling state moneys or student fees to compensate a collegiate student athlete for the use of the athlete's name, image, likeness rights or athletic reputation. Student-athlete NIL	Dead	10 April 2026
KS	SB 499	Enacting the Kansas age-appropriate design code act to require businesses to assess and mitigate risks of compulsive use in minors, enacting the Kansas stopping likeness abuse by	Dead	10 April 2026

State	Bill	Title	Current status	Last action
		nonconsensual digital replicas act to create a private right of action for the unauthorized digital... Digital replicas and deepfakes		
KS	SB 504	Enacting the Kansas healthcare professional employment mobility and patient access act to prohibit post-employment noncompete agreements. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	Dead	10 April 2026
KY	HB 21	AN ACT relating to privacy protection. Digital replicas and deepfakes	In committee	4 February 2025
KY	HB 318	AN ACT relating to property rights in name, voice, and likeness. Right of publicity	In committee	20 January 2026
KY	HB 63	AN ACT relating to privacy protection. Digital replicas and deepfakes	In committee	14 January 2026
KY	HB 690	AN ACT relating to contracts. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	26 February 2025
KY	HB 813	AN ACT relating to contracts. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	9 March 2026
KY	SB 234	AN ACT relating to non-compete clauses. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	20 February 2025
KY	SB 3	AN ACT relating to student-athletes and declaring an	■ Enacted	13 March 2025

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		emergency. Student-athlete NIL		
KY	SB 7	AN ACT relating to property rights to the use of an individual's image. Right of publicity	■ Passed chamber	6 March 2025
LA	HB 157	TRADEMARKS/TRADE NAMES: Establishes a cause of action for misuse of artificial intelligence Digital replicas and deepfakes, Trademarks, trade secrets and patents	In committee	9 March 2026
LA	HB 166	TAX/INCOME TAX: Authorizes an individual income tax deduction for compensation earned by certain intercollegiate athletes for use of their name, image, or likeness (OR DECREASE GF RV See Note) Student-athlete NIL	In committee	14 April 2025
LA	HB 168	TAX/INCOME TAX: Authorizes income tax deductions for income earned by an intercollegiate athlete and compensation paid by a taxpayer for use of an intercollegiate athlete's name, image, or likeness (OR DECREASE GF RV See Note) Student-athlete NIL	In committee	14 April 2025
LA	HB 315†	CONTRACTS: Provides relative to noncompete contracts or agreements for interns and apprentices Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	■ Enacted	15 May 2026

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LA	HB 513†	ATHLETICS: Provides relative to the name, image, and likeness of intercollegiate and interscholastic athletes (EN NO IMPACT GF EX See Note) Student-athlete NIL	■ Enacted	8 June 2026
LA	HB 734	COMMERCE: Creates a consumer bill of rights regarding artificial intelligence	In committee	30 March 2026
LA	HR 15†	ATHLETICS: Creates a task force to study issues relative to the name, image, and likeness of student athletes in Louisiana Student-athlete NIL	■ Passed both	28 May 2025
LA	SB 120	AMUSEMENTS/SPORTS: Provides relative to intercollegiate athletes at a postsecondary education institution. (gov sig) (OR SEE FISC NOTE SG EX) Student-athlete NIL	In committee	9 March 2026
LA	SB 297	INSURANCE RATES: Provides a process for insurers to assert the right to prevent public inspection of certain filing information based on a claim of trade secret. (8/1/26) Trademarks, trade secrets and patents	In committee	9 March 2026
MA	H 1102	An Act protecting the use of bank names, trade names and trademarks in electronic communications Trademarks, trade secrets and	■ Passed committee	12 February 2026

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		patents Companion: MA HD 1995		
MA	H 1614	An Act relative to stop fraudulent representation of business against performers Right of publicity Companion: MA HD 1389	In committee	26 March 2026
MA	H 1615	An Act preventing an individual's image and voice from exploitation Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity Companion: MA HD 3987	In committee	26 March 2026
MA	H 1751	An Act concerning a right of publicity Right of publicity Companion: MA HD 3026	In committee	26 March 2026
MA	H 1930	An Act empowering student-athletes through NIL rights Student-athlete NIL Companion: MA HD 1789	In committee	26 March 2026
MA	H 2118†	An Act relative to noncompetition agreements in the Commonwealth Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	■ Passed committee	16 March 2026
MA	H 2170	An Act relating to protecting the interests of minor children featured on for-profit family vlogs Right of publicity Companion: MA HD 4048, MA S 144, MA SD 1722	■ Passed committee	22 December 2025
MA	H 401	An Act to protect innovation and entrepreneurship in the Commonwealth	■ Passed committee	14 August 2025

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		Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Patents and pharmaceutical exclusivity Companion: MA HD 1048		
MA	H 4832	An Act relative to the contracting of digital replicas Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	■ Passed committee	20 January 2026
MA	H 74	An Act relative to the contracting of digital replicas Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity Companion: MA HD 3986	In committee	24 December 2025
MA	HD 2111†	An Act relative to noncompetition agreements in the Commonwealth Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	Introduced	-
MA	HD 2356	An Act to ensure access to generic medication	Introduced	-
MA	HD 3668	An Act relative to the digital Coogan law Right of publicity	Introduced	-
MA	S 1336†	An Act relative to banning noncompetition agreements in the Commonwealth Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	■ Passed committee	22 December 2025
MA	S 1366†	An Act relative to non-compete agreements for veterinarians Noncompetes and restrictive covenants Companion: MA SD 1954	■ Passed committee	22 December 2025

State	Bill	Title	Current status	Last action
MA	S 32	Resolve relative to digital impersonation and exploitation Digital replicas and deepfakes Companion: MA SD 324	In committee	9 October 2025
MA	SD 895†	An Act relative to banning noncompetition agreements in the Commonwealth Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	Introduced	-
MD	HB 1016	Noncompete and Conflict of Interest Clauses - Licensed Architects - Employer Workforce Relocation and Out-of-State Employers Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	■ Enacted	28 April 2026
MD	HB 1288	Labor and Employment - Noncompete and Conflict of Interest Provisions Noncompetes and restrictive covenants Companion: MD SB 658	In committee	26 February 2025
MD	HB 1331	Consumer Protection - Artificial Intelligence	In committee	7 February 2025
MD	HB 1407	Commercial Law - Voice and Visual Likeness - Digital Replication Rights (Nurture Originals, Foster Art, and Keep Entertainment Safe Act - NO FAKES Act) Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity Companion: MD SB 1025	In committee	7 February 2025
MD	HB 1515	Labor and Employment - Noncompete and Conflict of Interest Clauses - Employer	Dead	9 March 2026

