### MARKUP OF H.R. 5077

Friday, April 29, 2016

U.S. House of Representatives,

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence,

Washington, D.C.

The committee met, pursuant to call, at 9:04 a.m., in Room HVC-304, the

Capitol, the Honorable Devin Nunes [chairman of the committee] presiding.

Present: Representatives.

Nunes, Miller, Conaway, King, LoBiondo, Rooney, Heck, Pompeo, Ros-Lehtinen, Turner, Wenstrup, Stewart, Schiff, Himes, Sewell, Carson, Speier, Quigley, Swalwell, and Murphy.

Staff Present: Damon Nelson, Staff Director; Michael Ellis, General Counsel; Lisa Major, Professional Staff Member; Alex Kent, Congressional Fellow; Philip Tubesing, Congressional Fellow; Steve Keith, Professional Staff Member; Chelsey Campbell, Professional Staff Member; Andrew House, Professional Staff Member; Geof Kahn, Professional Staff Member; Diane Rinaldo, Professional Staff Member; Shannon Stuart, Budget Director; William Flanigan, Professional Staff Member; Doug Presley, Professional Staff Member; Scott Glabe, Deputy General Counsel; George Pappas, Senior Advisor; Crystal Weeks, Law Clerk; Nick Ciarlante, Clerk; Michael Bahar, Minority Staff Director; Tim Bergreen, Minority Deputy Staff Director; Carly Blake, Minority Budget Director; Linda Cohen, Minority Professional Staff Member; Wells Bennett, Minority Counsel; Thomas Eager, Minority Associate Professional Staff Member; Robert Minehart, Minority Senior Advisor; Amanda Rogers Thorpe, Minority Professional Staff Member; Rheanne Wirkkala, Minority Professional Staff Member; Kristin Jepson, Security Director; Jon Burks, National Security Advisor for the Speaker; and Anthony Sciascia, Office of Legislative Counsel. THE CHAIRMAN: The committee will come to order. We have one item of business today: the markup of H.R. 5077, the Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2017. As a reminder, even though we are in the committee's closed hearing room, we are currently in open session.

The annual authorization bill is the primary mechanism for the committee to exercise oversight of intelligence programs and it is critical to our oversight efforts that we continue to pass an annual authorization bill.

Since 2011, this committee has done great work in enacting annual bipartisan intelligence authorization bills, and I look forward to continuing that trend this year. This bill is a bipartisan effort. We have worked closely with the minority members to develop both the legislative text and the classified Annex, and the bill is stronger for it. Importantly, the bill also continues the committee's commitment to providing the Intelligence Community the resources to accomplish its demanding mission of securing and defending America.

Overall, the funding authorized by this bill is slightly above the President's budget request, but still below last year's enacted level. The overall funding is also consistent with the bipartisan Budget Act of 2015. Furthermore, the bill funds the Military Intelligence Program in line with the levels of the committee-passed National Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 2017.

The bill funds high-priority initiatives not included in the President's request, trims requested increases that lack justifications, and reflects the committee's determinations of which programs represent the best value for intelligence dollars in a challenging budget environment.

Before we consider the bill, I would like to thank all of our members -- majority and minority -- for their contributions to the committee's oversight over the past year, and especially to our subcommittee chairmen and

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ranking members for their expertise on the programs within their subcommittee's jurisdictions.

The many hearings, briefings, and oversight visits all of you carry out during the year provide the inputs for the authorization and the direction in this annual bill.

I would also like to thank our professional staff for their work preparing this bill. All of our staff has worked long hours, kept their focus, and diligently prepared the committee's marks this year. I would especially like to thank our majority budget director, Shannon Stuart, and her minority counterpart, Carly Blake, and the guy who really runs things around here, and who, as of today, is the committee's new chief clerk, Nick.

THE CHAIRMAN: It is easy to forget just how extensive our oversight is across the many departments, agencies and programs within the IC. Our professional staff tracks IC programs day in and day out, maintaining consistent oversight to put together a bill we can all be proud of.

I would now yield to Mr. Schiff for any opening comments he would like to make.

MR. SCHIFF: Thank you, Mr. Chairman. First, I want to thank you, Mr. Chairman. Chairman Nunes has once again proven an invaluable partner in drafting this bipartisan legislation that authorizes our most critical intelligence programs will continue to enable and promote the most thorough oversight. Mr. Chairman, you and your members have worked with us as you have done before to solve real problems and find real solutions. And I also want to join in thanking the minority and the majority staff who worked so hard to prepare this important legislation. I look forward to advancing this bill out of the committee and to voting for it on the House floor.

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In particular, I am pleased that the fiscal year 2017 Intelligence Authorization Act addresses the key questions we have been asking over the course of the year. First, are we focusing too much on the threats of the day at the expense of the threats of tomorrow? Over the years we spent significant resources on counterterrorism priorities in the Middle East and South Asia, and of course, we must continue to focus on CT, particularly with the rising threat of ISIL. But we cannot disregard our near-peer competitors such as China and Russia whose increasing adventurism beyond their borders challenges our interests and influence abroad and threatens our allies and partners. I am pleased this year's IAA invests in collection analysis of these and other hard-target countries and provides resources for increased language training and capabilities.

Second, are we sufficiently protecting what we currently have, whether in cyberspace, space or at sea? In order to address our ever-increasing security challenges and the growing capabilities of our adversaries, we must continue to protect our own capabilities in space, at sea and in the cyber realm. This requires investment in supply chain security, resilience in space, and protection of our equities at sea.

I am proud that this year's IAA focuses heavily in each of these areas. Our adversaries will not simply confine themselves to terrestrial battlefields so we must ensure we are protecting the capabilities we have that extend beyond these battlefields as well.

Third, are we leveraging commercial products and services while, at the same time, making investments in revolutionary technologies that do not yet have commercial application? We have the world's most productive and innovative private sector, particularly when it comes to space. We must leverage and

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support it whenever we can and I am pleased the IAA does that. At the same time, the bill recognizes the government must invest in the most advanced game-changing technologies that are not yet ready for the market.

Fourth, are we recruiting, training and developing the most effective and diverse workforce as well as leveraging foreign intelligence relationships and building foreign partner capacity? The U.S. has the most advanced, most capable, and most reliable Intelligence Community and personnel in the world. This bill identifies ways to further improve the workforce by expanding diversity in the IC, promoting travel, and supporting language training.

There is also no better reason we cannot improve our capabilities, better ensure our security, and promote global stability by enhancing our foreign partnerships. The IAA provides critical support to build the capacity of foreign liaison services, and does so strategically and in a way that helps ensure their utmost professionalism and respect for the rule of law.

Finally, the bill includes several important provisions championed by my colleagues in the minority, including Mr. Himes' provision to reform the prepublication review process to ensure fairness and timeliness of review; Ms. Sewell's language to improve the Centers for Academic Excellence, which will encourage geographically and demographically diverse students to join our National Security cadre, and a provision to evaluate the success of the IC's federally-funded academic programs; Mr. Carson's requirements for the ODNI to publish symbols associated with terrorist groups which will support programs seeking to counter violent extremism; his provision to ensure State Department and DHS CVE programs are in concert, and his requirement to receive information on the operational impacts of foreign investments in the U.S.; Ms. Speier's

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provisions to support mental health resilience among civilians in the IC, to ensure transparency by managing declassification review costs, to improve DIA's graduate education opportunities, and a requirement for study to determine whether IC contractors are being subject to reprisals for whistleblowing; Mr. Quigley's continued support to our security partners in Ukraine; Mr. Swalwell's mark requiring a report on the status of loan forgiveness and debt counseling programs across the IC, his provision with Mr. LoBiondo to track foreign fighter flows, and his requirement for a report to explore how the Departments of Homeland Security and Energy can further utilize the expertise at our national labs; and Mr. Murphy's provision to improve JCPOA monitoring, his provision to better understand the cyber vulnerabilities within our seaports and transshipment points, and ways to improve our preparedness and response to maritime cyber attacks, and his requirement for a report on maritime smuggling routes.

I should note there is one element that did not make it into the IAA this year that we were urging. For years, I pushed the administration and Congress to support the publication of an annual report on the number of combatants and noncombatants killed in lethal strikes. Despite our best efforts to ensure to a near certainty that no civilians will be killed or injured, sometimes strikes do result in civilian casualties, and it is important we acknowledge those accidents and learn from them. At the same time, greater transparency can help narrow the perception gap between what really happens and what is reported or set out as propaganda.

Soon, the administration will release the first accountability report. This is a good thing, but I also believe there is value in considering a statutory requirement to make this executive action permanent, ensuring that our

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commitment to transparency extends beyond the term of the current administration. I am very proud to support this year's Intelligence Authorization Act, and once again, I thank my minority and majority colleagues for working together to authorize, as well as oversee, to support as well as scrutinize, and to help make sure that U.S. intelligence programs are lawful, efficient, effective, and in keeping with our highest traditions.

I thank you again, Mr. Chairman, and I yield back.

THE CHAIRMAN: The gentleman yields back. And I, too, want to thank Mr. Schiff for his bipartisan effort. This committee is the most sought-after committee, at least on our side. I think there are over 50 Members that want to be on the committee. I am sure it is probably similar on your side. But I think part of the reason people want to be on this committee is because we work together, and we get our work done, and probably because the cameras are off most of the time. But Mr. Schiff, thank you once again for you and your team working closely with ours. It makes -- I think we do a much better job when we work together for the entire Intelligence Community. So thank you.

