

1                                   A bill to be entitled  
 2           An act relating to provenance of digital content;  
 3           creating s. 501.9741, F.S.; providing definitions;  
 4           requiring certain artificial intelligence providers to  
 5           make provenance data available through specified  
 6           options; requiring such providers to make provenance  
 7           readers available in a specified manner; requiring  
 8           certain social media platforms to retain and make  
 9           available certain provenance data; providing  
 10          applicability; providing that a violation constitutes  
 11          an unfair or deceptive act or practice; providing an  
 12          effective date.

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

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 16           **Section 1. Section 501.9741, Florida Statutes, is created**  
 17 **to read:**

18           501.9741 Provenance data of digital content.—

19           (1) As used in this section, the term:

20           (a) "Generative artificial intelligence" has the same  
 21 meaning as in s. 106.145(1).

22           (b) "Generative artificial intelligence model" means an  
 23 artificial intelligence system designed to generate new data or  
 24 content based on the patterns or structures of its training  
 25 data. The term does not include capabilities primarily intended

26 | for classifications, predictions, or labeling.

27 | (c) "Generative artificial intelligence provider" means an  
28 | organization that develops a generative artificial intelligence  
29 | tool that is publicly available.

30 | (d) "Generative artificial intelligence tool" means a  
31 | product or feature that provides the outputs from a generative  
32 | artificial intelligence model to end users.

33 | (e) "Provenance application tool" means a tool or online  
34 | service that allows users to apply provenance data.

35 | (f) "Provenance data" means information about the origin  
36 | of digital content and the history of modifications to such  
37 | content in a format that is compliant with widely adopted  
38 | guidelines or specifications promulgated by an established  
39 | standard-setting body. Provenance data must indicate whether  
40 | some or all of the content is synthetic content. If there is  
41 | synthetic content, the provenance data must identify the name of  
42 | the generative artificial intelligence provider whose generative  
43 | artificial intelligence tool generated the synthetic data.  
44 | Provenance data shall not include any personally identifying  
45 | information, unique device, system, or service information that  
46 | is reasonably capable of being associated with a particular  
47 | user, unless directed by the user.

48 | (g) "Provenance reader" means a tool or service that  
49 | allows users to view provenance data.

50 | (h) "Social media platform" means an online forum,

51 website, or application for which the primary function is to  
52 allow users to upload content or view content or activity of  
53 other users. The term does not include:

54 1. An online service, website, or application where the  
55 exclusive function is e-mail or direct messaging consisting of  
56 text, photographs, pictures, images, or videos shared only  
57 between the sender and the recipients, without displaying or  
58 posting publicly to other users not specifically identified as  
59 the recipients by the sender; or

60 2. An online service, website, or application, that  
61 consists primarily of news, sports, entertainment, or other  
62 information or content that is not user generated or uploaded  
63 but is preselected by the provider, and for which any chat,  
64 comments, or interactive functionality is incidental to,  
65 directly related to, or dependent on the provision of the  
66 content.

67 (i) "Synthetic content" means any visual or audio content  
68 that has been produced or modified by a generative artificial  
69 intelligence tool.

70 (2) A generative artificial intelligence provider shall:

71 (a) Make available a provenance application tool that  
72 enables the user to apply provenance data, either directly or  
73 through the use of third-party technology, to content that has  
74 been generated or modified to include synthetic content; or

75 (b) Apply provenance data, either directly or through the

76 use of third-party technology, to content that has been  
77 generated or modified to include synthetic content.

78 (3) A generative artificial intelligence provider subject  
79 to the requirements of subsection (2) shall also make available  
80 to the public for free, either directly or through the use of  
81 third-party technology, a provenance reader.

82 (4) A social media platform must retain all available  
83 provenance data of content uploaded to or posted on such  
84 platform, and make available to the users of the platform such  
85 provenance data in a readable format directly or through a  
86 conspicuous indicator that allows a user to access the  
87 provenance data or both. This requirement does not apply in  
88 cases of the user's removal of provenance data.

89 (5) A violation of this section constitutes an unfair or  
90 deceptive act or practice as specified in s. 501.204 and shall  
91 be exclusively enforced in a civil action by the Attorney  
92 General. The Department of Legal Affairs must notify the  
93 generative artificial intelligence provider or the social media  
94 platform of any suspected violation and allow the provider or  
95 platform 30 calendar days to cure the alleged violation before  
96 initiating enforcement action. This section does not create a  
97 private right of action.

98 **Section 2.** This act shall take effect July 1, 2026.