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## NY Legislative Scorecard 2025: %

✓ Constitutional   ✗ Unconstitutional   — Did not Vote   **Vote**

**1. Speed Limiter:** Mandates that drivers who accumulate 11 or more points on their driving record within 24 months, or receive six speed-camera or red-light camera tickets in 12 months, must have an "intelligent speed assistance" device-also known as a "speed limiter"-installed in any vehicle they own or operate.

Constitutional: **No** · Cast: None · S04045 · 06/12/2025

**2. Inmates and Welfare Benefits:** Helps individuals leaving correctional facilities enroll in vital safety-net programs, such as SNAP, WIC, HEAP, public assistance, or Supplemental Security Income.

Constitutional: **No** · Cast: None · S05059 · 06/10/2025

**3. Second Amendment Waiver:** Introduces an optional self-imposed waiver allowing individuals to voluntarily give up their right to purchase firearms, rifles, or shotguns.

Constitutional: **No** · Cast: **Yes** · S01026 · 06/09/2025

**4. Carbon Farming:** 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.

Constitutional: **No** · Cast: None · S01529 · 05/06/2025

**5. Taxpayer Abortion Support:** 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.

Constitutional: **No** · Cast: None · S00135 · 01/21/2025

**6. Automatic Voter Registration:** 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.

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