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To authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2025 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Community Management Account, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, and for other purposes.

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Mr. TURNER introduced the following bill; which was referred to the
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A BILL

To authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2025 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Community Management Account, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
 2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE; TABLE OF CONTENTS.**

4 (a) *SHORT TITLE.*—*This Act may be cited as the “In-*
 5 *telligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2025”.*

6 (b) *TABLE OF CONTENTS.*—*The table of contents for*
 7 *this Act is as follows:*

Sec. 1. Short title; table of contents.

Sec. 2. Definitions.

TITLE I—INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES

Sec. 101. Authorization of appropriations.

Sec. 102. Classified schedule of authorizations.

Sec. 103. Intelligence Community Management Account.

**TITLE II—CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY RETIREMENT AND
DISABILITY SYSTEM**

Sec. 201. Authorization of appropriations.

TITLE III—GENERAL INTELLIGENCE MATTERS

Sec. 301. Restriction on conduct of intelligence activities.

Sec. 302. Increase in employee compensation and benefits authorized by law.

Sec. 303. Statute of limitation for espionage offenses.

Sec. 304. Secure communication between Congress and intelligence community.

*Sec. 305. Commission to examine the national security and defense risks to the
United States posed by anomalous health incidents.*

**TITLE IV—MATTERS RELATING TO NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE
ENTERPRISE**

Subtitle A—Miscellaneous Authorities and Limitations

*Sec. 401. Congressional notifications and summaries of misconduct regarding em-
ployees within the intelligence community.*

*Sec. 402. Improvements to urgent concerns submitted to Inspectors General of the
Intelligence Community.*

*Sec. 403. Protection for individuals making authorized disclosures to Inspectors
General of elements of the intelligence community.*

*Sec. 404. Clarification of authority of certain Inspectors General to receive pro-
tected disclosures.*

Sec. 405. Codification of the National Intelligence Management Council.

*Sec. 406. Analyses and impact statements regarding proposed investment into the
United States.*

Sec. 407. Responsibilities and authorities of the Director of National Intelligence.

Sec. 408. Enabling intelligence community integration.

Sec. 409. Protection of intelligence sources and methods.

- Sec. 410. Department of Homeland Security intelligence support for State Governors.*
- Sec. 411. Authorization relating to certain intelligence and counterintelligence activities of Coast Guard.*
- Sec. 412. Requirements with respect to access of foreign nationals to Department of Energy National Laboratories.*
- Sec. 413. Formalized counterintelligence training for Department of Energy personnel.*
- Sec. 414. Federal Bureau of Investigation proactive cyber support.*
- Sec. 415. Requirements relating to confidential human source program of Federal Bureau of Investigation.*
- Sec. 416. Congressional notice of FBI counterintelligence investigations into individuals who hold or are candidates for Federal elected office.*
- Sec. 417. Intelligence Community Counterintelligence Office at the Department of Transportation.*
- Sec. 418. Ukraine lessons learned Working Group.*
- Sec. 419. Modification to waiver for post-service employment restrictions.*
- Sec. 420. Prohibition of funds for Intelligence Experts Group.*
- Sec. 421. Prohibition on availability of funds for certain activities of the Overt Human Intelligence and Open Source Intelligence Collection Programs of the Office of Intelligence and Analysis of the Department of Homeland Security.*
- Sec. 422. Limitation on availability of funds for the Office of the Director of National Intelligence pending submission of information regarding improvements relating to intelligence community staffing, details, and assignments.*

Subtitle B—Reports and Other Matters

- Sec. 431. Foreign malign influence interagency guidance.*
- Sec. 432. Foreign malign influence standard operating procedures.*
- Sec. 433. Intelligence support for certain executive branch departments and agencies.*
- Sec. 434. Intelligence community recruitment for certain security-cleared separating Military Members.*
- Sec. 435. Strategy to strengthen intelligence community recruitment efforts in the United States territories.*
- Sec. 436. Extension of requirement for annual report on strikes undertaken by the United States against terrorist targets outside areas of active hostilities.*
- Sec. 437. Advisability and feasibility study on updating intelligence sharing regulations.*
- Sec. 438. Budget transparency for open-source intelligence activities.*
- Sec. 439. Enhancing public-private sharing on manipulative adversary practices in critical mineral projects.*
- Sec. 440. Briefing on policies and procedures for addressing threats from known or suspected terrorists.*
- Sec. 441. Assessment on intelligence relationship between Egypt and Israel.*
- Sec. 442. Intelligence assessment of economic coercion by the People's Republic of China in the Indo-Pacific region and strategies to enhance the economic resilience of countries in the Indo-Pacific region.*
- Sec. 443. Report on the mission effect of civilian harm.*
- Sec. 444. Report on the economic outlook of China.*
- Sec. 445. Repeal of requirement with respect to assessments regarding the Northern Triangle and Mexico.*

*TITLE V—MATTERS RELATING TO DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE AND
OVERHEAD ARCHITECTURE*

- Sec. 501. Sense of Congress on the need for increased effort and resources in the field of geomatics.*
- Sec. 502. Department of Defense Senior Intelligence Oversight Official.*
- Sec. 503. Extension and modification of Department of Defense intelligence and counterintelligence expense authority.*
- Sec. 504. Authority of Army counterintelligence agents.*
- Sec. 505. Modifications to notification on the provision of Defense sensitive support.*
- Sec. 506. Revision of Secretary of Defense authority to engage in commercial activities as security for intelligence collection activities.*
- Sec. 507. Promulgating guidance related to certain Department of Defense contracts.*
- Sec. 508. Sense of Congress on Space Force acquisition workforce.*

*TITLE VI—MATTERS RELATING TO CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE
AGENCY*

- Sec. 601. Requirements for the Special Victim Investigator.*
- Sec. 602. Reserve for Contingencies notification requirement.*
- Sec. 603. Government Accountability Office study and report on modernization initiative of the Central Intelligence Agency.*

TITLE VII—MATTERS RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY AND INNOVATION

- Sec. 701. Sensitive compartmented information facility accreditation.*
- Sec. 702. Study of intelligence community research security.*
- Sec. 703. Report on biotechnology.*
- Sec. 704. Data with respect to timeliness of security clearance determinations.*
- Sec. 705. Data with respect to timeliness of polygraph examinations.*

1 SEC. 2. DEFINITIONS.

2 *In this Act:*

3 (1) *CONGRESSIONAL INTELLIGENCE COMMIT-*
4 *TEES.—The term “congressional intelligence commit-*
5 *tees” has the meaning given such term in section 3*
6 *of the National Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C.*
7 *3003).*

8 (2) *INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY.—The term “in-*
9 *telligence community” has the meaning given such*
10 *term in section 3 of the National Security Act of 1947*
11 *(50 U.S.C. 3003).*

1 **TITLE I—INTELLIGENCE**
2 **ACTIVITIES**

3 **SEC. 101. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

4 *Funds are hereby authorized to be appropriated for fis-*
5 *cal year 2025 for the conduct of the intelligence and intel-*
6 *ligence-related activities of the Federal Government.*

7 **SEC. 102. CLASSIFIED SCHEDULE OF AUTHORIZATIONS.**

8 *(a) SPECIFICATIONS OF AMOUNTS.—The amounts au-*
9 *thorized to be appropriated under section 101 for the con-*
10 *duct of the intelligence activities of the Federal Government*
11 *are those specified in the classified Schedule of Authoriza-*
12 *tions prepared to accompany this Act.*

13 *(b) AVAILABILITY OF CLASSIFIED SCHEDULE OF AU-*
14 *THORIZATIONS.—*

15 *(1) AVAILABILITY.—The classified Schedule of*
16 *Authorizations referred to in subsection (a) shall be*
17 *made available to the Committee on Appropriations*
18 *of the Senate, the Committee on Appropriations of the*
19 *House of Representatives, and to the President.*

20 *(2) DISTRIBUTION BY THE PRESIDENT.—Subject*
21 *to paragraph (3), the President shall provide for suit-*
22 *able distribution of the classified Schedule of Author-*
23 *izations referred to in subsection (a), or of appro-*
24 *priate portions of such Schedule, within the executive*
25 *branch of the Federal Government.*

1 (3) *LIMITS ON DISCLOSURE.*—*The President*
2 *shall not publicly disclose the classified Schedule of*
3 *Authorizations or any portion of such Schedule ex-*
4 *cept—*

5 *(A) as provided in section 601(a) of the Im-*
6 *plementing Recommendations of the 9/11 Com-*
7 *mission Act of 2007 (50 U.S.C. 3306(a));*

8 *(B) to the extent necessary to implement the*
9 *budget; or*

10 *(C) as otherwise required by law.*

11 **SEC. 103. INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY MANAGEMENT AC-**
12 **COUNT.**

13 (a) *AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.*—*There is*
14 *authorized to be appropriated for the Intelligence Commu-*
15 *nity Management Account of the Director of National Intel-*
16 *ligence for fiscal year 2025 the sum of \$650,000,000.*

17 (b) *CLASSIFIED AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIA-*
18 *TIONS.*—*In addition to amounts authorized to be appro-*
19 *priated for the Intelligence Community Management Ac-*
20 *count by subsection (a), there are authorized to be appro-*
21 *priated for the Intelligence Community Management Ac-*
22 *count for fiscal year 2025 such additional amounts as are*
23 *specified in the classified Schedule of Authorizations re-*
24 *ferred to in section 102(a).*

1 **TITLE II—CENTRAL INTEL-**
2 **LIGENCE AGENCY RETIRE-**
3 **MENT AND DISABILITY SYS-**
4 **TEM**

5 **SEC. 201. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

6 *There is authorized to be appropriated for the Central*
7 *Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability Fund*
8 *\$514,000,000 for fiscal year 2025.*

9 **TITLE III—GENERAL**
10 **INTELLIGENCE MATTERS**

11 **SEC. 301. RESTRICTION ON CONDUCT OF INTELLIGENCE**
12 **ACTIVITIES.**

13 *The authorization of appropriations by this Act shall*
14 *not be deemed to constitute authority for the conduct of any*
15 *intelligence activity which is not otherwise authorized by*
16 *the Constitution or the laws of the United States.*

17 **SEC. 302. INCREASE IN EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION AND**
18 **BENEFITS AUTHORIZED BY LAW.**

19 *Appropriations authorized by this Act for salary, pay,*
20 *retirement, and other benefits for Federal employees may*
21 *be increased by such additional or supplemental amounts*
22 *as may be necessary for increases in such compensation or*
23 *benefits authorized by law.*

1 **SEC. 303. STATUTE OF LIMITATION FOR ESPIONAGE OF-**
2 **FENSES.**

3 (a) *IN GENERAL.*—Chapter 213 of title 18, United
4 States Code, is amended by adding at the end the following:

5 **“§ 3302. Espionage offenses**

6 “An indictment may be found or an information may
7 be instituted at any time without limitation for—

8 “(1) a violation of section 951, or a conspiracy
9 to violate such section;

10 “(2) a violation of section 794, or a conspiracy
11 to violate such section; or

12 “(3) a violation of section 1425, if the offense
13 was committed to facilitate a violation of section
14 951.”.

15 (b) *CLERICAL AMENDMENT.*—The table of sections for
16 chapter 213 of title 18, United States Code, is amended by
17 adding at the end the following:

“3302. Espionage offenses.”.

18 (c) *CONFORMING AMENDMENT.*—Section 19 of the In-
19 ternal Security Act of 1950 (18 U.S.C. 792 note) is amend-
20 ed by striking “, 793, or 794” and inserting “or 793”.

21 **SEC. 304. SECURE COMMUNICATION BETWEEN CONGRESS**
22 **AND INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY.**

23 Section 102A of the National Security Act of 1947 (50
24 U.S.C. 3024) is amended by adding at the end the following
25 new subsection:

1 “(aa) *REQUIREMENTS WITH RESPECT TO SECURE*
2 *COMMUNICATION BETWEEN CONGRESS AND INTELLIGENCE*
3 *COMMUNITY.*—

4 “(1) *IN GENERAL.*—*The Director of National In-*
5 *telligence shall, upon the approval of specified con-*
6 *gressional leaders—*

7 “(A) *provide secure communications to sup-*
8 *port the oversight functions of the congressional*
9 *intelligence committees, including through the*
10 *procurement, installation, configuration, and*
11 *maintenance of sufficient software, connectivity,*
12 *information technology equipment, computers,*
13 *printers, and related peripheral equipment to en-*
14 *sure that such committees are able to commu-*
15 *nicate with the intelligence community through*
16 *secure data, voice, and video communications;*

17 “(B) *ensure that such communications en-*
18 *abled under subparagraph (A) facilitate commu-*
19 *nication at all classification levels;*

20 “(C) *ensure that the requirements specified*
21 *in subparagraph (A) are met in conformity with*
22 *applicable standards for the protection of na-*
23 *tional security information; and*

24 “(D) *ensure that any security limitations or*
25 *controls associated with use of capabilities pur-*

1 *suant to subparagraph (A) are consistent with*
2 *such limitations or controls imposed within the*
3 *executive branch and do not impede effective and*
4 *efficient oversight of the intelligence community*
5 *by Congress.*

6 “(2) *GOVERNANCE.—The Director, in coordina-*
7 *tion with specified congressional leaders, shall estab-*
8 *lish governance and security policies applicable to the*
9 *connectivity, equipment, and software provided under*
10 *this subsection and shall review and update such poli-*
11 *cies periodically, as appropriate, to address counter-*
12 *intelligence threats and technological changes.*

13 “(3) *TREATMENT AS CONGRESSIONAL*
14 *RECORDS.—Any data created, stored, or transmitted*
15 *by the congressional intelligence committees through*
16 *networks, equipment, or software provided under*
17 *paragraph (1) is a congressional record and shall not*
18 *be treated as an agency record for purposes of section*
19 *552 of title 5, United States Code, (commonly known*
20 *as the ‘the Freedom of Information Act’) or any other*
21 *law.*

22 “(4) *DOCUMENTATION OF COST.—The Director*
23 *shall document the funding required to satisfy this*
24 *subsection within each annual budget submission to*
25 *Congress, including any anticipated upgrades or re-*

1 *capitalization expenditures over the 5-year period*
2 *that begins on October 1 of the fiscal year for which*
3 *year-by-year proposed funding is included.*

4 “(5) *SPECIFIED CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS DE-*
5 *FINED.—In this subsection, the term ‘specified con-*
6 *gressional leaders’ means—*

7 “(A) *the Speaker and the minority leader of*
8 *the House of Representatives;*

9 “(B) *the majority leader and the minority*
10 *leader of the Senate; and*

11 “(C) *the Chair and Ranking Member of the*
12 *congressional intelligence committees.”.*

13 ***SEC. 305. COMMISSION TO EXAMINE THE NATIONAL SECU-***
14 ***RITY AND DEFENSE RISKS TO THE UNITED***
15 ***STATES POSED BY ANOMALOUS HEALTH INCI-***
16 ***DENTS.***

17 (a) *ESTABLISHMENT.—There is established, not later*
18 *than 45 days after the date of the enactment of this Act,*
19 *an independent commission to be known as the National*
20 *Security Commission on Anomalous Health Incidents (re-*
21 *ferred to in this section as the “Commission”) to review*
22 *anomalous health incidents affecting United States Govern-*
23 *ment personnel and their dependents for the purpose of com-*
24 *prehensively addressing the national security and defense*

1 *risks to the United States posed by anomalous health inci-*
2 *dents.*

3 (b) *MEMBERSHIP.*—

4 (1) *COMPOSITION.*—*The Commission shall be*
5 *composed of 9 members appointed as follows:*

6 (A) *The Director of National Intelligence*
7 *shall appoint 1 member.*

8 (B) *The Chair of the Permanent Select*
9 *Committee on Intelligence of the House of Rep-*
10 *resentatives shall appoint 1 member.*

11 (C) *The Ranking Member of the Permanent*
12 *Select Committee on Intelligence of the House of*
13 *Representatives shall appoint 1 member.*

14 (D) *The Chair of the Committee on Armed*
15 *Services of the House of Representatives shall ap-*
16 *point 1 member.*

17 (E) *The Ranking Member of the Committee*
18 *on Armed Services of the House of Representa-*
19 *tives shall appoint 1 member.*

20 (F) *The Chair of the Select Committee on*
21 *Intelligence of the Senate shall appoint 1 mem-*
22 *ber.*

23 (G) *The Vice Chair of the Select Committee*
24 *on Intelligence of the Senate shall appoint 1*
25 *member.*

1 (H) *The Chair of the Committee on Armed*
2 *Services of the Senate shall appoint 1 member.*

3 (I) *The Ranking Member of the Committee*
4 *on Armed Services of the Senate shall appoint 1*
5 *member.*

6 (2) *INITIAL APPOINTMENTS.—Members shall be*
7 *appointed to the Commission under paragraph (1)*
8 *not later than 30 days after the establishment of the*
9 *Commission under subsection (a).*

10 (3) *EFFECT OF LACK OF APPOINTMENT BY DEAD-*
11 *LINE.—If one or more appointments under paragraph*
12 *(1) is not made by the appointment date specified in*
13 *paragraph (2), the authority to make such appoint-*
14 *ment or appointments shall expire, and the number*
15 *of members of the Commission shall be reduced by the*
16 *number equal to the number of appointments so not*
17 *made.*

18 (4) *QUALIFICATIONS.—It is the sense of Congress*
19 *that each member of the Commission appointed under*
20 *paragraph (1) should—*

21 (A) *have significant professional experience*
22 *in national security, such as a position in—*

23 (i) *the intelligence community;*

24 (ii) *the Department of Defense;*

25 (iii) *the scientific community;*

1 (iv) a medical institution; or

2 (v) an academic or scholarly institu-
3 tion; and

4 (B) be eligible to receive the appropriate se-
5 curity clearance to effectively evaluate their du-
6 ties.

7 (5) *PROHIBITIONS.*—A member of the Commis-
8 sion appointed under paragraph (1) may not—

9 (A) be a current member of Congress;

10 (B) be a former member of Congress who
11 served in Congress after January 1, 2017;

12 (C) be a current or former registrant under
13 the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938 (22
14 U.S.C. 611 *et seq.*);

15 (D) have previously received medical treat-
16 ment for symptoms related to a suspected anom-
17 alous health incident, or have a dependent who
18 previously received medical treatment for symp-
19 toms related to a suspected anomalous health in-
20 cident; or

21 (E) have served, with direct involvement, in
22 actions by or sponsored by the executive branch
23 of the United States Government to investigate
24 or respond to reports of anomalous health inci-
25 dents.