Pursuant to notice, I call up H.R. 5077, the Intelligence Authorization Act for fiscal year 2017. Without objection, the bill will be considered as read and open for amendment at any point.

[The bill follows:]

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(Original Signature of Member)

114TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION

To authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2017 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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### IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. NUNES (for himself and Mr. SCHIFF) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_\_

### A BILL

- To authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2017 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.

- (a) SHORT TITLE.—This Act may be cited as the
- 5 "Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2017".

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### 1 (b) TABLE OF CONTENTS.—The table of contents for

### 2 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. Personnel ceiling adjustments.

Sec. 104. Intelligence Community Management Account.

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

Sec. 201. Authorization of appropriations.

### TITLE III—GENERAL PROVISIONS

- Sec. 301. Increase in employee compensation and benefits authorized by law.
- Sec. 302. Restriction on conduct of intelligence activities.
- Sec. 303. Authorization of appropriations for Privacy and Civil Liberties Oversight Board.
- Sec. 304. Modification of certain whistleblowing procedures.
- Sec. 305. Reports on major defense intelligence acquisition programs.
- Sec. 306. Modifications to certain requirements for construction of facilities.
- Sec. 307. Information on activities of Privacy and Civil Liberties Oversight Board.
- Sec. 308. Clarification of authorization of certain activities of the Department of Energy.
- See. 309. Technical correction to Executive Schedule.
- Sec. 310. Maximum amount charged for declassification reviews.

### TITLE IV—MATTERS RELATING TO ELEMENTS OF THE INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY

Subtitle A—Office of the Director of National Intelligence

- Sec. 401. Analyses and impact statements by Director of National Intelligence regarding actions by Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States.
- Sec. 402. National Counterintelligence and Security Center.
- Sec. 403. Assistance for governmental entities and private entities in recognizing online violent extremist content.

Subtitle B—Central Intelligence Agency and Other Elements

- Sec. 411. Enhanced death benefits for employees of the Central Intelligence Agency.
- Sec. 412. Pay and retirement authorities of the Inspector General of the Central Intelligence Agency.
- Sec. 413. Clarification of authority, direction, and control over the information assurance directorate of the National Security Agency.
- Sec. 414. Living quarters allowance for employees of the Defense Intelligence Agency.

- Sec. 415. Plan on assumption of certain weather missions by the National Reconnaissance Office.
- Sec. 416. Modernization of security clearance information technology architecture.

### TITLE V—MATTERS RELATING TO UNITED STATES NAVAL STATION, GUANTANAMO BAY, CUBA

Sec. 501. Declassification of information on past terrorist activities of detainees transferred from United States Naval Station, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, after signing of Executive Order 13492.

### TITLE VI-REPORTS AND OTHER MATTERS

- Sec. 601. Report on intelligence community employees detailed to National Security Council.
- Sec. 602. Intelligence community reporting to Congress on foreign fighter flows.
- Sec. 603. Report on information relating to academic programs, scholarships, fellowships, and internships sponsored, administered, or used by the intelligence community.
- Sec. 604. Report on cybersecurity threats to seaports of the United States and maritime shipping.

Sec. 605. Report on counter-messaging activities.

Sec. 606. Report on reprisals against contractors of the intelligence community.

### 1 SEC. 2. DEFINITIONS.

- 2 In this Act:
- 3 (1) CONGRESSIONAL INTELLIGENCE COMMIT-4 TEES.—The term "congressional intelligence com-5 mittees" means-6 (A) the Select Committee on Intelligence of 7 the Senate; and (B) the Permanent Select Committee on 8 9 Intelligence of the House of Representatives. INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY.—The 10 term (2)11 "intelligence community" has the meaning given 12 that term in section 3(4) of the National Security
- 13 Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 3003(4)).

# 1 TITLE I—INTELLIGENCE 2 ACTIVITIES

### 3 SEC. 101. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.

Funds are hereby authorized to be appropriated for
fiscal year 2017 for the conduct of the intelligence and
intelligence-related activities of the following elements of
the United States Government:

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

- 10 (2) The Central Intelligence Agency.
- 11 (3) The Department of Defense.
- 12 (4) The Defense Intelligence Agency.
- 13 (5) The National Security Agency.
- 14 (6) The Department of the Army, the Depart-
- 15 ment of the Navy, and the Department of the Air16 Force.
- 17 (7) The Coast Guard.
- 18 (8) The Department of State.
- 19 (9) The Department of the Treasury.
- 20 (10) The Department of Energy.
- 21 (11) The Department of Justice.
- 22 (12) The Federal Bureau of Investigation.
- 23 (13) The Drug Enforcement Administration.
- 24 (14) The National Reconnaissance Office.

1 (15) The National Geospatial-Intelligence Agen-2 cy.

(16) The Department of Homeland Security.

### **4** SEC. 102. CLASSIFIED SCHEDULE OF AUTHORIZATIONS.

5 (a) Specifications of Amounts and Personnel 6 LEVELS.—The amounts authorized to be appropriated under section 101 and, subject to section 103, the author-7 8 ized personnel ceilings as of September 30, 2017, for the 9 conduct of the intelligence activities of the elements listed 10 in paragraphs (1) through (16) of section 101, are those 11 specified in the classified Schedule of Authorizations pre-12 pared to accompany this Act.

13 (b) AVAILABILITY OF CLASSIFIED SCHEDULE OF AU14 THORIZATIONS.—

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

(2) DISTRIBUTION BY THE PRESIDENT.—Subject to paragraph (3), the President shall provide for
suitable distribution of the classified Schedule of Authorizations, or of appropriate portions of the Schedule, within the executive branch.

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
6 Implementing Recommendations of the 9/11
7 Commission Act of 2007 (50 U.S.C. 3306(a));
8 (B) to the extent necessary to implement
9 the budget; or

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(C) as otherwise required by law.

### 11 SEC. 103. PERSONNEL CEILING ADJUSTMENTS.

12 (a) AUTHORITY FOR INCREASES.—The Director of National Intelligence may authorize employment of civil-13 14 ian personnel in excess of the number authorized for fiscal year 2017 by the classified Schedule of Authorizations re-15 ferred to in section 102(a) if the Director of National In-16 telligence determines that such action is necessary to the 17 performance of important intelligence functions, except 18 that the number of personnel employed in excess of the 19 number authorized under such section may not, for any 20 21 element of the intelligence community, exceed 3 percent 22 of the number of civilian personnel authorized under such schedule for such element. 23

24 (b) TREATMENT OF CERTAIN PERSONNEL.—The Di-25 rector of National Intelligence shall establish guidelines

that govern, for each element of the intelligence commu nity, the treatment under the personnel levels authorized
 under section 102(a), including any exemption from such
 personnel levels, of employment or assignment in—

5 (1) a student program, trainee program, or
6 similar program;

7 (2) a reserve corps or as a reemployed annu8 itant; or

9 (3) details, joint duty, or long-term, full-time
10 training.

(c) NOTICE TO CONGRESSIONAL INTELLIGENCE
COMMITTEES.—The Director of National Intelligence
shall notify the congressional intelligence committees in
writing at least 15 days prior to each exercise of an authority described in subsection (a).

## 16SEC. 104. INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY MANAGEMENT AC-17COUNT.

(a) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There is
authorized to be appropriated for the Intelligence Community Management Account of the Director of National Intelligence for fiscal year 2017 the sum of \$518,596,000.
Within such amount, funds identified in the classified
Schedule of Authorizations referred to in section 102(a)
for advanced research and development shall remain available until September 30, 2018.

1 (b) AUTHORIZED PERSONNEL LEVELS.—The elements within the Intelligence Community Management 2 Account of the Director of National Intelligence are au-3 4 thorized 787 positions as of September 30, 2017. Per-5 sonnel serving in such elements may be permanent em-6 ployees of the Office of the Director of National Intelligence or personnel detailed from other elements of the 7 8 United States Government.

9 (c) CLASSIFIED AUTHORIZATIONS.—

10 (1) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—In 11 addition to amounts authorized to be appropriated for the Intelligence Community Management Ac-12 13 count by subsection (a), there are authorized to be 14 appropriated for the Community Management Ac-15 count for fiscal year 2017 such additional amounts 16 as are specified in the classified Schedule of Author-17 izations referred to in section 102(a). Such addi-18 tional amounts for advanced research and develop-19 ment shall remain available until September 30, 20 2018.

(2) AUTHORIZATION OF PERSONNEL.—In addition to the personnel authorized by subsection (b)
for elements of the Intelligence Community Management Account as of September 30, 2017, there are
authorized such additional personnel for the Com-

munity Management Account as of that date as are
 specified in the classified Schedule of Authorizations
 referred to in section 102(a).

# 4 TITLE II—CENTRAL INTEL5 LIGENCE AGENCY RETIRE6 MENT AND DISABILITY SYS7 TEM

### 8 SEC. 201. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.

9 There is authorized to be appropriated for the Cen10 tral Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability Fund
11 for fiscal year 2017 the sum of \$514,000,000.

# 12 TITLE III—GENERAL 13 PROVISIONS

14 SEC. 301. INCREASE IN EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION AND

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BENEFITS AUTHORIZED BY LAW.

16 Appropriations authorized by this Act for salary, pay, 17 retirement, and other benefits for Federal employees may 18 be increased by such additional or supplemental amounts 19 as may be necessary for increases in such compensation 20 or benefits authorized by law.

