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At the end of subtitle E of title II, add the following new section:

SEC. 2. NATIONAL INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY INDUSTRIAL BASE STRATEGY.

(a) Strategy.—

(1) In general.—Not later than 180 days after the date of the enactment of this Act, and once every 4 years thereafter, the President shall coordinate with the Secretary of Defense, the Secretary of Homeland Security, the Secretary of Commerce, the Secretary of State, the Secretary of the Treasury, and the Director of National Intelligence, and consult with private sector entities, to develop a comprehensive national strategy for the information and communications technology (ICT) industrial base for the following 4-year period, or a longer period, if appropriate.

(2) Elements.—The strategy required under paragraph (1) shall—
(A) delineate a national ICT industrial base strategy consistent with—

(i) the most recent national security strategy report submitted pursuant to section 108 of the National Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 3043);

(ii) the strategic plans of other relevant departments and agencies of the United States; and

(iii) other relevant national-level strategic plans;

(B) assess the ICT industrial base, to include identifying—

(i) critical technologies, trusted components, products, and materials that comprise or support the ICT industrial base;

(ii) industrial capacity of the United States, as well as its allied and partner nations necessary for the manufacture and development of ICT deemed critical to the United States national and economic security; and

(iii) areas of supply risk to ICT critical technologies, trusted components,
products, and materials that comprise or support the ICT industrial base;

(C) identify national ICT strategic priorities and estimate Federal monetary and human resources necessary to fulfill such priorities and areas where strategic financial investment in ICT research and development is necessary for national and economic security; and

(D) assess the Federal Government’s structure, resourcing, and authorities for evaluating ICT components, products, and materials and promoting availability and integrity of trusted technologies.

(b) REPORT.—

(1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 90 days after developing the strategy under subsection (a), the President shall submit a report to the appropriate congressional committees with the strategy.

(2) FORM.—The report required under paragraph (1) shall be submitted in unclassified form, but may include a classified annex.

(c) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

(1) APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES.—The term “appropriate congressional committees” means—
(A) the Committee on Armed Services, the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs, the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, the Committee on Foreign Relations, the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, and the Select Committee on Intelligence of the Senate; and

(B) the Committee on Armed Services, the Committee on Homeland Security, the Committee on Energy and Commerce, the Committee on Foreign Affairs, the Committee on Financial Services, and the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence of the House of Representatives.

(2) INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY.—The term “information and communications technology” means information technology and other equipment, systems, technologies, or processes, for which the principal function is the creation, manipulation, storage, display, receipt, protection, or transmission of electronic data and information, as well as any associated content.