1 (6) *CHAIR AND VICE CHAIR.*—*The Commission*
2 *shall select a Chair and a Vice Chair from among the*
3 *members of the Commission.*

4 (7) *TERMS.*—*Members shall be appointed for the*
5 *life of the Commission. A vacancy in the Commission*
6 *shall not affect its powers and shall be filled in the*
7 *same manner as the original appointment was made.*
8 *The Chair and Vice Chair shall report any vacancy*
9 *in the Commission to the appropriate congressional*
10 *committees immediately upon learning that there will*
11 *be a vacancy in the Commission.*

12 (8) *MEETINGS.*—

13 (A) *INITIAL MEETING.*—*Not later than 30*
14 *days after the date on which all members of the*
15 *Commission have been appointed, the Commis-*
16 *sion shall hold the first meeting of the Commis-*
17 *sion.*

18 (B) *FREQUENCY.*—*The Commission shall*
19 *meet at the call of the Chair and Vice Chair.*

20 (C) *QUORUM.*—*A majority of the members*
21 *of the Commission shall constitute a quorum, but*
22 *a lesser number of members may hold meetings.*

23 (c) *DUTIES.*—

24 (1) *IN GENERAL.*—*The Commission shall carry*
25 *out the review described in paragraph (2). In car-*

1 *rying out such review, the Commission shall consider*
2 *both the events known as anomalous health incidents*
3 *themselves, and the response to such incidents by the*
4 *United States Government and other nations' govern-*
5 *ments for the purpose of comprehensively addressing*
6 *the national security and defense risks to the United*
7 *States posed by the causes of, and responses to, anom-*
8 *alous health incidents.*

9 (2) *SCOPE OF THE REVIEW.*—*In conducting the*
10 *review under paragraph (1), the Commission shall*
11 *consider the following:*

12 (A) *A historical review of the United States*
13 *Government's response to anomalous health inci-*
14 *dents to identify a more effective, standardized*
15 *model that can be applied to complex challenges*
16 *to ensure all perspectives are fully and fairly*
17 *presented to policy makers, mitigate real or per-*
18 *ceived undue influence on analytical judgments,*
19 *and effectively gather and act on intelligence and*
20 *information to address complex national security*
21 *challenges.*

22 (B) *A historical review of the United States*
23 *Government's provision of support and medical*
24 *care to United States personnel and their de-*

1 *pendents impacted by anomalous health inci-*
2 *dents.*

3 *(C) Whether a review of all information on*
4 *collected reports of anomalous health incidents*
5 *can inform the development of a categorization*
6 *mechanism which can inform appropriate steps*
7 *to be taken following future reports.*

8 *(D) Whether available data points to the in-*
9 *volvement of an external actor in some or all re-*
10 *ported anomalous health incidents.*

11 *(E) Whether known or novel mechanisms an*
12 *adversary might use against United States per-*
13 *sonnel or their dependents might explain some or*
14 *all reported anomalous health incidents.*

15 *(F) Whether comparable information, data,*
16 *and reports on other intelligence questions led to*
17 *similar analytic judgments.*

18 *(G) Any other matters the Commission*
19 *deems relevant to the common defense of the Na-*
20 *tion.*

21 *(d) REPORTS.—*

22 *(1) INITIAL BRIEFING.—Not later than 180 days*
23 *after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Com-*
24 *mission shall brief the President, or the President's*
25 *designee, and the appropriate congressional commit-*

1 *tees on the progress of the activities of the Commis-*
2 *sion as of the date of such briefing.*

3 (2) *ANNUAL REPORT.—*

4 (A) *IN GENERAL.—Not later than 1 year*
5 *after the date of the initial meeting of the Com-*
6 *mission, and annually thereafter, the Commis-*
7 *sion shall submit to the President and the appro-*
8 *priate congressional committees a report describ-*
9 *ing the progress of the activities of the Commis-*
10 *sion as of the date of such report, including any*
11 *findings, recommendations, or lessons learned en-*
12 *dorsed by the Commission.*

13 (B) *BRIEFING.—On the date of the submis-*
14 *sion of each annual report required under this*
15 *paragraph, the Commission shall brief the Presi-*
16 *dent, or the President's designee, and the appro-*
17 *priate congressional committees.*

18 (3) *FINAL REPORT.—*

19 (A) *SUBMISSION.—Not later than 3 years*
20 *after the date of the establishment of the Com-*
21 *mission under subsection (a), the Commission*
22 *shall submit to the President and the appro-*
23 *priate congressional committees a final report on*
24 *the findings of the Commission and such rec-*
25 *ommendations that the Commission may have*

1 *for action by Congress and the Federal Govern-*
2 *ment, which shall address the following:*

3 *(i) Whether known or novel mecha-*
4 *nisms an adversary might use against*
5 *United States personnel or their dependents*
6 *might explain some or all reported anoma-*
7 *lous health incidents.*

8 *(ii) Whether available data points to*
9 *the involvement of an external actor in*
10 *some or all reported anomalous health inci-*
11 *dents.*

12 *(iii) Whether the United States Gov-*
13 *ernment's provision of support and medical*
14 *care is sufficient to appropriately address*
15 *the impacts of anomalous health incidents*
16 *on affected personnel.*

17 *(iv) Effectively structuring United*
18 *States Government responses to distinct,*
19 *complex national security issues such as re-*
20 *ports of anomalous health incidents.*

21 *(v) Research and development to im-*
22 *prove the medical response and potential*
23 *harm mitigation techniques for anomalous*
24 *health incidents.*

1 (vi) *How analytic integrity and struc-*
2 *tured analytical techniques impacted the*
3 *United States Government's response to*
4 *anomalous health incidents.*

5 (vii) *What the anomalous health inci-*
6 *dents situation says about the counterintel-*
7 *ligence posture of the United States Govern-*
8 *ment.*

9 (viii) *Future policy recommendations*
10 *for anomalous health incidents or other*
11 *health incidents with a potential counter-*
12 *intelligence nexus.*

13 (B) *ADDENDA.*—*Any member of the Com-*
14 *mission may submit an addendum to the report*
15 *required under subparagraph (A) setting forth*
16 *the separate views of such member with respect*
17 *to any matter considered by the Commission.*

18 (C) *BRIEFING.*—*On the date of the submis-*
19 *sion of the final report required under this para-*
20 *graph, the Commission shall brief the appro-*
21 *priate congressional committees.*

22 (4) *FORM OF REPORTS.*—*Reports submitted*
23 *under this subsection shall be made publicly available*
24 *but may include a classified annex.*

25 (e) *POWERS OF COMMISSION.*—

1 (1) *HEARINGS AND EVIDENCE.*—*The Commission*
2 *may, for the purpose of carrying out this section—*

3 (A) *hold such hearings and sit and act at*
4 *such times and places, take such testimony, re-*
5 *ceive such evidence, and administer such oaths*
6 *as the Commission considers necessary to fulfill*
7 *the Commission’s duties; and*

8 (B) *subject to paragraph (2)(A), require, by*
9 *subpoena or otherwise, the attendance and testi-*
10 *mony of such witnesses and the production of*
11 *such books, records, correspondence, cables,*
12 *memoranda, papers, documents, and any other*
13 *information as the Commission considers nec-*
14 *essary to fulfill the Commission’s duties.*

15 (2) *SUBPOENAS.*—

16 (A) *ISSUANCE.*—

17 (i) *IN GENERAL.*—*A subpoena may be*
18 *issued under this subsection only—*

19 (I) *by the agreement of the Chair*
20 *and the Vice Chair; or*

21 (II) *by the affirmative vote of a*
22 *majority of the Commission.*

23 (ii) *SIGNATURE.*—*Subject to clause*

24 (i)—

1 (I) subpoenas issued under this
2 subsection may be issued under the sig-
3 nature of the Chair and Vice Chair of
4 the Commission, or any member des-
5 ignated by a majority of the Commis-
6 sion; and

7 (II) subpoenas issued under this
8 subsection may be served by any per-
9 son designated by the Chair and Vice
10 Chair of the Commission, or by a
11 member designated by a majority of
12 the Commission.

13 (B) ENFORCEMENT.—

14 (i) IN GENERAL.—In the case of contu-
15 macy or failure to obey a subpoena issued
16 under this subsection, the United States dis-
17 trict court for the judicial district in which
18 the subpoenaed person resides, is served, or
19 may be found, or where the subpoena is re-
20 turnable, may issue an order requiring such
21 person to appear at any designated place to
22 testify or to produce documentary or other
23 evidence. Any failure to obey the order of
24 the court may be punished by the court as
25 a contempt of that court.

1 (ii) *ADDITIONAL ENFORCEMENT.*—*In*
2 *the case of any failure of any witness to*
3 *comply with any subpoena or to testify*
4 *when summoned under authority of this sec-*
5 *tion, the Commission may, by majority*
6 *vote, certify a statement of fact constituting*
7 *such failure to the appropriate United*
8 *States attorney, who may bring the matter*
9 *before the grand jury for its action, under*
10 *the same statutory authority and procedures*
11 *as if the United States attorney had re-*
12 *ceived a certification under sections 102*
13 *through 104 of the Revised Statutes of the*
14 *United States (2 U.S.C. 192 through 194).*

15 (C) *PRIVILEGE CLAIMS.*—*Claims of com-*
16 *mon-law privileges made by any witness are ap-*
17 *plicable only at the discretion of the Chair and*
18 *Vice Chair.*

19 (f) *INFORMATION FROM FEDERAL AGENCIES.*—

20 (1) *IN GENERAL.*—*The Commission is authorized*
21 *to secure directly from any executive department, bu-*
22 *reau, agency, board, commission, office, independent*
23 *establishment, or instrumentality of the Federal Gov-*
24 *ernment such books, records, correspondence, cables,*

1 *memoranda, papers, documents, and any other infor-*
2 *mation for the purposes of this section.*

3 (2) *COOPERATION.*—*In carrying out its duties,*
4 *the Commission shall receive the full and timely co-*
5 *operation of any executive department, bureau, agen-*
6 *cy, board, commission, office, independent establish-*
7 *ment, or instrumentality of the Federal Government*
8 *in providing the Commission with analysis, briefings,*
9 *and other information necessary for the fulfillment of*
10 *the Commission's duties.*

11 (3) *FURNISHING INFORMATION.*—*Upon receipt of*
12 *a written request made by the Chair and Vice Chair*
13 *of the Commission, or by vote of a majority of the*
14 *Commission, the head of the department, bureau,*
15 *agency, board, commission, office, independent estab-*
16 *lishment, or instrumentality of the Federal Govern-*
17 *ment shall expeditiously furnish such books, records,*
18 *correspondence, cables, memoranda, papers, docu-*
19 *ments, and any other information to the Commission.*
20 *Claims of common-law privileges made by any execu-*
21 *tive department, bureau, agency, board, commission,*
22 *office, independent establishment, or instrumentality*
23 *of the Federal Government are applicable only at the*
24 *discretion of the Chair and Vice Chair.*

1 (4) *RECEIPT, HANDLING, STORAGE, AND DIS-*
2 *SEMINATION.*—*Such books, records, correspondence,*
3 *cables, memoranda, papers, documents, and any other*
4 *information received by the Commission shall only be*
5 *received, handled, stored, and disseminated by mem-*
6 *bers of the Commission and its staff consistent with*
7 *all applicable statutes, regulations, and Executive or-*
8 *ders.*

9 (5) *PROTECTION OF CLASSIFIED INFORMATION.*—
10 *A department, bureau, agency, board, commission, of-*
11 *fice, independent establishment, or instrumentality of*
12 *the Federal Government shall respond to requests sub-*
13 *mitted pursuant to paragraph (2) in a manner con-*
14 *sistent with the protection of intelligence sources and*
15 *methods.*

16 (g) *SUPPORT FROM FEDERAL AGENCIES.*—

17 (1) *DIRECTOR OF NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE.*—
18 *The Director of National Intelligence shall provide to*
19 *the Commission, on a nonreimbursable basis, such ad-*
20 *ministrative services, funds, staff, facilities, and other*
21 *support services as are necessary for the performance*
22 *of the duties of the Commission under this section.*

23 (2) *SECRETARY OF DEFENSE.*—*The Secretary of*
24 *Defense may provide the Commission, on a nonreim-*
25 *bursable basis, with such administrative services,*

1 *staff, and other support services as the Commission*
2 *may request.*

3 (3) *OTHER DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES.—In*
4 *addition to the assistance set forth in paragraphs (1)*
5 *and (2), other departments and agencies of the United*
6 *States may provide the Commission such services,*
7 *funds, facilities, staff, and other support as such de-*
8 *partments and agencies consider advisable and as*
9 *may be authorized by law.*

10 (h) *TREATMENT OF INFORMATION RELATING TO NA-*
11 *TIONAL SECURITY.—*

12 (1) *IN GENERAL.—The Director of National In-*
13 *telligence shall assume responsibility for the handling*
14 *and disposition of any information related to the na-*
15 *tional security of the United States that is received,*
16 *considered, or used by the Commission under this sec-*
17 *tion.*

18 (2) *INFORMATION PROVIDED BY CONGRESSIONAL*
19 *INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEES.—Any information re-*
20 *lated to the national security of the United States*
21 *that is provided to the Commission by a congressional*
22 *intelligence committee may not be further provided or*
23 *released without the approval of the chairman of such*
24 *committee.*

1 (3) *ACCESS AFTER TERMINATION OF COMMISS-*
2 *SION.—Notwithstanding any other provision of law,*
3 *after the termination of the Commission under sub-*
4 *section (m), only the members and designated staff of*
5 *the appropriate congressional committees, the Direc-*
6 *tor of National Intelligence (and the designees of the*
7 *Director), and such other officials of the executive*
8 *branch of the Federal Government as the President*
9 *may designate shall have access to information re-*
10 *lated to the national security of the United States*
11 *that is received, considered, or used by the Commis-*
12 *sion.*

13 (i) *POSTAL SERVICES.—The Commission may use the*
14 *United States mail in the same manner and under the same*
15 *conditions as other departments and agencies of the Federal*
16 *Government.*

17 (j) *GIFTS.—No member or staff of the Commission*
18 *may receive a gift or benefit by reason of the service of such*
19 *member or staff on the Commission.*

20 (k) *COMMISSION PERSONNEL MATTER.—*

21 (1) *COMPENSATION OF MEMBERS.—*

22 (A) *NONGOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES.—Each*
23 *member of the Commission who is not otherwise*
24 *employed by the Federal Government shall be*
25 *compensated at a rate equal to the daily equiva-*

1 *lent of the annual rate of basic pay prescribed*
2 *for level IV of the Executive Schedule under sec-*
3 *tion 5315 of title 5, United States Code, for each*
4 *day (including travel time) during which the*
5 *member is engaged in the actual performance of*
6 *the duties of the Commission.*

7 *(B) GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES.—A member*
8 *of the Commission who is an officer or employee*
9 *of the Federal Government shall serve without*
10 *additional pay (or benefits in the nature of com-*
11 *ensation) for service as a member of the Com-*
12 *mission.*

13 *(2) TRAVEL EXPENSES.—A member of the Com-*
14 *mission shall be allowed travel expenses, including*
15 *per diem in lieu of subsistence, at rates authorized for*
16 *employees of agencies under subchapter I of chapter*
17 *57 of title 5, United States Code, while away from*
18 *their homes or regular places of business in the per-*
19 *formance of services for the Commission.*

20 *(3) STAFF.—*

21 *(A) APPOINTMENT AND COMPENSATION OF*
22 *STAFF.—The Chair and Vice Chair of the Com-*
23 *mission, in accordance with rules agreed upon*
24 *by the Commission, shall appoint and fix the*
25 *compensation of a staff director and such other*

1 *personnel as may be necessary to enable the*
2 *Commission to carry out its duties, without re-*
3 *gard to the provisions of title 5, United States*
4 *Code, governing appointments in the competitive*
5 *service, and without regard to the provisions of*
6 *chapter 51 and subchapter III of chapter 53 of*
7 *such title relating to classification and General*
8 *Schedule pay rates, except that no rate of pay*
9 *fixed under this subsection may exceed the equiv-*
10 *alent of that payable to a person occupying a po-*
11 *sition at level V of the Executive Schedule under*
12 *section 5316 of such title.*

13 *(B) SECURITY CLEARANCES.—All staff of*
14 *the Commission and all experts and consultants*
15 *employed by the Commission shall possess a se-*
16 *curity clearance in accordance with applicable*
17 *provisions of law concerning the handling of*
18 *classified information.*

19 *(4) DETAIL OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES.—A*
20 *Federal Government employee, with the appropriate*
21 *security clearance to conduct their duties, may be de-*
22 *tailed to the Commission without reimbursement, and*
23 *such detail shall be without interruption or loss of*
24 *civil service status or privilege.*

1 (5) *PROCUREMENT OF TEMPORARY AND INTER-*
2 *MITTENT SERVICES.*—*The Chair and Vice Chair of*
3 *the Commission may procure temporary and inter-*
4 *mittent services under section 3109(b) of title 5,*
5 *United States Code, at rates for individuals that do*
6 *not exceed the daily equivalent of the annual rate of*
7 *basic pay prescribed for level V of the Executive*
8 *Schedule under section 5316 of that title.*

9 (1) *FUNDING.*—

10 (1) *AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.*—
11 *There is authorized to be appropriated funds to the*
12 *extent and in such amounts as specifically provided*
13 *in advance in appropriations acts for the purposes*
14 *detailed in this section.*

15 (2) *AVAILABILITY IN GENERAL.*—*Subject to*
16 *paragraph (1), the Director of National Intelligence*
17 *shall make available to the Commission such amounts*
18 *as the Commission may require for purposes of the*
19 *activities of the Commission under this section.*

20 (3) *DURATION OF AVAILABILITY.*—*Amounts*
21 *made available to the Commission under paragraph*
22 *(2) shall remain available until expended or upon ter-*
23 *mination under subsection (m), whichever occurs*
24 *first.*

1 (m) *TERMINATION.*—*The Commission shall terminate*
2 *90 days after the date on which the Commission submits*
3 *the final report required under subsection (d)(3), but in no*
4 *event later than three years after the date of establishment*
5 *in subsection (a).*

6 (n) *APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES DE-*
7 *FINED.*—*In this section, the term “appropriate congres-*
8 *sional committees” means—*

9 (1) *the Permanent Select Committee on Intel-*
10 *ligence and the Committee on Armed Services of the*
11 *House of Representatives; and*

12 (2) *the Select Committee on Intelligence and the*
13 *Committee on Armed Services of the Senate.*

14 ***TITLE IV—MATTERS RELATING***
15 ***TO NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE***
16 ***ENTERPRISE***

17 ***Subtitle A—Miscellaneous***
18 ***Authorities and Limitations***

19 ***SEC. 401. CONGRESSIONAL NOTIFICATIONS AND SUM-***
20 ***MARIES OF MISCONDUCT REGARDING EM-***
21 ***PLOYEES WITHIN THE INTELLIGENCE COM-***
22 ***MUNITY.***

23 (a) *ANNUAL REPORTS FOR CALENDAR YEARS 2024,*
24 *2025, AND 2026.*—*Not later than 60 days after the end of*
25 *calendar years 2024, 2025, and 2026, the Director of Na-*

1 *tional Intelligence shall submit to the congressional intel-*
2 *ligence committees a report on civilian employees in the in-*
3 *telligence community placed on administrative leave pend-*
4 *ing possible adverse personnel action during that calendar*
5 *year.*

6 (b) *ELEMENTS.*—*Each report under subsection (a)*
7 *shall include, for the calendar year covered by the report,*
8 *the following:*

9 (1) *The total number of employees who were*
10 *placed on administrative leave pending possible ad-*
11 *verse personnel action, disaggregated by intelligence*
12 *community element and pay grade.*

13 (2) *The number of employees placed on paid ad-*
14 *ministrative leave pending possible adverse personnel*
15 *action.*

16 (3) *The number of employees placed on adminis-*
17 *trative leave pending possible adverse personnel ac-*
18 *tion whose leave has exceeded 365 days, disaggregated*
19 *by paid and unpaid status.*

