

## S 3153

Matthew Young Pollard Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Years 2018 and 2019

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Burr, Richard [R-NC]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** NC • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Intelligence (Select) Committee	Senate	Reported Original Measure	Jun 28, 2018

### Subjects & Policy Tags

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Armed Forces and National Security

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 3724	Related bill	<b>Dec 6, 2018:</b> Read twice and referred to the Select Committee on Intelligence.
115 HR 6237	Related bill	<b>Jul 16, 2018:</b> Received in the Senate.

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This bill reauthorizes appropriations for FY2018-FY2019 for intelligence community programs and activities and adjusts personnel limits. It also authorizes appropriations for the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability Fund for FY2018-FY2019.

The intelligence community agencies are authorized to provide higher pay for positions requiring expertise in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics, and for cyber-related positions.

The Office of the Director of National Intelligence (ODNI) shall: (1) assist the Department of Homeland Security in sharing classified information regarding threats to state election systems to certain senior state election officials, who will receive top secret security clearances; and (2) designate a national counterintelligence officer within the National Counterintelligence and Security Center to lead, manage, and coordinate matters relating to election security.

The bill sets forth provisions regarding security clearances.

The bill contains several directives for the ODNI related to Russia, including to: (1) assess Russian threat finance (which includes the financing of cyber operations and sanctions evasion), and (2) provide notice of travel by diplomatic and consular personnel of Russia.

The Department of Energy shall establish a two-year pilot program for securing energy infrastructure.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jul 11, 2018:** By Senator Burr from Select Committee on Intelligence filed written report. Report No. 115-298. Additional views filed.
- **Jun 28, 2018:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jun 28, 2018:** Select Committee on Intelligence. Original measure reported to Senate by Senator Burr. Without written report.
- **Jun 28, 2018:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 494.