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# H. R. 1718

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 22, 2023

Mr. OBERNOLTE (for himself and Mr. PANETTA) introduced the following bill;  
which was referred to the Committee on Armed Services

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## 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 “AI for National Secu-  
5 rity Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE ENTERPRISE-WIDE PRO-**  
2 **CUREMENT OF CYBER DATA PRODUCTS AND**  
3 **SERVICES.**

4 Section 1521 of the National Defense Authorization  
5 Act for Fiscal Year 2022 (Public Law 117–81; 10 U.S.C.  
6 2224 note) is amended—

7 (1) in subsection (a)(5), by inserting “, includ-  
8 ing the use of artificial intelligence-based endpoint  
9 security that prevents cyber attacks and does not re-  
10 quire constant internet connectivity to function,”  
11 after “services”; and

12 (2) in subsection (b), by inserting “, including  
13 by enhancing the security of the software supply  
14 chain of the Department” after “best interests of  
15 the Department”.

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