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To amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to make technical corrections to the requirement that the Secretary of Homeland Security submit quadrennial homeland security reviews, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on _____

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 “Quadrennial Homeland
5 Security Review Technical Correction Act of 2016”.

1 **SEC. 2. TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO QUADRENNIAL**
2 **HOMELAND SECURITY REVIEW.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 707 of the Homeland Se-
4 curity Act of 2002 (6 U.S.C. 347) is amended—

5 (1) in subsection (a)(3)—

6 (A) in subparagraph (B), by striking
7 “and”;

8 (B) by redesignating subparagraph (C) as
9 subparagraph (D); and

10 (C) by inserting after subparagraph (B)
11 the following new subparagraph (C):

12 “(C) representatives from appropriate ad-
13 visory committees established pursuant to sec-
14 tion 871 of this Act, including the Homeland
15 Security Advisory Council and the Homeland
16 Security Science and Technology Advisory Com-
17 mittee, or otherwise established, including the
18 Aviation Security Advisory Committee estab-
19 lished pursuant to section 44946 of title 49,
20 United States Code; and”;

21 (2) in subsection (b)—

22 (A) in paragraph (2), by inserting before
23 the semicolon at the end the following: “based
24 on the risk assessment required pursuant to
25 subsection (c)(2)(B)”;

26 (B) in paragraph (3)—

1 (i) by inserting “, to the extent prac-
2 ticable,” after “describe”; and

3 (ii) by striking “budget plan” and in-
4 serting “resources required”;

5 (C) in paragraph (4)—

6 (i) by inserting “, to the extent prac-
7 ticable,” after “identify”;

8 (ii) by striking “budget plan required
9 to provide sufficient resources to success-
10 fully” and inserting “resources required
11 to”; and

12 (iii) by inserting “and” after the semi-
13 colon;

14 (D) in paragraph (5), by striking “; and”
15 and inserting a period; and

16 (E) by striking paragraph (6);

17 (3) in subsection (c)—

18 (A) in paragraph (1)—

19 (i) by striking “December 31 of the
20 year” and inserting “60 days after the
21 date of the submittal of the President’s
22 budget for the fiscal year after the fiscal
23 year”; and

24 (ii) by striking “conducted” and in-
25 serting “required under subsection (a)(1)”;

1 (B) in paragraph (2)—

2 (i) in subparagraph (B), by striking
3 “description of the threats to” and insert-
4 ing “risk assessment of”;

5 (ii) in subparagraph (C), by inserting
6 “, as required under subsection (b)(2)” be-
7 fore the semicolon at the end;

8 (iii) in subparagraph (D), by inserting
9 “to the extent practicable,” before “a de-
10 scription”;

11 (iv) in subparagraph (F)—

12 (I) by inserting “to the extent
13 practicable,” before “a discussion”;
14 and

15 (II) by striking “the status of”;

16 (v) in subparagraph (G)—

17 (I) by inserting “to the extent
18 practicable,” before “a discussion”;

19 (II) by striking “the status of”;

20 (III) by inserting “and risks” be-
21 fore “to the national homeland”; and

22 (IV) by inserting “and” after the
23 semicolon;

24 (vi) by striking subparagraph (H);

25 and

1 (vii) by redesignating subparagraph

2 (I) as subparagraph (H);

3 (C) by redesignating paragraph (3) as

4 paragraph (4); and

5 (D) by inserting after paragraph (2) the

6 following new paragraph (3):

7 “(3) DOCUMENTATION.—The Secretary shall
8 retain and, upon request, provide to Congress the
9 following documentation regarding the quadrennial
10 homeland security review:

11 “(A) Records regarding the consultation
12 carried out the pursuant to subsection (a)(3),
13 including—

14 “(i) all written communications, in-
15 cluding communications sent out by the
16 Secretary and feedback submitted to the
17 Secretary through technology, online com-
18 munications tools, in-person discussions,
19 and the interagency process; and

20 “(ii) information on how feedback re-
21 ceived by the Secretary informed the quad-
22 rennial homeland security review.

23 “(B) Information regarding the risk as-
24 sessment, as required under subsection
25 (c)(2)(B), including—

1 “(i) the risk model utilized to generate
2 the risk assessment;

3 “(ii) information, including data used
4 in the risk model, utilized to generate the
5 risk assessment;

6 “(iii) sources of information, including
7 other risk assessments, utilized to generate
8 the risk assessment; and

9 “(iv) information on assumptions,
10 weighing factors, and subjective judgments
11 utilized to generate the risk assessment,
12 together with information on the rationale
13 or basis thereof.”; and

14 (4) by adding at the end the following new sub-
15 section:

16 “(e) REVIEW.—Not later than 90 days after the sub-
17 mission of the report pursuant to subsection (c)(1), the
18 Secretary shall provide to the Committee on Homeland Se-
19 curity of the House of Representatives and the Committee
20 on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs of the
21 Senate information on the degree to which the findings
22 and recommendations developed in the review were inte-
23 grated into the acquisition strategy and expenditure plans
24 for the Department.”.

1 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by
2 this Act shall apply with respect to a quadrennial home-
3 land security review required to be submitted after Decem-
4 ber 31, 2017.