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2	An act relating to a review under the Open Government
3	Sunset Review Act; amending s. 288.985, F.S., which
4	provides exemptions from public records and public
5	meetings requirements for certain records and meetings
6	of the Florida Defense Support Task Force; removing
7	the penalty; removing superfluous language; saving the
8	exemptions from repeal under the Open Government
9	Sunset Review Act; providing an effective date.
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11	Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:
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13	Section 1. Section 288.985, Florida Statutes, is amended to
14	read:
15	288.985 Exemptions from public records and public meetings
16	requirements
17	(1) The following records held by the Florida Defense
18	Support Task Force are exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a),
19	Art. I of the State Constitution:
20	(a) That portion of a record which relates to strengths and
21	weaknesses of military installations or military missions in
22	this state relative to the selection criteria for the
23	realignment and closure of military bases and missions under any
24	United States Department of Defense base realignment and closure
25	process.
26	(b) That portion of a record which relates to strengths and
27	weaknesses of military installations or military missions in
28	other states or territories and the vulnerability of such
29	installations or missions to base realignment or closure under

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30 the United States Department of Defense base realignment and 31 closure process, and any agreements or proposals to relocate or 32 realign military units and missions from other states or 33 territories.

34 (c) That portion of a record which relates to the state's 35 strategy to retain its military bases during any United States 36 Department of Defense base realignment and closure process and 37 any agreements or proposals to relocate or realign military 38 units and missions.

39 (2) (a) Meetings or portions of meetings of the Florida 40 Defense Support Task Force, or a workgroup of the task force, at 41 which records are presented or discussed <u>that</u> which are exempt 42 under subsection (1) are exempt from s. 286.011 and s. 24(b), 43 Art. I of the State Constitution.

44 <u>(b) (3)</u> Any records generated during those portions of 45 meetings <u>that</u> which are <u>exempt</u> closed to the public under 46 <u>paragraph (a)</u> subsection (2), including, but not limited to, 47 minutes, tape recordings, videotapes, digital recordings, 48 transcriptions, or notes, are exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 49 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution.

50 (4) Any person who willfully and knowingly violates this 51 section commits a misdemeanor of the first degree, punishable as 52 provided in s. 775.082 or s. 775.083.

53 (5) This section is subject to the Open Government Sunset 54 Review Act in accordance with s. 119.15 and shall stand repealed 55 on October 2, 2014, unless reviewed and saved from repeal 56 through reenactment by the Legislature.

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Section 2. This act shall take effect October 1, 2014.

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