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[Report No. 116–266]

To amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to expand the authority of the National Infrastructure Simulation and Analysis Center, and for other purposes.

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JULY 2, 2020

Mr. JOHNSON (for himself, Mr. PETERS, and Ms. HASSAN) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

SEPTEMBER 9, 2020

Reported by Mr. JOHNSON, with an amendment

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# A BILL

To amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to expand the authority of the National Infrastructure Simulation and Analysis Center, and for other purposes.

1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

## **1 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

This Act may be cited as the “National Infrastructure Simulation and Analysis Center Pandemic Modeling Act of 2020”.

## **5 SEC. 2. NATIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE SIMULATION AND 6 ANALYSIS CENTER.**

7 Section 511 of the Homeland Security Act of 2002  
8 (6 U.S.C. 321) is amended—

9 (1) in subsection (b)—

10 (A) in paragraph (1)—

11 (i) in subparagraph (A) by striking  
12 “and” at the end;

13 (ii) in subparagraph (B)—

(I) by inserting “, pandemic” after “natural disaster”, and

(H) by striking the period at the end and inserting “; and”; and

(iii) by adding at the end the following:

“(C) such other activities as determined appropriate by the Director of the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency.”; and

(B) in paragraph (2)(C)—

(I) by inserting “, pandemics” after “natural disasters”; and

(H) by striking “and other man-made disasters” and inserting “other man-made disasters, and such other activities as determined appropriate by the Director of the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency”, and

(ii) in clause (ii), by inserting “upon request and not later than 15 days after completion” before “, including”.

## **11 SEC. 3. REPORTING AND BRIEFING REQUIREMENTS.**

12 (a) REPORTING TO FEDERAL AGENCIES.

## (1) SUMMARY OF CURRENT PROJECTS.—

**(B) REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.** If the head of a Federal agency or department with critical infrastructure responsibilities under Homeland Security Presidential Directive 7, or any successor to such directive, requests additional information on a specific project summarized under subparagraph (A), the Director of the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency shall provide the information not later than 30 days after the date of the request.

(2) ~~PRIOR DATA.~~

(A) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 90 days after the date of enactment of this Act, the Director of the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency shall provide a catalogue of the projects of the National Infrastructure Simulation and Analysis Center for each of fiscal years 2014 through 2020 to each Federal agency and department with critical infrastructure responsibilities under Homeland Security Presidential Directive 7, or any successor to such directive.

**(B) REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.**—If the head of a Federal agency or department with critical infrastructure respon-

1       sibilities under Homeland Security Presidential  
2       Directive 7, or any successor to such directive,  
3       requests additional information on a specific  
4       project catalogued under subparagraph (A), the  
5       Director of the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure  
6       Security Agency shall provide the informa-  
7       tion not later than 30 days after the date of the  
8       request.

9                     (3) PANDEMIC PORTFOLIO SUMMARY.—

10                   (A) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 45 days  
11       after the date of enactment of this Act, the Di-  
12       rector of the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure  
13       Security Agency shall provide a summary of the  
14       past pandemic projects and provide all pan-  
15       demic reports of the National Infrastructure  
16       Simulation and Analysis Center to each Federal  
17       agency and department with critical infrastruc-  
18       ture responsibilities under Homeland Security  
19       Presidential Directive 7, or any successor to  
20       such directive.

21                   (B) REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMA-  
22       TION.—If the head of a Federal agency or de-  
23       partment with critical infrastructure respon-  
24       sibilities under Homeland Security Presidential  
25       Directive 7, or any successor to such directive,

1           requests additional information on a past  
2           project or specific pandemic report provided  
3           under subparagraph (A), the Director of the  
4           Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security  
5           Agency shall provide the information not later  
6           than 15 days after the date of the request.

7           **(b) REPORTING TO CONGRESS.—**

8           **(1) CURRENT PROJECTS AND PRIORITIES.**—Not  
9           later than 1 year after the date of enactment of this  
10          Act, and once each year thereafter, the Director of  
11          the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency  
12          shall provide summaries of the current projects  
13          and priorities of the National Infrastructure Simulation  
14          and Analysis Center to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs of the  
15          Senate and the Committee on Homeland Security of  
16          the House of Representatives.