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		Relocation Noncompetes and restrictive covenants		
MD	HB 1528	Task Force to Study Student Athlete Name, Image, and Likeness Programs in Maryland - Establishment Student-athlete NIL	In committee	10 March 2025
MD	HB 663	Civil Actions - Sexual Deepfake Representations and Revenge Porn Digital replicas and deepfakes	In committee	17 February 2025
MD	HB 955	Forged Digital Likenesses - Distribution - Prohibition Digital replicas and deepfakes Companion: MD SB 362	Dead	17 February 2025
MD	HB 961	Commissioned Public Art - Artist Rights and Registration of Art Trademarks, trade secrets and patents Companion: MD SB 1006	■ Passed chamber	24 March 2025
MD	SB 41	Commissioned Public Art - Artist Rights and Registration of Art Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Copyright and music licensing	In committee	15 January 2026
MD	SB 8	Criminal Law - Identity Fraud - Artificial Intelligence and Deepfake Representations Digital replicas and deepfakes Companion: MD HB 184	■ Enacted	12 May 2026
MD	SB 900	Noncompete and Conflict of Interest Clauses - Licensed Architects - Employer	■ Passed chamber	11 April 2026

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		Workforce Relocation and Out-of-State Employers Noncompetes and restrictive covenants		
ME	LD 109	Resolve, Directing The Maine Arts Commission To Study Federal And National Efforts To Protect Artists From Copyright Infringement By Artificial Intelligence Companies And Users And To Monitor Educational Use Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Copyright and music licensing	■ Enacted	11 January 2026
ME	LD 2200	An Act To Prohibit Noncompete Clauses For Health Care Professionals As Recommended By The Commission To Evaluate The Scope Of Regulatory Review And Oversight Over Health Care Transactions That Impact The Delivery Of Health Care Services In The State Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	■ Enacted	15 April 2026
ME	LD 732	An Act To Prohibit Copyrights For Works Of State Government Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Copyright and music licensing	Dead	28 May 2025
MI	HB 4040	Labor: fair employment practices; certain noncompete agreements; prohibit employers from requiring employees to enter	In committee	4 February 2025

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		into unless certain conditions are met. Amends sec. 4a of 1984 PA 274 (MCL 445.774a). Noncompetes and restrictive covenants		
MI	HB 4047	Civil procedure: civil actions; cause of action for media that falsely depicts an individual engaging in sexual conduct; provide for. Creates new act.	■ Enacted	26 August 2025
MI	HB 4514	Labor: fair employment practices; certain noncompete agreements for physicians; prohibit. Amends sec. 4a of 1984 PA 274 (MCL 445.774a). Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	22 May 2025
MI	HB 4643	Higher education: other; requirements regarding compensation of college athletes; modify. Amends title & secs. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 & 10 of 2020 PA 366 (MCL 390.1731 et seq.); adds secs. 7a, 8a, 12 & 13 & repeals secs. 9 & 11 of 2020 PA 366 (MCL 390.1739 & 390.1741). Student-athlete NIL	In committee	17 June 2025
MI	HB 6119	Labor: fair employment practices; certain noncompete agreements for physicians; prohibit. Amends sec. 4a of 1984 PA 274 (MCL 445.774a). Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	23 June 2026

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MI	HB 6150†	Trade: business regulation; use of an individual's name, likeness, voice, or image for purposes of trade; prohibit under certain circumstances. Creates new act. Right of publicity	In committee	1 July 2026
MI	HB 6206†	Higher education: other; name, image, and likeness contract regulations; provide for. Amends 2020 PA 366 (MCL 390.1731 - 390.1741) by adding sec. 6a. Student-athlete NIL	In committee	14 July 2026
MI	SB 1017	Higher education: other; name, image, and likeness contract regulations; provide for. Amends 2020 PA 366 (MCL 390.1731 - 390.1741) by adding sec. 6a. Student-athlete NIL	In committee	4 June 2026
MN	HF 4078	Cause of action established for misappropriation of an individual's name, likeness, or voice. Right of publicity	In committee	9 March 2026
MO	HB 1326†	Establishes standards in regard to covenants not to compete Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	15 May 2025
MO	HB 1818	Creates provisions relating to regulation of online content involving minors Companion: MO HB 2733	■ Passed committee	14 May 2026

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MO	HB 2184†	Prohibits noncompete clauses in physician employment contracts Noncompetes and restrictive covenants Companion: MO HB 2821	In committee	15 May 2026
MO	HB 2361	Establishes provisions relating to altered sexual depictions Digital replicas and deepfakes	■ Passed committee	26 February 2026
MO	HB 2862	Prohibits digital impersonation of a person and provides for injunctive relief Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	■ Passed committee	26 February 2026
MO	HB 3427†	Establishes standards in regards to covenants not to compete Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	15 May 2026
MO	HB 362	Creates the offense of and civil penalties for disclosure of intimate digital depictions Digital replicas and deepfakes	■ Passed committee	23 April 2025
MO	HB 448†	Prohibits noncompete clauses in physician employment contracts Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	15 May 2025
MO	SB 1117	Establishes provisions relating to the civil and criminal liability of disclosure of digital depictions Digital replicas and deepfakes	■ Passed committee	4 February 2026

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MO	SB 1324	Creates regulations of artificially generated online content using artificial intelligence Digital replicas and deepfakes	Passed committee	25 March 2026
MO	SB 1502	Establishes the Missouri Consent and Likeness Protection Act, which provides requirements for contracts for the use of an individual's identifiable attributes Right of publicity	In committee	5 February 2026
MO	SB 1506	Establishes criminal and civil liability for altered sexual depictions of identifiable persons Digital replicas and deepfakes	In committee	5 February 2026
MO	SB 411	Establishes provisions relating to the civil and criminal liability of disclosure of intimate digital depictions Digital replicas and deepfakes	In committee	26 March 2025
MO	SB 756	Creates provisions relating to regulation of online content involving minors	In committee	27 March 2025
MP	HB 24-52	H. B. NO. 24-52: An Act to strengthen currect domestic and family violence laws to ensure the protections of women and children and to recognize and penalize digital and electronic harassment as acts of domestic and family violence; and for other purposes.	In committee	18 August 2025

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MS	HB 1400	"Mississippi High School Student-Athlete NIL Protection Act"; enact. Student-athlete NIL	In committee	3 February 2026
MS	HB 1504	Mississippians' Right to Name, Likeness and Voice Act; enact. Right of publicity	In committee	3 February 2026
MS	HB 500	Contracts; noncompete provisions in health care provider contracts are void and unenforceable. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	3 February 2026
MS	HB 806	Contracts; noncompete provisions in health care provider contracts are void and unenforceable. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	4 February 2025
MS	SB 2044	Mississippi Intercollegiate Athletics Compensation and Publicity Rights Act; amend concerning confidentially. Right of publicity, Student-athlete NIL	■ Passed chamber	3 March 2026
MS	SB 2046	Mississippians' Right to Name, Likeness and Voice Act; enact. Right of publicity	■ Passed chamber	3 March 2026
MS	SB 2220	Mississippians' Right to Name, Likeness and Voice Act; enact. Right of publicity	■ Passed chamber	4 March 2025