20 (c) *NOTIFICATION OF REFERRAL TO DEPARTMENT OF*
21 *JUSTICE.*—*If a referral is made to the Department of Jus-*
22 *tice from any element of the intelligence community regard-*
23 *ing an allegation of misconduct against a civilian employee*
24 *of the intelligence community, the head of the element of*
25 *the intelligence community that employs the covered em-*

1 *ployee shall notify the congressional intelligence committees*
2 *of the referral not later than 10 days after the date on which*
3 *such referral is made.*

4 **SEC. 402. IMPROVEMENTS TO URGENT CONCERNS SUB-**
5 **MITTED TO INSPECTORS GENERAL OF THE**
6 **INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY.**

7 *(a) INSPECTOR GENERAL OF THE INTELLIGENCE COM-*
8 *MUNITY.—Section 103H(k)(5) of the National Security Act*
9 *of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 3033(k)(5)) is amended—*

10 *(1) in subparagraph (A), by inserting “in writ-*
11 *ing” before “to the Inspector General”;*

12 *(2) in subparagraph (B)—*

13 *(A) by striking “Not later than the end of*
14 *the 14-calendar-day period beginning on the date*
15 *of receipt from an employee of a complaint or*
16 *information under subparagraph (A), the” and*
17 *inserting “(i) The”;*

18 *(B) by striking “whether the complaint or*
19 *information” and inserting “whether a com-*
20 *plaint or information under subparagraph (A)”;*
21 *and*

22 *(C) by adding at the end the following:*

23 *“(ii) The Inspector General shall comply with clause*
24 *(i) with respect to a complaint or information under sub-*
25 *paragraph (A) not later than the end of the 14-calendar-*

1 *day period beginning on the date on which the employee*
2 *who reported the complaint or information confirms to the*
3 *Inspector General that the employee reported the complaint*
4 *or information to the Inspector General with the intent to*
5 *report to Congress the complaint or information.”; and*

6 (3) *by adding at the end the following:*

7 “(J) *In this paragraph, the term ‘employee’ includes*
8 *a former employee, if the complaint or information reported*
9 *under subparagraph (A) arises from or relates to the period*
10 *during which the former employee was an employee.”.*

11 (b) *INSPECTOR GENERAL OF THE CENTRAL INTEL-*
12 *LIGENCE AGENCY.—Section 17(d)(5) of the Central Intel-*
13 *ligence Agency Act of 1949 (50 U.S.C. 3517(d)(5)) is*
14 *amended—*

15 (1) *in subparagraph (A), by inserting “in writ-*
16 *ing” before “to the Inspector General”;*

17 (2) *in subparagraph (B)(i)—*

18 (A) *by striking “Not later than the end of*
19 *the 14-calendar day period beginning on the date*
20 *of receipt from an employee of a complaint or*
21 *information under subparagraph (A), the” and*
22 *inserting “The”; and*

23 (B) *by striking “whether the complaint or*
24 *information” and inserting “whether a com-*
25 *plaint or information under subparagraph (A)”;*

1 (3) in subparagraph (B)(ii), by striking “para-
2 graph (1)” and inserting “subparagraph (A)”;

3 (4) in subparagraph (B)—

4 (A) by redesignating clause (ii) as clause
5 (iii); and

6 (B) by inserting after clause (i) the fol-
7 lowing:

8 “(ii) The Inspector General shall comply with clause
9 (i) with respect to a complaint or information under sub-
10 paragraph (A) not later than the end of the 14-calendar-
11 day period beginning on the date on which the employee
12 who reported the complaint or information confirms to the
13 Inspector General that the employee reported the complaint
14 or information to the Inspector General with the intent to
15 report to Congress the complaint or information.”; and

16 (5) by adding at the end the following:

17 “(I) In this paragraph, the term ‘employee’
18 includes a former employee or former contractor,
19 if the complaint or information reported under
20 subparagraph (A) arises from or relates to the
21 period during which the former employee or
22 former contractor was an employee or contractor,
23 as the case may be.”.

1 (c) *INSPECTORS GENERAL OF OTHER ELEMENTS OF*
2 *THE INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY.*—Section 416 of title 5,
3 *United States Code, is amended—*

4 (1) *in subsection (a), by adding at the end the*
5 *following:*

6 “(3) *EMPLOYEE.*—*The term ‘employee’ includes*
7 *a former employee or former contractor, if the com-*
8 *plaint or information reported pursuant to this sec-*
9 *tion arises from or relates to the period during which*
10 *the former employee or former contractor was an em-*
11 *ployee or contractor, as the case may be.”;*

12 (2) *in subsection (b), by inserting “in writing”*
13 *after “may report the complaint or information” each*
14 *place it appears; and*

15 (3) *in subsection (c)—*

16 (A) *by redesignating paragraph (2) as*
17 *paragraph (3);*

18 (B) *in paragraph (1)—*

19 (i) *by striking “Not later than the end*
20 *of the 14-calendar day period beginning on*
21 *the date of receipt of an employee complaint*
22 *or information under subsection (b), the”*
23 *and inserting “The”; and*

24 (ii) *by striking “whether the complaint*
25 *or information” and inserting “whether a*

1 *complaint or information reported under*
2 *subsection (b)”; and*

3 *(C) by inserting after paragraph (1) the fol-*
4 *lowing:*

5 “(2) *DEADLINE FOR COMPLIANCE.*—*The Inspec-*
6 *tor General shall comply with paragraph (1) with re-*
7 *spect to a complaint or information reported under*
8 *subsection (b) not later than the end of the 14-cal-*
9 *endar-day period beginning on the date on which the*
10 *employee who reported the complaint or information*
11 *confirms to the Inspector General that the employee*
12 *reported the complaint or information to the Inspec-*
13 *tor General with the intent to report to Congress the*
14 *complaint or information.”.*

15 **SEC. 403. PROTECTION FOR INDIVIDUALS MAKING AUTHOR-**
16 **IZED DISCLOSURES TO INSPECTORS GEN-**
17 **ERAL OF ELEMENTS OF THE INTELLIGENCE**
18 **COMMUNITY.**

19 *(a) INSPECTOR GENERAL OF THE INTELLIGENCE COM-*
20 *MUNITY.*—*Section 103H(g)(3) of the National Security Act*
21 *of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 3033(g)(3)) is amended—*

22 *(1) by redesignating subparagraphs (A) and (B)*
23 *as clauses (i) and (ii), respectively;*

1 (2) by striking “The Inspector General is author-
2 ized” and inserting “(A) The Inspector General is au-
3 thorized”; and

4 (3) by adding at the end the following:

5 “(B)(i) An individual may disclose classified informa-
6 tion to the Inspector General in accordance with the appli-
7 cable security standards and procedures established under
8 section 102A or 803 of this Act, chapter 12 of the Atomic
9 Energy Act of 1954 (42 U.S.C. 2161 et seq.), Executive
10 Order 13526 (50 U.S.C. 3161 note; relating to Classified
11 National Security Information), or any applicable provi-
12 sion of law.

13 “(ii) A disclosure under clause (i) of classified infor-
14 mation by an individual without appropriate clearance or
15 authority to access such classified information at the time
16 of the disclosure shall be treated as an authorized disclosure
17 that does not violate a covered provision if the disclosure—

18 “(I) does not include the access, handling, reten-
19 tion, or storage of such classified information; and

20 “(II) is otherwise made in accordance with the
21 applicable security standards and procedures for such
22 classified information.

23 “(iii) In this subparagraph, the term ‘covered provi-
24 sion’ means—

1 “(I) any otherwise applicable nondisclosure
2 agreement;

3 “(II) any otherwise applicable regulation or
4 order issued under the authority of chapter 18 of the
5 Atomic Energy Act of 1954 (42 U.S.C. 2271 et seq.)
6 or Executive Order 13526;

7 “(III) section 798 of title 18, United States Code;
8 or

9 “(IV) any other provision of law with respect to
10 the unauthorized disclosure of national security infor-
11 mation.”.

12 (b) INSPECTOR GENERAL OF THE CENTRAL INTEL-
13 LIGENCE AGENCY.—Section 17(e)(3) of the Central Intel-
14 ligence Agency Act of 1949 (50 U.S.C. 3517(e)(3)) is
15 amended—

16 (1) by redesignating subparagraphs (A) and (B)
17 as clauses (i) and (ii), respectively;

18 (2) by striking “The Inspector General is author-
19 ized” and inserting “(A) The Inspector General is au-
20 thorized”; and

21 (3) by adding at the end the following:

22 “(B)(i) An individual may disclose classified informa-
23 tion to the Inspector General in accordance with the appli-
24 cable security standards and procedures established under
25 section 102A or 803 of the National Security Act of 1947

1 *(50 U.S.C. 3024, 3162a), chapter 12 of the Atomic Energy*
2 *Act of 1954 (42 U.S.C. 2161 et seq.), Executive Order 13526*
3 *(50 U.S.C. 3161 note; relating to Classified National Secu-*
4 *rity Information), or any applicable provision of law.*

5 *“(ii) A disclosure under clause (i) of classified infor-*
6 *mation by an individual without appropriate clearance or*
7 *authority to access such classified information at the time*
8 *of the disclosure shall be treated as an authorized disclosure*
9 *that does not violate a covered provision if the disclosure—*

10 *“(I) does not include the access, handling, reten-*
11 *tion, or storage of such classified information; and*

12 *“(II) is otherwise made in accordance with the*
13 *applicable security standards and procedures for such*
14 *classified information,*

15 *“(iii) In this subparagraph, the term ‘covered provi-*
16 *sion’ means—*

17 *“(I) any otherwise applicable nondisclosure*
18 *agreement;*

19 *“(II) any otherwise applicable regulation or*
20 *order issued under the authority of chapter 18 of the*
21 *Atomic Energy Act of 1954 (42 U.S.C. 2271 et seq.)*
22 *or Executive Order 13526;*

23 *“(III) section 798 of title 18, United States Code;*
24 *or*

1 “(IV) any other provision of law with respect to
2 the unauthorized disclosure of national security infor-
3 mation.”.

4 (c) *OTHER INSPECTORS GENERAL OF ELEMENTS OF*
5 *THE INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY.*—Section 416 of title 5,
6 *United States Code, is amended by adding at the end the*
7 *following:*

8 “(i) *PROTECTION FOR INDIVIDUALS MAKING AUTHOR-*
9 *IZED DISCLOSURES.*—

10 “(1) *IN GENERAL.*—An individual may disclose
11 *classified information to an Inspector General of an*
12 *element of the intelligence community in accordance*
13 *with the applicable security standards and procedures*
14 *established under section 102A or 803 of the National*
15 *Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 3024, 3162a), chap-*
16 *ter 12 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954 (42 U.S.C.*
17 *2161 et seq.), Executive Order 13526 (50 U.S.C. 3161*
18 *note; relating to Classified National Security Infor-*
19 *mation), or any applicable provision of law.*

20 “(2) *DISCLOSURE WITHOUT CLEARANCE OR AU-*
21 *THORITY.*—A disclosure under paragraph (1) of clas-
22 *sified information by an individual without appro-*
23 *priate clearance or authority to access such classified*
24 *information at the time of the disclosure shall be*

1 *treated as an authorized disclosure that does not vio-*
2 *late a covered provision if the disclosure—*

3 *“(A) does not include the access, handling,*
4 *retention, or storage of such classified informa-*
5 *tion; and*

6 *“(B) is otherwise made in accordance with*
7 *the applicable security standards and procedures*
8 *for such classified information.*

9 *“(3) DEFINITION OF COVERED PROVISION.—In*
10 *this subsection, the term ‘covered provision’ means—*

11 *“(A) any otherwise applicable nondisclosure*
12 *agreement;*

13 *“(B) any otherwise applicable regulation or*
14 *order issued under the authority of chapter 18 of*
15 *the Atomic Energy Act of 1954 (42 U.S.C. 2271*
16 *et seq.) or Executive Order 13526;*

17 *“(C) section 798 of title 18; or*

18 *“(D) any other provision of law with re-*
19 *spect to the unauthorized disclosure of national*
20 *security information.*

21 *“(4) DEFINITION.—In this subsection, the term*
22 *‘intelligence community’ has the meaning given such*
23 *term in section 3 of the National Security Act of 1947*
24 *(50 U.S.C. 3003).”.*

1 (d) *RULE OF CONSTRUCTION.*—Nothing in this sec-
2 tion, or the amendments made by this section, may be con-
3 strued to limit or modify the obligation of an individual
4 to appropriately store, handle, or disseminate classified in-
5 formation in accordance with applicable security guidance
6 and procedures, including with respect to the removal of
7 classified information.

8 **SEC. 404. CLARIFICATION OF AUTHORITY OF CERTAIN IN-**
9 **SPECTORS GENERAL TO RECEIVE PRO-**
10 **TECTED DISCLOSURES.**

11 Section 1104 of the National Security Act of 1947 (50
12 U.S. 3234) is amended—

13 (1) in subsection (b)(1), by inserting “or covered
14 intelligence community element” after “the appro-
15 priate inspector general of the employing agency”;
16 and

17 (2) in subsection (c)(1)(A), by inserting “or cov-
18 ered intelligence community element” after “the ap-
19 propriate inspector general of the employing or con-
20 tracting agency”.

21 **SEC. 405. CODIFICATION OF THE NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE**
22 **MANAGEMENT COUNCIL.**

23 (a) *ESTABLISHMENT OF NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE*
24 *MANAGEMENT COUNCIL.*—

1 (1) *IN GENERAL.*—*Title I of the National Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 3021 et seq.) is amended by inserting after section 103L the following (and conforming the table of contents at the beginning of such Act accordingly):*

6 **“SEC. 103M. NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE MANAGEMENT**
7 **COUNCIL.**

8 “(a) *ESTABLISHMENT.*—*There is within the Office of*
9 *the Director of National Intelligence a National Intelligence*
10 *Management Council.*

11 “(b) *COMPOSITION.*—

12 “(1) *The National Intelligence Management*
13 *Council shall be composed of senior officials within*
14 *the intelligence community and substantive experts*
15 *from the public or private sector, who shall be ap-*
16 *pointed by, report to, and serve at the pleasure of, the*
17 *Director of National Intelligence.*

18 “(2) *The Director shall prescribe appropriate se-*
19 *curity requirements for personnel appointed from the*
20 *private sector as a condition of service on the Na-*
21 *tional Intelligence Management Council, or as con-*
22 *tractors of the Council or employees of such contrac-*
23 *tors, to ensure the protection of intelligence sources*
24 *and methods while avoiding, wherever possible, un-*

1 *duly intrusive requirements which the Director con-*
2 *siders to be unnecessary for this purpose.*

3 *“(c) DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES.—Members of the*
4 *National Intelligence Management Council shall work with*
5 *each other and with other elements of the intelligence com-*
6 *munity to ensure proper coordination and to minimize du-*
7 *plication of effort, in addition to the following duties and*
8 *responsibilities:*

9 *“(1) Provide integrated mission input to support*
10 *the processes and activities of the intelligence commu-*
11 *nity, including with respect to intelligence planning,*
12 *programming, budgeting, and evaluation processes.*

13 *“(2) Identify and pursue opportunities to inte-*
14 *grate or coordinate collection and counterintelligence*
15 *efforts.*

16 *“(3) In concert with the responsibilities of the*
17 *National Intelligence Council, ensure the integration*
18 *and coordination of analytic and collection efforts.*

19 *“(4) Develop and coordinate intelligence strate-*
20 *gies in support of budget planning and programming*
21 *activities.*

22 *“(5) Advise the Director of National Intelligence*
23 *on the development of the National Intelligence Prior-*
24 *ities Framework of the Office of the Director of Na-*
25 *tional Intelligence (or any successor mechanism estab-*

1 lished for the prioritization of programs and activi-
2 ties).

3 “(6) In concert with the responsibilities of the
4 National Intelligence Council, support the role of the
5 Director of National Intelligence as principal advisor
6 to the President on intelligence matters.

7 “(7) Inform the elements of the intelligence com-
8 munity of the activities and decisions related to mis-
9 sions assigned to the National Intelligence Manage-
10 ment Council.

11 “(8) Maintain awareness, across various func-
12 tions and disciplines, of the mission-related activities
13 and budget planning of the intelligence community.

14 “(9) Evaluate, with respect to assigned mission
15 objectives, requirements, and unmet requirements, the
16 implementation of the budget of each element of the
17 intelligence community.

18 “(10) Provide oversight on behalf of, and make
19 recommendations to, the Director of National Intel-
20 ligence on the extent to which the activities, program
21 recommendations, and budget proposals made by ele-
22 ments of the intelligence community sufficiently ad-
23 dress mission objectives, intelligence gaps, and unmet
24 requirements.

1 “(d) *MISSION MANAGEMENT OF MEMBERS.*—Members
2 *of the National Intelligence Management Council, under the*
3 *direction of the Director of National Intelligence, shall serve*
4 *as mission managers to ensure integration among the ele-*
5 *ments of the intelligence community and across intelligence*
6 *functions, disciplines, and activities for the purpose of*
7 *achieving unity of effort and effect, including through the*
8 *following responsibilities:*

9 “(1) *Planning and programming efforts.*

10 “(2) *Budget and program execution oversight.*

11 “(3) *Engagement with elements of the intel-*
12 *ligence community and with policymakers in other*
13 *agencies.*

14 “(4) *Workforce competencies and training activi-*
15 *ties.*

16 “(5) *Development of capability requirements.*

17 “(6) *Development of governance fora, policies,*
18 *and procedures.*

19 “(e) *STAFF; AVAILABILITY.*—

20 “(1) *STAFF.*—*The Director of National Intel-*
21 *ligence shall make available to the National Intel-*
22 *ligence Management Council such staff as may be nec-*
23 *essary to assist the National Intelligence Management*
24 *Council in carrying out the responsibilities described*
25 *in this section.*

1 “(2) *AVAILABILITY.*—*Under the direction of the*
2 *Director of National Intelligence, the National Intel-*
3 *ligence Management Council shall make reasonable ef-*
4 *forts to advise and consult with officers and employ-*
5 *ees of other departments or agencies, or components*
6 *thereof, of the United States Government not other-*
7 *wise associated with the intelligence community.*”

8 “(f) *SUPPORT FROM ELEMENTS OF THE INTEL-*
9 *LIGENCE COMMUNITY.*—*The heads of the elements of the in-*
10 *telligence community shall provide appropriate support to*
11 *the National Intelligence Management Council, including*
12 *with respect to intelligence activities, as required by the Di-*
13 *rector of National Intelligence.*”

14 (2) *OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF NATIONAL IN-*
15 *TELLIGENCE.*—*Section 103(c) of such Act (50 U.S.C.*
16 *3025) is amended—*

17 (A) *by redesignating paragraphs (5)*
18 *through (14) as paragraphs (6) through (15), re-*
19 *spectively; and*

20 (B) *by inserting after paragraph (4) the fol-*
21 *lowing:*

22 “(5) *The National Intelligence Management*
23 *Council.*”

24 (b) *SENSE OF CONGRESS WITH RESPECT TO CHINA*
25 *MISSION.*—*It is the sense of Congress that the Director of*

1 *National Intelligence should create a role in the National*
2 *Intelligence Management Council for a National Intel-*
3 *ligence Manager dedicated to the People's Republic of*
4 *China.*

5 *(c) REPORT TO CONGRESS ON STRATEGIC COMPETI-*
6 *TION.—*

7 *(1) REPORT.—Not later than 180 days after the*
8 *date of the enactment of this Act, the Director of Na-*
9 *tional Intelligence, in consultation with the heads of*
10 *elements of the intelligence community determined*
11 *relevant by the Director, shall submit to the congres-*
12 *sional intelligence committees a report on strategic*
13 *competition.*

14 *(2) MATTERS.—The report under subsection (a)*
15 *shall include the following:*

16 *(A) Lessons learned by the intelligence com-*
17 *munity with respect to strategic competition*
18 *from the reorganizations implemented consequent*
19 *to—*

20 *(i) the Intelligence Reform and Ter-*
21 *rorist Prevention Act;*

22 *(ii) the creation of the National*
23 *Counterterrorism Center; and*

1 (iii) any other reorganization effort
2 within or among elements of the intelligence
3 community.

