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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED 1 AN ACT 2 relating to the disclosure of information with regard to artificial 3 intelligence. BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: 4 5 SECTION 1. Title 99, Business & Commerce Code, is amended by adding Chapter 2003 to read as follows: 6 CHAPTER 2003. DISCLOSURES RELATED TO ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE 7 Sec. 2003.001. DEFINITION. In this chapter, "artificial 8 9 intelligence" means a machine-based system that: (1) when given a set of objectives by an individual, 10 makes predictions, recommendations, or decisions that influence a 11 real or virtual environment; and 12 13 (2) uses inputs from an individual or machine to: 14 (A) perceive or interpret a real or virtual 15 environment; 16 (B) use automation to analyze a perception or interpretation of a real or virtual environment; or 17 18 (C) use models to infer or form opinions on information or a proposed action. 19 Sec. 2003.002. APPLICABILITY OF CHAPTER. (a) This chapter 20 21 applies only to a person who: 22 (1) uses artificial intelligence to provide services 23 to an individual in this state, including: (A) answering questions; 24

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1	(B) gathering information;
2	(C) summarizing information;
3	(D) generating textual, audio, or visual
4	material; or
5	(E) providing information to be used in
6	connection with a lending, underwriting, risk assessment,
7	investing, or hiring decision; and
8	(2) generated, or is more than 25 percent owned by a
9	person who generated, at least \$100 billion in total revenue,
10	including revenue generated by subsidiaries, according to
11	generally accepted accounting principles.
12	(b) Artificial intelligence is considered to be used to
13	provide a service to an individual under Subsection (a)(1)
14	regardless of whether the individual can directly access the
15	artificial intelligence.
16	Sec. 2003.003. DUTY TO DISCLOSE ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE
17	INFORMATION. (a) A person regulated by this chapter shall
18	disclose, on the person's Internet website or in another location
19	electronically accessible by an individual in this state:
20	(1) the name of each artificial intelligence model
21	used by the person;
22	(2) a brief description of the functions and purposes
23	of each model disclosed under Subdivision (1);
24	(3) to the best of the person's knowledge and belief,
25	the name of each public or private third party that has provided
26	input on an artificial intelligence model that the person has
27	<pre>implemented;</pre>

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1	(4) a description of the specific input provided by
2	each third party disclosed under Subdivision (3); and
3	(5) any changes made to an artificial intelligence
4	model based on input provided by a third party disclosed under
5	Subdivision (3).
6	(b) An individual who uses a service described by Section
7	2003.002(a)(1) who provides input on an artificial intelligence
8	model is not considered a third party for purposes of this section
9	if the individual's input was provided:
10	(1) in the individual's personal capacity; and
11	(2) based on the individual's own experience as a user
12	of that service.
13	Sec. 2003.004. DISCRIMINATION AND RETALIATION PROHIBITED.
14	<u>A person may not discipline, retaliate against, or otherwise</u>
15	discriminate against an individual who in good faith reports a
16	suspected violation of this chapter to the attorney general or any
17	other appropriate authority.
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1	under this chapter or enforcing a provision of this chapter.
2	(c) A report under Subsection (b) may be public or
3	confidential.
4	(d) The remedies under this section are cumulative of other
5	remedies provided by law.
6	SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2025.