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H. R. 9289

To direct the Secretary of Defense to establish a Connected Vehicle Cybersecurity Center in the Department of Defense, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

AUGUST 2, 2024

Ms. SLOTKIN introduced the following bill; which was referred to the
Committee on Armed Services

A BILL

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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. ESTABLISHMENT OF CONNECTED VEHICLE CY-**
4 **BERSECURITY CENTER IN DEPARTMENT OF**
5 **DEFENSE.**

6 (a) ESTABLISHMENT.—The Secretary of Defense
7 shall establish a Connected Vehicle Cybersecurity Center
8 in the Department of Defense. Such Center shall be de-
9 signed to enable cost savings and rapid demonstrations by
10 leveraging commercial investments in automotive cyber se-

1 curity technology research, development, testing, and
2 manufacturing scale for passenger automobile, truck, and
3 Department of Defense ground combat and tactical vehicle
4 applications.

5 (b) ANNUAL REPORT.—The Secretary of Defense
6 shall submit to Congress an annual report on the imple-
7 mentation of subsection (a), which shall include progress
8 milestones on the establishment of the Center, research,
9 development, testing, and evaluation projects, and Federal
10 agency use.

11 (c) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There is
12 authorized to be appropriated to carry out this section
13 \$12,000,000.

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