17           **(2) PRIOR DATA.**—Not later than 90 days after  
18          the date of enactment of this Act, the Director of  
19          the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency  
20          shall provide a catalogue of the projects of the  
21          National Infrastructure Simulation and Analysis  
22          Center for each of fiscal years 2014 through 2020  
23          to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs of the Senate and the Committee

1       on Homeland Security of the House of Representa-  
2       tives.

3                     (3) PANDEMIC PORTFOLIO SUMMARY.—Not  
4       later than 45 days after the date of enactment of  
5       this Act, the Director of the Cybersecurity and In-  
6       frastructure Security Agency shall provide a sum-  
7       mary of the past pandemic projects and provide all  
8       pandemic reports of the National Infrastructure  
9       Simulation and Analysis Center to the Committee on  
10      Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs of the  
11      Senate and the Committee on Homeland Security of  
12      the House of Representatives.

13                     (e) BRIEFING TO CONGRESS.—

14                     (1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days  
15       after the date of enactment of this Act, the Director  
16       of the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security  
17       Agency shall provide a briefing on current pandemic  
18       modeling, simulation, and analyses of the National  
19       Infrastructure Simulation and Analysis Center, and  
20       any additional activities supporting these efforts, to  
21       the Committee on Homeland Security and Govern-  
22       mental Affairs of the Senate and the Committee on  
23       Homeland Security of the House of Representatives.

24                     (2) ADDITIONAL BRIEFING.—Not later than  
25       180 days after the date on which the Director of the

1       Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency  
2       provides the briefing required under paragraph (1),  
3       the Director of the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure  
4       Security Agency shall provide an updated version of  
5       the briefing to the Committee on Homeland Security  
6       and Governmental Affairs of the Senate and the  
7       Committee on Homeland Security of the House of  
8       Representatives.

9       **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

10       *This Act may be cited as the “National Infrastructure  
11       Simulation and Analysis Center Pandemic Modeling Act  
12       of 2020”.*

13       **SEC. 2. NATIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE SIMULATION AND  
14       ANALYSIS CENTER.**

15       *Section 511(b) of the Homeland Security Act of 2002*

16       *(6 U.S.C. 321(b)) is amended—*

17               *(1) in paragraph (1)—*

18                       *(A) in subparagraph (A) by striking “and”  
19                               at the end;*

20                       *(B) in subparagraph (B)—*

21                               *(i) by inserting “, pandemic” after  
22                                       “natural disaster”; and*

23                               *(ii) by striking the period at the end  
24                                       and inserting “; and”; and*

25                       *(C) by adding at the end the following:*

1               “(C) such other activities as determined ap-  
2               propriate by the Director of the Cybersecurity  
3               and Infrastructure Security Agency.”; and  
4               (2) in paragraph (2)(C)—  
5               (A) in clause (i)—  
6               (i) by inserting “, pandemics” after  
7               “natural disasters”; and  
8               (ii) by striking “and other man-made  
9               disasters” and inserting “other man-made  
10               disasters, and such other activities as deter-  
11               mined appropriate by the Director of the  
12               Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security  
13               Agency”; and  
14               (B) in clause (ii), by inserting “upon re-  
15               quest and not later than 15 days after comple-  
16               tion” before “, including”.