4 (B) Examination of the potential effects of
5 a new national intelligence center established
6 to—

7 (i) integrate all-source intelligence
8 analysis efforts with respect to the activi-
9 ties, plans, and intentions of strategic ad-
10 versaries;

11 (ii) synchronize collection efforts
12 among the intelligence community;

13 (iii) optimize resource investments in
14 the intelligence community in support of
15 strategic competition;

16 (iv) identify options for the President,
17 other departments and agencies of the
18 United States Government, and allies and
19 foreign partners of the United States to sup-
20 port the standing of the United States with
21 respect to strategic competition; and

22 (v) integrate other national intelligence
23 centers to deter the efforts of strategic adver-
24 saries targeting the United States.

1 (3) *FORM.*—*The report under subsection (a)*
2 *shall be submitted in unclassified form, but may in-*
3 *clude a classified appendix.*

4 (d) *SENSE OF CONGRESS WITH RESPECT TO COUN-*
5 *TERNARCOTICS MISSION.*—*It is the sense of Congress that,*
6 *consistent with section 7325 of the Intelligence Authoriza-*
7 *tion Act for Fiscal Year 2024 (137 Stat. 1043), the Director*
8 *of National Intelligence should create a role in the National*
9 *Intelligence Management Council for a National Intel-*
10 *ligence Manager dedicated to the counternarcotics mission*
11 *of the United States.*

12 **SEC. 406. ANALYSES AND IMPACT STATEMENTS REGARDING**
13 **PROPOSED INVESTMENT INTO THE UNITED**
14 **STATES.**

15 *Section 102A(z) of the National Security Act of 1947*
16 *(50 U.S.C. 3024(z)) is amended—*

17 (1) *in paragraph (2)(A) by inserting “, includ-*
18 *ing with respect to counterintelligence” before the*
19 *semicolon; and*

20 (2) *by adding at the end the following:*

21 “(3) *DEFINITIONS.*—*In this subsection:*

22 “(A) *The term ‘a review or an investigation of*
23 *any proposed investment into the United States for*
24 *which the Director has prepared analytic materials’*
25 *includes a review, investigation, assessment, or anal-*

1 *ysis conducted by the Director pursuant to section 7*
2 *or 10(g) of Executive Order 13913 (85 Fed. Reg.*
3 *19643; relating to Establishing the Committee for the*
4 *Assessment of Foreign Participation in the United*
5 *States Telecommunications Services Sector), or suc-*
6 *cessor order.*

7 *“(B) The term ‘investment’ includes any activity*
8 *reviewed, investigated, assessed, or analyzed by the*
9 *Director pursuant to section 7 or 10(g) of Executive*
10 *Order 13913, or successor order.”.*

11 **SEC. 407. RESPONSIBILITIES AND AUTHORITIES OF THE DI-**
12 **RECTOR OF NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE.**

13 *Section 102A(f)(10) of the National Security Act of*
14 *1947 (50 U.S.C. 3024(f)(10)) is amended by striking the*
15 *period and inserting “, and upon receiving any such direc-*
16 *tion, the Director shall notify the congressional intelligence*
17 *committees immediately in writing with a description of*
18 *such other intelligence-related functions directed by the*
19 *President.”.*

20 **SEC. 408. ENABLING INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY INTEGRA-**
21 **TION.**

22 *Title I of the National Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C.*
23 *3021 et seq.) is amended by inserting after section 113B*
24 *the following new section (and conforming the table of con-*
25 *tents at the beginning of such Act accordingly):*

1 **“SEC. 113C. NON-REIMBURSABLE TRANSFER OF GOODS AND**
2 **SERVICES WITHIN INTELLIGENCE COMMU-**
3 **NITY IN CERTAIN CASES.**

4 “(a) *IN GENERAL.*—

5 “(1) *AUTHORITY.*—*Notwithstanding any other*
6 *provision of law, an element of the intelligence com-*
7 *munity may, subject to such guidance or regulations*
8 *as may be developed by the Director of National Intel-*
9 *ligence, provide goods or services to another element*
10 *of the intelligence community without reimbursement*
11 *or transfer of funds for such goods or services for the*
12 *purposes of remote work and hoteling initiatives for*
13 *intelligence community employees and affiliates.*

14 “(2) *PRIOR APPROVAL REQUIREMENT.*—*A trans-*
15 *fer of goods or services under paragraph (1) may not*
16 *occur without the prior approval of the heads of both*
17 *the providing and receiving elements of the intel-*
18 *ligence community.*

19 “(b) *HOTELING DEFINED.*—*In this section, the term*
20 *‘hoteling’ means an alternative work arrangement in which*
21 *employees of one element of the intelligence community are*
22 *authorized flexible work arrangements to work part of the*
23 *time at one or more alternative worksite locations, as ap-*
24 *propriately authorized.’.*”

1 **SEC. 409. PROTECTION OF INTELLIGENCE SOURCES AND**
2 **METHODS.**

3 *Section 102A(i) of the National Security Act of 1947*
4 *(50 U.S.C. 3024(i)) is amended—*

5 *(1) by redesignating paragraphs (3) and (4) as*
6 *paragraphs (4) and (5), respectively;*

7 *(2) by inserting after paragraph (2) the fol-*
8 *lowing new paragraph:*

9 *“(3)(A) The Director, or the Principal Deputy Direc-*
10 *tor acting on behalf of the Director, shall be responsible for*
11 *the creation, modification, deconfliction, and oversight of*
12 *special access programs (referred to as controlled access pro-*
13 *grams) pertaining to intelligence sources, methods, and in-*
14 *telligence activities (but not including military operational,*
15 *strategic, and tactical programs).*

16 *“(B) In carrying out the responsibility under subpara-*
17 *graph (A), the Director shall—*

18 *“(i) ensure controlled access programs of the in-*
19 *telligence community conform with the requirements*
20 *identified within Executive Order 13526 (50 U.S.C.*
21 *3161 note; relating to classified national security in-*
22 *formation), or any successor order;*

23 *“(ii) establish controlled access program min-*
24 *imum security requirements and guidance for the im-*
25 *plementation of such requirements, to include general*

1 *procedures, personnel security, physical security, and*
2 *control marking requirements;*

3 “(iii) *ensure access to controlled access programs*
4 *is based on a documented need-to-know;*

5 “(iv) *require controlled access programs to iden-*
6 *tify and periodically review Critical Program Infor-*
7 *mation and to develop and periodically review a Pro-*
8 *gram Protection Plan for each controlled access pro-*
9 *gram;*

10 “(v) *require periodic reviews of and, as appro-*
11 *priate, closure of controlled access programs; and*

12 “(vi) *coordinate with other agencies to deconflict*
13 *special access programs.”.*

14 **SEC. 410. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY INTEL-**
15 **LIGENCE SUPPORT FOR STATE GOVERNORS.**

16 (a) *IN GENERAL.*—*Not less frequently than once per*
17 *year, the Secretary of Homeland Security, acting through*
18 *the Under Secretary of Homeland Security for Intelligence*
19 *and Analysis, shall ensure that an officer of the Field Intel-*
20 *ligence Directorate of the Office of Intelligence and Analysis*
21 *of the Department of Homeland Security located in each*
22 *State shall engage proactively with senior officials for each*
23 *State, such as the chief executive or Homeland Security Ad-*
24 *visor of such State, with respect to matters concerning*
25 *homeland security or national security, consistent with any*

1 *guidance provided by the Under Secretary of Homeland Se-*
2 *curity for Intelligence and Analysis.*

3 **(b) REQUIREMENT IN CERTAIN TERRITORIES OF THE**
4 *UNITED STATES.—In the case of a territory which does not*
5 *have a permanent Field Intelligence Directorate officer lo-*
6 *cated in such territory, the headquarters element of the*
7 *Field Intelligence Directorate shall designate a Field Intel-*
8 *ligence Directorate officer who is responsible for carrying*
9 *out the requirement under subsection (a) with respect to*
10 *such territory.*

11 **(c) STATE DEFINED.—For purposes of this section, the**
12 *term “State” means a State of the United States, the Dis-*
13 *trict of Columbia, Puerto Rico, American Samoa, Guam,*
14 *the United States Virgin Islands, and the Commonwealth*
15 *of the Northern Mariana Islands.*

16 **SEC. 411. AUTHORIZATION RELATING TO CERTAIN INTEL-**
17 **LIGENCE AND COUNTERINTELLIGENCE AC-**
18 **TIVITIES OF COAST GUARD.**

19 *The Commandant of the Coast Guard may use up to*
20 *1 percent of the amounts made available under the National*
21 *Intelligence Program (as such term is defined in section 3*
22 *of the National Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 3003)) for*
23 *each fiscal year for the intelligence and counterintelligence*
24 *activities of the Coast Guard for objects of a confidential,*
25 *extraordinary, or emergency nature, which may be ac-*

1 *counted for solely on the certification of the Commandant*
2 *and each such certification shall be deemed a sufficient*
3 *voucher for the amount therein certified.*

4 **SEC. 412. REQUIREMENTS WITH RESPECT TO ACCESS OF**
5 **FOREIGN NATIONALS TO DEPARTMENT OF**
6 **ENERGY NATIONAL LABORATORIES.**

7 (a) *IN GENERAL.*—*The Secretary of Energy shall des-*
8 *ignate Senior Executive employees of the United States*
9 *Government employed by the Department of Energy to have*
10 *final approval authority with respect to authorizing the ac-*
11 *cess of a foreign national into a National Laboratory in*
12 *the event that an assessment of the Director of the Office*
13 *of Intelligence and Counterintelligence of the Department*
14 *of Energy identifies potential significant risks that are not*
15 *agreed to by the Director of the relevant National Labora-*
16 *tory.*

17 (b) *BRIEFING.*—*Not later than 90 days after the date*
18 *of the enactment of this Act, the Director of the Office of*
19 *Intelligence and Counterintelligence of the Department of*
20 *Energy shall provide to the congressional intelligence com-*
21 *mittees a briefing with respect to the progress to enhance*
22 *the United States Government's responsibility for the De-*
23 *partment of Energy's approval processes with regard to au-*
24 *thorizing the access of foreign nationals into National Lab-*
25 *oratories, including with respect to requiring that such deci-*

1 sions are the primary responsibility of United States Gov-
2 ernment leadership, as opposed to the Directors of the Na-
3 tional Laboratories, and a plan for implementation of such
4 enhancement.

5 (c) *NATIONAL LABORATORY DEFINED.*—In this sec-
6 tion, the term “National Laboratory” has the meaning
7 given that term in section 2 of the Energy Policy Act of
8 2005 (42 U.S.C. 15801).

9 **SEC. 413. FORMALIZED COUNTERINTELLIGENCE TRAINING**
10 **FOR DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY PERSONNEL.**

11 (a) *TRAINING.*—Section 215(d) of the Department of
12 Energy Organization Act (42 U.S.C. 7144b) is amended by
13 adding at the end the following:

14 “(3) The Director shall develop and implement—

15 “(A) a delineated and standardized training
16 plan with respect to counterintelligence to train all
17 personnel in the Department; and

18 “(B) a separate delineated and standardized
19 training plan with respect to counterintelligence to
20 train officers in the Office who have counterintel-
21 ligence responsibilities.”.

22 (b) *REPORTING REQUIREMENT.*—Not later than 90
23 days after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Director
24 of the Office of Intelligence and Counterintelligence of the
25 Department of Energy shall provide to the congressional in-

1 *telligence committees a briefing on the plans developed*
2 *under section 215(d)(3) of the Department of Energy Orga-*
3 *nization Act (as amended by subsection (a)), including with*
4 *respect to—*

- 5 (1) *the training content;*
- 6 (2) *periodicity;*
- 7 (3) *fulfillment rate;*
- 8 (4) *internal controls; and*
- 9 (5) *oversight.*

10 **SEC. 414. FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION PROACTIVE**
11 **CYBER SUPPORT.**

12 (a) *IN GENERAL.—Not later than 90 days after the*
13 *date of the enactment of this Act, the Director of the Federal*
14 *Bureau of Investigation shall develop and make available*
15 *an unclassified interface for use by owners and operators*
16 *of United States critical infrastructure to connect with the*
17 *Federal Bureau of Investigation to request cyber-related*
18 *support.*

19 (b) *AVAILABILITY TO CONGRESSIONAL OFFICES.—The*
20 *interface described in subsection (a) shall be available to*
21 *congressional offices for purposes of facilitating connection*
22 *with the Federal Bureau of Investigation.*

23 (c) *INTERFACE REQUIREMENTS.—The interface de-*
24 *scribed in subsection (a) shall include information with re-*
25 *spect to the following:*

1 (1) *Best practices for cyber hygiene, specifically*
2 *geared towards owners and operators of critical infra-*
3 *structure.*

4 (2) *Tailored information that is relevant based*
5 *on the threats to specific sectors of critical infrastruc-*
6 *ture.*

7 (3) *Suggestions for actions owners and operators*
8 *of critical infrastructure are recommended to take in*
9 *response to a cyber incident.*

10 (4) *Information on the best ways to liaise with*
11 *the Federal Bureau of Investigation for cyber-related*
12 *issues.*

13 (d) *CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE DEFINED.—The term*
14 *“critical infrastructure” has the meaning given that term*
15 *in the Critical Infrastructures Protection Act of 2001 (42*
16 *U.S.C. 5195c).*

17 **SEC. 415. REQUIREMENTS RELATING TO CONFIDENTIAL**
18 **HUMAN SOURCE PROGRAM OF FEDERAL BU-**
19 **REAU OF INVESTIGATION.**

20 (a) *OPERATIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR CONFIDENTIAL*
21 *HUMAN SOURCE PROGRAM.—*

22 (1) *IN GENERAL.—No agent of the Federal Bu-*
23 *reau of Investigation may open an individual as a*
24 *confidential human source before the Special Agent in*

1 *Charge of the relevant Federal Bureau of Investiga-*
2 *tion field office has verified the individual's identity.*

3 (2) *PROHIBITION WITH RESPECT TO FBI HEAD-*
4 *QUARTERS.—No Special Agent of the Federal Bureau*
5 *of Investigation whose principal place of duty is at*
6 *the Federal Bureau of Investigation Headquarters*
7 *may open an individual as a confidential human*
8 *source.*

9 (3) *ADDITIONAL VETTING IN CERTAIN CASES.—*
10 *With respect to a potential or actual confidential*
11 *human source who is identified as a potential coun-*
12 *terintelligence concern or is the subject of an inves-*
13 *tigation for any criminal or counterintelligence pur-*
14 *poses, a Federal Bureau of Investigation Head-*
15 *quarters agent shall conduct a validation assessment*
16 *and report for such source in addition to such source*
17 *validation requirements as are in effect pursuant to*
18 *policies and procedures governing the confidential*
19 *human source program of the Federal Bureau of In-*
20 *vestigation.*

21 (4) *UNAUTHORIZED ILLEGAL ACTIVITY OF CON-*
22 *FIDENTIAL HUMAN SOURCE.—If the handling agent*
23 *with respect to a confidential human source has rea-*
24 *sonable grounds to believe that a confidential human*
25 *source has engaged in any unauthorized illegal activ-*

1 *ity, including any misdemeanor or felony criminal*
2 *activity—*

3 *(A) the agent shall promptly notify a con-*
4 *fidential human source coordinator or the as-*
5 *signed Federal prosecutor;*

6 *(B) a record of such event shall be recorded*
7 *in the source's case file; and*

8 *(C) the confidential human source will be*
9 *subject to immediate source validation proce-*
10 *dures.*

11 *(5) PROHIBITION ON COMMITMENTS OF IMMUN-*
12 *ITY IN CIVIL PROCEEDINGS.—The Director of the*
13 *Federal Bureau of Investigation may not intervene in*
14 *any way to impact the outcome of any proceeding re-*
15 *lating to a civil action or administrative hearing to*
16 *which a confidential human source managed by the*
17 *Federal Bureau of Investigation is a party.*

18 *(6) PROHIBITION WITH RESPECT TO MEMBERS*
19 *OF CONGRESS.—No agent of the Federal Bureau of*
20 *Investigation may open an individual as a confiden-*
21 *tial human source if such individual is a current*
22 *Member of Congress (including a Delegate or Resident*
23 *Commissioner to the Congress) or a candidate in an*
24 *election for Federal office.*

1 (7) *EFFECTIVE DATE.*—*The requirements of this*
2 *subsection shall take effect not later than 180 days*
3 *after the date of the enactment of this Act with respect*
4 *to any confidential human source under the confiden-*
5 *tial human source program of the Federal Bureau of*
6 *Investigation.*

7 (b) *ANNUAL VALIDATION REVIEW REQUIREMENT*
8 *WITH RESPECT TO FIELD OFFICES.*—

9 (1) *IN GENERAL.*—*Each Special Agent in Charge*
10 *of a Federal Bureau of Investigation field office shall*
11 *conduct an annual review of each confidential human*
12 *source who is being managed out of such field office.*

13 (2) *NOTIFICATION REQUIREMENT.*—*At the con-*
14 *clusion of each annual review conducted under para-*
15 *graph (1), the Director of the Federal Bureau of In-*
16 *vestigation shall, on an annual basis, submit to the*
17 *appropriate congressional committees a report with*
18 *respect to—*

19 (A) *the number of active confidential*
20 *human sources managed by the Federal Bureau*
21 *of Investigation;*

22 (B) *the number of investigations opened as*
23 *the result of annual reviews of confidential*
24 *human sources;*

1 (C) the number of confidential human
2 sources whose relationship with the Federal Bu-
3 reau of Investigation has been terminated in the
4 last year as a result of an investigation opened
5 as a result of an annual review; and

6 (D) the amount of funds expended on con-
7 fidential human sources in the last fiscal year,
8 including a delineation of funds expended from
9 both National Intelligence Program and non-Na-
10 tional Intelligence Program funds.

11 (c) *OVERSIGHT.*—Beginning not later than 180 days
12 after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Director of
13 the Federal Bureau of Investigation shall develop and im-
14 plement an oversight mechanism within the Bureau for ac-
15 tivities with respect to any confidential human source
16 under the confidential human source program of the Fed-
17 eral Bureau of Investigation the management of which is
18 funded through the National Intelligence Program.

19 (d) *DEFINITIONS.*—In this section:

20 (1) *APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMIT-*
21 *TEES.*—The term “appropriate congressional commit-
22 tees” means—

23 (A) the congressional intelligence commit-
24 tees; and

1 (B) the Committees on the Judiciary of the
2 House of Representatives and of the Senate.

