

STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN SENATE

April 24, 2026

Introduced by Sen. JACKSON -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Education

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to updating the definition of cyberbullying in the dignity for all students act

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

- 1 Section 1. Subdivision 8 of section 11 of the education law, as added
2 by chapter 102 of the laws of 2012, is amended to read as follows:
3 8. "Cyberbullying" shall mean harassment or bullying as defined in
4 subdivision seven of this section, including paragraphs (a), (b), (c)
5 and (d) of such subdivision, where such harassment or bullying occurs
6 through any form of electronic communication. "Cyberbullying" shall
7 include, but not be limited to, intentionally using artificial intelli-
8 gence to mimic or alter a person's likeness or voice without their
9 consent.
10 § 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION--Matter in italics (underscored) is new; matter in brackets
[-] is old law to be omitted.

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