State	Bill	Title	Current status	Last action
MS	SB 2437	"Prohibition of Exploitation by Deepfakes Act"; enact. Digital replicas and deepfakes	In committee	4 February 2025
MS	SB 2517	"MS Intercollegiate Athletics Compensation Rights Act" and "Uniform Athletes Agent Act"; bring forward. Student-athlete NIL	Enacted	23 April 2025
MS	SB 2606	Financial literacy and NIL education; require for certain student-athletes. Student-athlete NIL	In committee	3 February 2026
MS	SB 2693	Mississippi Social Media Fraud Accountability and Consumer Protection Act; enact.	In committee	3 February 2026
MS	SB 2787	Bad faith assertions of patent infringement; repeal repealer on. Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Patents and pharmaceutical exclusivity Companion: MS HB 957	Enacted	24 March 2025
MS	SB 2796	Ensuring Likeness Voice and Image Security Act; enact. Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity Companion: MS HB 768	Passed committee	13 February 2025
MT	HB 392	Generally revise laws related to creation of profitable family video content featuring minor children Right of publicity	Enacted	16 May 2025
MT	HB 513	Revise laws related to use of name, voice, and likeness of individuals and penalties for	Enacted	19 May 2025

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		unauthorized use Right of publicity		
MT	LC 1917	Remove prohibition on certain compensation for collegiate student-athlete's name/image/likeness Student-athlete NIL	Introduced	4 February 2025
MT	LC 2182	Revise contract laws relating to student athletes Student-athlete NIL	Introduced	24 February 2025
MT	LC 299	Generally revise laws related to creation of profitable family video content featuring minor children	Introduced	4 February 2025
MT	LC 3972	Criminalize use of real and digitally fabricated sexually explicit images Digital replicas and deepfakes	Introduced	13 February 2025
MT	LC 3983	Revise laws related to use of name, voice, and likeness of individuals and penalties for unauthorized use Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	Introduced	13 February 2025
MT	SB 271	Remove prohibition on certain compensation for collegiate student-athlete's name/image/likeness Student-athlete NIL Companion: MT SB 482	■ Enacted	8 May 2025
NC	HB 375	Artificial Intelligence/Ban Deceptive Ads. Digital replicas and deepfakes	In committee	13 March 2025
NC	HB 378	Various Education Law/Tax Account/Name, Image, and	■ Enacted	1 July 2025

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		Likeness Changes. Student-athlete NIL		
NC	SB 229	College Sports Updates. Student-athlete NIL	■ Passed chamber	6 May 2026
NC	SB 738	Digital Content Provenance Initiative/Funds. Digital replicas and deepfakes	In committee	26 March 2025
ND	HB 1320†	A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 12.1-31 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to prohibiting deepfake videos and images; and to provide a penalty. Digital replicas and deepfakes	■ Passed committee	21 January 2025
ND	HB 1386	AN ACT to amend and reenact sections 12.1-27.2-01 and 12.1-27.2-04.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a prohibition on possessing certain computer-generated images; and to provide a penalty. Digital replicas and deepfakes	■ Enacted	24 April 2025
NE	LB 1046	Require school policies relating to name, image, and likeness rights for high school students Student-athlete NIL	Dead	17 April 2026
NE	LB 370	Change provisions of the Nebraska Student-Athlete Name, Image, or Likeness Rights Act Student-athlete NIL	Dead	17 April 2026

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NH	HB 1188	relative to noncompete agreements for low-wage employees. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	Dead	24 February 2026
NH	HB 312	relative to the right of intercollegiate student-athletes to earn compensation through the use of their name, image, or likeness. Student-athlete NIL	In committee	21 October 2026
NH	HB 386†	prohibiting nursing agencies from including non-compete clauses in contracts with health care entities. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	Dead	20 March 2025
NH	SB 186	relative to a portrait in the likeness of Senator Jeb Bradley at the state house.	Passed chamber	4 November 2025
NH	SB 402	eliminating certain non-compete agreements for physician associates. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	Enacted	21 July 2026
NJ	A 1359	Prohibits deepfake pornography and imposes criminal and civil penalties for non-consensual disclosure. Digital replicas and deepfakes Companion: NJ S 1159	In committee	13 January 2026
NJ	A 1510	Improves access to lower cost generic and biosimilar drugs and revises certain requirements regarding	Passed committee	4 June 2026

State	Bill	Title	Current status	Last action
		dispensing of biosimilar drugs by pharmacies.* Patents and pharmaceutical exclusivity		
NJ	A 1829	Prohibits non-compete clauses. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants Companion: NJ S 1407	In committee	13 January 2026
NJ	A 1892	Prohibits deepfake pornography and imposes criminal and civil penalties for non-consensual disclosure. Digital replicas and deepfakes	In committee	4 March 2024
NJ	A 2736	Updates certain crimes to include nonconsensual pornographic deepfake threats and disclosure. Digital replicas and deepfakes Companion: NJ S 3303	In committee	13 January 2026
NJ	A 2819	Prohibits creation or disclosure of deceptive audio or visual media, known as "deepfakes," under certain circumstances. Digital replicas and deepfakes	In committee	9 January 2024
NJ	A 3065	Establishes civil right of action for misuse of individual's name, image, likeness, or voice. Right of publicity	In committee	13 January 2026
NJ	A 3540	Establishes criminal penalties for production or dissemination of deceptive audio or visual media, commonly known as	■ Enacted	2 April 2025

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		"deepfakes." Digital replicas and deepfakes		
NJ	A 3585	Prohibits and imposes criminal penalty on disclosure of certain intentionally deceptive audio or visual media within 90 days of election. Digital replicas and deepfakes Companion: NJ S 2129	In committee	13 January 2026
NJ	A 4480	Establishes civil right of action for misuse of individual's name, image, likeness, or voice. Right of publicity	In committee	6 June 2024
NJ	A 4851	Provides gross income tax exclusion for all compensation earned by college athletes for use of name, image, or likeness. Student-athlete NIL	In committee	4 May 2026
NJ	A 5088	"AI Likeness Protection Act"; concerns distributing realistic representation of individual's image, likeness, or voice created using generative artificial intelligence. Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity Companion: NJ S 4702	In committee	14 May 2026
NJ	A 5089	"AI Image Disclosure Act"; concerns disclosure of certain AI-generated content. Digital replicas and deepfakes Companion: NJ S 4700	In committee	14 May 2026
NJ	A 5708	Prohibits non-compete clauses.	In committee	4 December 2025

