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COMMITTEE ACTION

The Committee on Homeland Security Subcommittee on Emergency Preparedness, Response, and Communications met, pursuant to notice, in open markup session, a quorum being present, on Thursday, September 10, 2015, in 311 Cannon House Office Building to consider the following measure:

A Committee Print entitled “Promoting Resilience and Efficiency in Preparing for Attacks and Responding to Emergencies Act”.

The Committee took the following actions:

Committee Print entitled “Promoting Resilience and Efficiency in Preparing for Attacks and Responding to Emergencies Act” was reported to the Full Committee with a favorable recommendation, as amended, by voice vote.

The Committee Print was adopted, as amended, by voice vote.

The following amendments were offered:

An en bloc amendment offered by Mr. Payne (#1); consisting of the following amendments:

An amendment on the roster by Mr. Payne: Page 9, line 6, insert a new section entitled “Sec. 106. Administration and Coordination of Grants.”;

An amendment on the roster by Mr. Payne: Page 21, line 23, insert before the period the following: “, and shall, not later than one year after the date of the enactment of this section and annually thereafter for each of next four years, submit to Congress a report on the status of such corrective actions”.

An amendment on the roster by Mr. Payne: Page 23, beginning line 22, insert a new section entitled “Sec. 123. Annual Reporting on Activities of the Office of Emergency Communications.”

An amendment on the roster by Mr. Payne: Page 34, beginning line 25, strike “the Assistant Secretary for Immigration and Customs Enforcement and the

Commissioner of U.S. Customs and Border Protection” and insert “appropriate component heads”.

Page 35, line 3, insert “, consistent with the strategy required pursuant to the Department of Homeland Security Interoperable Communications Act (Public Law 114–29),” after “a mechanism”.

Page 35, beginning line 3, strike “U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement and U.S. Customs and Border Protection”.

Page 35, line 5, insert “within the Department” after “radio users”.

Page 35, line 6, strike “agencies” and insert “components”.; the en bloc amendment was AGREED TO by voice vote.

A unanimous consent request by Mr. Payne to consider his amendments en bloc, was not objected to.

An amendment offered by Mr. Donovan (#2); At the end of title I, add a new subtitle entitled “Subtitle E—Flood Insurance Claims Process Reforms.”; was AGREED TO by voice vote.

An amendment offered by Mrs. Watson Coleman (#3); Page 47, line 15, strike “all previous efforts to modernize such systems” and insert “previous modernization activities”.

Page 47, line 17, strike paragraph (2) and insert the following: (2) Information on any realized or projected cost savings and efficiencies attributable to such modernization activities.’ was AGREED TO by voice vote.

An amendment offered by Miss Rice (#4); Page 26, line 22, insert before the period at the end the following: “and to the extent practicable, presents information about any identified cybersecurity risks that could impact the near term or long term availability and operations of the Public Safety Broadband Network and information on any plans to eliminate or mitigate such cybersecurity risks”.; was AGREED TO by voice vote.

Without objection, the Chair authorized staff to make technical and conforming corrections to the Committee Print.