17 **SEC. 3. REPORTING AND BRIEFING REQUIREMENTS.**

18               (a) *REPORTING TO FEDERAL AGENCIES.*—  
19               (1) *SUMMARY OF CURRENT PROJECTS.*—  
20               (A) *IN GENERAL.*—Not later than October 1,  
21               2021, and once each year thereafter, the Director  
22               of the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security  
23               Agency shall provide the following information  
24               to each Federal agency and department with  
25               critical infrastructure responsibilities under

1           *Presidential Policy Directive–21, or any suc-*  
2           *cessor to such directive:*

3                 (i) *A summary of the priorities of the*  
4                 *National Infrastructure Simulation and*  
5                 *Analysis Center as of the date on which the*  
6                 *information is provided under this subpara-*  
7                 *graph.*

8                 (ii) *A summary of each project carried*  
9                 *out during the 1-year period preceding the*  
10                 *date on which the information is provided*  
11                 *under this subparagraph, including key*  
12                 *findings and recommendations.*

13                 (B) *REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMA-*  
14                 *TION.—If the head of a Federal agency or de-*  
15                 *partment with critical infrastructure responsibil-*  
16                 *ties under Presidential Policy Directive–21, or*  
17                 *any successor to such directive, requests addi-*  
18                 *tional information on a specific project summa-*  
19                 *rized under subparagraph (A), the Director of*  
20                 *the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security*  
21                 *Agency shall provide the information not later*  
22                 *than 30 days after the date of the request.*

23                 (2) *PRIOR DATA.—*

24                 (A) *IN GENERAL.—Not later than 90 days*  
25                 *after the date of enactment of this Act, the Direc-*

1           *tor of the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Secu-*  
2           *rity Agency shall provide a catalog of the*  
3           *projects of the National Infrastructure Simula-*  
4           *tion and Analysis Center for each of fiscal years*  
5           *2014 through 2020 to each Federal agency and*  
6           *department with critical infrastructure respon-*  
7           *sibilities under Presidential Policy Directive–21,*  
8           *or any successor to such directive.*

9           (B) REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMA-  
10          TION.—*If the head of a Federal agency or de-*  
11          *partment with critical infrastructure responsibil-*  
12          *ties under Presidential Policy Directive–21, or*  
13          *any successor to such directive, requests addi-*  
14          *tional information on a specific project cataloged*  
15          *under subparagraph (A), the Director of the Cy-*  
16          *bersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency*  
17          *shall provide the information not later than 30*  
18          *days after the date of the request.*

19           (3) PANDEMIC PORTFOLIO SUMMARY.—

20           (A) IN GENERAL.—*Not later than 45 days*  
21          *after the date of enactment of this Act, the Direc-*  
22          *tor of the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Secu-*  
23          *rity Agency shall provide all pandemic reports of*  
24          *the National Infrastructure Simulation and*  
25          *Analysis Center completed before the date of en-*

1           *actment of this Act to each Federal agency and*  
2           *department with critical infrastructure respon-*  
3           *sibilities under Presidential Policy Directive–21,*  
4           *or any successor to such directive.*

5           *(B) REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMA-*  
6           *TION.—If the head of a Federal agency or de-*  
7           *partment with critical infrastructure responsibil-*  
8           *ties under Presidential Policy Directive–21, or*  
9           *any successor to such directive, requests addi-*  
10          *tional information on a project or specific pan-*  
11          *demic report provided under subparagraph (A),*  
12          *the Director of the Cybersecurity and Infrastruc-*  
13          *ture Security Agency shall provide the informa-*  
14          *tion not later than 30 days after the date of the*  
15          *request.*

16          *(b) REPORTING TO CONGRESS.—*

17          *(1) CURRENT PROJECTS AND PRIORITIES.—Not*  
18          *later than October 1, 2021, and once each year there-*  
19          *after, the Director of the Cybersecurity and Infra-*  
20          *structure Security Agency shall provide the following*  
21          *information to the Committee on Homeland Security*  
22          *and Governmental Affairs of the Senate and the Com-*  
23          *mittee on Homeland Security of the House of Rep-*  
24          *resentatives:*

1                   (A) A summary of the priorities of the National  
2                   Infrastructure Simulation and Analysis  
3                   Center as of the date on which the information  
4                   is provided under this paragraph.

5                   (B) A summary of each project carried out  
6                   during the 1-year period preceding the provision  
7                   of information under this paragraph, includ-  
8                   ing—

9                         (i) key findings and recommendations;  
10                         and

11                         (ii) a description of how the projects,  
12                         key findings, and recommendations were  
13                         distributed and utilized within the Federal  
14                         Government.

