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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 958

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"AN ACT ESTABLISHING STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIPS IN CYBERSECURITY."

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) (a) The Labor Department, in
4 conjunction with the Department of Economic and Community
5 Development, shall conduct an analysis of the cybersecurity sector in
6 the state, including, but not limited to: (1) An identification of industry
7 stakeholders in the cybersecurity sector and potential partners in
8 developing the cybersecurity sector, including, but not limited to,
9 educational institutions, cybersecurity businesses trade associations
10 and nonprofit organizations, and representatives from the financial,
11 insurance, health care and defense sectors in the state and other public
12 and private entities that utilize the services of cybersecurity

13 professionals; and (2) an identification of barriers to the growth of the
 14 cybersecurity sector in the state. Not later than October 1, 2015, the
 15 department shall submit such analysis to the joint standing committees
 16 of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to
 17 commerce and labor, in accordance with section 11-4a of the general
 18 statutes.

19 (b) Not later than December 1, 2015, the Department of Economic
 20 and Community Development, the Labor Department, and the joint
 21 standing committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of
 22 matters relating to commerce shall convene a forum on the
 23 cybersecurity sector in the state.

24 (c) Not later than February 1, 2016, the Department of Economic and
 25 Community Development, in conjunction with the Labor Department,
 26 shall submit a plan for the growth of the cybersecurity sector in the
 27 state to the joint standing committees of the General Assembly having
 28 cognizance of matters relating to commerce and labor, in accordance
 29 with section 11-4a of the general statutes. Such plan shall include: (1)
 30 Policy recommendations to support the growth of the cybersecurity
 31 sector and to leverage federal grants for cybersecurity research,
 32 education and business development; (2) an identification of market
 33 opportunities, including, but not limited to, specialized markets, for
 34 cybersecurity businesses in the state; (3) an identification of best
 35 practices for promoting cybersecurity industry partnerships; and (4)
 36 policy recommendations for the state's public schools and higher
 37 education constituent units to prepare students for employment in the
 38 cybersecurity sector."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section