

1 **SEC. 15** \_\_\_\_ **.[Log 74868] CYBER THREAT INFORMATION COL-**  
2 **LABORATION ENVIRONMENT PROGRAM.**

3 (a) PROGRAM.—Pursuant to the requirements estab-  
4 lished by the Cyber Threat Data Interoperability Council  
5 under subsection (c), the Secretary of Homeland Security  
6 shall develop an information collaboration environment  
7 consisting of a digital environment containing technical  
8 tools for information analytics and a portal through which  
9 relevant parties may submit and automate information in-  
10 puts and access the environment to enable interoperable  
11 data flow that enables Federal and non-Federal entities  
12 to identify, mitigate, and prevent malicious cyber activity  
13 by—

14 (1) providing access to appropriate and oper-  
15 ationally relevant data from unclassified and classi-  
16 fied intelligence about cybersecurity risks and cyber-  
17 security threats, as well as malware forensics and  
18 data from network sensor programs or network-mon-  
19 itoring programs, on a platform that enables  
20 querying and analysis;

21 (2) enabling cross-correlation of data on cyber-  
22 security risks and cybersecurity threats at the speed  
23 and scale necessary for rapid detection and identi-  
24 fication;

1           (3) facilitating a comprehensive understanding  
2 of cybersecurity risks and cybersecurity threats; and

3           (4) facilitating collaborative analysis between  
4 the Federal Government and public and private sec-  
5 tor critical infrastructure entities and information  
6 sharing and analysis organizations.

7           (b) IMPLEMENTATION OF INFORMATION COLLABO-  
8 RATION ENVIRONMENT.—

9           (1) EVALUATION.—

10           (A) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180  
11 days after the date of the enactment of this  
12 Act, the Secretary of Homeland Security, acting  
13 through the Director of the Cybersecurity and  
14 Infrastructure Security Agency of the Depart-  
15 ment of Homeland Security, shall—

16           (i) identify, inventory, and evaluate  
17 existing Federal sources of classified and  
18 unclassified information on cybersecurity  
19 threats;

20           (ii) evaluate current programs, appli-  
21 cations, or platforms intended to detect,  
22 identify, analyze, and monitor cybersecu-  
23 rity risks and cybersecurity threats;

24           (iii) consult with public and private  
25 sector critical infrastructure entities to

1 identify public and private critical infra-  
2 structure cyber threat capabilities, needs,  
3 and gaps; and

4 (iv) identify existing tools, capabilities,  
5 and systems that may be adapted to  
6 achieve the purposes of the information  
7 collaboration environment developed pursu-  
8 ant to subsection (a) to maximize return  
9 on investment and minimize cost.

10 (B) NATIONAL SECURITY SYSTEMS.—

11 Nothing in this paragraph shall apply to a na-  
12 tional security system, or to cybersecurity  
13 threat intelligence related to such systems,  
14 without the consent of the relevant element of  
15 the intelligence community.

16 (2) IMPLEMENTATION.—

17 (A) IN GENERAL.—Not later than one year  
18 after completing the evaluation required under  
19 paragraph (1)(A), the Secretary of Homeland  
20 Security, acting through the Director of the Cy-  
21 bersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency,  
22 shall begin implementation of the information  
23 collaboration environment developed pursuant  
24 to subsection (a).

1           (B) REQUIREMENTS.—The information  
2           collaboration environment and the technical  
3           tools for information analytics under subsection  
4           (a) shall—

5                   (i) operate in a manner consistent  
6                   with relevant privacy, civil rights, and civil  
7                   liberties policies and protections, including  
8                   such policies and protections established  
9                   pursuant to section 1016 of the Intel-  
10                  ligence Reform and Terrorism Prevention  
11                  Act of 2004 (6 U.S.C. 485);

12                   (ii) reflect the requirements set forth  
13                   by the Cyber Threat Data Interoperability  
14                   Council under subsection (c);

