

Rhode Island | AI Policy Overview

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Rhode Island lawmakers have yet to prioritize artificial intelligence policies broadly. However, lawmakers enacted a [resolution](#) in 2023 requesting that the Department of Administration and the Office of Information Technology review and evaluate the use and development of artificial intelligence and automated decision systems and provide recommendations regarding ongoing and upcoming plans to expand their use and current security and implementation procedures.

In 2024, Governor McKee (D) issued an [executive order](#) establishing an AI Center of Excellence to promote AI policy and procedures and improve state operations. The order also establishes an AI Task Force to assess risks and opportunities and provides for the development of AI training and education opportunities.

Legislative & Regulatory History

- **2024** - Gov. McKee issued [Executive Order 24-06](#) on Feb. 29, 2024, establishing an AI Center of Excellence to promote AI policy and procedures and an AI Task Force to assess risks and opportunities.