3 (2) CONGRESSIONAL LEADERSHIP.—The term
4 “congressional leadership” means—

5 (A) the Speaker of the House of Representa-
6 tives;

7 (B) the minority leader of the House of
8 Representatives;

9 (C) the majority leader of the Senate;

10 (D) the minority leader of the Senate;

11 (E) the Chair and Ranking Member of the
12 Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence of
13 the House of Representatives; and

14 (F) the Chair and Vice Chair of the Select
15 Committee on Intelligence of the Senate.

16 (3) NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE PROGRAM.—The
17 term “National Intelligence Program” has the mean-
18 ing given such term in section 3 of the National Secu-
19 rity Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 3003).

20 **SEC. 416. CONGRESSIONAL NOTICE OF FBI COUNTERINTEL-**
21 **LIGENCE INVESTIGATIONS INTO INDIVID-**
22 **UALS WHO HOLD OR ARE CANDIDATES FOR**
23 **FEDERAL ELECTED OFFICE.**

24 Title V of the National Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C.
25 3091 et seq.) is amended by adding at the end the following

1 *new section (and conforming the table of contents at the*
2 *beginning of such Act accordingly):*

3 **“SEC. 517. NOTIFICATION REQUIREMENT WITH RESPECT TO**
4 **FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION COUN-**
5 **TERINTELLIGENCE INVESTIGATIONS RE-**
6 **GARDING INDIVIDUALS WHO HOLD OR ARE**
7 **CANDIDATES FOR FEDERAL ELECTED OFFICE.**

8 *“(a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding section 533 of*
9 *title 28, United States Code, the delegation of the authori-*
10 *ties of the Attorney General, or any other delegation of au-*
11 *thority, direction, or policy of the executive branch, the Di-*
12 *rector of the Federal Bureau of Investigation shall notify*
13 *congressional leadership not later than 5 days after the*
14 *commencement of a counterintelligence investigation into*
15 *an individual who holds an elected Federal office or an in-*
16 *dividual who is a candidate in an election for Federal of-*
17 *fice.*

18 *“(b) CONTENTS.—A notification under subsection (a)*
19 *shall include, to the extent consistent with the need to pro-*
20 *tect the integrity of ongoing counterintelligence investiga-*
21 *tions or other exceptionally sensitive national security or*
22 *law enforcement matters, a summary of the relevant facts*
23 *associated with the counterintelligence investigation and the*
24 *identity of the person subject to such investigation.*

1 “(c) *CONGRESSIONAL LEADERSHIP DEFINED.*—*In this*
2 *section, the term ‘congressional leadership’ means—*

3 “(1) *the majority leader of the Senate;*

4 “(2) *the minority leader of the Senate;*

5 “(3) *the Chair and Vice Chair of the Select Com-*
6 *mittee on Intelligence of the Senate;*

7 “(4) *the Speaker of the House of Representatives;*

8 “(5) *the minority leader of the House of Rep-*
9 *resentatives; and*

10 “(6) *the Chair and Ranking Member of the Per-*
11 *manent Select Committee on Intelligence of the House*
12 *of Representatives.”.*

13 **SEC. 417. INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY COUNTERINTEL-**
14 **LIGENCE OFFICE AT THE DEPARTMENT OF**
15 **TRANSPORTATION.**

16 (a) *DEFINITIONS.*—*In this section:*

17 (1) *APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMIT-*
18 *TEES.*—*The term “appropriate congressional commit-*
19 *tees” means—*

20 (A) *the Permanent Select Committee on In-*
21 *telligence, the Committee on Appropriations, and*
22 *the Committee on Transportation and Infra-*
23 *structure of the House of Representatives; and*

24 (B) *the Select Committee on Intelligence,*
25 *the Committee on Appropriations, and the Com-*

1 *mittee on Commerce, Science, and Transpor-*
2 *tation of the Senate.*

3 (2) *DEPARTMENT.*—*The term “Department”*
4 *means the Department of Transportation.*

5 (3) *SECRETARY.*—*The term “Secretary” means*
6 *the Secretary of Transportation.*

7 (b) *ESTABLISHMENT OF INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY*
8 *COUNTERINTELLIGENCE OFFICE.*—

9 (1) *AGREEMENT WITH SECRETARY OF TRANS-*
10 *PORTATION.*—*The Director of National Intelligence,*
11 *acting through the Director of the National Counter-*
12 *intelligence and Security Center, shall seek to enter*
13 *into an agreement with the Secretary under which the*
14 *Director of National Intelligence and the Secretary*
15 *shall establish within the Department an office, which*
16 *shall be known as the “Intelligence Community Coun-*
17 *terintelligence Office”, in accordance with this sec-*
18 *tion.*

19 (2) *LOCATION.*—*The Intelligence Community*
20 *Counterintelligence Office established pursuant to this*
21 *section shall be physically located within the head-*
22 *quarters of the Department and within reasonable*
23 *proximity to the offices of the leadership of the De-*
24 *partment.*

1 (3) *SECURITY.*—*The Director of the National*
2 *Counterintelligence and Security Center shall be re-*
3 *sponsible for the protection of classified information*
4 *and for the establishment and enforcement of all secu-*
5 *rity-related controls within the Intelligence Commu-*
6 *nity Counterintelligence Office.*

7 (c) *PERSONNEL.*—

8 (1) *DIRECTOR.*—

9 (A) *APPOINTMENT.*—*There shall be at the*
10 *head of the Intelligence Community Counter-*
11 *intelligence Office a Director who is appointed*
12 *by the Director of National Intelligence. The Di-*
13 *rector of the Intelligence Community Counter-*
14 *intelligence Office shall—*

15 (i) *be supervised and subject to per-*
16 *formance evaluations by the Director of the*
17 *National Counterintelligence and Security*
18 *Center, in consultation with the Secretary;*

19 (ii) *be an employee of the intelligence*
20 *community with significant counterintel-*
21 *ligence experience; and*

22 (iii) *serve for a period of 3 years.*

23 (B) *RESPONSIBILITIES.*—*The Director of*
24 *the Intelligence Community Counterintelligence*

1 *Office shall carry out the following responsibilities:*
2

3 *(i) Serving as the head of the Intel-*
4 *ligence Community Counterintelligence Of-*
5 *fice, with supervisory responsibility for the*
6 *Intelligence Community Counterintelligence*
7 *Office and any other personnel assigned to*
8 *the Intelligence Community Counterintel-*
9 *ligence Office.*

10 *(ii) Advising the Secretary on counter-*
11 *intelligence and intelligence information.*

12 *(iii) Ensuring that counterintelligence*
13 *threat information and, as appropriate, fin-*
14 *ished intelligence on topics related to the*
15 *functions of the Department, are provided*
16 *to appropriate personnel of the department*
17 *or agency without delay.*

18 *(iv) Ensuring critical intelligence rel-*
19 *evant to the Secretary is requested and dis-*
20 *seminated in a timely manner.*

21 *(v) Establishing, as appropriate, mech-*
22 *anisms for collaboration through which De-*
23 *partment subject matter experts, including*
24 *those without security clearances, can share*

1 *information and expertise with the intel-*
2 *ligence community.*

3 *(vi) Correlating and evaluating coun-*
4 *terintelligence threats identified within in-*
5 *telligence community reporting, in coordi-*
6 *nation with the National Counterintel-*
7 *ligence and Security Center, and providing*
8 *appropriate dissemination of such intel-*
9 *ligence to officials of the Department with a*
10 *need-to-know.*

11 *(vii) Advising the Secretary on meth-*
12 *ods to improve the counterintelligence pos-*
13 *ture of the Department.*

14 *(viii) Where appropriate, supporting*
15 *the Department's leadership in engaging*
16 *with the National Security Council.*

17 *(ix) In coordination with the National*
18 *Counterintelligence and Security Center, es-*
19 *tablishing counterintelligence partnerships*
20 *to improve the counterintelligence defense of*
21 *the Department.*

22 *(2) DEPUTY DIRECTOR.—There shall be within*
23 *the Intelligence Community Counterintelligence Office*
24 *a Deputy Director who is appointed by the Secretary,*

1 *in coordination with the Director of National Intel-*
2 *ligence. The Deputy Director shall—*

3 *(A) be supervised and subject to perform-*
4 *ance evaluations by the Secretary, in consulta-*
5 *tion with the Director of the National Counter-*
6 *intelligence and Security Center;*

7 *(B) be a current or former employee of the*
8 *Department with significant experience within*
9 *the Department; and*

10 *(C) serve at the pleasure of the Secretary.*

11 (3) *OTHER EMPLOYEES.—*

12 *(A) JOINT DUTY ASSIGNMENT.—There shall*
13 *be within the Intelligence Community Counter-*
14 *intelligence Office such other employees as the*
15 *Director of National Intelligence, in consultation*
16 *with the Secretary, determines appropriate. Em-*
17 *ployment at the Intelligence Community Coun-*
18 *terintelligence Office is an intelligence commu-*
19 *nity joint duty assignment. A permanent change*
20 *of station to the Intelligence Community Coun-*
21 *terintelligence Office shall be for a period of not*
22 *less than 2 years.*

23 *(B) SUPERVISION.—The Director of the In-*
24 *telligence Community Counterintelligence Office*
25 *shall be responsible for the supervision and man-*

1 *agement of employees assigned to the Intelligence*
2 *Community Counterintelligence Office, including*
3 *employees assigned by program elements of the*
4 *intelligence community and other Federal de-*
5 *partments and agencies, as appropriate.*

6 *(C) JOINT DUTY OR ASSIGNED PERSONNEL*
7 *REIMBURSEMENT.—The Director of National In-*
8 *telligence shall reimburse a program element of*
9 *the intelligence community or a Federal depart-*
10 *ment or agency for any permanent change of sta-*
11 *tion employee assigned to the Intelligence Com-*
12 *munity Counterintelligence Office from amounts*
13 *authorized to be appropriated for the Office of*
14 *the Director of National Intelligence.*

15 *(D) OPERATION UNDER AUTHORITY OF DI-*
16 *RECTOR OF NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE.—Employ-*
17 *ees assigned to the Intelligence Community*
18 *Counterintelligence Office under this paragraph*
19 *shall operate under the authorities of the Direc-*
20 *tor of National Intelligence for the duration of*
21 *their assignment or period of employment within*
22 *the Intelligence Community Counterintelligence*
23 *Office, except for temporary duty assignment em-*
24 *ployees.*

25 *(E) INCENTIVE PAY.—*

1 (i) *IN GENERAL.*—An employee who
2 accepts employment at the Intelligence Com-
3 munity Counterintelligence Office during
4 the 120-day period after the date of the es-
5 tablishment of the Intelligence Community
6 Counterintelligence Office shall receive an
7 incentive payment, which shall be payable
8 by the Director of National Intelligence, in
9 an amount equal to 10 percent of the base
10 annual pay of the employee. Such an em-
11 ployee who completes 2 years of service in
12 the Intelligence Community Counterintel-
13 ligence Office may receive an incentive pay-
14 ment in an amount equal to 10 percent of
15 the base annual pay of the employee if the
16 Director of the Intelligence Community
17 Counterintelligence Office determines the
18 performance of the employee is exceptional.

19 (ii) *ELIGIBILITY.*—An employee is
20 only eligible for an incentive payment
21 under clause (i) if the employee enters into
22 an agreement with the Director of National
23 Intelligence to serve in the Intelligence Com-
24 munity Counterintelligence Office for a pe-
25 riod of at least 2 years.

1 (d) *FUNDING.*—*To the extent and in such amounts as*
2 *specifically provided in advance in appropriations Acts for*
3 *the purposes detailed in this subsection, the Director of Na-*
4 *tional Intelligence may expend such sums as are authorized*
5 *within the National Intelligence Program of the Office of*
6 *the Director of National Intelligence for—*

7 (1) *the renovation, furnishing, and equipping of*
8 *a Federal building, as necessary, to meet the security*
9 *and operational requirements of the Intelligence Com-*
10 *munity Counterintelligence Office;*

11 (2) *the provision of connectivity to the Intel-*
12 *ligence Community Counterintelligence Office to en-*
13 *able briefings, secure audio and video communica-*
14 *tions, and collaboration between employees of the De-*
15 *partment and the intelligence community at the un-*
16 *classified, secret, and top secret levels;*

17 (3) *the provision of other information technology*
18 *systems and devices, such as computers, printers, and*
19 *phones, for use by employees of the Intelligence Com-*
20 *munity Counterintelligence Office;*

21 (4) *the assignment of employees of the intel-*
22 *ligence community to support the operation of the In-*
23 *telligence Community Counterintelligence Office; and*

1 (5) *the provision of other personal services nec-*
2 *essary for the operation of the Intelligence Commu-*
3 *nity Counterintelligence Office.*

4 (e) *DEADLINE FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF THE INTEL-*
5 *LIGENCE COMMUNITY COUNTERINTELLIGENCE OFFICE.—*

6 (1) *ESTABLISHMENT.—Not later than January*
7 *1, 2026, the Director of National Intelligence shall*
8 *seek to establish, in accordance with this section, the*
9 *Intelligence Community Counterintelligence Office*
10 *within the Department.*

11 (2) *REPORT.—Not later than 180 days after the*
12 *date of the enactment of this Act, the Director of Na-*
13 *tional Intelligence shall submit to the appropriate*
14 *congressional committees a report on the plan to es-*
15 *tablish the Intelligence Community Counterintel-*
16 *ligence Office required under paragraph (1). Such re-*
17 *port shall include the costs and schedule associated*
18 *with establishing the Intelligence Community Coun-*
19 *terintelligence Office.*

20 **SEC. 418. UKRAINE LESSONS LEARNED WORKING GROUP.**

21 (a) *ESTABLISHMENT.—The Director of National Intel-*
22 *ligence and the Secretary of Defense shall jointly establish*
23 *a working group to identify and share lessons that the*
24 *United States intelligence community has learned from the*
25 *Ukraine conflict.*

1 (b) *MEMBERSHIP.*—*The composition of the Working*
2 *Group may include any officer or employee of a department*
3 *or agency of the United States Government determined ap-*
4 *propriate by the Director of National Intelligence or the*
5 *Secretary of Defense.*

6 (c) *CHAIR.*—*The Working Group shall be jointly*
7 *chaired by—*

8 (1) *an officer or employee of the Department of*
9 *Defense chosen by the Secretary of Defense; and*

10 (2) *an officer or employee of an element of the*
11 *intelligence community chosen by the Director of Na-*
12 *tional Intelligence, in consultation with the head of*
13 *the element concerned.*

14 (d) *DUTIES.*—*The duties of the Working Group shall*
15 *be the following:*

16 (1) *Identify tactical and operational lessons de-*
17 *rived from the Ukraine conflict.*

18 (2) *Develop a repeatable process for promul-*
19 *gating such lessons to elements of the Department of*
20 *Defense responsible for the development of joint and*
21 *service-specific doctrine, acquisitions decisions, and*
22 *capability development.*

23 (3) *Provide recommendations on intelligence col-*
24 *lection priorities to support the elements of the De-*
25 *partment of Defense identified under paragraph (2).*

1 (e) *MEETINGS.*—*The Working Group shall meet not*
2 *later than 60 days after the date of the enactment of this*
3 *Act, and quarterly thereafter.*

4 (f) *TERMINATION.*—

5 (1) *IN GENERAL.*—*Subject to paragraph (2), the*
6 *Working Group shall terminate on the date that is 2*
7 *years after the date of the enactment of this Act.*

8 (2) *EXTENSION.*—*The Director of National Intel-*
9 *ligence and the Secretary of Defense may extend the*
10 *termination date under paragraph (1) to a date not*
11 *later than 4 years after the date of the enactment of*
12 *this Act if the Director of National Intelligence and*
13 *the Secretary of Defense jointly—*

14 (A) *determine that an extension is appro-*
15 *priate and agree to such extension; and*

16 (B) *submit to the appropriate congressional*
17 *committees a notification of the extension that*
18 *includes a description of the justification for the*
19 *extension.*

20 (g) *BRIEFS TO CONGRESS.*—*Not later than 270 days*
21 *after the date of the enactment of this Act, and every 6*
22 *months thereafter, the Working Group shall submit to the*
23 *appropriate congressional committees a briefing on the ac-*
24 *tivities of the Working Group.*

25 (h) *DEFINITIONS.*—*In this section:*

1 (1) *APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMIT-*
2 *TEES.—The term “appropriate congressional commit-*
3 *tees” means—*

4 (A) *the congressional intelligence commit-*
5 *tees; and*

6 (B) *the congressional defense committees.*

7 (2) *CONGRESSIONAL DEFENSE COMMITTEES.—*
8 *The term “congressional defense committees” has the*
9 *meaning given that term in section 101(a)(16) of title*
10 *10, United States Code.*

11 (3) *WORKING GROUP.—The term “Working*
12 *Group” means the working group described in sub-*
13 *section (a).*

14 **SEC. 419. MODIFICATION TO WAIVER FOR POST-SERVICE**
15 **EMPLOYMENT RESTRICTIONS.**

16 (a) *IN GENERAL.—Section 304(a)(2) of the National*
17 *Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 3073a(a)(2)) is amended—*

18 (1) *by amending subparagraph (A) to read as*
19 *follows:*

20 “(A) *AUTHORITY TO GRANT WAIVERS.—The*
21 *applicable head of an intelligence community*
22 *element may waive a restriction in paragraph*
23 *(1) with respect to an employee or former em-*
24 *ployee who is subject to that restriction only*
25 *after—*

1 “(i) the employee or former employee
2 submits to the applicable head of the intel-
3 ligence community element a written appli-
4 cation for such waiver in such form and
5 manner as the applicable head of the intel-
6 ligence community element determines ap-
7 propriate; and

8 “(ii) the applicable head of the element
9 of the intelligence community determines
10 that granting such waiver will not harm the
11 national security interests of the United
12 States.”.

13 (2) in subparagraph (B), by striking “Director”
14 and inserting “applicable head of the intelligence
15 community element”;

16 (3) in subparagraph (C), by striking “Director”
17 each place it appears and inserting “applicable head
18 of the intelligence community element”; and

19 (4) by amending subparagraph (E) to read as
20 follows:

21 “(E) REPORTING TO CONGRESS.—On a
22 quarterly basis, the head of each element of the
23 intelligence community shall submit to the con-
24 gressional intelligence committees a written noti-

1 *fication of each waiver or revocation that shall*
2 *include the following:*

3 “(i) *With respect to a waiver issued to*
4 *an employee or former employee—*

5 “(I) *the covered intelligence posi-*
6 *tion held or formerly held by the em-*
7 *ployee or former employee; and*

8 “(II) *a brief description of the*
9 *covered post-service employment, in-*
10 *cluding the employer and the recipient*
11 *of the representation, advice, or serv-*
12 *ices.*

13 “(ii) *With respect to a revocation of a*
14 *waiver issued to an employee or former em-*
15 *ployee—*

16 “(I) *the details of the waiver, in-*
17 *cluding any renewals of such waiver,*
18 *and the dates of such waiver and re-*
19 *newals; and*

20 “(II) *the specific reasons why the*
21 *applicable head of the intelligence com-*
22 *munity element determined that such*
23 *revocation is warranted.”.*

24 (b) *WRITTEN ADVISORY OPINIONS WITH RESPECT TO*
25 *POST-SERVICE EMPLOYMENT RESTRICTIONS.—Section*

1 304(d) of the National Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C.
2 3073a(d)) is amended by adding at the end the following
3 new paragraph:

4 “(4) *WRITTEN ADVISORY OPINIONS.*—Upon re-
5 quest from a current employee who occupies a covered
6 intelligence position or a former employee who pre-
7 viously occupied a covered intelligence position, the
8 applicable head of the element of the intelligence com-
9 munity concerned may provide a written advisory
10 opinion to such current or former employee regarding
11 whether a proposed employment, representation, or
12 provision of advice or services constitutes covered
13 post-service employment as defined in subsection
14 (g).”.

