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H. R. 9492

To require the Secretary of Homeland Security to produce a report that identifies gaps in resources, guidance, and policies to satisfy all event logging requirements for cybersecurity incidents at the Department of Homeland Security, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 25, 2026

Mr. WALKINSHAW (for himself and Mr. BACON) introduced the following bill;
which was referred to the Committee on Homeland Security

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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Cybersecurity Logging
5 Enforcement and Accountability Reporting Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. REPORT ON GAPS IN RESOURCES, GUIDANCE, AND**
2 **POLICIES ON EVENT LOGGING OF CYBERSE-**
3 **CURITY INCIDENTS AT THE DEPARTMENT OF**
4 **HOMELAND SECURITY.**

5 (a) REPORT.—

6 (1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days
7 after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Sec-
8 retary of Homeland Security, acting through the
9 Under Secretary for Management of the Department
10 of Homeland Security, shall submit to the appro-
11 priate congressional committees a report on the De-
12 partment's efforts to satisfy all requirements under
13 Executive Order 14028, the Office of Management
14 and Budget Memorandum (OMB) M-26-14, and
15 the National Institute of Standards and Technology
16 (NIST) Special Publication 800-53 for event log-
17 ging of cybersecurity incidents.

18 (2) ELEMENTS.—The report under paragraph
19 (1) shall include the following:

20 (A) An analysis of the Department of
21 Homeland Security's current implementation
22 status of the requirements for event logging of
23 cybersecurity incidents.

24 (B) An identification of any gaps in guid-
25 ance that prevent the Department from satis-
26 fying such requirements.

1 (C) An identification of any policies that
2 prevent the Department from satisfying such
3 requirements.

4 (D) An identification of any gaps in re-
5 sources that prevent the Department from sat-
6 isfying such requirements.

7 (E) Recommendations for policies, guid-
8 ance, or resources, as the case may be, that
9 would support the Department in satisfying
10 such requirements.

11 (3) FORM.—The report under paragraph (1)
12 shall be submitted in unclassified form, and shall in-
13 clude an unclassified executive summary.

14 (4) PUBLICATION.—The unclassified executive
15 summary of the report required under paragraph (1)
16 shall be published on a publicly accessible website of
17 the Department of Homeland Security.

18 (b) BRIEFING.—Not later than 30 days after the sub-
19 mission of the report under subsection (a), the Secretary
20 of Homeland Security shall provide to the appropriate con-
21 gressional committees a briefing on the findings, conclu-
22 sions, and recommendations contained in such report.

23 (c) DEFINITION.—In this section, the term “appro-
24 priate congressional committees” means—

1 (1) the Committee on Homeland Security and
2 the Committee on Appropriations of the House of
3 Representatives; and

4 (2) the Committee on Homeland Security and
5 Governmental Affairs and the Committee on Appro-
6 priations of the Senate.

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