

Comment from Nicholas Bull

It is utterly irresponsible to replace physical mirrors with camera and screen setups. There are several reasons for this. First, this renders the driver unable to adequately view his/her surroundings in the nearly-inevitable event of a screen or camera malfunction. Second, in adverse weather conditions (particularly ice and snow) the view of the outside cameras and sensors will inevitably become reduced or eliminated. Clearing these multiple cameras will be considerably more difficult than scraping glass windows, especially if damage to the cameras is to be avoided. Finally, these sensor/screen systems will add yet another layer of expense and complication to new vehicles, placing them out of the reach of many less well-off Americans.

In summary, this is a bad idea, generated by technophiles who have little idea of the living conditions of ordinary Americans.