15                         (C) A description of how the information,  
16                         findings, and recommendations from the projects  
17                         described in subparagraph (B) align with the  
18                         priorities of the Department.

19                         (D) For each project described in subpara-  
20                         graph (B) beginning after the date of enactment  
21                         of this Act, a breakdown of the number of sci-  
22                         entists from the national laboratories that are  
23                         contributing to the projects and priorities of the  
24                         National Infrastructure Simulation and Anal-  
25                         ysis Center.

1                   (2) *PRIOR DATA.*—Not later than 90 days after  
2       the date of enactment of this Act, the Director of the  
3       Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency  
4       shall provide a catalog of the projects of the National  
5       Infrastructure Simulation and Analysis Center for  
6       each of fiscal years 2014 through 2020 to the Com-  
7       mittee on Homeland Security and Governmental Af-  
8       fairs of the Senate and the Committee on Homeland  
9       Security of the House of Representatives.

10                  (3) *PANDEMIC PORTFOLIO SUMMARY.*—Not later  
11       than 90 days after the date of enactment of this Act,  
12       and once each year thereafter for 2 years, the Director  
13       of the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security  
14       Agency shall provide the following information to the  
15       Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental  
16       Affairs of the Senate and the Committee on Home-  
17       land Security of the House of Representatives:

18                  (A) All pandemic reports and a summary  
19       of pandemic projects of the National Infrastruc-  
20       ture Simulation and Analysis Center completed  
21       before the date of enactment of this Act, or, in  
22       the case of information provided after the first  
23       90-day period, a summary of each pandemic  
24       project and report completed during the 1-year  
25       period covered by the information.

1                   (B) A summary of lessons learned from the  
2                   pandemic reports and projects described in sub-  
3                   paragraph (A).

4                   (C) A summary of how the pandemic re-  
5                   ports and projects described in subparagraph (A)  
6                   were used to plan for and respond to the  
7                   COVID–19 pandemic and national emergency.

8                   (D) A description of—

9                         (i) how the pandemic reports and  
10                        projects described in subparagraph (A), and  
11                        any key findings or recommendations based  
12                        on such reports and projects, were distrib-  
13                        uted and utilized within the Federal Gov-  
14                        ernment; and

15                         (ii) the specific agencies to which the  
16                        information described in clause (i) was dis-  
17                        tributed.

18                   (E) A summary of the projects and prior-  
19                        ties developed by the National Infrastructure  
20                        Simulation and Analysis Center during the re-  
21                        porting periods to assist in the response to the  
22                        COVID–19 pandemic and national emergency.

23                   (F) For each project beginning after the  
24                        date of enactment of this Act, a breakdown of the  
25                        number of scientists from the national labora-

1           *tories that are contributing to the pandemic*  
2           *projects and priorities of the National Infra-*  
3           *structure Simulation and Analysis Center.*

4           (c) *BRIEFING TO CONGRESS.—*

5           (1) *IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days after*  
6           *the date of enactment of this Act, the Director of the*  
7           *Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency*  
8           *shall provide a briefing on current pandemic mod-*  
9           *eling, simulation, and analyses of the National Infra-*  
10          *structure Simulation and Analysis Center, any addi-*  
11          *tional activities supporting these efforts, and how the*  
12          *Department of Homeland Security is applying this*  
13          *information to current and future COVID–19 pan-*  
14          *demic work to the Committee on Homeland Security*  
15          *and Governmental Affairs of the Senate and the Com-*  
16          *mittee on Homeland Security of the House of Rep-*  
17          *resentatives.*

18          (2) *ADDITIONAL BRIEFING.—Not later than 180*  
19          *days after the date on which the Director of the Cy-*  
20          *bersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency pro-*  
21          *vides the briefing required under paragraph (1), and*  
22          *every 180 days thereafter until the date that is 2*  
23          *years after the date of enactment of this Act, the Di-*  
24          *rector of the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Secu-*  
25          *rity Agency shall provide an updated version of the*

1       *briefing to the Committee on Homeland Security and*  
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