

HB 7005

2019

1                                   A bill to be entitled  
2           An act relating to a review under the Open Government  
3           Sunset Review Act; amending s. 585.611, F.S., which  
4           provides a public record exemption for personal  
5           identifying information of a person employed by, under  
6           contract with, or volunteering for a public research  
7           facility that conducts animal research or is engaged  
8           in activities related to animal research; removing the  
9           scheduled repeal of the exemption; providing an  
10          effective date.

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12   Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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14          Section 1.   Section 585.611, Florida Statutes, is amended  
15          to read:

16          585.611   Animal research identifying information.—

17          (1)   Personal identifying information of a person employed  
18          by, under contract with, or volunteering for a public research  
19          facility, including a state university, that conducts animal  
20          research or is engaged in activities related to animal research,  
21          is exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Article I of the State  
22          Constitution, when such information is contained in the  
23          following records:

24          (a)   Animal records, including animal care and treatment  
25          records.

26 (b) Research protocols and approvals.

27 (c) Purchasing, funding, and billing records related to  
28 animal research or activities.

29 (d) Animal care and use committee records.

30 (e) Facility and laboratory records related to animal  
31 research or activities.

32 (2) This exemption applies to personal identifying  
33 information as described in subsection (1) held by a public  
34 research facility, including a state university, before, on, or  
35 after the effective date of this exemption.

36 ~~(3) This section is subject to the Open Government Sunset~~  
37 ~~Review Act in accordance with s. 119.15 and shall stand repealed~~  
38 ~~on October 2, 2019, unless reviewed and saved from repeal~~  
39 ~~through reenactment by the Legislature.~~

40 Section 2. This act shall take effect October 1, 2019.