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Proposed Committee Substitute by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability

1 A bill to be entitled 2 An act relating to a review under the Open Government 3 Sunset Review Act; amending s. 1004.4472, F.S., 4 relating to an exemption from the public-records law 5 provided for records held by the Florida Institute for 6 Human and Machine Cognition, Inc., or its subsidiary, 7 and an exemption from the public-meetings law provided 8 for portions of meetings of the institute or its 9 subsidiary at which confidential information is 10 presented or discussed; saving the exemptions from 11 repeal under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; 12 deleting provisions that provide for repeal of the 13 exemptions; providing an effective date. 14 15 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida: 16 17 Section 1. Section 1004.4472, Florida Statutes, is amended 18 to read:

19 1004.4472 Florida Institute for Human and Machine 20 Cognition, Inc.; public records exemption; public meetings 21 exemption.-

(1) For purposes of this section, the term:

23 (a) "Corporation" means the Florida Institute for Human and 24 <u>Machine Cognition, Inc.</u>

25 (b) "Subsidiary" means a subsidiary authorized and approved 26 by the corporation.

(2) The following information held by the corporation

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Florida Institute for Human and Machine Cognition, Inc., or its an authorized subsidiary of the corporation, is confidential and exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution:

32 (a) Material relating to methods of manufacture or 33 production, potential trade secrets, patentable material, actual trade secrets as defined in s. 688.002 or proprietary 34 35 information received, generated, ascertained, or discovered 36 during the course of research conducted by or through the 37 corporation or a subsidiary Florida Institute for Human and 38 Machine Cognition, Inc., and its subsidiaries, and business 39 transactions resulting from such research.

(b) Any information received by the corporation or a subsidiary from a person from another state or nation or the Federal Government which is otherwise exempt or confidential pursuant to the laws of that state or nation or pursuant to federal law.

45 (c) Any information received by the corporation or a
46 subsidiary in the performance of its duties and responsibilities
47 which is otherwise confidential and exempt by law.

(d) All identifying information of a donor or prospective donor to the corporation or a subsidiary who wishes to remain anonymous.

51 <u>(3)(2)</u> The corporation or its subsidiary shall permit any 52 governmental entity to inspect or copy confidential and exempt 53 information held by the corporation or its subsidiary which is 54 necessary for that governmental entity to perform its duties and 55 responsibilities. Any governmental entity that is permitted to 56 inspect or copy confidential and exempt information held by the

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57 corporation or a subsidiary shall maintain the confidential and 58 exempt status of that information.

59 <u>(4)(3)</u> That portion of a meeting of the corporation or a 60 subsidiary at which information is presented or discussed which 61 is confidential and exempt pursuant to subsection (1) is exempt 62 from s. 286.011 and s. 24(b), Art. I of the State Constitution.

(4) This section is subject to the Open Government Sunset
 Review Act in accordance with s. 119.15 and shall stand repealed
 on October 2, 2009, unless reviewed and saved from repeal

66 through reenactment by the Legislature.

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Section 2. This act shall take effect October 1, 2009.