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Chairman Rogers Statement on a New Report Detailing Scope of Foreign Economic Espionage Against the U.S.

WASHINGTON, D.C. – Chairman Mike Rogers today released a statement regarding a new report by the Office of the Director of National Intelligence (DNI) detailing the alarming scope of foreign economic espionage against the United States’ business and innovators. The report, entitled “*Foreign Spies Stealing US Economic Secrets in Cyberspace*,” was produced by the DNI’s Office of the National Counterintelligence Executive (NCIX).

Statement by Chairman Mike Rogers

“This report confirms what I have heard time and time again: the Chinese remain the most aggressive and persistent perpetrators of economic and industrial espionage against the United States. Their continued theft of sensitive economic information is a threat to our national security, hurts American businesses and workers, and causes incalculable harm to global economy. This once again underscores the need for America’s allies across Asia and Europe to join forces to pressure Beijing to end this illegal behavior.”

The full report can be found at the following link:

http://www.ncix.gov/publications/reports/fecie_all/Foreign_Economic_Collection_2011.pdf

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