15 (c) *COVERED POST-SERVICE EMPLOYMENT.*—Section
16 304(g)(2) of the National Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C.
17 3073a(g)(2)) is amended by striking “relating to national
18 security, intelligence, the military, or internal security to,
19 the government of a foreign country or any company, enti-
20 ty, or other person whose activities are directly or indirectly
21 supervised, directed, controlled, financed, or subsidized, in
22 whole or in major part, by any government of a foreign
23 country” and inserting “to the government of a foreign
24 country or any company, entity, or other person whose ac-
25 tivities are directly or indirectly supervised, directed, con-

1 *trolled, financed, or subsidized, in whole or in major part,*
2 *by any government of a foreign country if such employ-*
3 *ment, representation, or provision of advice or services re-*
4 *lates to national security, intelligence, the military, or in-*
5 *ternal security”.*

6 *(d) CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.—Section 304(a)(1) of*
7 *the National Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 3073a(a)(1))*
8 *is amended—*

9 *(1) in subparagraph (A), by striking “paragraph*
10 *(2)(A)(i)” and inserting “paragraph (2)(A)”;* and

11 *(2) in subparagraph (B), by striking “paragraph*
12 *(2)(A)(ii)” and inserting “paragraph (2)(A)”.*

13 **SEC. 420. PROHIBITION OF FUNDS FOR INTELLIGENCE EX-**
14 **PERTS GROUP.**

15 *None of the funds authorized to be appropriated or oth-*
16 *erwise made available by this Act to the Office of Intel-*
17 *ligence and Analysis of the Department of Homeland Secu-*
18 *rity may be obligated or expended to support the Intel-*
19 *ligence Experts Group of the Department of Homeland Se-*
20 *curity, or any successor group.*

1 **SEC. 421. PROHIBITION ON AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS FOR**
2 **CERTAIN ACTIVITIES OF THE OVERT HUMAN**
3 **INTELLIGENCE AND OPEN SOURCE INTEL-**
4 **LIGENCE COLLECTION PROGRAMS OF THE**
5 **OFFICE OF INTELLIGENCE AND ANALYSIS OF**
6 **THE DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY.**

7 (a) *DEFINITIONS.—In this section:*

8 (1) *COVERED ACTIVITY.—The term “covered ac-*
9 *tivity” means—*

10 (A) *with respect to the Overt Human Intel-*
11 *ligence Collection Program, an interview for in-*
12 *telligence collection purposes with any indi-*
13 *vidual, including a United States person, who*
14 *has been criminally charged, arraigned, or taken*
15 *into the custody of a Federal, State, or local law*
16 *enforcement agency, but whose guilt with respect*
17 *to such criminal matters has not yet been adju-*
18 *dicated, unless the Office of Intelligence and*
19 *Analysis has obtained the consent of the*
20 *interviewee following consultation with counsel;*

21 (B) *with respect to either the Overt Human*
22 *Intelligence Collection Program or the Open*
23 *Source Intelligence Collection Program, any col-*
24 *lection targeting journalists in the performance*
25 *of their journalistic functions; and*

1 (C) with respect to the Overt Human Intel-
2 ligence Collection Program, an interview for in-
3 telligence collection purposes with a United
4 States person where the Office of Intelligence and
5 Analysis lacks a reasonable belief based on facts
6 and circumstances that the United States person
7 may possess significant foreign intelligence (as
8 defined in section 3 of the National Security Act
9 of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 3003)).

10 (2) OVERT HUMAN INTELLIGENCE COLLECTION
11 PROGRAM.—The term “Overt Human Intelligence
12 Collection Program” means the program established
13 by the Under Secretary of Homeland Security for In-
14 telligence and Analysis pursuant to Policy Instruc-
15 tion 907 of the Office of Intelligence and Analysis,
16 issued on June 29, 2016, or any successor program.

17 (3) OPEN SOURCE INTELLIGENCE COLLECTION
18 PROGRAM.—The term “Open Source Collection Intel-
19 ligence Program” means the program established by
20 the Under Secretary of Homeland Security for Intel-
21 ligence and Analysis for the purpose of collecting in-
22 telligence and information for potential production
23 and reporting in the form of Open Source Informa-
24 tion Reports as reflected in Policy Instruction 900 of

1 *the Office of Intelligence and Analysis, issued on Jan-*
2 *uary 13, 2015, or any successor program.*

3 (4) *UNITED STATES PERSON.*—*The term “United*
4 *States person” means—*

5 (A) *a United States citizen;*

6 (B) *an alien known by the Office of Intel-*
7 *ligence and Analysis to be a permanent resident*
8 *alien;*

9 (C) *an unincorporated association substan-*
10 *tially composed of United States citizens or per-*
11 *manent resident aliens; or*

12 (D) *a corporation incorporated in the*
13 *United States, except for a corporation directed*
14 *and controlled by a foreign government or gov-*
15 *ernments.*

16 (5) *UNITED STATES PERSON INFORMATION*
17 *(USPI).*—*The term “United States person informa-*
18 *tion”—*

19 (A) *means information that is reasonably*
20 *likely to identify 1 or more specific United*
21 *States persons; and*

22 (B) *may be either a single item of informa-*
23 *tion or information that, when combined with*
24 *other available information, is reasonably likely*

1 to identify one or more specific United States
2 persons.

3 (b) *PROHIBITION ON AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS FOR*
4 *COVERED ACTIVITIES OF OVERT HUMAN INTELLIGENCE*
5 *COLLECTION PROGRAM AND OPEN SOURCE INTELLIGENCE*
6 *COLLECTION PROGRAM.*—None of the funds authorized to
7 be appropriated by this Act may be made available to the
8 Office of Intelligence and Analysis of the Department of
9 Homeland Security to conduct a covered activity.

10 (c) *LIMITATION ON PERSONNEL.*—None of the funds
11 authorized to be appropriated by this Act may be used by
12 the Office of Intelligence and Analysis of the Department
13 of Homeland Security to increase, above the staffing level
14 in effect on the day before the date of the enactment of the
15 Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2024 (divi-
16 sion G of Public Law 118–31), the number of personnel as-
17 signed to the Open Source Intelligence Division who work
18 exclusively or predominantly on domestic terrorism issues.

19 (d) *RULES OF CONSTRUCTION.*—

20 (1) *EFFECT ON OTHER INTELLIGENCE OVER-*
21 *SIGHT.*—Nothing in this section shall be construed as
22 limiting or superseding the authority of any official
23 within the Department of Homeland Security to con-
24 duct legal, privacy, civil rights, or civil liberties over-

1 *sight of the intelligence activities of the Office of Intel-*
2 *ligence and Analysis.*

3 (2) *SHARING AND RECEIVING INTELLIGENCE IN-*
4 *FORMATION.—Nothing in this section shall be con-*
5 *strued to prohibit, or to limit the authority of, per-*
6 *sonnel of the Office of Intelligence and Analysis of the*
7 *Department of Homeland Security from sharing in-*
8 *telligence information with, or receiving information*
9 *from—*

10 (A) *foreign, State, local, Tribal, or terri-*
11 *torial governments (or any agency or subdivision*
12 *thereof);*

13 (B) *the private sector; or*

14 (C) *other elements of the Federal Govern-*
15 *ment, including the components of the Depart-*
16 *ment of Homeland Security.*

17 **SEC. 422. LIMITATION ON AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS FOR**
18 **THE OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF NATIONAL**
19 **INTELLIGENCE PENDING SUBMISSION OF IN-**
20 **FORMATION REGARDING IMPROVEMENTS RE-**
21 **LATING TO INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY**
22 **STAFFING, DETAILS, AND ASSIGNMENTS.**

23 *Of the funds authorized to be appropriated by this Act*
24 *or otherwise made available for fiscal year 2025 for the Of-*
25 *fice of the Director of National Intelligence, not more than*

1 95 percent may be obligated or expended until the date on
2 which the Director of National Intelligence submits to the
3 congressional intelligence committees the document required
4 to be established by the Director under section 7307(b) of
5 the Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2024 (50
6 U.S.C. 3025 note).

7 ***Subtitle B—Reports and Other*** 8 ***Matters***

9 ***SEC. 431. FOREIGN MALIGN INFLUENCE INTERAGENCY*** 10 ***GUIDANCE.***

11 *Not later than 30 days after the date of the enactment*
12 *of this Act, the Director of National Intelligence shall pro-*
13 *vide to the congressional intelligence committees the inter-*
14 *agency guidance that governs engagement with social media*
15 *companies for each element of the intelligence community.*

16 ***SEC. 432. FOREIGN MALIGN INFLUENCE STANDARD OPER-*** 17 ***ATING PROCEDURES.***

18 *Not later than 30 days after the date of the enactment*
19 *of this Act, the Director of the Federal Bureau of Investiga-*
20 *tion shall provide to the congressional intelligence commit-*
21 *tees the most recently updated standard operating proce-*
22 *dures document, without restrictions, that governs the Fed-*
23 *eral Bureau of Investigation’s engagements with social*
24 *media companies.*

1 **SEC. 433. INTELLIGENCE SUPPORT FOR CERTAIN EXECU-**
2 **TIVE BRANCH DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES.**

3 (a) *BRIEFING.*—Not later than 90 days after the date
4 of the enactment of this Act, the Director of National Intel-
5 ligence shall provide to the congressional intelligence com-
6 mittees a briefing with respect to intelligence support pro-
7 vided to executive branch departments and agencies that are
8 not a part of the intelligence community in accordance with
9 Intelligence Community Directive 404 (relating to *Execu-*
10 *tive Branch Intelligence Customers*), or successor directive.

11 (b) *ELEMENTS.*—The briefing required under sub-
12 section (a) shall include the following:

13 (1) *A list of United States Government depart-*
14 *ments and agencies that have a Federal Senior Intel-*
15 *ligence Coordinator, an Intelligence Point of Contact,*
16 *or a Federal Intelligence Coordination Office.*

17 (2) *A description of the Office of the Director of*
18 *National Intelligence’s insight into how departments*
19 *and agencies that have individuals holding a position*
20 *described in paragraph (1) are selected for such posi-*
21 *tion, and what role the Office of the Director of Na-*
22 *tional Intelligence plays in that process, if any.*

23 (3) *An assessment of the successes, shortcomings,*
24 *effectiveness, utility, and future planning for engag-*
25 *ing with executive branch customers pursuant to In-*

1 *telligence Community Directive 404 or any successor*
2 *directive.*

3 (c) *DEFINITIONS.—In this section, the terms “Federal*
4 *Senior Intelligence Coordinator”, “Intelligence Point of*
5 *Contact”, and “Federal Intelligence Coordination Office”*
6 *have the meaning given such terms in Intelligence Commu-*
7 *nity Directive 404.*

8 **SEC. 434. INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY RECRUITMENT FOR**
9 **CERTAIN SECURITY-CLEARED SEPARATING**
10 **MILITARY MEMBERS.**

11 (a) *IN GENERAL.—The Intelligence Community Chief*
12 *Human Capital Officer shall, not later than 90 days after*
13 *the date of the enactment of this Act, develop a human re-*
14 *sources strategy for enhancing the recruitment into the in-*
15 *telligence community of covered military members.*

16 (b) *CONTENTS.—The strategy developed under sub-*
17 *section (a) shall address—*

18 (1) *a requirement for each intelligence commu-*
19 *nity element to facilitate job applications for quali-*
20 *fied covered military members on each element’s job*
21 *application portal, on USA Jobs, or other appro-*
22 *priate hiring platform;*

23 (2) *additional authorities or policy waivers re-*
24 *quired to overcome identified barriers to enhancing*
25 *the recruitment into the intelligence community of*

1 covered military members to include those military
2 members with technical training and experience in
3 lieu of a bachelor's degree; and

4 (3) in consultation with military services, the
5 development of best practices for matching job appli-
6 cations from among covered military members who
7 have transferable qualifying backgrounds, skills, or ex-
8 pertise to relevant intelligence occupational specialties
9 within the Federal civilian intelligence community
10 workforce, to include coordinating intelligence com-
11 munity recruiting events and hiring blitzes.

12 (c) *BRIEFING AND IMPLEMENTATION PLAN.*—Not later
13 than 30 days after the development of the strategy under
14 subsection (a), the Intelligence Community Chief Human
15 Capital Officer shall provide to the congressional intel-
16 ligence committees a briefing regarding the strategy devel-
17 oped under subsection (a), including a plan for how each
18 element of the intelligence community intends to implement
19 such strategy.

20 (d) *COVERED MILITARY MEMBER DEFINED.*—In this
21 section, the term “covered military member” means any
22 servicemember transitioning out of military service who
23 holds a current top-secret security clearance.

1 **SEC. 435. STRATEGY TO STRENGTHEN INTELLIGENCE COM-**
2 **MUNITY RECRUITMENT EFFORTS IN THE**
3 **UNITED STATES TERRITORIES.**

4 (a) *IN GENERAL.*—*The Director of National Intel-*
5 *ligence, acting through the Intelligence Community Chief*
6 *Human Capital Officer, shall, in coordination with the*
7 *human capital offices of such elements of the intelligence*
8 *community as determined appropriate, develop an intel-*
9 *ligence community-wide strategy to strengthen efforts to re-*
10 *cruit qualified individuals residing in the United States*
11 *territories.*

12 (b) *BRIEFING REQUIREMENT.*—*Not later than 180*
13 *days after the date of enactment of this Act, the Director*
14 *of National Intelligence, acting through the Intelligence*
15 *Community Chief Human Capital Officer, shall provide to*
16 *the congressional intelligence committees a briefing with re-*
17 *spect to the strategy developed under subsection (a), includ-*
18 *ing with respect to a plan for the implementation of such*
19 *strategy.*

20 (c) *UNITED STATES TERRITORIES DEFINED.*—*In this*
21 *section, the term “United States territories” means Puerto*
22 *Rico, the United States Virgin Islands, Guam, the Com-*
23 *monwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, and American*
24 *Samoa.*

1 **SEC. 436. EXTENSION OF REQUIREMENT FOR ANNUAL RE-**
2 **PORT ON STRIKES UNDERTAKEN BY THE**
3 **UNITED STATES AGAINST TERRORIST TAR-**
4 **GETS OUTSIDE AREAS OF ACTIVE HOS-**
5 **TILITIES.**

6 *Section 1723(a) of the National Defense Authorization*
7 *Act for Fiscal Year 2020 (Public Law 116–92; 133 Stat.*
8 *1811) is amended—*

9 *(1) by striking “May 1 2020” and inserting*
10 *“December 31, 2024”; and*

11 *(2) by striking “2022” and inserting “December*
12 *31, 2027”.*

13 **SEC. 437. ADVISABILITY AND FEASIBILITY STUDY ON UP-**
14 **DATING INTELLIGENCE SHARING REGULA-**
15 **TIONS.**

16 *(a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 120 days after the*
17 *date of the enactment of this Act, the Director of National*
18 *Intelligence, in coordination with each head of an element*
19 *of the intelligence community, shall assess the advisability*
20 *and feasibility of revising applicable policies and regula-*
21 *tions with respect to the sharing of intelligence by an ele-*
22 *ment of the intelligence community with foreign govern-*
23 *ments to incorporate the principles described under sub-*
24 *section (b).*

25 *(b) PRINCIPLES.—The principles to be assessed for ad-*
26 *visability and feasibility shall be the following:*

1 (1) *The intelligence community may not share*
2 *actionable intelligence with another country unless*
3 *the intelligence community receives such credible and*
4 *reliable written assurances from a representative of*
5 *the country that the country shall use the intelligence*
6 *in accordance with applicable international law.*

7 (2) *Any policies authorizing the sharing of ac-*
8 *tionable intelligence shall require special protections*
9 *to reduce the risk of violations of applicable inter-*
10 *national law as a consequence of sharing such intel-*
11 *ligence.*

12 (3) *Any policies authorizing the sharing of ac-*
13 *tionable intelligence with another country shall re-*
14 *quire the element of the intelligence community con-*
15 *cerned to document the risks and benefits of requiring*
16 *the country receiving the intelligence to make credible*
17 *and reliable written assurances that the country,*
18 *when using the intelligence, will conduct only lethal*
19 *or capture operations that comply with policy stand-*
20 *ards of the United States with respect to detainee*
21 *treatment and direct action counterterrorism oper-*
22 *ations outside areas of active hostilities.*

23 (4) *If the head of an element of the intelligence*
24 *community receives or conducts an assessment calling*
25 *into question the credibility or reliability of written*

1 *assurances provided by another country to comply*
2 *with applicable international law with respect to the*
3 *intelligence, the head shall, within 45 days of receiv-*
4 *ing or conducting the assessment—*

5 *(A) inform the Director of National Intel-*
6 *ligence and, as appropriate, the Secretary of De-*
7 *fense; and*

8 *(B) take appropriate action to assess fur-*
9 *ther and remediate the situation, which may in-*
10 *clude suspending further sharing of intelligence*
11 *or receiving further assurances from the country*
12 *of compliance with applicable international law.*

13 *(c) REPORT TO CONGRESS.—Not later than 180 days*
14 *after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Director of*
15 *National Intelligence shall submit to the congressional intel-*
16 *ligence committees a report on the advisability and feasi-*
17 *bility of incorporating the principles described in subsection*
18 *(b) into regulations on the sharing of intelligence by an ele-*
19 *ment of the intelligence community, including the degree*
20 *to which the current practices of each element of the intel-*
21 *ligence community for the sharing of intelligence are con-*
22 *sistent with such principles.*

23 *(d) ACTIONABLE INTELLIGENCE DEFINED.—In this*
24 *section, the term “actionable intelligence” means informa-*

1 *tion sufficiently detailed and timely to permit, assist, or*
2 *allow an action or operation in the near-term.*

3 **SEC. 438. BUDGET TRANSPARENCY FOR OPEN-SOURCE IN-**
4 **TELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES.**

5 (a) *BUDGET SUMMARIES TO DIRECTOR OF NATIONAL*
6 *INTELLIGENCE.*—*Not later than 90 days after the date of*
7 *the enactment of this Act, the head of each element of the*
8 *intelligence community shall submit to the Director of Na-*
9 *tional Intelligence a complete and comprehensive summary*
10 *of all budget information with respect to the element’s open-*
11 *source intelligence activities.*

12 (b) *REPORT TO CONGRESS.*—*Not later than 120 days*
13 *after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Director of*
14 *National Intelligence shall submit to the congressional intel-*
15 *ligence committees a report compiling the information in*
16 *the summaries submitted to the Director pursuant to sub-*
17 *section (a).*

18 (c) *OPEN-SOURCE INTELLIGENCE DEFINED.*—*In this*
19 *section, the term “open-source intelligence” means intel-*
20 *ligence derived exclusively from publicly or commercially*
21 *available information that addresses specific intelligence*
22 *priorities, requirements, or gaps.*

1 **SEC. 439. ENHANCING PUBLIC-PRIVATE SHARING ON MA-**
2 **NIPULATIVE ADVERSARY PRACTICES IN CRIT-**
3 **ICAL MINERAL PROJECTS.**

