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1 A bill to be entitled 2 An act relating to the use of artificial intelligence 3 by governmental agencies to detect concealed firearms; creating s. 790.34, F.S.; providing definitions; 4 5 prohibiting a governmental agency or specified 6 contractors from using or contracting with any other 7 entities to use artificial intelligence to detect 8 concealed firearms in public places; providing 9 exceptions; providing a remedy; providing an effective 10 date. 11 12 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida: 13 14 Section 1. Section 790.34, Florida Statutes, is created to 15 read: 16 790.34 Prohibited use of artificial intelligence to detect 17 concealed firearms.-As used in this section, the term: 18 (1)19 "Governmental agency" means any state, county, local, (a) 20 or municipal governmental entity or any unit of local government 21 created or established by law. 22 "Public place" has the same meaning as in s. 876.11. (b) Except as provided in subsection (3), a governmental 23 24 agency may not use, or contract with any other entity to use,

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artificial intelligence in conjunction with any camera, video

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- (3) This section does not prohibit a governmental agency from using artificial intelligence, or contracting with any other entity to use artificial intelligence, to detect concealed firearms:
- (a) On the grounds or facilities of a school as defined in s. 790.115(2)(a).
 - (b) At any location listed in s. 790.06(12)(a).
- (4) An aggrieved party may seek injunctive relief against a governmental agency or other entity under contract with a governmental agency to prevent or remedy a violation of this section.
 - Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2025.