

AMENDMENT TO S. 1281

OFFERED BY MR. LANGEVIN OF RHODE ISLAND

Page 2, line 3, strike “of 2017” and insert “of 2018”.

Page 2, beginning at line 8, strike paragraph (1) and insert the following:

- 1 (1) BUG BOUNTY PROGRAM.—The term “bug
2 bounty program” means a program under which—
3 (A) individuals, organizations, and compa-
4 nies are temporarily authorized to identify and
5 report vulnerabilities of appropriate information
6 systems of the Department; and
7 (B) eligible individuals, organizations, and
8 companies receive compensation in exchange for
9 such reports.

Page 2, after line 16, insert the following (and re-designate subsequent paragraphs accordingly):

- 10 (3) ELIGIBLE INDIVIDUAL, ORGANIZATION, OR
11 COMPANY.—The term “eligible individual, organiza-
12 tion, or company” means an individual, organiza-
13 tion, or company that meets such criteria as the Sec-

1 retary determines in order to receive compensation
2 in compliance with Federal laws.

Page 2, beginning at line 17, strike paragraph (3)
and insert the following:

3 (4) INFORMATION SYSTEM.—The term “infor-
4 mation system” has the meaning given that term by
5 section 3502 of title 44, United States Code.

Page 3, beginning at line 5, strike “Internet-facing
information technology” and insert “appropriate informa-
tion systems”.

Page 3, line 7, after “establishing” insert “and con-
ducting”.

Page 3, beginning at line 9, strike subparagraphs
(A), (B), and (C) and insert the following:

6 (A) designate appropriate information sys-
7 tems to be included in the pilot program;
8 (B) provide compensation to eligible indi-
9 viduals, organizations, and companies for re-
10 ports of previously unidentified security
11 vulnerabilities within the information systems
12 designated under subparagraph (A);
13 (C) establish criteria for individuals, orga-
14 nizations, and companies to be considered eligi-

1 ble for compensation under the pilot program in
2 compliance with Federal laws;

Page 4, line 3, after “law” insert “, and civil law-
suits,”.

Page 4, beginning at line 5, strike subparagraph (E)
and insert the following:

3 (E) consult with the Secretary of Defense
4 and the heads of other departments and agen-
5 cies that have implemented programs to provide
6 compensation for reports of previously undis-
7 closed vulnerabilities in information systems, re-
8 garding lessons that may be applied from such
9 programs; and

Page 4, line 11, strike “approved”.

Page 4, line 12, strike “entity described in subpara-
graph (B)” and insert “Department”.

Page 4, beginning at line 15, strike “for participa-
tion in the pilot program”.

Page 4, after line 20, insert the following:

10 (3) CONTRACT.—In establishing the pilot pro-
11 gram, the Secretary, subject to the availability of ap-
12 propriations, may award one or more competitive

- 1 contracts to an entity, as necessary, to manage the
- 2 pilot program.

Page 5, line 3, strike “approved”.

Page 5, line 4, strike “involved” and insert “that participated”.

Page 5, line 5, strike “approved”.

Page 5, line 8, strike “approved” and insert “determined eligible”.

Page 6, line 3, strike “2018” and insert “2019”.

