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Mr. Scott MacLean
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Dear Mr. MacLean:

Thank you for appearing before the Subcommittee on Health on Tuesday, April 16, 2024, to testify at the hearing entitled “Examining Health Sector Cybersecurity in the Wake of the Change Healthcare Attack.”

Pursuant to the Rules of the Committee on Energy and Commerce, the hearing record remains open for ten business days to permit Members to submit additional questions for the record, which are attached. The format of your responses to these questions should be as follows: (1) the name of the Member whose question you are addressing, (2) the complete text of the question you are addressing in bold, and (3) your answer to that question in plain text.

To facilitate the printing of the hearing record, please respond to these questions with a transmittal letter by the close of business on Tuesday, June 11, 2024. Your responses should be mailed to Emma Schultheis, Legislative Clerk, Committee on Energy and Commerce, 2125 Rayburn House Office Building, Washington, DC 20515 and e-mailed in Word format to Emma.Schultheis@mail.house.gov.

Thank you again for your time and effort preparing and delivering testimony before the Subcommittee.

Sincerely,



Brett Guthrie
Chair
Subcommittee on Health

cc: Anna Eshoo, Ranking Member, Subcommittee on Health

Attachment

Attachment — Additional Questions for the Record

The Honorable Nanette Barragán

1. The impact of this cyberattack was felt across the healthcare system because the technology has been adopted by so many. Yet third-party technology and vendors, such as Change Healthcare, are not regulated the same way that hospitals and providers are. When a certain kind of technology becomes such an instrumental part of how our health care system functions, does this warrant stronger government regulation of that third party technology?