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		Noncompetes and restrictive covenants Companion: NJ S 4385		
NJ	A 5729	Establishes protections for student-athletes and certain institutions of higher education concerning name, image, or likeness compensation; repeals "New Jersey Fair Play Act." Student-athlete NIL	■ Passed committee	30 June 2025
NJ	A 770	Requires certain disclosures of intentionally deceptive audio or visual media. Digital replicas and deepfakes	In committee	13 January 2026
NJ	S 1192	Excludes from gross income tax certain compensation earned by college athletes for use of name, image, or likeness. Student-athlete NIL	In committee	13 January 2026
NJ	S 2544	Establishes criminal penalties for production or dissemination of deceptive audio or visual media, commonly known as "deepfakes." Digital replicas and deepfakes	■ Passed committee	30 January 2025
NJ	S 3276	Prohibits contracts for student-athlete's name, image, or likeness from remaining in effect beyond the date the student-athlete is no longer eligible to participate in intercollegiate athletics. Student-athlete NIL	In committee	2 February 2026

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NJ	S 329	Extends crime of identity theft to include fraudulent impersonation or false depiction by means of artificial intelligence or deepfake technology. Digital replicas and deepfakes	In committee	13 January 2026
NJ	S 3305	Prohibits creation or disclosure of deceptive audio or visual media, known as "deepfakes," under certain circumstances. Digital replicas and deepfakes	In committee	2 February 2026
NJ	S 4222	Improves access to lower-cost generic and biosimilar drugs. Patents and pharmaceutical exclusivity	In committee	14 May 2026
NJ	S 4386	Prohibits non-compete clauses and no-poach agreements. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	19 May 2025
NJ	S 4439	Establishes protections for student-athletes and certain institutions of higher education concerning name, image, or likeness compensation; repeals "New Jersey Fair Play Act." Student-athlete NIL	■ Enacted	22 July 2025
NJ	S 4542	Excludes from gross income tax certain compensation earned by college athletes for use of name, image, or likeness. Student-athlete NIL	In committee	2 June 2025

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NM	HB 141	ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE ACCOUNTABILITY ACT	Introduced	24 March 2026
NM	HB 212	VOICE & VISUAL LIKENESS RIGHTS ACT Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	Introduced	24 March 2026
NM	HB 221	VOICE & VISUAL LIKENESS RIGHTS ACT Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	■ Passed committee	3 June 2025
NM	HB 335	CONFIDENTIAL STUDENT ATHLETE NIL INFO Student-athlete NIL	Dead	24 March 2026
NM	HB 401	A.I. SYNTHETIC CONTENT ACCOUNTABILITY ACT Digital replicas and deepfakes	In committee	3 June 2025
NM	SB 439	DECEPTIVE FRANCHISE PRACTICES ACT	In committee	3 June 2025
NV	SB 293	Revises provisions relating to intercollegiate athletics. (BDR 34-1088) Student-athlete NIL	■ Enacted	6 June 2025
NV	SB 332†	Prohibits the making of a bad-faith claim or assertion of copyright infringement. (BDR 52-699) Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Copyright and music licensing	In committee	12 April 2025
NY	A 10110	Relates to a personal right of publicity Right of publicity	In committee	2 February 2026

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NY	A 10964	Relates to student-athlete name, image, and likeness compensation Student-athlete NIL Companion: NY S 10289	In committee	14 April 2026
NY	A 10981	Prohibits non-compete agreements for certain medical professionals Noncompetes and restrictive covenants Companion: NY S 9228	In committee	29 April 2026
NY	A 11270	Enacts the "advancing rights for talent, independence, services and tenure (ARTIST) act" Right of publicity	In committee	4 May 2026
NY	A 11683†	Relates to audiovisual advertisements and synthetic performer disclosures and materially deceptive media disclosures in certain political communications Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	■ In committee	2 September 2026
NY	A 11717	Relates to compensation received by minor student-athletes from contracts for the use of a student-athlete's name, image and likeness Student-athlete NIL	■ In committee	16 September 2026
NY	A 1361	Relates to restrictive covenants between employers and employees with respect to agreements not to compete Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	7 January 2026

State	Bill	Title	Current status	Last action
NY	A 1730	Provides for the seizure and forfeiture of vehicles, vessels and aircraft used in counterfeit goods Companion: NY S 5885	In committee	7 January 2026
NY	A 235	Relates to unauthorized depictions of public officials generated by artificial intelligence Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	In committee	7 January 2026
NY	A 380	Prohibits bad faith assertions of patent infringement Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Patents and pharmaceutical exclusivity	In committee	7 January 2026
NY	A 3924	Relates to privacy rights involving digitization Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	In committee	7 January 2026
NY	A 395	Prohibits bad faith assertions of copyright infringement Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Copyright and music licensing	In committee	7 January 2026
NY	A 5008†	Relates to the ability of government agencies in New York to claim copyright protection Copyright and music licensing Companion: NY S 10193	In committee	23 April 2026
NY	A 7295	Relates to expanding the right of publicity Right of publicity Companion: NY S 10493	In committee	7 January 2026

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NY	A 7717†	Increases the trademark registration and renewal fee Trademarks, trade secrets and patents Companion: NY S 6615	In committee	7 January 2026
NY	A 7718†	Provides for remedies for trademark dilution Trademarks, trade secrets and patents Companion: NY S 6644	In committee	7 January 2026
NY	A 8105	Creates the uniform trade secrets act Trademarks, trade secrets and patents Companion: NY S 5336	In committee	7 January 2026
NY	A 8611	Clarifies the right of publicity Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	In committee	7 January 2026
NY	S 10722†	Prohibits healthcare non-compete agreements and certain restrictive covenants Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	■ In committee	16 October 2026
NY	S 3203	Preserves access to affordable drugs Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Patents and pharmaceutical exclusivity Companion: NY A 8576	■ Passed chamber	24 February 2026
NY	S 3990	Relates to establishing the offense of false pretense	In committee	15 June 2026
NY	S 4641	Prohibits non-compete agreements and certain restrictive covenants Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	■ Passed chamber	9 June 2025

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		Companion: NY A 10023, NY S 9759		
NY	S 5156	Establishes the "It's Your Data Act"	In committee	7 January 2026
NY	S 6616	Increases the remedy for trademark counterfeiting Trademarks, trade secrets and patents	In committee	7 January 2026
NY	S 825	Establishes protections for minors who are featured in compensated video content Right of publicity Companion: NY A 774	Passed chamber	1 June 2026
NY	S 8391	Relates to the right of publicity Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity Companion: NY A 8882	Enacted	11 December 2025
NY	S 8420	Relates to requiring advertisements to disclose the use of a synthetic performer Digital replicas and deepfakes Companion: NY A 606, NY A 8887, NY S 1228	Enacted	11 December 2025
NY	S 8721	Establishes privacy and publicity rights for likenesses altered using artificial intelligence Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	In committee	7 January 2026
OH	HB 184	Prescribe limitations on intercollegiate athlete contracts Student-athlete NIL	Enacted	20 March 2026