# 21 SEC. 302. RESTRICTION ON CONDUCT OF INTELLIGENCE 22 ACTIVITIES.

The authorization of appropriations by this Act shallnot be deemed to constitute authority for the conduct of

any intelligence activity which is not otherwise authorized
 by the Constitution or the laws of the United States.

3 SEC. 303. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR PRI4 VACY AND CIVIL LIBERTIES OVERSIGHT
5 BOARD.

6 (a) REQUIREMENT FOR AUTHORIZATIONS.—Sub7 section (m) of section 1061 of the Intelligence Reform and
8 Terrorism Prevention Act of 2004 (42 U.S.C. 2000ee(m))
9 is amended to read as follows:

10 "(m) FUNDING.—

"(1) SPECIFIC AUTHORIZATION REQUIRED.—
Appropriated funds available to the Board may be
obligated or expended to carry out activities under
this section only if such funds were specifically authorized by Congress for use for such activities for
such fiscal year.

17 "(2) DEFINITION.—In this subsection, the term
18 'specifically authorized by Congress' has the mean19 ing given that term in section 504(e) of the National
20 Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 3094(e)).".

(b) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There is
authorized to be appropriated to the Privacy and Civil Liberties Oversight Board for fiscal year 2017 the sum of
\$10,081,000 to carry out the activities of the Board under

section 1061 of the Intelligence Reform and Terrorism
 Prevention Act of 2004 (42 U.S.C. 2000ee(m)).

# 3 SEC. 304. MODIFICATION OF CERTAIN WHISTLEBLOWING 4 PROCEDURES.

5 (a) CLARIFICATION OF WHISTLEBLOWING PROCE-6 DURES AVAILABLE TO CERTAIN PERSONNEL.—Sub-7 section (a)(1)(A) of section 8H of the Inspector General 8 Act of 1978 (5 U.S.C. App.) is amended by inserting after 9 "Security Agency," the following: "including any such em-10 ployee who is assigned or detailed to a combatant com-11 mand or other element of the Federal Government,".

12 (b) CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY.—

13 (1) ROLE OF DIRECTOR.—Section 17(d)(5) of
14 the Central Intelligence Agency Act of 1949 (50
15 U.S.C. 3517(d)(5)) is amended—

16	(A) in subparagraph (B)—
17	(i) by striking clause (ii);
18	(ii) by striking "(i) Not" and insert-
19	ing "Not"; and
20	(iii) by striking "to the Director" and
21	inserting "to the intelligence committees";
22	and
23	(B) in subparagraph (D)—

1	(i) in clause (i), by striking "the Di-
2	rector" and inserting "the intelligence
3	committees"; and
4	(ii) in clause (ii)—
5	(I) in subclause (I), by striking
6	"the Director, through the Inspector
7	General," and inserting "the Inspec-
8	tor General"; and
9	(II) in subclause (II), striking
10	"the Director, through the Inspector
11	General," and inserting "the Inspec-
12	tor General, in consultation with the
13	Director,".
14	(2) Conforming Amendments.—
15	(A) Section $17(d)(5)$ of such Act is further
16	amended
17	(i) by striking subparagraph (C); and
18	(ii) by redesignating subparagraphs
19	(D) through (H) as subparagraphs (C)
20	through (G), respectively.
21	(B) Section 3001(j)(1)(C)(ii) of the Intel-
22	ligence Reform and Terrorism Prevention Act
23	of 2004 (50 U.S.C. 3341(j)(1)(C)(ii)) is amend-
24	ed by striking "subparagraphs (A), (D), and

1	(H)" and inserting "subparagraphs (A), (C),
2	and (G)".
3	(c) OTHER ELEMENTS OF INTELLIGENCE COMMU-
4	NITY.—
5	(1) ROLE OF HEADS.—Section 8H of the In-
6	spector General Act of 1978 (5 U.S.C. App.) is
7	amended
8	(A) in subsection (b)—
9	(i) by striking paragraph (2);
10	(ii) by striking "(1) Not" and insert-
11	ing "Not"; and
12	(iii) by striking "to the head of the es-
13	tablishment" and inserting "to the intel-
14	ligence committees"; and
15	(B) in subsection (d)—
16	(i) in paragraph (1), by striking "the
17	head of the establishment" and inserting
18	"the intelligence committees"; and
19	(ii) in paragraph (2)—
20	(I) in subparagraph (A), by strik-
21	ing "the head of the establishment,
22	through the Inspector General," and
23	inserting "the Inspector General";
24	and

1	(II) in subparagraph (B), by
2	striking "the head of the establish-
3	ment, through the Inspector General,"
4	and inserting "the Inspector General,
5	in consultation with the head of the
6	establishment,"
7	(2) Conforming Amendments.—Section 8H
8	of such Act is further amended—
9	(A) by striking subsection (c);
10	(B) by redesignating subsections (d)
11	through (i) as subsections (c) through (h), re-
12	spectively; and
13	(C) in subsection (e), as so redesignated,
14	by striking "subsections (a) through (e)" and
15	inserting "subsections (a) through (d)".
16	(d) Office of the Director of National Intel-
17	LIGENCE.—
18	(1) IN GENERAL.—Section $103H(k)(5)$ of the
19	National Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C.
20	3033(k)(5)) is amended—
21	(A) in subparagraph (B), by striking "to
22	the Director" and inserting "to the congres-
23	sional intelligence committees"; and
24	(B) in subparagraph (D)—

1 (i) in clause (i), by striking "the Di-2 rector" and inserting "the congressional 3 intelligence committees"; and 4 (ii) in clause (ii)— (I) in subclause (I), by striking 5 6 "the Director, through the Inspector 7 General," and inserting "the Inspec-8 tor General": and 9 (II) in subclause (II), by striking 10 "the Director, through the Inspector 11 General," and inserting "the Inspec-12 tor General, in consultation with the 13 Director,". 14 (2)CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.—Section 15 103H(k)(5) of such Act is further amended— 16 (B) by striking subparagraph (C); and 17 (C) by redesignating subparagraphs (D) 18 through (I) as subparagraphs (C) through (H), 19 respectively; 20(e) RULE OF CONSTRUCTION.—None of the amend-21 ments made by this section may be construed to prohibit or otherwise affect the authority of an Inspector General 22 of an element of the intelligence community, the Inspector 23 24 General of the Central Intelligence Agency, or the Inspec-25 tor General of the Intelligence Community to notify the

head of the element of the intelligence community, the Di rector of the Central Intelligence Agency, or the Director
 of National Intelligence, as the case may be, of a com plaint or information otherwise authorized by law.

# 5 SEC. 305. REPORTS ON MAJOR DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE 6 ACQUISITION PROGRAMS.

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—The National Security Act of
8 1947 (50 U.S.C. 3001 et seq.) is amended by inserting
9 after section 506J the following new section:

10 "SEC. 506K. REPORTS ON MAJOR DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE

## 11ACQUISITION PROGRAMS AT EACH MILE-12STONE APPROVAL.

13 "(a) REPORT ON MILESTONE A.—Not later than 15 14 days after granting Milestone A or equivalent approval for 15 a major defense intelligence acquisition program, the mile-16 stone decision authority for the program shall submit to 17 the appropriate congressional committees a report con-18 taining a brief summary of the following:

19 "(1) The estimated cost and schedule for the
20 program established by the military department con21 cerned, including—

22 "(A) the dollar values estimated for the
23 program acquisition unit cost and total life24 cycle cost; and

1	"(B) the planned dates for each program
2	milestone and initial operational capability.
3	(2) The independent estimated cost for the
4	program established pursuant to section $2334(a)(6)$
5	of title 10, United States Code, and any independent
6	estimated schedule for the program, including—
7	"(A) the dollar values estimated for the
8	program acquisition unit cost and total life-
9	cycle cost; and
10	"(B) the planned dates for each program
11	milestone and initial operational capability.
12	"(3) A summary of the technical risks, includ-
13	ing cybersecurity risks and supply chain risks, asso-
14	ciated with the program, as determined by the mili-
15	tary department concerned, including identification
16	of any critical technologies that need to be matured.
17	"(4) A summary of the sufficiency review con-
18	ducted by the Director of Cost Assessment and Pro-
19	gram Evaluation of the Department of Defense of
20	the analysis of alternatives performed for the pro-
21	gram (as referred to in section 2366a(b)(6) of such
22	title).
23	"(5) Any other information the milestone deci-
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24 sion authority considers relevant.

1	"(b) REPORT ON MILESTONE B.—Not later than 15
2	days after granting Milestone B or equivalent approval for
3	a major defense intelligence acquisition program, the mile-
4	stone decision authority for the program shall submit to
5	the appropriate congressional committees a report con-
6	taining a brief summary of the following:
7	"(1) The estimated cost and schedule for the
8	program established by the military department con-
9	cerned, including—
10	"(A) the dollar values estimated for the
11	program acquisition unit cost, average procure-
12	ment unit cost, and total life-cycle cost; and
13	"(B) the planned dates for each program
14	milestone, initial operational test and evalua-
15	tion, and initial operational capability.
16	((2) The independent estimated cost for the
17	program established pursuant to section 2334(a)(6)
18	of title 10, United States Code, and any independent
19	estimated schedule for the program, including—
20	"(A) the dollar values estimated for the
21	program acquisition unit cost, average procure-
22	ment unit cost, and total life-cycle cost; and
23	"(B) the planned dates for each program
24	milestone, initial operational test and evalua-
25	tion, and initial operational capability.

