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To amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to establish a homeland intelligence doctrine for the Department of Homeland Security, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. PERRY introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Homeland Security

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 “Unifying DHS Intel-
5 ligence Enterprise Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. HOMELAND INTELLIGENCE DOCTRINE.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subtitle A of title II of the Home-
8 land Security Act of 2002 (6 U.S.C. 121 et seq.) is amend-
9 ed by adding at the end the following new section:

1 **“SEC. 210G. HOMELAND INTELLIGENCE DOCTRINE.**

2 “(a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days after
3 the date of the enactment of this section, the Secretary,
4 acting through the Chief Intelligence Officer of the De-
5 partment, shall develop and disseminate written Depart-
6 ment-wide guidance for the processing, analysis, produc-
7 tion, and dissemination of homeland security information
8 (as such term is defined in section 892) and terrorism in-
9 formation (as such term is defined in section 1016 of the
10 Intelligence Reform and Terrorism Prevention Act of
11 2004 (6 U.S.C. 485)).

12 “(b) CONTENTS.—The guidance required under sub-
13 section (a) shall, at a minimum, include the following:

14 “(1) A description of guiding principles and
15 purposes of the Department’s intelligence enterprise.

16 “(2) A summary of the roles and responsibil-
17 ities of each intelligence component of the Depart-
18 ment and programs of the intelligence components of
19 the Department in the processing, analysis, produc-
20 tion, or dissemination of homeland security informa-
21 tion and terrorism information.

22 “(3) Rules and regulations for the processing,
23 analysis, and production of such information.

24 “(4) Rules and regulations for the dissemina-
25 tion of such information, including within the De-
26 partment, among and between Federal departments

1 and agencies, among and between State, local, tribal,
2 and territorial governments, including law enforce-
3 ment, and with foreign partners and the private sec-
4 tor.

5 “(5) An assessment and description of how the
6 dissemination to the intelligence community (as such
7 term is defined in section 3(4) of the National Secu-
8 rity Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 3003(4))) and Federal
9 law enforcement of homeland security information
10 and terrorism information assists such entities in
11 carrying out their respective missions.

12 “(c) FORM.—The guidance required under subsection
13 (a) shall be submitted in unclassified form, but may in-
14 clude a classified annex.

15 “(d) ANNUAL REVIEW.—For each of the five fiscal
16 years beginning with the fiscal year that begins after the
17 date of the enactment of this section, the Secretary shall
18 conduct a review of the guidance required under sub-
19 section (a) and, as appropriate, revise such guidance.”.

20 (b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of contents
21 in section 1(b) of the Homeland Security Act of 2002 is
22 amended by inserting after the item relating to section
23 210F the following new item:

“Sec. 210G. Homeland intelligence doctrine.”.

1 **SEC. 3. ANALYSTS FOR THE CHIEF INTELLIGENCE OFFI-**
2 **CER.**

3 Paragraph (1) of section 201(e) of the Homeland Se-
4 curity Act of 2002 (6 U.S.C. 121(e)) is amended by add-
5 ing at the end the following new sentence: “The Secretary
6 shall also provide the Chief Intelligence Officer with a
7 staff having appropriate expertise and experience to assist
8 the Chief Intelligence Officer.”.

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