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OH	HB 185	Regards an individual's persona usage; prohibit certain deepfakes Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	In committee	26 March 2025
OH	HB 745	Enact Student-Athlete Publicity Rights and Fair Compensation Act Right of publicity, Student-athlete NIL	In committee	18 March 2026
OH	SB 163	Regards AI images, simulated child porn, replica identity fraud Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	■ Passed chamber	27 May 2026
OH	SB 301	Regards noncompete clauses in health care employment contracts Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	29 October 2025
OK	HB 1016	Labor; compensation for minors; Internet content; records; trust account; civil action; effective date. Right of publicity	■ Passed chamber	16 April 2026
OK	HB 1305	Student athletes; name, image, and likeness; financial literacy; emergency. Student-athlete NIL	■ Passed committee	12 February 2025
OK	HB 2216	Securities; Oklahoma Ensuring Likeness, Voice, and Image Security Act of 2025; property right; civil action; effective date. Right of publicity	In committee	4 February 2025

State	Bill	Title	Current status	Last action
OK	HB 3299	Crimes and punishments; creating and disseminating a digitization or synthetic media; making certain acts unlawful; emergency. Digital replicas and deepfakes	Passed committee	26 February 2026
OK	HB 3553†	Student athletes; Oklahoma Student Athlete Name, Image, and Likeness Rights Reform Act of 2026; effective date. Student-athlete NIL	In committee	3 February 2026
OK	SB 2085	Artificial intelligence; establishing certain rights; prohibiting certain actions by certain entities; requiring certain actions by certain entities. Effective date. Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	In committee	3 February 2026
OK	SB 490	Student Athlete Name, Image, and Likeness Rights Act; modifying terms and requirements for certain agreements between student athletes and postsecondary institutions or authorized third parties. Emergency. Student-athlete NIL	Enacted	5 May 2025
OK	SB 746	Artificial intelligence; requiring certain disclosure for certain media. Effective date. Digital replicas and deepfakes	In committee	4 February 2025
OK	SB 894	Artificial intelligence; prohibiting distribution of certain media and requiring certain disclosures. Effective	Passed committee	5 March 2025

State	Bill	Title	Current status	Last action
		date. Digital replicas and deepfakes		
OR	HB 2230	Relating to explicit digital forgeries. Digital replicas and deepfakes	In committee	28 June 2025
OR	HB 2648	Relating to student inventors. Trademarks, trade secrets and patents	In committee	28 June 2025
OR	HB 2823	Relating to patents for inventions in public high schools in this state. Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Patents and pharmaceutical exclusivity	In committee	28 June 2025
OR	SB 1139	Relating to noncompetition agreements. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants Companion: OR SB 468	In committee	28 June 2025
OR	SB 1193	Relating to compensation to student athletes. Student-athlete NIL	In committee	28 June 2025
PA	HB 2558	An Act prohibiting enforcement of covenants not to compete in broadcast employment agreements. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	■ Passed chamber	9 July 2026
PA	HB 811	An Act providing for civil liability for fraudulent misrepresentation of candidates; and imposing penalties.	■ Passed chamber	24 June 2025
PA	SB 142	An Act prohibiting enforcement of covenants	■ Passed committee	30 June 2026

State	Bill	Title	Current status	Last action
		not to compete in broadcast employment agreements. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants		
PA	SB 649	An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in forgery and fraudulent practices, providing for the offense of digital forgery. Digital replicas and deepfakes	■ Enacted	7 July 2025
RI	HB 5913	AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - - PRESERVING ACCESS TO AFFORDABLE DRUGS Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Patents and pharmaceutical exclusivity	Dead	11 March 2025
RI	HB 8060	AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - - IMPERSONATION AND IDENTITY FRAUD Digital replicas and deepfakes Companion: RI SB 3338	■ Enacted	23 June 2026
RI	SB 153	AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - - EMPLOYMENT OF CHILDREN - - VLOGS Right of publicity	Dead	11 February 2025
RI	SB 2160†	AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - - RHODE ISLAND NONCOMPETITION AGREEMENT ACT Noncompetes and restrictive covenants, Trademarks, trade secrets and patents	■ Passed chamber	1 April 2026

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RI	SB 302	AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - - RHODE ISLAND NONCOMPETITION AGREEMENT ACT Noncompetes and restrictive covenants, Trademarks, trade secrets and patents	Passed chamber	18 June 2025
SC	H 3273	Noncompete covenants Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	14 January 2025
SC	H 3326	Bad faith copyright infringement Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Copyright and music licensing	In committee	14 January 2025
SC	H 3404	Ensuring Likeness, Voice, and Image Security Act Right of publicity	In committee	14 January 2025
SC	H 4767	Physician Noncompete Contract Prohibition Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	Passed chamber	5 May 2026
SC	H 4902	Intercollegiate Athletes' Compensation for Name, Image, or Likeness Student-athlete NIL	Enacted	23 April 2026
SC	S 46	Healthcare contracts Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	14 January 2025

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SD	HB 1180	ensure the validity of non-compete agreements in the context of jointly owned business entities. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	■ Enacted	12 March 2026
SD	SB 41	revise a provision related to criminal invasions of privacy, prohibit the creation and distribution of digitally fabricated material of an identifiable individual, and provide penalties therefor. Digital replicas and deepfakes	■ Enacted	30 March 2026
TN	HB 1206†	Physicians and Surgeons - As introduced, increases from 10 to 30 business days, the period of time that must be included in a non-compete agreement between an employing entity and a physician regarding the time after which, if no agreement on the fair market value of the... Noncompetes and restrictive covenants Companion: TN SB 852	In committee	19 March 2025
TN	HB 1386	Education, Higher - As introduced, requires institutions of higher education to conduct various programs for intercollegiate athletes covering name, image, and likeness; authorizes institutions of higher education to collect talent fees; makes various other changes to...	In committee	21 January 2026

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		Student-athlete NIL Companion: TN SB 1419		
TN	HB 2041	Landlord and Tenant - As enacted, prohibits certain persons from publishing, transmitting, or broadcasting any video of the service of civil process related to an eviction proceeding without the express written permission of the individual being served with civil process...	■ Passed committee	6 April 2026
TN	HB 2330†	Personal Property - As introduced, extends from 10 to 100 years the initial statutory period of the postmortem right to commercial exploitation of a deceased individual's property rights in such individual's name, photograph, voice, or likeness by an executor, assignee, heir, or... Right of publicity Companion: TN SB 2655	Introduced	5 February 2026