15                   (iii) enable integration of current ap-  
16                   plications, platforms, data, and informa-  
17                   tion, including classified information, in a  
18                   manner that supports the voluntary inte-  
19                   gration of unclassified and classified infor-  
20                   mation on cybersecurity risks and cyberse-  
21                   curity threats;

22                   (iv) incorporate tools to manage ac-  
23                   cess to classified and unclassified data, as  
24                   appropriate;

1 (v) ensure accessibility by Federal en-  
2 tities that the Secretary of Homeland Se-  
3 curity, in consultation with the Director of  
4 National Intelligence, the Attorney Gen-  
5 eral, and the Secretary of Defense, deter-  
6 mines appropriate;

7 (vi) allow for access by public and pri-  
8 vate sector critical infrastructure entities  
9 and other private sector partners, at the  
10 discretion of the Secretary of Homeland  
11 Security and after consulting the appro-  
12 priate Sector Risk Management Agency;

13 (vii) deploy analytic tools across clas-  
14 sification levels to leverage all relevant  
15 data sets, as appropriate;

16 (viii) identify tools and analytical soft-  
17 ware that can be applied and shared to  
18 manipulate, transform, and display data  
19 and other identified needs; and

20 (ix) anticipate the integration of new  
21 technologies and data streams, including  
22 data from network sensor programs or net-  
23 work-monitoring programs deployed in  
24 support of non-Federal entities.

1           (C) ACCESS CONTROLS.—The owner of any  
2           data shared in the information collaboration en-  
3           vironment shall have the authority to set access  
4           controls for such data and may restrict access  
5           to any particular data asset for any purpose, in-  
6           cluding for the purpose of protecting intel-  
7           ligence sources and methods from unauthorized  
8           disclosure in accordance with section 102A(i) of  
9           the National Security Act (50 U.S.C. 3024(i)).

10          (3) ANNUAL REPORT REQUIREMENT ON THE  
11          IMPLEMENTATION, EXECUTION, AND EFFECTIVE-  
12          NESS OF THE PROGRAM.—Not later than one year  
13          after the date of the enactment of this Act and an-  
14          nually thereafter, the Secretary of Homeland Secu-  
15          rity shall submit to the appropriate congressional  
16          committees a report that details—

17                (A) Federal Government participation in  
18                the information collaboration environment, in-  
19                cluding the Federal entities participating in the  
20                environment and the volume of information  
21                shared by Federal entities into the environment;

22                (B) non-Federal entities' participation in  
23                the information collaboration environment, in-  
24                cluding the non-Federal entities participating in  
25                the environment and the volume of information

1 shared by non-Federal entities into the environ-  
2 ment;

3 (C) the impact of the information collabo-  
4 ration environment on positive security out-  
5 comes for the Federal Government and non-  
6 Federal entities;

7 (D) barriers identified to fully realizing the  
8 benefit of the information collaboration environ-  
9 ment for both the Federal Government and  
10 non-Federal entities;

11 (E) additional authorities or resources nec-  
12 essary to successfully execute the information  
13 collaboration environment; and

14 (F) identified shortcomings or risks to  
15 data security and privacy, and the steps nec-  
16 essary to improve the mitigation of such short-  
17 comings or risks.

18 (c) CYBER THREAT DATA INTEROPERABILITY COUN-  
19 CIL.—

20 (1) ESTABLISHMENT.—There is established an  
21 interagency council, to be known as the “Cyber  
22 Threat Data Interoperability Council” (in this sub-  
23 section referred to as the “council”), chaired by the  
24 National Cyber Director, to establish data interoper-

1 ability requirements for data streams to be accessed  
2 in the information collaboration environment.

3 (2) MEMBERSHIP.—

4 (A) PRINCIPAL MEMBERS.—In addition to  
5 the National Cyber Director, the council shall  
6 have as its principal members the Secretary of  
7 Homeland Security, the Attorney General, the  
8 Director of National Intelligence, and the Sec-  
9 retary of Defense.