1 "(3) A summary of the technical risks, includ-2 ing cybersecurity risks and supply chain risks, asso-3 ciated with the program, as determined by the mili-4 tary department concerned, including identification 5 of any critical technologies that have not been suc-6 cessfully demonstrated in a relevant environment. 7 "(4) A summary of the sufficiency review con-8 ducted by the Director of Cost Assessment and Pro-9 gram Evaluation of the analysis of alternatives per-10 formed for the program pursuant to section 11 2366a(b)(6) of such title. 12 ((5) A statement of whether the preliminary 13 design review for the program described in section 14 2366b(a)(1) of such title has been completed. "(6) Any other information the milestone deci-15 16 sion authority considers relevant. 17 "(c) REPORT ON MILESTONE C.—Not later than 15 18 days after granting Milestone C or equivalent approval for a major defense intelligence acquisition program, the mile-19 stone decision authority for the program shall submit to 20 the appropriate congressional committees a report con-21 taining a brief summary of the following: 22 "(1) The estimated cost and schedule for the 23

program established by the military department concerned, including—

1	"(A) the dollar values estimated for the
2	program acquisition unit cost, average procure-
3	ment unit cost, and total life-cycle cost; and
4	"(B) the planned dates for initial oper-
5	ational test and evaluation and initial oper-
6	ational capability.
7	"(2) The independent estimated cost for the
8	program established pursuant to section 2334(a)(6)
9	of title 10, United States Code, and any independent
10	estimated schedule for the program, including—
11	"(A) the dollar values estimated for the
12	program acquisition unit cost, average procure-
13	ment unit cost, and total life-cycle cost; and
14	"(B) the planned dates for initial oper-
15	ational test and evaluation and initial oper-
16	ational capability.
17	"(3) The cost and schedule estimates approved
18	by the milestone decision authority for the program.
19	"(4) A summary of the production, manufac-
20	turing, and fielding risks, including cybersecurity
21	risks and supply chain risks, associated with the
22	program.
23	"(5) Any other information the milestone deci-
24	sion authority considers relevant.

1 "(d) INITIAL OPERATING CAPABILITY OR FULL OP-2 ERATING CAPABILITY.—Not later than 15 days after a 3 major defense intelligence acquisition program reaches ini-4 tial operating capability or full operating capability, the 5 milestone decision authority for the program shall notify 6 the appropriate congressional committees of the program 7 reaching such capability.

8 "(e) ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.—At the request of 9 any of the appropriate congressional committees, the mile-10 stone decision authority shall submit to the appropriate 11 congressional committees further information or under-12 lying documentation for the information in a report submitted under subsection (a), (b), or (c), including the inde-13 pendent cost and schedule estimates and the independent 14 technical risk assessments referred to in those subsections. 15

16 "(f) NONDUPLICATION OF EFFORT.---If any information required under this section has been included in an-17 other report or assessment previously submitted to the 18 congressional intelligence committees under 19 sections 20 506A, 506C, or 506E, the milestone decision authority 21 may provide a list of such reports and assessments at the 22 time of submitting a report required under this section instead of including such information in such report. 23

24 "(g) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

"(1) The term 'appropriate congressional com mittees' means the congressional intelligence com mittees and the congressional defense committees
 (as defined in section 101(a)(16) of title 10, United
 States Code).

6 "(2) The term 'major defense intelligence acqui7 sition program' means a major defense acquisition
8 program (as defined in section 2430 of title 10,
9 United States Code) that relates to intelligence or
10 intelligence-related activities.

"(3) The term 'Milestone A approval' has the
meaning given that term in section 2366a(d) of title
10, United States Code.

'(4) The terms 'Milestone B approval' and
'Milestone C approval' have the meaning given those
terms in section 2366(e) of such title.

17 "(5) The term 'milestone decision authority'
18 has the meaning given that term in section 2366a(d)
19 of such title.".

(b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of contents
in the first section of the National Security Act of 1947
is amended by inserting after the item relating to section
506J the following new item:

"Sec. 506K. Reports on major defense intelligence acquisition programs at each milestone approval.".

## 1SEC. 306. MODIFICATIONS TO CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS2FOR CONSTRUCTION OF FACILITIES.

3 (a) INCLUSION IN BUDGET REQUESTS OF CERTAIN
4 PROJECTS.—Section 8131 of the Department of Defense
5 Appropriations Act, 1995 (Public Law 103-335; 50
6 U.S.C. 3303) is repealed.

7 (b) NOTIFICATION.—Section 602(a)(2) of the Intel8 ligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1995 (Public
9 Law 103-359; 50 U.S.C. 3304(a)(2)) is amended by strik10 ing "improvement project to" and inserting "project for
11 the improvement, repair, or modification of".

12 SEC. 307. INFORMATION ON ACTIVITIES OF PRIVACY AND
 13 CIVIL LIBERTIES OVERSIGHT BOARD.

14 Section 1061(d) of the Intelligence Reform and Ter-15 rorism Prevention Act of 2004 (42 U.S.C. 2000ee(d)) is 16 further amended by adding at the end the following new 17 paragraph:

18 "(5) INFORMATION.—

"(A) ACTIVITIES.—In addition to the reports submitted to Congress under subsection
(e)(1)(B), the Board shall ensure that each official and congressional committee specified in
subparagraph (B) is kept fully and currently informed of the activities of the Board, including
any significant anticipated activities.

1	"(B) OFFICIALS AND CONGRESSIONAL
2	COMMITTEES SPECIFIED.—The officials and
3	congressional committees specified in this sub-
4	paragraph are the following:
5	"(i) The Director of National Intel-
6	ligence.
7	"(ii) The head of any element of the
8	intelligence community (as defined in sec-
9	tion 3(4) of the National Security Act of
10	1947 (50 U.S.C. 3003(4)) the activities of
11	which are, or are anticipated to be, the
12	subject of the review or advice of the
13	Board.
14	"(iii) The Permanent Select Com-
15	mittee on Intelligence of the House of Rep-
16	resentatives and the Select Committee on
17	Intelligence of the Senate.".
18	SEC. 308. CLARIFICATION OF AUTHORIZATION OF CERTAIN
19	ACTIVITIES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EN-
20	ERGY.
21	Funds appropriated for fiscal year 2016 for intel-
22	ligence and intelligence-related activities of the Depart-
23	ment of Energy shall be deemed to be authorized to be
24	appropriated for such activities, including for purposes of

section 504 of the National Security Act of 1947 (50
 U.S.C. 3094).

3 SEC. 309. TECHNICAL CORRECTION TO EXECUTIVE SCHED-4 ULE.

5 Section 5313 of title 5, United States Code, is
6 amended by striking the item relating to "Director of the
7 National Counter Proliferation Center.".

# 8 SEC. 310. MAXIMUM AMOUNT CHARGED FOR DECLAS9 SIFICATION REVIEWS.

10 In reviewing and processing a request by a person 11 for the mandatory declassification of information pursuant 12 to Executive Order 13526, a successor executive order, or 13 any other provision of law, the head of an element of the 14 intelligence community—

(1) may not charge the person reproduction
fees in excess of the amount of fees that the head
would charge the person for reproduction required in
the course of processing a request for information
under section 552 of title 5, United States Code
(commonly referred to as the ""Freedom of Information Act"); and

(2) may waive or reduce any processing fees in
the same manner as the head waives or reduces fees
under such section 552.

# TITLE IV—MATTERS RELATING TO ELEMENTS OF THE INTEL LIGENCE COMMUNITY Subtitle A—Office of the Director of National Intelligence

6 SEC. 401. ANALYSES AND IMPACT STATEMENTS BY DIREC-

7 TOR OF NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE REGARD8 ING ACTIONS BY COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN
9 INVESTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES.

Section 721(b)(4) of the Defense Production Act of
11 1950 (50 U.S.C. 4565) is amended by adding at the end
12 the following new subparagraphs:

13 "(E) SUBMISSION TO CONGRESSIONAL IN-14 TELLIGENCE COMMITTEES.—Not later than 5 15 days after the completion of a review or an in-16 vestigation of a covered transaction under this 17 subsection that concludes action under this sec-18 tion, the Director shall submit to the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence of the 19 20 House of Representatives and the Select Com-21 mittee on Intelligence of the Senate an analysis 22 under subparagraph (A) relating to such covered transaction previously provided to the 23 24 Committee, including any supplements  $\mathbf{or}$ 

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amendments to such analysis made by the Director.

3 "(F) IMPACT STATEMENTS.—Not later 4 than 60 days after the completion of a review or an investigation of a covered transaction 5 6 under this subsection that concludes action 7 under this section, the Director shall determine 8 whether the covered transaction will have an 9 operational impact on the intelligence commu-10 nity, and, if so, shall submit a report on such 11 impact to the Permanent Select Committee on 12Intelligence of the House of Representatives 13 and the Select Committee on Intelligence of the 14 Senate. Each such report shall—

15 "(i) describe the operational impact of
16 the covered transaction on the intelligence
17 community; and

18 "(ii) describe any actions that have
19 been or will be taken to mitigate such im20 pact.".