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TN	HB 905†	Consumer Protection - As introduced, changes the definition of "definable group" for purposes of the Ensuring Likeness, Voice, and Image Security Act of 2024 to include a choral group rather than a glee club. - Amends TCA Title 47, Chapter 25, Part 11. Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity Companion: TN SB 947	In committee	8 April 2026
TN	SB 1346	Criminal Offenses - As enacted, creates a civil and criminal action for individuals who are the subject of an intimate digital depiction that is intentionally disclosed without the individual's consent under certain circumstances. - Amends TCA Title 28 and Title 39, Chapter 17. Digital replicas and deepfakes Companion: TN HB 1299	■ Enacted	15 May 2025
TN	SB 512	Consumer Protection - As enacted, prohibits persons from selling, offering for sale, or offering a free sample of counterfeit lighters and unsafe lighters. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 47. Companion: TN HB 343	■ Enacted	21 March 2025
TX	HB 126	Relating to the compensation and professional representation of prospective student athletes and student athletes participating in	■ Enacted	5 June 2025

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		intercollegiate athletic programs at certain institutions of higher education. Student-athlete NIL		
TX	HB 127	Relating to measures to protect institutions of higher education from foreign adversaries and to the prosecution of the criminal offense of theft of trade secrets; increasing a criminal penalty. Trademarks, trade secrets and patents	■ Enacted	20 June 2025
TX	HB 2907	Relating to the use by a landlord or landlord's manager or agent of a tenant's name or likeness for a commercial purpose. Right of publicity	In committee	19 March 2025
TX	HB 3220	Relating to the compensation and professional representation of prospective student athletes and student athletes participating in intercollegiate athletic programs at certain institutions of higher education. Student-athlete NIL Companion: TX SB 1817	In committee	20 March 2025
TX	HB 3694	Relating to the unlawful production or distribution of certain sexually explicit media and to the removal of certain intimate visual depictions published on online platforms without the	■ Passed chamber	19 May 2025

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		consent of the person depicted; increasing criminal penalties. Digital replicas and deepfakes		
TX	HB 3787	Relating to the sale and distribution of counterfeit or unsafe lighters; imposing a civil penalty. Trademarks, trade secrets and patents	Passed chamber	13 May 2025
TX	HB 3950	Relating to digital replication rights in the voice and visual likeness of individuals; providing private causes of action; authorizing a fee. Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	In committee	27 March 2025
TX	HB 4081	Relating to the sealing of certain documents alleged to contain trade secrets. Trademarks, trade secrets and patents	Enacted	20 June 2025
TX	HB 421	Relating to the creation of certain explicit deep fake material; providing a private cause of action. Digital replicas and deepfakes	Passed chamber	30 April 2025
TX	HB 5425	Relating to prohibiting certain nondisclosure or non-disparagement agreements by employers; creating a civil cause of action. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	7 April 2025
TX	HB 5517	Relating to sexually explicit artificially generated images	In committee	7 April 2025

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		and videos. Digital replicas and deepfakes		
TX	HB 5543†	Relating to creating a private cause of action for bad faith claims of patent infringement. Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Patents and pharmaceutical exclusivity	Dead	12 May 2025
TX	HB 783	Relating to civil liability for online impersonation. Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	■ Enacted	20 June 2025
TX	SB 1960	Relating to digital replication rights in the voice and visual likeness of individuals; providing private causes of action; authorizing a fee. Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	■ Passed chamber	21 May 2025
TX	SB 2030	Relating to prohibited student athlete name, image, and likeness agreements; providing injunctive relief and a civil penalty. Student-athlete NIL	In committee	17 March 2025
TX	SB 2430	Relating to measures to protect public institutions of higher education from foreign adversaries and to the prosecution of the criminal offense of theft of trade secrets; providing civil and administrative penalties; increasing a criminal penalty. Trademarks, trade secrets and patents	In committee	5 May 2025

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TX	SB 442	Relating to the prosecution and punishment of the offense of unlawful production or distribution of certain sexually explicit media; increasing a criminal penalty. Digital replicas and deepfakes	Passed chamber	26 May 2025
TX	SB 655	Relating to prohibited student athlete name, image, and likeness agreements; providing injunctive relief and a civil penalty. Student-athlete NIL	In committee	3 February 2025
TX	SB 893	Relating to criminal offenses for creating and distributing certain misleading images, audio recordings, and videos; creating a criminal offense. Digital replicas and deepfakes	Passed chamber	9 April 2025
US	H.R. 10025	Preventing Abuse of Digital Replicas Act Digital replicas and deepfakes	In committee	3 August 2026
US	H.R. 10094	Affordable Pricing for Taxpayer-Funded Prescription Drugs Act of 2026	In committee	13 August 2026
US	H.R. 10215	Workforce Mobility Act of 2026 Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	1 September 2026
US	H.R. 10364	American Copyright Protection Act of 2026 Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Copyright and music licensing	In committee	14 September 2026

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US	H.R. 1051	To amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to allow for the approval of an abbreviated new drug application submitted by a subsequent applicant in the case of a failure by a first applicant to commence commercial marketing within a certain period, and for other purposes. Patents and pharmaceutical exclusivity	In committee	6 February 2025
US	H.R. 10575	Deterring Extraterritorial Foreign Exploitation of Networks Damaging Intellectual Property (DEFEND IP) Act of 2026 Trademarks, trade secrets and patents	■ In committee	24 September 2026
US	H.R. 1204	Sue VOYEURS Act	In committee	11 February 2025
US	H.R. 1574	RESTORE Patent Rights Act of 2025 Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Patents and pharmaceutical exclusivity Companion: US S. 708	In committee	25 February 2025
US	H.R. 1941	Preventing Deepfakes of Intimate Images Act Digital replicas and deepfakes	In committee	6 March 2025
US	H.R. 2794	NO FAKES Act of 2025 Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity Companion: US S. 1367	In committee	9 April 2025

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US	H.R. 3152	Patent Eligibility Restoration Act of 2025 Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Patents and pharmaceutical exclusivity Companion: US S. 1546	In committee	1 May 2025
US	H.R. 3160	PREVAIL Act Trademarks, trade secrets and patents Companion: US S. 1553	In committee	1 May 2025
US	H.R. 3269	ETHIC Act Patents and pharmaceutical exclusivity Companion: US S. 2276	In committee	8 May 2025
US	H.R. 3539	Leadership in CET Act Companion: US S. 1833	In committee	21 May 2025
US	H.R. 3562	DEFIANCE Act of 2025	In committee	21 May 2025
US	H.R. 3847	Student-athlete Protections and Opportunities through Rights, Transparency, and Safety Act Student-athlete NIL	In committee	9 June 2025
US	H.R. 4009	Pro Codes Act Copyright and music licensing Companion: US H.R. 4072	In committee	13 June 2025
US	H.R. 4017	American Royalties Too Act of 2025 Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Copyright and music licensing	In committee	17 June 2025
US	H.R. 4312	SCORE Act	■ Passed committee	1 December 2025

