

# NordicTrack Owner Sues Peloton for Allegedly Stealing Bike Features

“The maker of NordicTrack and other in-home fitness brands has sued Peloton, claiming its cycling rival stole features for its newest stationary bike,” reports Jordan Valinsky in *CNN Business*.

“The lawsuit filed by Icon Health and Fitness on Thursday alleges patent infringement. Icon claims that two new features in Peloton’s Bike+ – a swiveling touchscreen and the bike automatically changing resistance during classes – were ‘developed and used by Icon well before Peloton.’”

“Icon said it has a patent pending on the swivel screen and hold a patent on the resistance feature, which Peloton calls “auto-follow.” Both features are used on Icon’s current line of products, which also includes iFit and FreeMotion brands that make several varieties of gym equipment including bikes and treadmills.”

*Read the article.*