### 21 SEC. 402. NATIONAL COUNTERINTELLIGENCE AND SECU-22 RITY CENTER.

23 (a) REDESIGNATION OF OFFICE OF NATIONAL
24 COUNTERINTELLIGENCE EXECUTIVE.—Section 904 of the

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Counterintelligence Enhancement Act of 2002 (50 U.S.C.
3383) is amended
(1) by striking "Office of the National Counter-
intelligence Executive" each place it appears (includ-
ing in the section heading) and inserting "National
Counterintelligence and Security Center";
(2) by striking "National Counterintelligence
Executive" each place it appears and inserting "Di-
rector of the National Counterintelligence and Secu-
rity Center"; and
(3) in the headings of subsections (b) and (c),
by striking "of Office" both places it appears and
inserting "Center";
(4) in subsection (d)—
(A) in paragraph $(5)(C)$ , by striking "by
the Office" and inserting "by the Center"; and
(B) in paragraph (6), by striking "that the
Office" and inserting "that the Center";
(5) in subsection $(f)(1)$ , by striking "by the Of-
fice" and inserting "by the Center";
(6) in subsection (g), by striking "of the Of-
fice" and inserting "of the Center"; and
(7) in subsection (h), by striking "of the Of-
(7) in subsection (h), by striking "of the Of- fice" each place it appears and inserting "of the
(b) REDESIGNATION OF NATIONAL COUNTERINTEL LIGENCE EXECUTIVE.—Section 902 of such Act (50
 U.S.C. 3382) is amended—

4 (1) by striking subsection (a) and inserting the5 following new subsection:

6 "(a) ESTABLISHMENT.—There shall be a Director of 7 the National Counterintelligence and Security Center (re-8 ferred to in this section as 'the Director'), who shall be 9 appointed by the President, by and with the advice and 10 consent of the Senate.";

(2) by striking "National Counterintelligence
Executive" each place it appears (including the section heading) and inserting "Director of the National Counterintelligence and Security Center"; and
(3) by striking "Office of the National Counterintelligence Executive" each place it appears and in-

17 serting "National Counterintelligence and Security18 Center".

19 (c) CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.—

20 (1) NATIONAL SECURITY ACT OF 1947.—The
21 National Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 3001 et
22 seq.) is amended—

23 (A) in section 102A(f)(2), by inserting
24 after "Counterterrorism Center" the following:
25 ", the National Counterproliferation Center,

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1	and the National Counterintelligence and Secu-
2	rity Center,";
3	(B) in section 103(c)(8), by striking "Na-
4	tional Counterintelligence Executive (including
5	the Office of the National Counterintelligence
6	Executive)" and inserting "Director of the Na-
7	tional Counterintelligence and Security Center";
8	and
9	(C) in section 103F, by striking "National
10	Counterintelligence Executive" each place it ap-
11	pears (including in the headings) and inserting
12	"Director of the National Counterintelligence
13	and Security Center".
14	(2) INTELLIGENCE AUTHORIZATION ACT FOR
15	FISCAL YEAR 1995.—Section 811 of the Counterintel-
16	ligence and Security Enhancements Act of 1994
17	(title VIII of Public Law 103–359; 50 U.S.C. 3381)
18	is amended—
19	(A) in subsections (b) and $(c)(1)$ , by strik-
20	ing "The National Counterintelligence Execu-
21	tive" and inserting "The Director of the Na-
22	tional Counterintelligence and Security Center";
23	and
24	(B) in subsection $(d)(1)(B)(ii)$ —

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1	(i) by striking " to the National
2	Counterintelligence Executive" and insert-
3	ing "to the Director of the National Coun-
4	terintelligence and Security Center"; and
5	(ii) by striking "Office of the National
6	Counterintelligence Executive" and insert-
7	ing "National Counterintelligence and Se-
8	curity Center"; and
9	(3) INTELLIGENCE AUTHORIZATION ACT FOR
10	FISCAL YEAR 2004.—Section 341(b) of the Intel-
11	ligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2004
12	(Public Law 108–177; 28 USC 519 note) is amend-
13	ed by striking "Office of the National Counterintel-
14	ligence Executive" and inserting "National Counter-
15	intelligence and Security Center".
16	(d) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of sections
17	in the first section of the National Security Act of 1947
18	is amended by striking the item relating to section 103F
19	and inserting the following:
	"Sec. 103F. Director of the National Counterintelligence and Security Cen- ter.".
20	(e) CONFORMING STYLE.—Any new language in-
21	serted or added to a provision of law by the amendments
22	made by this section shall conform to the typeface and
23	typestyle of the matter in which the language is so in-
24	serted or added.

1 (f) TECHNICAL EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment 2 made by subsection (a) of section 401 of the Intelligence 3 Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2016 (division M of 4 Public Law 114–113) shall not take effect, or, if the date 5 of the enactment of this Act is on or after the effective 6 date specified in subsection (b) of such section, such 7 amendment shall be deemed to not have taken effect.

# 8 SEC. 403. ASSISTANCE FOR GOVERNMENTAL ENTITIES AND 9 PRIVATE ENTITIES IN RECOGNIZING ONLINE 10 VIOLENT EXTREMIST CONTENT.

11 (a) Assistance to Recognize Online Violent EXTREMIST CONTENT.—Not later than 180 days after the 12 date of the enactment of this Act, the Director of National 13 Intelligence shall publish on a publicly available Internet 14 website a list of all logos, symbols, insignia, and other 15 markings commonly associated with, or adopted by, an or-16 ganization designated by the Secretary of State as a for-17 eign terrorist organization under section 219(a) of the Im-18 migration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1189(a)). 19

20 (b) UPDATES.—The Director shall update the list
21 published under subsection (a) every 180 days or more
22 frequently as needed.

## Subtitle B—Central Intelligence 1 **Agency and Other Elements** 2 3 SEC. 411. ENHANCED DEATH BENEFITS FOR EMPLOYEES 4 OF THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY. 5 Section 11 of the Central Intelligence Agency Act of 1949 (50 U.S.C. 3511) is amended to read as follows: 6 "BENEFITS AVAILABLE IN EVENT OF THE DEATH OF AN 7 8 **EMPLOYEE** 9 "SEC. 11. (a) AUTHORITY.—The Director may pay death benefits substantially similar to those authorized for 10 11 members of the Foreign Service pursuant to the Foreign Service Act of 1980 (22 U.S.C. 3901 et seq.) or any other 12 13 provision of law. The Director may adjust the eligibility 14 for death benefits as necessary to meet the unique require-15 ments of the mission of the Agency. "(b) REGULATIONS.—Regulations issued pursuant to 16 this section shall be submitted to the Permanent Select 17 Committee on Intelligence of the House of Representatives 18 and the Select Committee on Intelligence of the Senate 19 before such regulations take effect.". 20 21 SEC. 412. PAY AND RETIREMENT AUTHORITIES OF THE IN-22 SPECTOR GENERAL OF THE CENTRAL INTEL-23 LIGENCE AGENCY. 24 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 17(e)(7) of the Central Intelligence Agency Act of 1949 (50 U.S.C. 3517(e)(7)) 25

1 is amended by adding at the end the following new sub-2 paragraph:

3 "(C)(i) The Inspector General may designate an offi-4 cer or employee appointed in accordance with subpara-5 graph (A) as a law enforcement officer solely for purposes 6 of subchapter III of chapter 83 or chapter 84 of title 5, United States Code, if such officer or employee is ap-7 8 pointed to a position with responsibility for investigating 9 suspected offenses against the criminal laws of the United 10 States.

"(ii) In carrying out clause (i), the Inspector General
shall ensure that any authority under such clause is exercised in a manner consistent with section 3307 of title 5,
United States Code, as it relates to law enforcement officers.

"(iii) For purposes of applying sections 3307(d),
8335(b), and 8425(b) of title 5, United States Code, the
Inspector General may exercise the functions, powers, and
duties of an agency head or appointing authority with respect to the Office.".

(b) RULE OF CONSTRUCTION.—Subparagraph (C) of
section 17(e)(7) of the Central Intelligence Agency Act of
1949 (50 U.S.C. 3517(e)(7)), as added by subsection (a),
may not be construed to confer on the Inspector General
of the Central Intelligence Agency, or any other officer

1 or employee of the Agency, any police or law enforcement 2 or internal security functions or authorities. 3 SEC. 413. CLARIFICATION OF AUTHORITY, DIRECTION, AND 4 CONTROL OVER THE INFORMATION ASSUR-5 ANCE DIRECTORATE OF THE NATIONAL SE-6 CURITY AGENCY. 7 Section 142(b)(1) of title 10, United States Code, is 8 amended----9 (1) in subparagraph (B), by striking the semi-10 colon and inserting ": and": (2) in subparagraph (C), by striking "; and" 11 12 and inserting a period; and 13 (3) by striking subparagraph (D). 14 SEC. 414. LIVING QUARTERS ALLOWANCE FOR EMPLOYEES 15 OF THE DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY. 16 (a) PROHIBITION.—Notwithstanding sections 1603 and 1605 of title 10, United States Code, and subchapter 17 III of chapter 59 of title 5, a civilian employee of the De-18 19 fense Intelligence Agency who is assigned to a directorate of 20 a geographic combatant command that is headquartered outside of the United States may not re-21 ceive a living quarters allowance. 22 23 (b) APPLICATION.—Subsection (a) shall apply with respect to a pay period beginning on or after the date that 24 25 is one year after the date of the enactment of this Act.