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US	H.R. 4628	AI Impersonation Prevention Act of 2025 Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	In committee	23 July 2025
US	H.R. 4868	College Athlete Economic Freedom Act Student-athlete NIL Companion: US S. 2470	In committee	1 August 2025
US	H.R. 4930	To expand the sharing of information with respect to suspected violations of intellectual property rights in trade. Right of publicity, Trademarks, trade secrets and patents	■ Passed chamber	28 April 2026
US	H.R. 5664	Living Wage for Musicians Act of 2025 Copyright and music licensing	In committee	30 September 2025
US	H.R. 5811	Restoring America's Leadership in Innovation Act of 2025	In committee	24 October 2025
US	H.R. 5819	Balancing Incentives Act of 2025	In committee	24 October 2025
US	H.R. 633	TAKE IT DOWN Act	■ Passed committee	28 April 2025
US	H.R. 6350	College Athletics Reform Act Student-athlete NIL	In committee	2 December 2025
US	H.R. 6485	Skinny Labels, Big Savings Act Companion: US S. 43	In committee	5 December 2025
US	H.R. 6612	Defense Civilian Faculty Copyright Act of 2025 Trademarks, trade secrets and	In committee	11 December 2025

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		patents, Copyright and music licensing		
US	H.R. 7140	CLEAR Act Trademarks, trade secrets and patents	In committee	16 January 2026
US	H.R. 7209	TRAIN Act Copyright and music licensing Companion: US S. 2455	In committee	22 January 2026
US	H.R. 7403	No Foreign NIL Funds Act	In committee	5 February 2026
US	H.R. 7510	Preventing Research Ownership Transfer to External Competitive Threats (PROTECT) Act of 2026	In committee	11 February 2026
US	H.R. 7786	AI Fraud Accountability Act	In committee	4 March 2026
US	H.R. 7850	Farm Freedom to Repair Act	In committee	5 March 2026
US	H.R. 791	Foreign Anti-Digital Piracy Act Digital replicas and deepfakes, Copyright and music licensing	In committee	28 January 2025
US	H.R. 8323	SOUL Act of 2026	In committee	16 April 2026
US	H.R. 861	American Music Fairness Act of 2025 Copyright and music licensing Companion: US S. 326	In committee	31 January 2025
US	H.R. 890	Stopping Pharma's Ripoffs and Drug Savings For All Act	In committee	31 January 2025
US	H.R. 8915	NO FAKES Act of 2026 Digital replicas and deepfakes,	In committee	20 May 2026

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		Right of publicity		
US	H.R. 8994	Protect Working Musicians Act of 2026 Right of publicity, Copyright and music licensing Companion: US H.R. 9253	In committee	21 May 2026
US	H.R. 9112	CREATOR Act Copyright and music licensing	In committee	2 June 2026
US	H.R. 9142	Prohibiting Adversarial Patents Act of 2026 Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Patents and pharmaceutical exclusivity	In committee	4 June 2026
US	H.R. 9143	Foreign Adversary Patent Disclosure Act Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Patents and pharmaceutical exclusivity	In committee	4 June 2026
US	H.R. 9922	AI Transparency in Elections Act of 2026	In committee	23 July 2026
US	S. 1040	Drug Competition Enhancement Act	■ Passed committee	10 April 2025
US	S. 1041	Affordable Prescriptions for Patients Act	■ Passed chamber	21 July 2026
US	S. 1096	Preserve Access to Affordable Generics and Biosimilars Act Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Patents and pharmaceutical exclusivity	■ Passed committee	10 April 2025
US	S. 1097	Interagency Patent Coordination and Improvement Act of 2025 Trademarks, trade secrets and	■ Passed committee	10 April 2025

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		patents, Patents and pharmaceutical exclusivity Companion: US H.R. 4570		
US	S. 1396	Content Origin Protection and Integrity from Edited and Deepfaked Media Act of 2025 Digital replicas and deepfakes, Copyright and music licensing	In committee	9 April 2025
US	S. 146	TAKE IT DOWN Act	■ Enacted	20 May 2025
US	S. 1837	DEFIANCE Act of 2025	■ Passed chamber	13 January 2026
US	S. 2031	Workforce Mobility Act of 2025 Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	In committee	11 June 2025
US	S. 2658	Medication Affordability and Patent Integrity Act Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Patents and pharmaceutical exclusivity	■ Passed committee	28 July 2026
US	S. 2677	A bill to expand the sharing of information with respect to suspected violations of intellectual property rights in trade. Trademarks, trade secrets and patents	■ Passed chamber	10 August 2026
US	S. 2932	Student Athlete Fairness and Enforcement Act Student-athlete NIL	In committee	29 September 2025
US	S. 3134	Combating Counterfeit Pharmaceuticals Act of 2025	In committee	6 November 2025

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US	S. 3452	Biological Intellectual Property Protection Act of 2025 Trademarks, trade secrets and patents	In committee	11 December 2025
US	S. 3517	VACRA Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Copyright and music licensing	In committee	17 December 2025
US	S. 3525	American Franchise Act Trademarks, trade secrets and patents	In committee	19 March 2026
US	S. 3813	CLEAR Act Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Copyright and music licensing	In committee	10 February 2026
US	S. 3982	AI Fraud Accountability Act of 2026	In committee	4 March 2026
US	S. 4145	Pro Codes Act of 2026 Copyright and music licensing	In committee	19 March 2026
US	S. 4313	HUMBLE Presidents Act	In committee	16 April 2026
US	S. 4591	NO FAKES Act of 2026 Digital replicas and deepfakes	■ Passed committee	24 June 2026
US	S. 4668	Protect College Sports Act of 2026 Student-athlete NIL Companion: US H.R. 9137	■ Passed chamber	5 October 2026
US	S. 4695	CONSENT Act Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	In committee	8 June 2026

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US	S. 4902	PROTECT Act	In committee	24 June 2026
US	S. 5104	Fair Seeds for Farmers Act	In committee	23 July 2026
US	S. 5610†	Prohibiting Adversarial Patents Act of 2026 Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Patents and pharmaceutical exclusivity	In committee	30 September 2026
UT	HB 203	Non-Compete Amendments Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	Floor vote	7 March 2026
UT	HB 276	Artificial Intelligence Modifications	Enacted	24 March 2026
UT	HB 449	Student Athlete Amendments Student-athlete NIL	Passed chamber	8 March 2025
UT	SB 111	Veterinary Post-employment Amendments Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	Enacted	17 March 2026
UT	SB 256	Identity Protection Modifications Right of publicity	Enacted	26 March 2026
UT	SB 271	Unauthorized Artificial Intelligence Impersonation Amendments Digital replicas and deepfakes	Enacted	27 March 2025
VA	HB 1099	Student-athlete name, image, and likeness deal transparency; best practices, report. Student-athlete NIL	In committee	21 July 2026

