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## NY Legislative Scorecard 2025

Based on the Principles of the U.S. Constitution

★ Constitutional    ✗ Unconstitutional    ? Did not Vote    Vote

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**✗**

2. **S5059 Inmates and Welfare Benefits (Passed 45 to 13 on 6/10/2025).** Helps individuals leaving correctional facilities enroll in vital safety-net programs, such as SNAP, WIC, HEAP, public assistance, or Supplemental Security Income. **YES**  
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3. **S1026 Second Amendment Waiver (Passed 47 to 15 on 6/9/2025).** Introduces an optional self-imposed waiver allowing individuals to voluntarily give up their right to purchase firearms, rifles, or shotguns. **YES**  
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4. **S1529 Carbon Farming (Passed 61 to 0 on 5/6/2025).** Establishes a tax credit for farmers who adopt land-management practices aimed at maximizing carbon sequestration, such as those that store greenhouse gases in soil and vegetation using tools like USDA's COMET?Planner. **YES**  
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5. **S135 Taxpayer Abortion Support (Passed 39 to 20 on 1/21/2025).** Expands the state-funded "Reproductive Freedom and Equity Grant Program" to cover abortion-related access costs such as travel, lodging, meals, childcare, translation, and doula support. **YES**  
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6. **S88 Automatic Voter Registration (Passed 40 to 21 on 1/13/2025).** Establishes automatic voter registration (AVR) and pre-registration in New York. Individuals applying for eligible Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) documentation, as well as those applying for or re-enrolling in Medicaid, would automatically be registered or pre-registered to vote. **YES**  
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