

Art. 4 — AI literacy, as amended by the Digital Omnibus

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Article 4 (AI literacy) applies from 2 February 2025 under Article 113(a).

As amended by Regulation (EU) 2026/1744, paragraph 1 reads: "Providers and deployers of AI systems shall take measures to support the development of AI literacy of their staff and other persons dealing with the operation and use of AI systems on their behalf..."

Paragraph 2 (new): "The Commission and the Member States shall support and facilitate the efforts of providers and deployers of AI systems, in particular SMEs, in fulfilling their obligation under paragraph 1..."

Paragraph 3 (new): "The Board shall adopt recommendations, taking into account European competence frameworks, to support the Commission and Member States in the promotion of AI literacy..."

The pre-Omnibus text required providers and deployers to "ensure, to their best extent, a sufficient level of AI literacy" — an obligation of result. The amended text is an obligation of means, and clarifies that it does not require guaranteeing any specific level for any individual.