1	SEC. 415. PLAN ON ASSUMPTION OF CERTAIN WEATHER
2	MISSIONS BY THE NATIONAL RECONNAIS-
3	SANCE OFFICE.
4	(a) PLAN.—
5	(1) IN GENERAL.—The Director of the National
6	Reconnaissance Office shall develop a plan for the
7	National Reconnaissance Office to address how to
8	carry out covered space-based environmental moni-
9	toring missions. Such plan shall include—
10	(A) a description of the related national se-
11	curity requirements for such missions;
12	(B) a description of the appropriate man-
13	ner to meet such requirements; and
14	(C) the amount of funds that would be
15	necessary to be transferred from the Air Force
16	to the National Reconnaissance Office during
17	fiscal years 2018 through 2022 to carry out
18	such plan.
19	(2) ACTIVITIES.—In developing the plan under
20	paragraph (1), the Director may conduct pre-acqui-
21	sition activities, including with respect to requests
22	for information, analyses of alternatives, study con-
23	tracts, modeling and simulation, and other activities
24	the Director determines necessary to develop such
25	plan.

(3) SUBMISSION.—Not later than the date on
 which the President submits to Congress the budget
 for fiscal year 2018 under section 1105(a) of title
 31, United States Code, the Director shall submit to
 the appropriate congressional committees the plan
 under paragraph (1).

7 (b) INDEPENDENT COST ESTIMATE.—The Director 8 of the Cost Assessment Improvement Group of the Office 9 of the Director of National Intelligence, in coordination 10 with the Director of Cost Assessment and Program Eval-11 uation of the Department of Defense, shall certify to the 12 appropriate congressional committees that the amounts of funds identified under subsection (a)(1)(C) as being nec-13 14 essary to transfer are appropriate and include funding for positions and personnel to support program office costs. 15

16 (c) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

17 (1) The term "appropriate congressional com18 mittees" means—

19 (A) the congressional intelligence commit-20 tees; and

21 (B) the congressional defense committees
22 (as defined in section 101(a)(16) of title 10,
23 United States Code).

24 (2) The term "covered space-based environ25 mental monitoring missions" means the acquisition

programs necessary to meet the national security re quirements for cloud characterization and theater
 weather imagery.

# 4 SEC. 416. MODERNIZATION OF SECURITY CLEARANCE IN-

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# FORMATION TECHNOLOGY ARCHITECTURE.

6 (a) IN GENERAL.—The Director of National Intel-7 ligence shall support the Secretary of Defense in the ef-8 forts of the Secretary to develop and implement an infor-9 mation technology system (in this section referred to as 10 the "System") to—

(1) modernize and sustain the security clearance information architecture of the National Background Investigations Bureau and the Department
of Defense;

15 (2) support decision-making processes for the
16 evaluation and granting of personnel security clear17 ances;

18 (3) improve cyber security capabilities with re19 spect to sensitive security clearance data and proc20 esses;

21 (4) reduce the complexity and cost of the secu-22 rity clearance process;

(5) provide information to managers on the financial and administrative costs of the security
clearance process;

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1 (6) strengthen the ties between counterintel-2 ligence and personnel security communities; and 3 (7) improve system standardization in the secu-4 rity clearance process. 5 (b) GUIDANCE.—The Director shall support the Sec-6 retary in the efforts of the Secretary to issue guidance establishing the respective roles, responsibilities, and obli-7 8 gations of the Secretary and the Director with respect to 9 the development and implementation of the System. TITLE V—MATTERS RELATING 10

# TO UNITED STATES NAVAL STATION, GUANTANAMO BAY, CUBA

14SEC. 501. DECLASSIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON PAST15TERRORIST ACTIVITIES OF DETAINEES16TRANSFERRED FROM UNITED STATES NAVAL17STATION, GUANTANAMO BAY, CUBA, AFTER18SIGNING OF EXECUTIVE ORDER 13492.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 120 days after the
date of the enactment of this Act, the Director of National
Intelligence shall—

(1) in the manner described in the classifiedannex that accompanies this Act—

24 (A) complete a declassification review of25 intelligence reports prepared by the National

1	Counterterrorism Center prior to Periodic Re-
2	view Board sessions or detainee transfers on
3	the past terrorist activities of individuals de-
4	tained at United States Naval Station, Guanta-
5	namo Bay, Cuba, who were transferred or re-
6	leased from United States Naval Station, Guan-
7	tanamo Bay, after the signing of Executive
8	Order 13492 (relating to the closure of the de-
9	tention facility at United States Naval Station,
10	Guantanamo Bay); and
11	(B) make available to the public any infor-
12	mation declassified as a result of the declas-
13	sification review; and
14	(2) submit to the congressional intelligence
15	committees a report setting forth—
16	(A) the results of the declassification re-
17	view; and
18	(B) if any information covered by the de-
19	classification review was not declassified pursu-
20	ant to the review, a justification for the deter-
21	mination not to declassify such information.
22	(b) PAST TERRORIST ACTIVITIES.—For purposes of
23	this section, the past terrorist activities of an individual
24	shall include the terrorist activities conducted by the indi-
25	vidual before the transfer of the individual to the detention

1	facility at United States Naval Station, Guantanamo Bay,
2	including, at a minimum, the following:
3	(1) The terrorist organization, if any, with
4	which affiliated.
5	(2) The terrorist training, if any, received.
6	(3) The role in past terrorist attacks against
7	the interests or allies of the United States.
8	(4) The direct responsibility, if any, for the
9	death of citizens of the United States or members of
10	the Armed Forces.
11	(5) Any admission of any matter specified in
12	paragraphs (1) through (4).
12 13	paragraphs (1) through (4). TITLE VI—REPORTS AND OTHER
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13 14 15 16 17 18	TITLE VI—REPORTS AND OTHER MATTERS SEC. 601. REPORT ON INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY EM- PLOYEES DETAILED TO NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL. Not later than 60 days after the date of the enact-
<ol> <li>13</li> <li>14</li> <li>15</li> <li>16</li> <li>17</li> <li>18</li> <li>19</li> </ol>	TITLE VI—REPORTS AND OTHER MATTERS SEC. 601. REPORT ON INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY EM- PLOYEES DETAILED TO NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL. Not later than 60 days after the date of the enact- ment of this Act, the Director of National Intelligence

23 tailed to the National Security Council during the 10-year

24 period preceding the date of the report.

#### 1 SEC. 602. INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY REPORTING TO CON-

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#### GRESS ON FOREIGN FIGHTER FLOWS.

3 (a) REPORTS REQUIRED.—Not later than 60 days 4 after the date of the enactment of this Act, and every 180 5 days thereafter, the Director of National Intelligence, con-6 sistent with the protection of intelligence sources and 7 methods, shall submit to the congressional intelligence 8 committees a report on foreign fighter flows to and from 9 terrorist safe havens abroad.

10 (b) CONTENTS.—Each report submitted under sub11 section (a) shall include, with respect to each terrorist safe
12 haven, the following:

(1) The total number of foreign fighters who
have traveled or are suspected of having traveled to
the terrorist safe haven since 2011, including the
countries of origin of such foreign fighters.

17 (2) The total number of United States citizens18 present in the terrorist safe haven.

19 (3) The total number of foreign fighters who
20 have left the terrorist safe haven or whose where21 abouts are unknown.

(c) FORM.—The reports submitted under subsection
(a) may be submitted in classified form. If such a report
is submitted in classified form, such report shall also include an unclassified summary.

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(d) SUNSET.—The requirement to submit reports
 under subsection (a) shall terminate on the date that is
 two years after the date of the enactment of this Act.

4 SEC. 603. REPORT ON INFORMATION RELATING TO ACA5 DEMIC PROGRAMS, SCHOLARSHIPS, FELLOW6 SHIPS, AND INTERNSHIPS SPONSORED, AD7 MINISTERED, OR USED BY THE INTEL8 LIGENCE COMMUNITY.

9 (a) REPORT.—Not later than 90 days after the date 10 of the enactment of this Act, the Director of National In-11 telligence shall submit to the congressional intelligence 12 committees a report by the intelligence community regard-13 ing covered academic programs. Such report shall in-14 clude—

(1) a description of the extent to which the Director and the heads of the elements of the intelligence community independently collect information
on covered academic programs, including with respect to—

20 (A) the number of applicants for such pro21 grams;

(B) the number of individuals who haveparticipated in such programs; and

24 (C) the number of individuals who have25 participated in such programs and were hired

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1	by an element of the intelligence community
2	after completing such program;
3	(2) to the extent that the Director and the
4	heads independently collect the information de-
5	scribed in paragraph (1), a chart, table, or other
6	compilation illustrating such information for each
7	covered academic program and element of the intel-
8	ligence community, as appropriate, during the three-
9	year period preceding the date of the report;
10	(3) to the extent that the Director and the
11	heads do not independently collect the information
12	described in paragraph (1) as of the date of the re-
13	port—
14	(A) whether the Director and the heads
15	can begin collecting such information during
16	fiscal year 2017; and
17	(B) the personnel, tools, and other re-
18	sources required by the Director and the heads
19	to independently collect such information.
20	(b) COVERED ACADEMIC PROGRAMS DEFINED.—In
21	this section, the term "covered academic programs"
22	means
23	(1) the Federal Cyber Scholarship-for-Service
24	Program under section 302 of the Cybersecurity En-
25	hancement Act of 2014 (15 U.S.C. 7442);

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1	(2) the National Security Education Program
2	under the David L. Boren National Security Edu-
3	cation Act of 1991 (50 U.S.C. 1901 et seq.);
4	(3) the Science, Mathematics, and Research for
5	Transformation Defense Education Program under
6	section 2192a of title 10, United States Code;
7	(4) the National Centers of Academic Excel-
8	lence in Information Assurance and Cyber Defense
9	of the National Security Agency and the Depart-
10	ment of Homeland Security; and
11	(5) any other academic program, scholarship
12	program, fellowship program, or internship program
13	sponsored, administered, or used by an element of
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1	works, computer networks, or other systems employed
2	by—
3	(1) entities conducting significant operations at
4	seaports in the United States;
5	(2) the maritime shipping concerns of the
6	United States; and
7	(3) entities conducting significant operations at
8	transshipment points in the United States.
9	(b) MATTERS INCLUDED.—The report under sub-
10	section (a) shall include the following:
11	(1) A description of any recent and significant
12	cyberattacks or cybersecurity threats directed
13	against software, communications networks, com-
14	puter networks, or other systems employed by the
15	entities and concerns described in paragraphs (1)
16	through (3) of subsection (a).
17	(2) An assessment of—
18	(A) any planned cyberattacks directed
19	against such software, networks, and systems;
20	(B) any significant vulnerabilities to such
21	software, networks, and systems; and
22	(C) how such entities and concerns are
23	mitigating such vulnerabilities.
24	(3) An update on the status of the efforts of
25	the Coast Guard to include cybersecurity concerns in

the National Response Framework, Emergency Sup port Functions, or both, relating to the shipping or
 ports of the United States.