4 (a) *STRATEGY REQUIRED.*—*The Director of National*
5 *Intelligence shall, in consultation with the heads of such*
6 *Federal agencies as the Director considers appropriate, not*
7 *later than 180 days after the date of the enactment of this*
8 *Act, develop a strategy to improve the sharing between the*
9 *Federal Government and private entities of information*
10 *and intelligence to mitigate the threat that foreign adver-*
11 *sary illicit activities and tactics pose to United States per-*
12 *sons in foreign jurisdictions on projects relating to energy*
13 *generation and storage, including with respect to critical*
14 *minerals inputs.*

15 (b) *ELEMENTS.*—*The strategy required by subsection*
16 *(a) shall cover—*

17 (1) *how best to assemble and transmit informa-*
18 *tion to United States persons—*

19 (A) *to protect against foreign adversary il-*
20 *licit tactics and activities relating to critical*
21 *mineral projects abroad, including foreign adver-*
22 *sary efforts to undermine such United States*
23 *projects abroad;*

24 (B) *to mitigate the risk that foreign adver-*
25 *sary government involvement in the ownership*
26 *and control of entities engaging in deceptive or*

1 *illicit activities pose to the interests of the*
2 *United States; and*

3 *(C) to inform on economic espionage and*
4 *other threats from foreign adversaries to the*
5 *rights of owners of intellectual property, includ-*
6 *ing owners of patents, trademarks, copyrights,*
7 *and trade secrets, and other sensitive informa-*
8 *tion, with respect to such property; and*

9 *(2) how best to receive information from United*
10 *States persons on threats to United States interests in*
11 *the critical mineral space.*

12 *(c) IMPLEMENTATION PLAN REQUIRED.—Not later*
13 *than 30 days after the date on which the Director completes*
14 *developing the strategy pursuant to subsection (a), the Di-*
15 *rector shall submit to the congressional intelligence commit-*
16 *tees (as defined in section 3 of the National Security Act*
17 *of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 3003)), or provide such committees a*
18 *briefing on, a plan for implementing the strategy, which*
19 *shall include a description of risks, benefits, opportunities,*
20 *and drawbacks.*

21 **SEC. 440. BRIEFING ON POLICIES AND PROCEDURES FOR**
22 **ADDRESSING THREATS FROM KNOWN OR**
23 **SUSPECTED TERRORISTS.**

24 *(a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 30 days after the*
25 *date of the enactment of this Act, representatives from the*

1 *Department of Homeland Security, which shall include rep-*
2 *resentatives from Customs and Border Protection, Home-*
3 *land Security Investigations, and the Office of Intelligence*
4 *and Analysis, and representatives from the Federal Bureau*
5 *of Investigation, which shall include representatives from*
6 *the Threat Screening Center, shall jointly provide a briefing*
7 *to the appropriate congressional committees with respect to*
8 *existing policies and procedures for handling encounters*
9 *with known or suspected terrorists at the borders of the*
10 *United States.*

11 (b) *ELEMENTS.—The briefing required under sub-*
12 *section (a) shall include a description of the following:*

13 (1) *The existing processes for handling encoun-*
14 *ters with individuals at or between ports of entry, to*
15 *include the difference in process for individuals en-*
16 *countered at and between ports of entry.*

17 (2) *The existing processes for the handling and*
18 *sharing of potentially derogatory information con-*
19 *cerning individuals who are known or suspected ter-*
20 *rorists.*

21 (3) *The existing processes for managing asylum*
22 *claims of known or suspected terrorists.*

23 (c) *APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES DE-*
24 *FINED.—In this section, the term “appropriate congres-*
25 *sional committees” means—*

- 1 (1) *the congressional intelligence committees;*
- 2 (2) *the Committee on Homeland Security of the*
3 *House of Representatives; and*
- 4 (3) *the Committee on Homeland Security and*
5 *Governmental Affairs of the Senate.*

6 **SEC. 441. ASSESSMENT ON INTELLIGENCE RELATIONSHIP**
7 **BETWEEN EGYPT AND ISRAEL.**

8 (a) *REPORT.*—*Not later than 90 days after the date*
9 *the enactment of this Act, the Director of National Intel-*
10 *ligence, in coordination with the heads of such elements of*
11 *the intelligence community as the Director determines ap-*
12 *propriate, shall submit to the congressional intelligence*
13 *committees a report assessing the intelligence relationship*
14 *between Israel and Egypt that includes an assessment of*
15 *intelligence failures with respect to either country and with*
16 *respect to intelligence sharing between the two countries*
17 *that contributed to the attack on Israel by Hamas on Octo-*
18 *ber 7, 2023.*

19 (b) *MATTERS.*—*The report under subsection (a) shall*
20 *include the following:*

- 21 (1) *An assessment of the state, strengths, and*
22 *limitations of any intelligence relationship between*
23 *Egypt and Israel, especially with respect to Hamas*
24 *and Gaza.*

1 (2) *The role of the United States, if any, in the*
2 *relationship and an identification of the areas in*
3 *which the participation of the United States would*
4 *most strengthen the relationship and improve co-*
5 *operation between Egypt and Israel going forward.*

6 (3) *A review of the failures in national and re-*
7 *gional intelligence analysis, collection, and sharing*
8 *that occurred before the attack on Israel by Hamas on*
9 *October 7, 2023, and any lessons learned for future*
10 *intelligence activities.*

11 (c) *FORM.—The report under subsection (a) may be*
12 *submitted in classified form.*

13 **SEC. 442. INTELLIGENCE ASSESSMENT OF ECONOMIC CO-**
14 **ERCION BY THE PEOPLE’S REPUBLIC OF**
15 **CHINA IN THE INDO-PACIFIC REGION AND**
16 **STRATEGIES TO ENHANCE THE ECONOMIC**
17 **RESILIENCE OF COUNTRIES IN THE INDO-PA-**
18 **CIFIC REGION.**

19 (a) *REPORT.—Not later than 180 days after the date*
20 *of the enactment of this Act, the Assistant Secretary of State*
21 *for Intelligence and Research, in consultation with Director*
22 *of the Central Intelligence Agency and the heads of other*
23 *elements of the intelligence community determined appro-*
24 *priate by the Assistant Secretary, shall submit to the appro-*
25 *priate congressional committees a report assessing the eco-*

1 *conomic coercion efforts by the People’s Republic of China in*
2 *the Indo-Pacific region and strategies that would enhance*
3 *the resilience of countries in the Indo-Pacific region to eco-*
4 *conomic coercion by the People’s Republic of China.*

5 (b) *MATTERS.—The report under subsection (a) shall*
6 *include the following:*

7 (1) *A description of recent economic coercion ef-*
8 *forts by the People’s Republic of China against coun-*
9 *tries in the Indo-Pacific region.*

10 (2) *An analysis of the effectiveness of economic*
11 *coercion efforts against countries in the Indo-Pacific*
12 *region by the People’s Republic of China in achieving*
13 *the stated or assumed goals of the People’s Republic*
14 *of China.*

15 (3) *An assessment of measures that would dis-*
16 *suade the People’s Republic of China from engaging*
17 *in acts of economic coercion in the Indo-Pacific re-*
18 *gion and would encourage actions supporting the eco-*
19 *nomie prosperity and security of the Indo-Pacific re-*
20 *gion.*

21 (4) *An assessment of measures, including trade*
22 *diversion or regional trade agreements, that would di-*
23 *minish the sway and influence of the market of the*
24 *People’s Republic of China with respect to countries*
25 *in the Indo-Pacific region.*

1 (5) *An analysis of measures that would help*
2 *countries in the Indo-Pacific region to build supply*
3 *chains independent of the People’s Republic of China.*

4 (c) *FORM.—The report under subsection (a) may be*
5 *submitted in classified form.*

6 (d) *DEFINITIONS.—In this section:*

7 (1) *APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMIT-*
8 *TEES.—The term “appropriate congressional commit-*
9 *tees” means—*

10 (A) *the congressional intelligence commit-*
11 *tees;*

12 (B) *the Committee on Foreign Affairs, the*
13 *Committee on Armed Services, the Committee on*
14 *Appropriations, and the Select Committee on the*
15 *Strategic Competition Between the United States*
16 *and the Chinese Communist Party of the House*
17 *of Representatives; and*

18 (C) *the Committee on Foreign Relations, the*
19 *Committee on Armed Services, and the Com-*
20 *mittee on Appropriations of the Senate.*

21 (2) *INDO-PACIFIC NATIONS.—The term “Indo-Pa-*
22 *cific region” includes the following countries:*

23 (A) *Australia.*

24 (B) *Bangladesh.*

25 (C) *Brunei.*

- 1 *(D) Burma (Myanmar).*
- 2 *(E) Cambodia.*
- 3 *(F) China.*
- 4 *(G) Democratic People's Republic of Korea.*
- 5 *(H) Federated States of Micronesia.*
- 6 *(I) Fiji.*
- 7 *(J) French Polynesia.*
- 8 *(K) India.*
- 9 *(L) Indonesia.*
- 10 *(M) Japan.*
- 11 *(N) Kiribati.*
- 12 *(O) Laos.*
- 13 *(P) Malaysia.*
- 14 *(Q) Maldives.*
- 15 *(R) Mongolia.*
- 16 *(S) Nauru.*
- 17 *(T) Niue.*
- 18 *(U) Nepal.*
- 19 *(V) New Zealand.*
- 20 *(W) Palau.*
- 21 *(X) Papua New Guinea.*
- 22 *(Y) Philippines.*
- 23 *(Z) Republic of Korea.*
- 24 *(AA) Republic of Marshall Islands.*
- 25 *(BB) Samoa.*

- 1 (CC) Singapore.
2 (DD) Solomon Islands.
3 (EE) Sri Lanka.
4 (FF) Thailand.
5 (GG) Timor-Leste.
6 (HH) Tonga.
7 (II) Tuvalu.
8 (JJ) Vanuatu.
9 (KK) Vietnam.

10 **SEC. 443. REPORT ON THE MISSION EFFECT OF CIVILIAN**
11 **HARM.**

12 (a) *REPORT.*—Not later than 180 days after the date
13 of the enactment of this Act, the Director of National Intel-
14 ligence, acting through the National Intelligence Council
15 and in coordination with the heads of the elements of the
16 intelligence community determined appropriate by the Di-
17 rector, shall submit to the appropriate congressional com-
18 mittees a report examining the extent to which civilian
19 harm that occurs during counterterrorism operations in-
20 forms analyses of the intelligence community on the mission
21 success of campaigns to degrade, disrupt, or defeat foreign
22 terrorist organizations.

23 (b) *MATTERS.*—The report under subsection (a) shall
24 include the following:

1 (1) *The methodology of the intelligence commu-*
2 *nity for measuring the effect of civilian harm.*

3 (2) *The extent to which analysts of the intel-*
4 *ligence community apply such methodology when as-*
5 *sessing the degree to which a terrorist group is de-*
6 *graded, disrupted, or defeated.*

7 (3) *A framework to enable analysts to assess, as*
8 *objectively as possible, the effect that civilian harm*
9 *has had on the mission of degrading, disrupting, or*
10 *defeating a terrorist group, or an explanation of why*
11 *such framework cannot be generated.*

12 (4) *The extent to which dissenting opinions of*
13 *analysts of the intelligence community are included*
14 *or highlighted in final written products presented to*
15 *senior policymakers of the United States.*

16 (5) *Recommendations to improve the quality of*
17 *future intelligence community analyses by accounting*
18 *for the effects of civilian harm on efforts to success-*
19 *fully degrade, disrupt, or defeat a foreign terrorist*
20 *group.*

21 (c) *FORM.—*

22 (1) *IN GENERAL.—The report under subsection*
23 *(a) may be submitted in classified form, but if so sub-*
24 *mitted, the report shall include an unclassified sum-*

1 *mary of key findings that is consistent with the pro-*
2 *tection of intelligence sources and methods.*

3 (2) *ANNEX.—The report under subsection (a)*
4 *shall include a classified annex that provides an in-*
5 *ventory of the following:*

6 (A) *Collection gaps and challenges that may*
7 *affect the analysis of the success or failure of*
8 *campaigns against terrorist groups.*

9 (B) *Actions taken by the Director of Na-*
10 *tional Intelligence to mitigate such gaps and*
11 *challenges.*

12 (d) *APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES DE-*
13 *FINED.—In this section, the term “appropriate congres-*
14 *sional committees” means—*

15 (1) *the congressional intelligence committees;*

16 (2) *the Subcommittee on Defense of the Com-*
17 *mittee on Appropriations of the House of Representa-*
18 *tives; and*

19 (3) *the Subcommittee on Defense of the Com-*
20 *mittee on Appropriations of the Senate.*

21 **SEC. 444. REPORT ON THE ECONOMIC OUTLOOK OF CHINA.**

22 (a) *IN GENERAL.—Not later than 120 days after the*
23 *date of the enactment of this Act, the Director of National*
24 *Intelligence, acting through the National Intelligence Coun-*
25 *cil, shall, in coordination with the Assistant Secretary of*

1 *the Treasury for Intelligence and Analysis and the Director*
2 *of the Central Intelligence Agency, submit to the congres-*
3 *sional intelligence committees a report on the economic out-*
4 *look of the People's Republic of China, which shall include*
5 *alternative analyses of the economic projections of the Peo-*
6 *ple's Republic of China.*

7 (b) *ELEMENTS.—The report required under subsection*
8 *(a) shall include the following:*

9 (1) *Assessments of the strengths and weaknesses*
10 *of the economy of the People's Republic of China, in-*
11 *cluding the potential effects of debt, demographics,*
12 *and China's international relationships.*

13 (2) *Potential challenges for the People's Republic*
14 *of China to sustain economic growth and the poten-*
15 *tial for global effects as a result.*

16 (3) *The implications of the economic future of*
17 *the People's Republic of China on the country's for-*
18 *ign and defense policy.*

19 **SEC. 445. REPEAL OF REQUIREMENT WITH RESPECT TO AS-**
20 **SESSMENTS REGARDING THE NORTHERN TRI-**
21 **ANGLE AND MEXICO.**

22 *Section 5522 of the National Defense Authorization*
23 *Act for Fiscal Year 2020 (Public Law 116–92; 133 Stat.*
24 *2152) is repealed.*

1 **TITLE V—MATTERS RELATING**
2 **TO DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE**
3 **AND OVERHEAD ARCHITEC-**
4 **TURE**

5 **SEC. 501. SENSE OF CONGRESS ON THE NEED FOR IN-**
6 **CREASED EFFORT AND RESOURCES IN THE**
7 **FIELD OF GEOMATICS.**

8 *It is the sense of Congress that—*

9 *(1) the intelligence community and the broader*
10 *United States Government require professionals with*
11 *advanced training in geomatics and geodesy and that*
12 *the preservation of these skillsets is crucial to advanc-*
13 *ing geospatial intelligence tradecraft for the United*
14 *States for national security and military operations;*

15 *(2) the intelligence community should use exist-*
16 *ing authorities to engage in novel ways with aca-*
17 *demie and industry partners to ensure the intelligence*
18 *community's demand signal for geomatics and geod-*
19 *esy professionals is received by the largest possible*
20 *number of United States citizens while also seeking to*
21 *foster a culture of academic excellence and research to*
22 *propel the field of geomatics forward at the pace of*
23 *innovation;*

24 *(3) by engaging with academic and industry*
25 *partners the intelligence community can help speed*

1 *the reversal of the current trend wherein the United*
2 *States not only produces fewer geomatics scientists*
3 *and engineers compared to its global competitors and*
4 *potential adversaries, but such competitors and adver-*
5 *saries also provide them with training and expertise*
6 *that could be used against the United States;*

7 *(4) there is abundant opportunity for the intel-*
8 *ligence community to advance its growing need for*
9 *geomatics and geodesy professionals by partnering*
10 *with American universities and researchers with*
11 *proven experience in diverse fields who can lead the*
12 *way to solving the United States most vexing*
13 *geomatics challenges; and*

14 *(5) the intelligence community must balance the*
15 *increasing demand for recruiting the best geomatics*
16 *and geodesy talent while still ensuring a dedicated*
17 *and patriotic workforce with allegiance to the Con-*
18 *stitution and the United States Government.*

19 **SEC. 502. DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE SENIOR INTEL-**
20 **LIGENCE OVERSIGHT OFFICIAL.**

21 *(a) IN GENERAL.—Subchapter I of chapter 21 of title*
22 *10, United States Code, is amended by adding at the end*
23 *the following:*

1 **“§ 430c. Senior Intelligence Oversight Official**

2 “(a) *ESTABLISHMENT.*—*The Secretary of Defense, or*
3 *a designee of the Secretary determined by regulations pre-*
4 *scribed by the Secretary, shall designate a civilian employee*
5 *of the Department of Defense in the Senior Executive Serv-*
6 *ice to serve as the Senior Intelligence Oversight Official.*

7 “(b) *RESPONSIBILITIES.*—*The Senior Intelligence*
8 *Oversight Official shall exercise independent oversight of all*
9 *intelligence, intelligence-related, and sensitive activities of*
10 *the Department of Defense, including activities involving—*

11 “(1) *tradecraft;*

12 “(2) *the operational use of an individual; or*

13 “(3) *clandestine operational tactics, techniques,*
14 *and procedures.*

15 “(c) *ACCESS.*—*The Senior Intelligence Oversight Offi-*
16 *cial shall have—*

17 “(1) *complete and unrestricted access to all in-*
18 *formation concerning any intelligence, intelligence-re-*
19 *lated, or sensitive activity of the Department of De-*
20 *fense regardless of classification or*
21 *compartmentalization, including special access pro-*
22 *grams, from any personnel or organizational entity of*
23 *the Department of Defense, to the extent necessary to*
24 *carry out the responsibilities and functions of the*
25 *Senior Intelligence Oversight Official; and*

1 “(2) direct access to the Secretary of Defense and
2 the Deputy Secretary of Defense, as circumstances re-
3 quire in the determination of the Senior Intelligence
4 Oversight Official.

5 “(d) REVIEW OF REGULATIONS.—The Secretary of De-
6 fense shall review and update Department of Defense Direc-
7 tive 5148.13, and any associated or successor regulation or
8 directive, to conform to this section.”.

9 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—The table of contents
10 in chapter 21 of such title is amended by adding at the
11 end of subchapter I the following new item:

 “430c. Senior Intelligence Oversight Official.”.

12 **SEC. 503. EXTENSION AND MODIFICATION OF DEPARTMENT**
13 **OF DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE AND COUNTER-**
14 **INTELLIGENCE EXPENSE AUTHORITY.**

15 Section 1057 of the National Defense Authorization
16 Act for Fiscal Year 2020 (Public Law 116-92; 133 Stat.
17 1593) is amended—

18 (1) in subsection (a), by striking “2025” and in-
19 serting “2030”;

20 (2) in subsection (d), by striking “2025” and in-
21 serting “2030”; and

22 (3) in subsection (e), by striking “\$100,000” and
23 inserting “\$125,000”.