10 (B) ADDITIONAL FEDERAL MEMBERS.—

11 Based on recommendations submitted by the  
12 principal members, the National Cyber Director  
13 shall identify and appoint council members  
14 from Federal entities that oversee programs  
15 that generate, collect, disseminate, or analyze  
16 data or information related to cybersecurity  
17 risks and cybersecurity threats.

18 (C) ADVISORY MEMBERS.—The National  
19 Cyber Director shall identify and appoint advi-  
20 sory members from non-Federal entities that  
21 shall advise the council based on recommenda-  
22 tions submitted by the principal members.

23 (3) DATA STREAMS.—The council shall identify,  
24 designate, and periodically update programs that  
25 shall participate in or be interoperable with the in-



1 formation collaboration environment, which may in-  
2 clude—

3 (A) network-monitoring and intrusion de-  
4 tection programs;

5 (B) cyber threat indicator sharing pro-  
6 grams;

7 (C) certain network sensor programs or  
8 network-monitoring programs;

9 (D) incident response and cybersecurity  
10 technical assistance programs; or

11 (E) malware forensics and reverse-engi-  
12 neering programs.

13 (4) DATA PRIVACY.—The council shall establish  
14 a committee comprising privacy officers from the  
15 Department of Homeland Security, the Department  
16 of Justice, and the Office of the Director of National  
17 Intelligence to establish procedures and data govern-  
18 ance structures, as necessary, to protect data shared  
19 in the information collaboration environment, comply  
20 with Federal regulations and statutes, and respect  
21 existing consent agreements with public and private  
22 sector critical infrastructure entities that apply to  
23 critical infrastructure information.

24 (5) RULE OF CONSTRUCTION.—Nothing in this  
25 subsection may be construed as changing existing

1 ownership or protection of, or policies and processes  
2 for access to, agency data.

3 (d) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

4 (1) The term “appropriate congressional com-  
5 mittees” means the following:

6 (A) The Committee on Homeland Security,  
7 the Committee on the Judiciary, the Committee  
8 on Armed Services, and the Permanent Select  
9 Committee on Intelligence of the House of Rep-  
10 resentatives.

11 (B) The Committee on Homeland Security  
12 and Governmental Affairs, the Committee on  
13 the Judiciary, the Committee on Armed Serv-  
14 ices, and the Select Committee on Intelligence  
15 of the Senate.

16 (2) The term “critical infrastructure informa-  
17 tion” has the meaning given such term in section  
18 2222 of the Homeland Security Act of 2002 (6  
19 U.S.C. 671).

20 (3) The term “cyber threat indicator” has the  
21 meaning given such term in section 102 of the Cy-  
22 bersecurity Act of 2015 (6 U.S.C. 1501).

23 (4) The term “cybersecurity threat” has the  
24 meaning given such term in section 102 of the Cy-  
25 bersecurity Act of 2015 (6 U.S.C. 1501).

1           (5) The term “data asset” has the meaning  
2 given such term in section 3502 of title 44, United  
3 States Code.

4           (6) The term “environment” means the infor-  
5 mation collaboration environment established under  
6 subsection (a).

7           (7) The term “information sharing and analysis  
8 organization” has the meaning given such term in  
9 section 2222 of the Homeland Security Act of 2002  
10 (6 U.S.C. 671).

11           (8) The term “intelligence community” has the  
12 meaning given such term in section 3(4) of the Na-  
13 tional Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 3003(4)).

14           (9) The term “national security system” has  
15 the meaning given such term in section 3552 of title  
16 44, United States Code.

17           (10) The term “non-Federal entity” has the  
18 meaning given such term in section 102 of the Cy-  
19 bersecurity Act of 2015 (6 U.S.C. 1501).

20           (11) The term “Sector Risk Management Agen-  
21 cy” has the meaning given such term in section  
22 2201 of the Homeland Security Act of 2002 (6  
23 U.S.C. 651).