### 4 SEC. 605. REPORT ON COUNTER-MESSAGING ACTIVITIES.

5 (a) REPORT.—Not later than 60 days after the date 6 of the enactment of this Act, the Under Secretary of 7 Homeland Security for Intelligence and Analysis shall sub-8 mit to the congressional intelligence committees a report 9 on the counter-messaging activities of the Department of 10 Homeland Security with respect to the Islamic State and 11 other extremist groups.

12 (b) ELEMENTS.—The report under subsection (a)13 shall include the following:

14 (1) A description of whether, and to what ex-15 tent, the Secretary of Homeland Security, in con-16 ducting counter-messaging activities with respect to 17 Islamic State and other extremist groups, the 18 consults or coordinates with the Secretary of State, regarding the counter-messaging activities under-19 20 taken by the Department of State with respect to 21 the Islamic State and other extremist groups, includ-22 ing counter-messaging activities conducted by the 23 Global Engagement Center of the Department of 24 State.

1	(2) Any criteria employed by the Secretary of
2	Homeland Security for selecting, developing, promul-
3	gating, or changing the counter-messaging approach
4	of the Department of Homeland Security, including
5	any counter-messaging narratives, with respect to
6	the Islamic State and other extremist groups.
7	SEC. 606. REPORT ON REPRISALS AGAINST CONTRACTORS
8	OF THE INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY.
9	(a) REPORT.—Not later than 180 days after the date
10	of the enactment of this Act, the Inspector General of the
11	Intelligence Community shall submit to the congressional
12	intelligence committees a report on reprisals made against
13	covered contractor employees.
14	(b) ELEMENTS.—The report under subsection (a)
15	shall include the following:
16	(1) Identification of the number of known or
17	suspected reprisals made against covered contractor
18	employees during the five-year period preceding the
19	date of the report.
20	(2) An evaluation of the usefulness of estab-
21	lishing in law a prohibition on reprisals against cov-
22	ered contractor employees as a means of encour-
23	aging such contractors to make protected disclo-
24	sures.

1 (3) A description of any challenges associated 2 with establishing in law such a prohibition, including 3 with respect to the nature of the relationship be-4 tween the Federal Government, the contractor, and 5 the covered contractor employee. 6 (4) A description of any approaches taken by 7 the Federal Government to account for reprisals 8 against non-intelligence community contractors who 9 make protected disclosures, including pursuant to 10 section 2409 of title 10, United States Code, and 11 sections 4705 and 4712 of title 41. United States 12 Code. 13 (5) Any recommendations the Inspector General 14 determines appropriate. 15 (c) DEFINITIONS.—In this section: (1) The term "covered contractor employee" 16 17 means an employee of a contractor of an element of 18 the intelligence community. (2) The term "reprisal" means the discharge, 19 20 demotion, or other discriminatory personnel action 21 made against a covered contractor employee for making a disclosure of information that would be a 22 23 disclosure protected by law if the contractor were an employee of the Federal Government. 24

THE CHAIRMAN: I will now recognize Mr. Himes for an amendment.

MR. HIMES: Thank you, Mr. Chairman. My intention here is to offer an amendment, but to withdraw it. And let me just briefly explain the amendment.

In the last year, the Authorization Act constrained the PCLOB's purview away from reviewing covert programs. This concerned me because the PCLOB, in my estimation, is an important body that provides a check on the activities of the Intelligence Community to make sure that it is not violating the civil rights of Americans. It is possible that those violations could occur in covert programs. I am offering and withdrawing this amendment because my colleague, Mr. Conaway, raised some concerns about both mission and resources associated with the PCLOB, and I have not had an opportunity to independently look into those considerations. I think they are important and should be taken into account.

I do know, however, that the PCLOB has produced reports that have been important to me, I think to this committee, that have been cited in multiple times by FISA opinions, and by the amicus that was appointed as a result of the U.S.A. Freedom Act that advised on a recent reauthorization of authorities for 702.

I also expect that the PCLOB's report which I would commend to my colleagues would be very, very important to the discussion we have over 702 reauthorization. I also agree with the ranking member that it serves an important purpose in assuring the general public and our constituents that there is, in fact, somebody out there who is looking hard, apart from us in closed rooms at the activities of the Intelligence Committee.

I do take Mr. Conaway's concerns seriously though and I do intend to dig into the sense of mission and resources used by the PCLOB. So I will both

submit and take this opportunity to withdraw this amendment in the expectation that we can continue this discussion in the future.

With that I yield back.

THE CHAIRMAN: So the gentleman withdraws his amendment. I thank the gentleman for offering the amendment and withdrawing it. I think we had a good debate in here the other day, and we will continue to conduct strong oversight so that all sides are represented as it relates to the PCLOB.

Do any other members wish to be recognized for an amendment?

Seeing no further amendments, would any other members like to be heard on the unclassified portions of the bill? Mr. Quigley.

MR. QUIGLEY: Thank you, Mr. Chairman. This year's Intelligence Authorization Act provides funding, oversight all in direction to vital collection and analysis programs. It also provides guidance of how best to support and leverage our partners and allies, which is critical in the world of shrinking budgets and ever-increasing threats. This is why I am happy to support this year's IAA.

Russia remains a significant threat to its neighbors and to the U.S. Bolstering our partners in Eastern Europe is one key way to check Russia's increasing adventurism.

Looking ahead, we will stay focused on this threat and we will also continue to focus on our National Security programs at home. We cannot allow ourselves to get lulled into a false sense of security simply because of a lack of information about specific threats against soft targets like stadiums and our cities. We must look ahead and do everything we can to constantly assess risks and take appropriate steps to stop attacks before they occur.

Thank you and I yield back.

THE CHAIRMAN: Thank you, Mr. Quigley. Now my mic is -- there it is. It is back on, Ms. Sewell is recognized.

MS. SEWELL: Thank you, Mr. Chairman. I am proud to support this year's Intelligence Authorization Act. As the ranking member on the DOD Intelligence and Overhead Architecture Subcommittee, I am pleased that the language and direction in this bill continues to advance our capabilities on the ground and in space and provides necessary oversight of many critical DOD, NRO and NGA programs. But the strength of our Intelligence Community is its people.

This bill continues to support the incredible men and women that work day and night to keep us safe. But it also emphasizes the urgent need to recruit and retain a more diverse workforce. For example, I am pleased that this year's bill directs each intelligence agency to use existing summer internship positions and funding to support our Centers for Academic Excellence program, encouraging geographical diversity among its students to take part in the IC internship program.

Another provision I am proud to support requires that the DNI collect information relating to federally-funded academic program scholarships, fellowships, and internship administered, or used by the IC so we can determine whether our investment in these programs leads to competitive employees entering the IC workforce. This year's bill also directs the CIA and the office of the Director of National Intelligence to collect data on how often they award contracts to women and minority-owned businesses, and to launch a new pilot program to better allocate contact resources to those businesses.

This is not only an equity issue, but a good governance issue. Increasing

diversity in the IC makes us all better because it encourages unique ways of problem-solving, which is increasingly necessary as we face more complex intelligence challenges. Diversity is an issue I will continue to champion. I am grateful to both sides of the aisle for also encouraging such diversity, and I yield back the balance of my time.

THE CHAIRMAN: The gentlelady yields back. Mr. Carson is recognized.

MR. CARSON: Thank you, Chairman, thank you Ranking Member Schiff. I am very happy to support this year's Intelligence Authorization Act, which includes several provisions I am especially pleased with: a provision directing the Office of the Director of National Intelligence to publicly list all logos, symbols, insignia and other markings commonly associated with terrorist organizations will help provide, public and private entities, and recognize violent extremist content. This will significantly help efforts to counter this content, and, more broadly, counter terrorist messages, particularly online, the most fertile ground for terrorist recruitment.

I am also pleased that the committee will now receive more information from the IC, including threat assessments and operational impact statements regarding foreign investments made in the United States. We ought to support legitimate investments in our economy, but we also have to consider the counterintelligence and security implications of foreign investment, particularly by certain countries looking to enhance their intelligence collection inside of the United States.