1 **SEC. 504. AUTHORITY OF ARMY COUNTERINTELLIGENCE**

2 **AGENTS.**

3 (a) *IN GENERAL.*—Section 7377 of title 10, United
4 States Code, is amended—

5 (1) in the section heading, by inserting “**and**
6 **Army Counterintelligence Command**” before
7 the colon; and

8 (2) by amending subsection (b) to read as fol-
9 lows:

10 “(b) *AGENTS TO HAVE AUTHORITY.*—Subsection (a)
11 applies to any employee of the Department of the Army
12 who is—

13 “(1) a special agent of the Army Criminal Inves-
14 tigation Command (or a successor to that command)
15 whose duties include conducting, supervising, or co-
16 ordinating investigations of criminal activity in pro-
17 grams and operations of the Department of the Army;
18 or

19 “(2) a special agent of the Army Counterintel-
20 ligence Command (or a successor to that command)
21 whose duties include conducting, supervising, or co-
22 ordinating counterintelligence investigations in pro-
23 grams and operations of the Department of the
24 Army.”.

25 (b) *CLERICAL AMENDMENT.*—The table of sections at
26 the beginning of chapter 747 of such title is amended by

1 *striking the item relating to section 7377 and inserting the*
2 *following new item:*

“7377. Civilian special agents of the Criminal Investigation Command and Army Counterintelligence Command: authority to execute warrants and make arrests.”.

3 **SEC. 505. MODIFICATIONS TO NOTIFICATION ON THE PRO-**
4 **VISION OF DEFENSE SENSITIVE SUPPORT.**

5 *Section 1055 of the National Defense Authorization*
6 *Act for Fiscal Year 2017 (Public Law 114–328; 10 U.S.C.*
7 *113 note) is amended—*

8 *(1) in subsection (b)—*

9 *(A) in paragraph (1), by striking “para-*
10 *graph (3)” and inserting “paragraphs (3) and*
11 *(4)”;*

12 *(B) by redesignating paragraphs (3)*
13 *through (5) as paragraphs (4) through (6), re-*
14 *spectively;*

15 *(C) by inserting after paragraph (2) the fol-*
16 *lowing new paragraph:*

17 *“(3) ROUTINE DEFENSE SENSITIVE SUPPORT.—*
18 *In the event that the provision of defense sensitive*
19 *support is routine defense sensitive support, the Sec-*
20 *retary shall provide notification under paragraph (1)*
21 *on a quarterly basis after providing the support.”;*

22 *(D) in paragraph (4), as so redesignated—*

1 (i) in the paragraph heading, by in-
2 serting “AND EXTRAORDINARY SECURITY
3 PROTECTIONS” after “SUPPORT”;

4 (ii) in the matter preceding subpara-
5 graph (A)—

6 (I) by inserting “or requires ex-
7 traordinary security protections” after
8 “time-sensitive”; and

9 (II) by inserting “shall” after
10 “Secretary”;

11 (iii) in subparagraph (A)—

12 (I) by striking “may”;

13 (II) by inserting “or after the ac-
14 tivity supported concludes” after “pro-
15 viding the support”; and

16 (III) by striking “; and” and in-
17 serting “; or”; and

18 (iv) in subparagraph (B)—

19 (I) by striking “shall”; and

20 (II) by striking “notice as soon as
21 practicable after providing such sup-
22 port, but not later than 48 hours after
23 providing the support” and inserting
24 “notification simultaneously with the

1 *execution of the supported activity”;*

2 *and*

3 *(E) in paragraph (5), as so redesignated, by*

4 *striking “paragraphs (1) and (3)” and inserting*

5 *“paragraphs (1), (3), and (4)”;* *and*

6 *(2) in subsection (c)—*

7 *(A) in the subsection heading, by striking*

8 *“DEFENSE SENSITIVE SUPPORT DEFINED” and*

9 *inserting “DEFINITIONS”;*

10 *(B) by striking “, the term ‘defense sensitive*

11 *support’ means support provided by the Depart-*

12 *ment of Defense to a non-Department of Defense*

13 *Federal department or agency that requires spe-*

14 *cial protection from disclosure.” and inserting a*

15 *colon; and*

16 *(C) by adding at the end the following new*

17 *paragraphs:*

18 *“(1) The term ‘defense sensitive support’ means*

19 *support provided by the Department of Defense to a*

20 *non-Department of Defense Federal department or*

21 *agency that requires special protection from disclo-*

22 *sure.*

23 *“(2) The term ‘routine defense sensitive support’*

24 *has the meaning given such term elsewhere in the In-*

25 *telligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2025.”.*

1 **SEC. 506. REVISION OF SECRETARY OF DEFENSE AUTHOR-**
2 **ITY TO ENGAGE IN COMMERCIAL ACTIVITIES**
3 **AS SECURITY FOR INTELLIGENCE COLLEC-**
4 **TION ACTIVITIES.**

5 (a) *EXTENSION OF AUTHORITY.*—Section 431(a) of
6 title 10, United States Code, is amended by striking “De-
7 cember 31, 2024” and inserting “December 31, 2027”.

8 (b) *INTERAGENCY COORDINATION AND SUPPORT.*—
9 Section 431(b)(1) of such title is amended to read as follows:
10 “(1) be pre-coordinated with the Director of the
11 Central Intelligence Agency using procedures mutu-
12 ally agreed upon by the Secretary of Defense and the
13 Director, and, where appropriate, be supported by the
14 Director; and”.

15 **SEC. 507. PROMULGATING GUIDANCE RELATED TO CER-**
16 **TAIN DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE CONTRACTS.**

17 *Not later than January 31, 2025, the Secretary of De-*
18 *fense shall issue guidance on the governance and oversight*
19 *of the contracts of the Department of Defense that support*
20 *or enable sensitive activities.*

21 **SEC. 508. SENSE OF CONGRESS ON SPACE FORCE ACQUISI-**
22 **TION WORKFORCE.**

23 *It is the sense of Congress that—*

24 (1) *the National Reconnaissance Office and the*
25 *United States Space Force jointly benefit from a ro-*
26 *bust United States Space Force military and civilian*

1 *acquisition workforce that includes contracting offi-*
2 *cers, acquisition program managers, engineers, and*
3 *program control and finance professionals;*

4 *(2) the Permanent Select Committee on Intel-*
5 *ligence of the House of Representatives is concerned*
6 *that the United States Space Force's uneven emphasis*
7 *on developing space operators and making fewer ac-*
8 *quisition professionals available for assignments at*
9 *the National Reconnaissance Office can negatively af-*
10 *fect the procurement goals of the National Reconnaiss-*
11 *sance Office, particularly in support of United States*
12 *Space Force requirements; and*

13 *(3) a robust United States Space Force acquisi-*
14 *tion workforce, that encourages assignment opportuni-*
15 *ties at the National Reconnaissance Office, both bene-*
16 *fits the procurement goals of the National Reconnaiss-*
17 *sance Office and provides valuable experience that ac-*
18 *quisition professionals can apply to future United*
19 *States Space Force assignments.*

1 **TITLE VI—MATTERS RELATING**
2 **TO CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE**
3 **AGENCY**

4 **SEC. 601. REQUIREMENTS FOR THE SPECIAL VICTIM INVESTIGATOR.**
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6 *Section 32(a) of the Central Intelligence Agency Act*
7 *of 1949 (50 U.S.C. 3533(a)) is amended by adding at the*
8 *end the following: “No individual appointed as the Special*
9 *Victim Investigator may, at the time of such appointment,*
10 *be a current employee of the Central Intelligence Agency.”.*

11 **SEC. 602. RESERVE FOR CONTINGENCIES NOTIFICATION**
12 **REQUIREMENT.**

13 *Section 504(a)(2) of the National Security Act of 1947*
14 *(50 U.S.C. 3094(a)(2)) is amended by inserting “and, not*
15 *later than 10 days after the date of the obligation or expend-*
16 *iture of such funds, of the activity requiring such obligation*
17 *or expenditure” before the semicolon.*

18 **SEC. 603. GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTABILITY OFFICE STUDY**
19 **AND REPORT ON MODERNIZATION INITIA-**
20 **TIVE OF THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGEN-**
21 **CY.**

22 *(a) REQUIREMENT.—The Comptroller General of the*
23 *United States shall conduct a study on the impacts of the*
24 *Central Intelligence Agency’s modernization initiative.*

1 (b) *ELEMENTS.*—*The study required under subsection*
2 *(a) may include the following:*

3 (1) *An assessment of the Agency’s implementa-*
4 *tion of changes pursuant to the modernization initia-*
5 *tive, including organizational changes and changes to*
6 *Agency activities.*

7 (2) *An assessment of how any new administra-*
8 *tive requirements made pursuant to the moderniza-*
9 *tion initiative have affected Agency activities.*

10 (3) *An evaluation of whether the Agency’s imple-*
11 *mentation of changes pursuant to the modernization*
12 *initiative have affected the Agency’s ability to antici-*
13 *pate and respond to emerging issues.*

14 (4) *An assessment of the extent to which the*
15 *Agency’s implementation of changes pursuant to the*
16 *modernization initiative have—*

17 (A) *fostered an organizational climate and*
18 *structure that allows personnel in analytic and*
19 *operational fields to take professional risks;*

20 (B) *grown the role of analytic personnel*
21 *and provided opportunities for them to become*
22 *subject matter experts within the analytical ca-*
23 *reer fields; and*

1 (C) *changed the number of personnel from*
2 *analytical fields represented in managerial and*
3 *policy positions.*

4 (5) *Other matters deemed relevant by the Comp-*
5 *troller General.*

6 (c) *BRIEFING; REPORT.—*

7 (1) *BRIEFING.—Not later than 180 days after*
8 *the date of the enactment of this Act, the Comptroller*
9 *General shall provide to the appropriate congressional*
10 *committees a briefing on the preliminary findings of*
11 *the study conducted under subsection (a) at a time*
12 *that is mutually agreed upon by the appropriate con-*
13 *gressional committees and the Comptroller General.*

14 (2) *REPORT REQUIREMENT.—*

15 (A) *SUBMISSION TO CONGRESS.—Not later*
16 *than 1 year after the date of the enactment of*
17 *this Act, the Comptroller General shall submit to*
18 *the appropriate congressional committees a re-*
19 *port on the results of the study conducted under*
20 *subsection (a).*

21 (B) *FORM OF REPORT.—The report re-*
22 *quired under this subsection shall be submitted*
23 *in unclassified form but may include a classified*
24 *annex.*

25 (d) *DEFINITIONS.—In this section:*

1 (1) *APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMIT-*
2 *TEES.—The term “appropriate congressional commit-*
3 *tees” means—*

4 (A) *the Committee on Appropriations and*
5 *the Select Committee on Intelligence of the Sen-*
6 *ate; and*

7 (B) *the Committee on Appropriations and*
8 *the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence*
9 *of the House of Representatives.*

10 (2) *AGENCY.—The term “Agency” means the*
11 *Central Intelligence Agency.*

12 **TITLE VII—MATTERS RELATING**
13 **TO TECHNOLOGY AND INNO-**
14 **VATION**

15 **SEC. 701. SENSITIVE COMPARTMENTED INFORMATION FA-**
16 **CILITY ACCREDITATION.**

17 (a) *IN GENERAL.—The Under Secretary of Defense for*
18 *Intelligence and Security shall, not later than December 31,*
19 *2029—*

20 (1) *assign responsibility to the Defense Counter-*
21 *intelligence and Security Agency for the accreditation*
22 *of sensitive compartmented information facilities for*
23 *all components of the Department of Defense, includ-*
24 *ing the military departments, except with respect to*
25 *the National Security Agency, the National Recon-*

1 *naissance Office, and the National Geospatial-Intel-*
2 *ligence Agency; and*

3 *(2) ensure that the Defense Counterintelligence*
4 *and Security Agency has the appropriate staff to suc-*
5 *cessfully carry out such responsibility.*

6 *(b) NOTIFICATION WITH RESPECT TO RESOURCE RE-*
7 *QUIREMENTS.—The Under Secretary of Defense for Intel-*
8 *ligence and Security shall notify the congressional intel-*
9 *ligence committees and the congressional defense committees*
10 *with respect to the resource requirements for the Defense*
11 *Counterintelligence and Security Agency to carry out the*
12 *accreditation responsibility under subsection (a).*

13 *(c) SUBMISSION OF REPORT TO CONGRESS.—The*
14 *Under Secretary of Defense for Intelligence and Security*
15 *shall, in consultation with the Director of the National Se-*
16 *curity Agency, the Director of the National Reconnaissance*
17 *Office, and the Director of the National Geospatial-Intel-*
18 *ligence Agency, submit to the congressional intelligence*
19 *committees and the Committees on Armed Services of the*
20 *House of Representatives and the Senate a report not later*
21 *than December 31, 2027, on the feasibility of the Defense*
22 *Counterintelligence and Security Agency assuming accredi-*
23 *tation responsibility with respect to sensitive compart-*
24 *mented information facilities for the National Security*
25 *Agency, the National Reconnaissance Office, and the Na-*

1 *tional Geospatial-Intelligence Agency by December 31,*
2 *2029.*

3 (d) *CONGRESSIONAL DEFENSE COMMITTEES DE-*
4 *FINED.—In this section, the term “congressional defense*
5 *committees” has the meaning given that term in section*
6 *101(a)(16) of title 10, United States Code.*

7 **SEC. 702. STUDY OF INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY RESEARCH**
8 **SECURITY.**

9 (a) *STUDY.—The Director of National Intelligence*
10 *shall conduct a study on preventing intelligence community*
11 *research grant funding from improperly benefiting foreign*
12 *countries of concern.*

13 (b) *ELEMENTS.—The study under subsection (a) shall*
14 *include the following:*

15 (1) *An evaluation of the intelligence commu-*
16 *nity’s current research security practices, including*
17 *with respect to the requirements under section 121 of*
18 *the National Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 3061).*

19 (2) *An evaluation of the feasibility and effects of*
20 *prohibiting the award of an intelligence community*
21 *grant for research to any individual or institution if*
22 *the head of the relevant element of the intelligence*
23 *community cannot verify that such grantee does not*
24 *partner, formally or informally, with individuals*
25 *from institutions located in any country of concern,*

1 *or with institutions or entities from or located in any*
2 *country of concern, subject to a waiver of such prohi-*
3 *bition, on a case by case basis, by the head or deputy*
4 *of the element of the intelligence community.*

5 *(3) Recommendations for the operational imple-*
6 *mentation of the prohibition described in paragraph*
7 *(2).*

8 *(c) REPORT.—*

9 *(1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days after*
10 *the date of the enactment of this Act, the Director*
11 *shall submit to the congressional intelligence commit-*
12 *tees a report containing the results of the study con-*
13 *ducted under subsection (a) and the recommendations*
14 *required under subsection (b)(3).*

15 *(2) FORM.—The report required under para-*
16 *graph (1) shall be submitted in unclassified form, but*
17 *may include a classified annex.*

18 *(d) COUNTRY OF CONCERN DEFINED.—For purposes*
19 *of this section, the term “country of concern” has the mean-*
20 *ing given that term in section 1(m)(1) of the State Depart-*
21 *ment Basic Authorities Act of 1956 (22 U.S.C.*
22 *2651a(m)(1)).*

23 **SEC. 703. REPORT ON BIOTECHNOLOGY.**

24 *(a) REPORTING REQUIREMENT.—Not later than June*
25 *30, 2025, the head of each covered element of the intelligence*

1 *community shall submit a separate report to the congress-*
2 *sional intelligence committees with respect to biotechnology*
3 *threats and intelligence activities related to biotechnology*
4 *threats.*

5 (b) *MATTERS INCLUDED.—Each report under sub-*
6 *section (a) shall include, with respect to each covered ele-*
7 *ment of the intelligence community, the following:*

8 (1) *A description of any gaps that exist with re-*
9 *spect to intelligence activities that impede such ele-*
10 *ment from fully targeting, collecting, and analyzing*
11 *intelligence related to biotechnology threats.*

12 (2) *A description of any existing formal mecha-*
13 *nisms by which the intelligence community provides*
14 *intelligence and support with respect to biotechnology*
15 *threats to—*

16 (A) *departments and agencies of the Federal*
17 *Government outside the intelligence community;*

18 (B) *the governments of foreign countries;*

19 *and*

20 (C) *private industry and academic institu-*
21 *tions.*

22 (3) *An assessment of any existing mechanisms*
23 *and manners by which the intelligence community*
24 *consults with biotechnology experts and other outside*
25 *experts with related expertise.*

1 (c) *COVERED ELEMENTS OF THE INTELLIGENCE COM-*
2 *MUNITY.—For purposes of this section, the covered elements*
3 *of the intelligence community are as follows:*

4 (1) *The Central Intelligence Agency.*

5 (2) *The Defense Intelligence Agency.*

6 (3) *The Federal Bureau of Investigation.*

7 (4) *The National Security Agency.*

8 (5) *The Office of the Director of National Intel-*
9 *ligence.*

10 **SEC. 704. DATA WITH RESPECT TO TIMELINESS OF SECU-**
11 **RITY CLEARANCE DETERMINATIONS.**

12 *Section 7702 of the National Defense Authorization*
13 *Act for Fiscal Year 2024 (50 U.S.C. 3352h) is amended by*
14 *adding at the end the following new subsection:*

15 “(d) *DATA WITH RESPECT TO TIMELINESS OF SECU-*
16 *RITY CLEARANCE DETERMINATIONS.—*

17 “(1) *IN GENERAL.—With respect to each report*
18 *on compliance with timeliness standards for ren-*
19 *dering determinations of trust for personnel vetting*
20 *prepared pursuant to subsection (b), the Director of*
21 *National Intelligence shall make available to the con-*
22 *gressional intelligence committees as soon as prac-*
23 *ticable the raw data with respect to the timeliness of*
24 *security clearance determinations used to prepare*
25 *each such report in machine-readable format for each*

1 *element of the intelligence community that collects*
2 *such data.*

3 “(2) *FORM AND CLASSIFICATION JUSTIFICA-*
4 *TION.—The data provided to the congressional intel-*
5 *ligence committees under paragraph (1) shall be sub-*
6 *mitted in unclassified form to the greatest extent pos-*
7 *sible and shall contain a justification for the classi-*
8 *fication of any such data provided, which shall in-*
9 *clude citations to the applicable classification guide*
10 *which explain the reason any such data is classi-*
11 *fied.”.*

12 **SEC. 705. DATA WITH RESPECT TO TIMELINESS OF POLY-**
13 **GRAPH EXAMINATIONS.**

14 *Section 7702 of the National Defense Authorization*
15 *Act for Fiscal Year 2024 (50 U.S.C. 3352h), as amended*
16 *by section 704, is further amended by adding at the end*
17 *the following new subsection:*

18 “(e) *DATA WITH RESPECT TO TIMELINESS OF POLY-*
19 *GRAPH EXAMINATIONS.—*

20 “(1) *IN GENERAL.—With respect to each report*
21 *on compliance with timeliness standards for ren-*
22 *dering determinations of trust for personnel vetting*
23 *prepared pursuant to subsection (b), the Director of*
24 *National Intelligence shall make available to the con-*
25 *gressional intelligence committees as soon as prac-*

1 *licable the raw data with respect to the timeliness of*
2 *polygraph examinations used to prepare each such re-*
3 *port in machine-readable format for each element of*
4 *the intelligence community that collects such data.*

5 *“(2) FORM AND CLASSIFICATION JUSTIFICA-*
6 *TION.—The data provided to the congressional intel-*
7 *ligence committees under paragraph (1) shall be sub-*
8 *mitted in unclassified form to the greatest extent pos-*
9 *sible and shall contain a justification for the classi-*
10 *fication of any such data provided, which shall in-*
11 *clude citations to the applicable classification guide*
12 *which explain the reason any such data is classi-*
13 *fied.”.*

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