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VA	HB 2374	Athlete agents; deregulation. Student-athlete NIL	In committee	5 February 2025
VA	HB 2462	Unauthorized use of name, portrait, etc.; digital replica, civil liability, statute of limitations. Digital replicas and deepfakes, Right of publicity	Passed chamber	22 February 2025
VA	HB 581	Unauthorized use of voice or likeness; punitive damages, statute of limitations. Right of publicity	Enacted	13 April 2026
VA	SB 128	Covenants not to compete; includes health care professionals, civil penalty. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	Vetoed	11 April 2026
VA	SB 1421	Unauthorized use of voice or likeness; punitive damages, statute of limitations. Right of publicity	In committee	29 January 2025
VA	SB 170†	Protection of employees; covenants not to compete, discharged employees. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	Enacted	13 April 2026
VA	SB 571†	Synthetic media; expands applicability of provisions related to defamation, etc., penalty. Digital replicas and deepfakes	In committee	19 November 2024
VA	SB 678†	Intercollegiate athletics; student-athletes, compensation and representation for name,	Passed committee	19 November 2024

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		image, etc. Student-athlete NIL		
VA	SB 753	Unauthorized use of voice or likeness; punitive damages, statute of limitations. Right of publicity	■ Enacted	13 April 2026
VA	SB 798	Retail franchise agreements; governing law, competition restrictions.	■ Passed chamber	18 February 2025
VA	SB 840	Child labor; child engaged in the work of content creation, trust account. Right of publicity	In committee	20 January 2025
VA	SB 998	Child labor; child engaged in the work of content creation, trust account. Right of publicity	■ Enacted	2 May 2025
VI	36-0298	To create rules and regulations for the use of artificial intelligence (AI). Resubmittal: 23-0553/35-306	Introduced	11 June 2026
VT	H 205	An act relating to agreements not to compete Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	■ Floor vote	13 March 2026
VT	H 334	An act relating to limiting employer restrictions on individuals separating from employment Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	Introduced	15 January 2026
VT	H 387†	An act relating to the creation of a property right for an individual's personal	Introduced	26 February 2025

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		characteristics Right of publicity		
VT	H 388†	An act relating to the protection of an individual's digital replica Digital replicas and deepfakes	Introduced	26 February 2025
VT	H 563	An act relating to a private right of action for unauthorized use of a person's likeness obtained near the immediate entrance of an essential care facility Right of publicity	Introduced	6 January 2026
WA	HB 1155	Prohibiting noncompetition agreements and clarifying nonsolicitation agreements. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants Companion: WA SB 5437	■ Enacted	23 March 2026
WA	HB 1205	Prohibiting the knowing distribution of a forged digital likeness. Digital replicas and deepfakes	■ Enacted	16 April 2025
WA	HB 1820	Protecting the interests of minor children featured on for-profit family vlogs. Right of publicity	In committee	12 January 2026
WA	SB 5886	Concerning forged digital likenesses. Digital replicas and deepfakes	■ Enacted	16 March 2026
WA	SB 6041	Updating personality rights protections. Right of publicity	In committee	27 January 2026
WI	AB 1034	Relating to: name, image, and likeness rights for University	■ Enacted	13 May 2026

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		of Wisconsin System student athletes; maintenance costs for University of Wisconsin–Madison intercollegiate athletic facilities; and making an appropriation. (FE) Student-athlete NIL		
WI	AB 567	Relating to: covenants not to compete in employment contracts. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	Dead	23 March 2026
WI	AB 675	Relating to: noncompete clauses for medical practitioners. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants Companion: WI SB 657	Dead	23 March 2026
WI	AB 884	Relating to: who may purchase certain contractual services and technical changes to tax provisions related to qualified retirement plans and the film production services credit. Companion: WI SB 880	■ Enacted	2 April 2026
WI	SB 1075	Relating to: name, image, and likeness rights for University of Wisconsin System student athletes; maintenance costs for University of Wisconsin–Madison intercollegiate athletic facilities; and making an appropriation. (FE) Student-athlete NIL	Dead	23 March 2026
WV	HB 2576	NIL Protection Act Student-athlete NIL	■ Enacted	30 July 2025

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WV	HB 4257†	Relating to authorizing the Tax Department to promulgate a legislative rule relating to commercial patent incentives tax credits. Trademarks, trade secrets and patents, Patents and pharmaceutical exclusivity	In committee	14 January 2026
WV	HB 4496	To force any media/internet creator providing artificial intelligence created videos to have an identifying marker that allows viewers to know that the video is not real. Digital replicas and deepfakes	In committee	19 January 2026
WV	HB 5178	To provide asset preservation for minors who earn income from artistic or creative services for us of their name, image, or likeness Right of publicity	In committee	4 February 2026
WV	HB 5548	Stop Non-Consensual Distribution of Intimate Deep Fake Media Act Digital replicas and deepfakes Companion: WV SB 454	In committee	16 February 2026
WV	SB 170	Stop Non-Consensual Distribution of Intimate Deep Fake Media Act Digital replicas and deepfakes	In committee	12 February 2025
WV	SB 647	Authorizing higher education institutions to enter into agreements relating to student-athlete's name, image, or likeness Student-athlete NIL	In committee	3 March 2025

State	Bill	Title	Current status	Last action
WY	SF 107	Noncompete agreements prohibited. Noncompetes and restrictive covenants	■ Enacted	19 March 2025

What this report could not read

On 2 November 2026, 12,484 bills in current sessions were held without their text: Montana 3,456, Illinois 715, Virginia 715, Puerto Rico 633, Congress 624, Kansas 618, Michigan 526, Missouri 461, Delaware 454, New Hampshire 450, Hawaii 436, Colorado 270, New Jersey 254, Nevada 247, Mississippi 215, Massachusetts 212, Rhode Island 197, Northern Mariana Islands 194, Arizona 184, Guam 159, Utah 153, US Virgin Islands 148, West Virginia 143, New York 115, Iowa 112, Ohio 105, North Dakota 96, Maine 82, California 78, Kentucky 58, South Carolina 52, Georgia 43, Louisiana 40, North Carolina 39, Nebraska 32, Oklahoma 31, Minnesota 23, Wisconsin 20, New Mexico 16, Tennessee 16, Oregon 13, Florida 12, Alaska 11, Maryland 4, South Dakota 4, Washington 4, District of Columbia 3, Texas 3, Alabama 2, Idaho 2, Pennsylvania 2, Vermont 2. They are matched on their titles alone, so a bill on this topic whose title does not say so may be missing; check those legislatures directly.

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