Another important provision in this year's bill, Mr. Chairman, seeks to understand and deconflict both the Department of Homeland Security and the Department of State's Countering Violent Extremists program, or CVE, to ensure CVE messaging at both agencies is effective and, where necessary,

complementary. Throughout the next year I will intend to keep looking for ways to improve our law enforcement intelligence capabilities while remaining deeply focused on ensuring those activities and authorities are transparent, appropriate, and serve the needs of every community in our country. Violent extremism has its roots overseas as well as at home, and we must work equally to counter both.

I yield back, Mr. Chairman.

THE CHAIRMAN: The gentleman yields back. Mr. Murphy.

MR. MURPHY: Thank you, Mr. Chairman. In order to ensure the Intelligence Community has what it needs to keep us safe, and in order to provide strict oversight of each and every intelligence program, I proudly support this year's Intelligence Authorization Act. One strength of this year's bill is that it seeks to address potential problems before they become actual ones. It does so, for example, by requiring a report on the cybersecurity threats to computer systems employed by our seaports and transshipment points, something of particular concern to us in Florida. That requirement will help raise awareness and spur much-needed action. We in government, and in the private sector, need to prepare as much as we can from a mass cyber attack in the maritime industry.

I am also pleased that the IAA includes a provision updating reporting requirements on Iran's compliance with the Joint Comprehensive Plan of Action, or JCPOA, and another on the unique threats emanating from maritime narcotics smuggling routes. I am proud to support this year's IAA and applaud my colleagues on all of their hard work on this important bill.

Thank you. I yield back.

THE CHAIRMAN: The gentleman yields back. Mr. Swalwell is

recognized.

MR. SWALWELL: Thank you, Mr. Chairman. Also, thank you to the ranking member and the staff on both sides for their hard work. I, also, am proud to support this year's Intelligence Authorization Act. As the ranking member of the CIA Subcommittee, I am pleased that the bill promotes our HUMINT capabilities, which I believe still remain at risk, and could benefit from an even greater focus within the IC.

I am also pleased the IAA includes, as a standalone provision, the Foreign Fighter Tracking Bill that Representative LoBiondo and I brought to the floor earlier this year which was passed there with a very, very strong vote. The bill also includes a provision requiring a report from the office of the Director of National Intelligence, analyzing the status of loan forgiveness and debt counseling programs across the IC and the viability of an IC-wide program. We must continue to recruit and retain the best, brightest, and most diverse to public service; determining the best incentive packages available to young intelligent officers; coupled with the draw of the critical mission of the IC, will help to us continue to do just that.

I am also pleased the bill calls for a report from the Departments of Homeland Security and Energy on their current utilization of national labs expertise and opportunities for areas of expansion, programs that I know have great value for my congressional district is home to Lawrence Livermore and Sandia National Laboratories. Just as we must train and retain the best and brightest of the IC, we must also continue to leverage the great talent found at our national labs.

Finally, I will continue to use my position on this committee to bring greater

attention to the dire situation facing the Mosul Dam. Should the dam break, millions of people will potentially be in significant danger, a threat we cannot ignore. I look forward to working with my colleagues in the IC to reverse the tide on this critical issue.

Thank you and I yield back.

THE CHAIRMAN: The gentleman yields back. Ms. Speier is recognized. MS. SPEIER: Mr. Chairman, thank you. I, too, join with my colleagues in appreciating the comity that exists in this committee, for your leadership, Mr. Chairman, and for the great support that our ranking member always provides us, and to our diligent staff that does a truly remarkable job.

I am pleased to support this budget bill, in part, because it will provide provisions that encourage greater graduate education opportunities to employees of the Defense Intelligence Agency, and a provision that will lead to improved mental health resilience programs available to IC civilians returning from tours in combat zones. I also will continue to monitor how well the IC elements are protecting whistleblowers who seek to shed light on problems in their organizations. I am also happy the bill calls for a study on reprisals against IC contractors who make important disclosures to oversight bodies, and streamlines the process for whistleblowers to report their complaints directly to Congress.

There is also a provision within this bill that will guarantee that citizens who seek declassification of IC documents are not unduly burdened by that cost. And I support that as well.

And with that I yield back, Mr. Chairman.

THE CHAIRMAN: I thank the gentlelady for her comments, and I, too, agree with the gentlelady from California in that we have to make sure that this

committee remains a place where folks within the IC can come forward if they have concerns about how they are being treated, or any other issues that may arise. So I thank Ms. Speier for her comments.

Any other members wish to be recognized?

All right. Seeing no further members wishing to be heard, we have completed consideration of the legislative provisions of the bill. We will now move to consider the classified schedule of the authorizations and accompanying Annex.

Earlier this week the committee staff presented to members a detailed description of the classified Schedule of Authorizations and the accompanying classified Annex. I appreciate the thoroughness of that briefing and the robust discussion we had on the key elements of the classified authorizations. If any members wish to have another discussion on the classified authorizations, we will move to closed session to do so. Staff are available to answer any questions members may have.

Do any members wish to discuss the classified Schedule of Authorizations or the classified Annex?

Seeing none, the chairman's mark has already been adopted as base text by reference. Without objection, the Schedule of Authorizations will be considered as read and open to amendment at any point. If there are any amendments, we will move to closed session to consider them.

Do any members wish to be recognized for an amendment?

If there are no amendments, the question is on adoption of the Schedule of Authorizations for fiscal year 2017. Those in favor will say aye.

Those opposed, no.

In the opinion of the chair, the ayes have it and the Schedule of

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Authorizations is adopted. The committee has now considered and adopted the classified Schedule of Authorizations. The chair moves to favorably report the bill H.R. 5077, including, by reference, the classified Schedule of Authorizations. Without objection, the previous question is ordered, those in favor will say aye.

Those opposed no.

In the opinion of the chair the ayes have it, the motion is adopted and H.R. 5077 is ordered reported favorably to the House. Without objection, the motion to reconsider is laid upon the table. The committee will now consider whether to make the classified Schedule of Authorizations and the accompanying classified Annex to the committee's report available for Members of the House to review.

The chair moves for the committee to make the classified Schedule of Authorizations and the classified Annex to the committee's report available for members of the House to review. Without objection, the previous question is ordered and the clerk will call the roll.

THE CLERK: Chairman Nunes?
THE CHAIRMAN: Aye.
THE CLERK: Chairman Nunes votes aye.
Mr. Miller?
MR. MILLER: Aye.
THE CLERK: Mr. Miller votes aye.
Mr. Conaway?
MR. CONAWAY: Aye.
THE CLERK: Mr. Conaway votes aye.

Mr. King?

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MR. KING: Aye.

THE CLERK: Mr. King votes aye.

Mr. LoBiondo?

MR. LOBIONDO: Aye.

THE CLERK: Mr. LoBiondo votes aye.

Mr. Westmoreland?

[No response.]

THE CLERK: Mr. Rooney?

MR. ROONEY: Aye.

THE CLERK: Mr. Rooney votes aye.

Dr. Heck?

DR. HECK: Aye.

THE CLERK: Dr. Heck votes aye.

Mr. Pompeo?

MR. POMPEO: Aye.

THE CLERK: Mr. Pompeo votes aye.

Ms. Ros-Lehtinen?

MS. ROS-LEHTINEN: Aye.

THE CLERK: Ms. Ros-Lehtinen votes aye.

Mr. Turner?

MR. TURNER: Aye.

THE CLERK: Mr. Turner votes aye.

Dr. Wenstrup?

DR. WENSTRUP: Aye.

THE CLERK: Dr. Wenstrup votes aye.

Mr. Stewart?

MR. STEWART: Aye.

THE CLERK: Mr. Stewart votes aye.

Mr. Schiff?

MR. SCHIFF: Aye.

THE CLERK: Mr. Schiff votes aye.

Mr. Gutierrez?

[No response.]

THE CLERK: Mr. Himes?

MR. HIMES: Aye.

THE CLERK: Mr. Himes votes aye.

Ms. Sewell?

MS. SEWELL: Aye.

THE CLERK: Ms. Sewell votes aye.

Mr. Carson?

MR. CARSON: Aye.

THE CLERK: Mr. Carson votes aye.

Ms. Speier?

MS. SPEIER: Aye.

THE CLERK: Ms. Speier votes aye.

Mr. Quigley?

MR. QUIGLEY: Aye.

THE CLERK: Mr. Quigley votes aye.

Mr. Swalwell?

MR. SWALWELL: Aye.

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THE CLERK: Mr. Swalwell votes aye.

Mr. Murphy?

MR. MURPHY: Aye.

THE CLERK: Mr. Murphy votes aye.

Mr. Chairman, there are 20 ayes and zero noes.

THE CHAIRMAN: Thank you, Nick. The motion is adopted and the classified Schedule of Authorizations and the classified Annex to the committee's report will be available for members of the House to review.

I ask unanimous consent that the staff be authorized to make any necessary technical, grammatical, and conforming changes to the bill, and the Schedule of Authorizations just reported, including conforming the legislative text to any final changes in the Schedule of Authorizations and the classified Annex.

Without objection, it is so ordered. I ask unanimous consent that the committee authorize the use of proxy voting in any conference committee with the Senate on H.R. 5077, or any similar legislation passed by the Senate.

Without objection, it is so ordered.

I ask unanimous consent that the committee's security director review the transcript of the meeting and make any necessary redactions of classified information.

Finally, I note that all members who wish to do so will have not less than 2 additional calendar days to file supplemental minority or additional views to accompany the committee's report to the House on H.R. 5077, pursuant to clause 2(l) of House Rule 11.

If there is no further business -- any further business? Without objection, the meeting is now adjourned.