By: Button, et al. (Senate Sponsor - Johnson) H.B. No. 2788 (In the Senate - Received from the House May 6, 2025; May 7, 2025, read first time and referred to Committee on Economic 1-1 1**-**2 1**-**3 Development; May 14, 2025, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 5, Nays 0; May 14, 2025, sent to printer.) 1-4 1-5

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

1-7		Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-8	King	X			
1-9	Sparks	X			
1-10	Alvarado	X			
1-11	Johnson	X			•
1-12	Schwertner	X			

1-13 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED 1-14 AN ACT

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1-35 1-36 relating to the disclosure of certain fraud detection information obtained in the administration of the unemployment compensation system.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Subchapter F, Chapter 301, Labor Code, amended by adding Section 301.087 to read as follows:

Sec. 301.087. CERTAIN FRAUD DETECTION INFORMATION NOT PUBLIC INFORMATION. (a) In this section, "fraud detection PUBLIC INFORMATION. (a) In this section, "fraud detection information" means any information, including risk assessments, reports, data, protocols, technology specifications, manuals, instructions, investigative materials, crossmatches, mental impressions, and communications, that may reveal the methods or means by which the commission prevents, investigates, or evaluates fraud in its administration of Subtitle A.

(b) Fraud detection information is not public information

for purposes of Chapter 552, Government Code, and is excepted from the requirements of Section 552.021 of that code.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2025.

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