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[Report No. 119-]

To amend the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act to reauthorize the Department of Energy's Energy Sector Operational Support for Cyberresilience Program to provide operational support for energy sector cybersecurity and resilience.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 2, 2026

Ms. CASTOR of Florida (for herself and Mr. EVANS of Colorado) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

MARCH --, 2026

Reported with an amendment, committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, and ordered to be printed

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[For text of introduced bill, see copy of bill as introduced on February 2, 2026]

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 “Energy Threat Analysis*
5 *Center Act of 2026”.*

6 **SEC. 2. ENERGY SECTOR OPERATIONAL SUPPORT FOR**
7 **CYBERRESILIENCE PROGRAM.**

8 *Section 40125(c) of the Infrastructure Investment and*
9 *Jobs Act (42 U.S.C. 18724(c)) is amended—*

10 (1) *in paragraph (1)—*

11 (A) *by redesignating subparagraphs (A)*
12 *through (E) as subparagraphs (B) through (F),*
13 *respectively;*

14 (B) *by inserting before subparagraph (B),*
15 *as so redesignated, the following:*

16 “(A) *to strengthen the collective defense, re-*
17 *sponse, and resilience of the United States energy*
18 *sector—*

19 “(i) *by enhancing collaboration be-*
20 *tween the government and the energy sector*
21 *to analyze threats to the energy sector and*
22 *to deny, disrupt, and mitigate operational*
23 *impacts to energy systems—*

24 “(I) *by exchanging information at*
25 *the classified and unclassified level,*

1 *collectively analyzing potential and re-*
2 *alized threats, and providing rec-*
3 *ommendations to mitigate these threats*
4 *that benefit the broader energy sector;*
5 *and*

6 “*(II) by increasing operational*
7 *collaboration through establishing the*
8 *technical infrastructure necessary to*
9 *house, access, and perform advanced*
10 *analytics and experimentation to en-*
11 *able analysis, discovery, alerts, and*
12 *collaboration activities of intelligence-*
13 *driven and intelligence-informed tech-*
14 *anical data and knowledge, threat infor-*
15 *mation and to share actionable in-*
16 *sights and threat mitigation;*

17 “*(ii) by advancing the collective under-*
18 *standing of national security risks and*
19 *vulnerabilities associated with the energy*
20 *sector that may be exploited by adversaries;*
21 *and*

22 “*(iii) by increasing the energy sector’s*
23 *understanding of threat actor tactics, tech-*
24 *niques, procedures, indicators of com-*

1 *promise, capabilities, and activities that*
2 *present risks to the energy sector;”;*

3 *(C) in subparagraph (D), as so redesign-*
4 *ated, by striking “sector;” and inserting “sec-*
5 *tor; and”;*

6 *(D) in subparagraph (E), as so redesign-*
7 *ated, by striking “; and” and inserting “.”; and*

8 *(E) by striking subparagraph (F), as so re-*
9 *designated;*

10 *(2) by redesignating paragraph (2) as para-*
11 *graph (7);*

12 *(3) by inserting after paragraph (1) the fol-*
13 *lowing:*

14 “(2) *ENERGY THREAT ANALYSIS CENTER.—The*
15 *Secretary may carry out any activity of the program*
16 *developed and carried out under paragraph (1)*
17 *through an Energy Threat Analysis Center, which*
18 *may be established at one or more physical locations.*

19 “(3) *NO RIGHT OR BENEFIT.—*

20 “(A) *SECRETARIAL AUTHORITY.—The pro-*
21 *vision of assistance or information under the*
22 *program developed and carried out under para-*
23 *graph (1) to a governmental or private entity*
24 *shall be at the sole and unreviewable discretion*
25 *of the Secretary.*

1 “(B) *PROVISION OF ASSISTANCE OR INFOR-*
2 *MATION.—The provision of assistance or infor-*
3 *mation under the program developed and carried*
4 *out under paragraph (1) to a governmental or*
5 *private entity shall not create a right or benefit,*
6 *substantive or procedural, for any other govern-*
7 *mental or private entity to similar assistance or*
8 *information.*

9 “(4) *NONAPPLICABILITY OF FACAA.—The program*
10 *developed and carried out under paragraph (1) shall*
11 *not be considered an advisory committee under chap-*
12 *ter 10 of title 5, United States Code.*

13 “(5) *EXEMPTION FROM DISCLOSURE.—Informa-*
14 *tion shared by or with the Federal Government or a*
15 *State, Tribal, or local government under the program*
16 *developed and carried out under paragraph (1) shall*
17 *be—*

18 “(A) *deemed voluntarily shared information*
19 *and exempt from disclosure under section 552 of*
20 *title 5, United States Code, and any State, Trib-*
21 *al, or local provision of law requiring disclosure*
22 *of information or records; and*

23 “(B) *withheld, without discretion, from the*
24 *public under section 552(b)(3)(B) of title 5,*
25 *United States Code, and any State, Tribal, or*

1 *local provision of law requiring disclosure of in-*
2 *formation or records.*

3 “(6) *TRANSACTION AUTHORITY.*—

4 “(A) *IN GENERAL.*—*In addition to any*
5 *other authority granted to the Secretary under*
6 *any other provision of law, the Secretary is au-*
7 *thorized to enter into and perform contracts, co-*
8 *operative agreements, grants, and other trans-*
9 *actions with public agencies, private organiza-*
10 *tions, and persons to carry out the program de-*
11 *veloped and carried out under paragraph (1).*

12 “(B) *MINIMIZING DELAYS.*—*The Secretary*
13 *may establish and utilize pre-approved national*
14 *security contracting mechanisms, model partner-*
15 *ship agreements, and expedited review proce-*
16 *dures for purposes of entering into transactions*
17 *under subparagraph (A).”;* and

18 (4) *in paragraph (7), as so redesignated, by*
19 *striking “2022 through 2026” and inserting “2027*
20 *through 2031”.*