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114TH CONGRESS  
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**H. R.** \_\_\_\_\_

To amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to make technical corrections to the requirement that the Secretary of Homeland Security submit quadrennial homeland security reviews, and for other purposes.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_

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**A BILL**

To amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to make technical corrections to the requirement that the Secretary of Homeland Security submit quadrennial homeland security reviews, and for other purposes.

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 “Quadrennial Homeland  
5 Security Review Technical Correction Act of 2016”.

1 **SEC. 2. TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO QUADRENNIAL**  
2 **HOMELAND SECURITY REVIEW.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 707 of the Homeland Se-  
4 curity Act of 2002 (6 U.S.C. 347) is amended—

5 (1) in subsection (a)(3)—

6 (A) in subparagraph (B), by striking  
7 “and”;

8 (B) by redesignating subparagraph (C) as  
9 subparagraph (D); and

10 (C) by inserting after subparagraph (B)  
11 the following new subparagraph (C):

12 “(C) representatives from appropriate ad-  
13 visory committees established pursuant to sec-  
14 tion 871 of this Act, including the Homeland  
15 Security Advisory Council and the Homeland  
16 Security Science and Technology Advisory Com-  
17 mittee, or otherwise established, including the  
18 Aviation Security Advisory Committee estab-  
19 lished pursuant to section 44946 of title 49,  
20 United States Code; and”;

21 (2) in subsection (b)—

22 (A) in paragraph (2), by inserting before  
23 the semicolon at the end the following: “based  
24 on the risk assessment required pursuant to  
25 subsection (c)(2)(B)”;

26 (B) in paragraph (3)—

1 (i) by inserting “, to the extent prac-  
2 ticable,” after “describe”; and

3 (ii) by striking “budget plan” and in-  
4 serting “resources required”;

5 (C) in paragraph (4)—

6 (i) by inserting “, to the extent prac-  
7 ticable,” after “identify”;

8 (ii) by striking “budget plan required  
9 to provide sufficient resources to success-  
10 fully” and inserting “resources required  
11 to”; and

12 (iii) by inserting “and” after the semi-  
13 colon;

14 (D) in paragraph (5), by striking “; and”  
15 and inserting a period; and

16 (E) by striking paragraph (6);

17 (3) in subsection (c)—

18 (A) in paragraph (1)—

19 (i) by striking “December 31 of the  
20 year” and inserting “60 days after the  
21 date of the submittal of the President’s  
22 budget for the fiscal year after the fiscal  
23 year”; and

24 (ii) by striking “conducted” and in-  
25 serting “required under subsection (a)(1)”;

- 1 (B) in paragraph (2)—
- 2 (i) in subparagraph (B), by striking
- 3 “description of the threats to” and insert-
- 4 ing “risk assessment of”;
- 5 (ii) in subparagraph (C), by inserting
- 6 “, as required under subsection (b)(2)” be-
- 7 fore the semicolon at the end;
- 8 (iii) in subparagraph (D), by inserting
- 9 “to the extent practicable,” before “a de-
- 10 scription”;
- 11 (iv) in subparagraph (F)—
- 12 (I) by inserting “to the extent
- 13 practicable,” before “a discussion”;
- 14 and
- 15 (II) by striking “the status of”;
- 16 (v) in subparagraph (G)—
- 17 (I) by inserting “to the extent
- 18 practicable,” before “a discussion”;
- 19 (II) by striking “the status of”;
- 20 (III) by inserting “and risks” be-
- 21 fore “to the national homeland”; and
- 22 (IV) by inserting “and” after the
- 23 semicolon;
- 24 (vi) by striking subparagraph (H);
- 25 and

1 (vii) by redesignating subparagraph  
2 (I) as subparagraph (H);  
3 (C) by redesignating paragraph (3) as  
4 paragraph (4); and  
5 (D) by inserting after paragraph (2) the  
6 following new paragraph (3):

7 “(3) DOCUMENTATION.—The Secretary shall  
8 retain and, upon request, provide to Congress the  
9 following documentation regarding the quadrennial  
10 homeland security review:

11 “(A) Records regarding the consultation  
12 carried out the pursuant to subsection (a)(3),  
13 including—

14 “(i) all written communications, in-  
15 cluding communications sent out by the  
16 Secretary and feedback submitted to the  
17 Secretary through technology, online com-  
18 munications tools, in-person discussions,  
19 and the interagency process; and

20 “(ii) information on how feedback re-  
21 ceived by the Secretary informed the quad-  
22 rennial homeland security review.

23 “(B) Information regarding the risk as-  
24 sessment, as required under subsection  
25 (c)(2)(B), including—

1                   “(i) the risk model utilized to generate  
2                   the risk assessment;

3                   “(ii) information, including data used  
4                   in the risk model, utilized to generate the  
5                   risk assessment;

6                   “(iii) sources of information, including  
7                   other risk assessments, utilized to generate  
8                   the risk assessment; and

9                   “(iv) information on assumptions,  
10                  weighing factors, and subjective judgments  
11                  utilized to generate the risk assessment,  
12                  together with information on the rationale  
13                  or basis thereof.”; and

14                  (4) by adding at the end the following new sub-  
15                  section:

16                  “(e) REVIEW.—Not later than 90 days after the sub-  
17                  mission of the report pursuant to subsection (c)(1), the  
18                  Secretary shall provide to the Committee on Homeland Se-  
19                  curity of the House of Representatives and the Committee  
20                  on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs of the  
21                  Senate information on the degree to which the findings  
22                  and recommendations developed in the review were inte-  
23                  grated into the acquisition strategy and expenditure plans  
24                  for the Department.”.

1           (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by  
2 this Act shall apply with respect to a quadrennial home-  
3 land security review required to be submitted after Decem-  
4 ber 31, 2017.