

S 3085

Federal Acquisition Supply Chain Security Act of 2018

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Sponsor

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Cosponsors (2 total)

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Sen. Lankford, James [R-OK]	R · OK		Jun 19, 2018
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Reported By	Nov 26, 2018

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 7327	Related bill	Dec 21, 2018: Became Public Law No: 115-390.

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This bill establishes in the executive branch a Federal Acquisition Security Council. The Office of Management and Budget shall designate a senior-level official to serve as the chairperson of the council. The council shall perform functions that include developing: (1) criteria and processes for assessing threats and vulnerabilities relating to supply chain risk posed by the acquisition of information technology to national security and the public interest, and (2) standards and measures for supply chain risk management.

The chairperson shall report annually to Congress on the council's activities.

Any agency that makes information technology available for procurement by other agencies shall:

- identify information technology products made available to other agencies that pose the greatest risk to national security or the public interest;
- complete a risk assessment of such products;
- in each case in which the agency identifies a significant supply chain risk posed by information technology, make the risk assessment available to all agencies through the council and develop a plan to mitigate that risk; and
- develop a vetting process for conducting supply chain risk assessments regarding prospective providers of information technology and make the process available to all agencies.

The Department of Homeland Security may: (1) assist agencies in conducting risk assessments and implementing mitigation requirements for information technology, and (2) provide such additional guidance or tools as necessary to support actions taken by agencies.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 19, 2018:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Dec 19, 2018:** Received in the House.
- **Dec 19, 2018:** Held at the desk.
- **Dec 18, 2018:** Measure laid before Senate by unanimous consent. (consideration: CR S7809-7817; text of measure as reported in Senate: CR S7809-7813)
- **Dec 18, 2018:** The committee substitute withdrawn by Unanimous Consent.
- **Dec 18, 2018:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate with an amendment by Unanimous Consent.
- **Dec 18, 2018:** Passed Senate with an amendment by Unanimous Consent.
- **Dec 4, 2018:** By Senator Johnson from Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs filed written report. Report No. 115-408.
- **Nov 26, 2018:** Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Reported by Senator Johnson with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. Without written report.
- **Nov 26, 2018:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 666.
- **Sep 26, 2018:** Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Ordered to be reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute favorably.
- **Sep 13, 2018:** Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 115-588.
- **Jun 19, 2018:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jun 19, 2018:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.