

**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMM. PRINT 119-33**  
**OFFERED BY MR. WALKINSHAW OF VIRGINIA**

In title XV, subtitle A, add at the end the following:

1 **SEC. 15\_\_\_. DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE CLOUD SECURITY**  
2 **AUTHORIZATION RECIPROCITY PILOT PRO-**  
3 **GRAM.**

4 (a) ESTABLISHMENT.—Not later than 180 days after  
5 the date of the enactment of this Act, the Chief Informa-  
6 tion Officer of the Department of Defense shall, in con-  
7 sultation with the Director of the Defense Information  
8 Systems Agency, establish a pilot program on cloud secu-  
9 rity authorization reciprocity to assess the feasibility and  
10 advisability of creating a reciprocal compliance baseline  
11 between the Federal Risk and Authorization Management  
12 Program (“FedRAMP”) for civilian agency networks and  
13 the Cloud Computing Security Requirements Guide (“CC  
14 SRG”) of the Department of Defense for Department of  
15 Defense networks and national security systems.

16 (b) SELECTION OF SOLUTIONS.—Under the pilot pro-  
17 gram required by subsection (a), the Chief Information  
18 Officer shall select a minimum of five cybersecurity solu-  
19 tions authorized at the FedRAMP high impact level and

1 perform an accelerated assessment to validate them for  
2 CC SRG impact level 5.

3 (c) REPORT TO CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES.—

4 (1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than one year  
5 after the date of the establishment of the pilot pro-  
6 gram required by subsection (a), the Chief Informa-  
7 tion Officer shall submit to the congressional defense  
8 committees a report on the findings of the Chief In-  
9 formation Officer with respect to the pilot program.

10 (2) CONTENTS.—The report submitted under  
11 paragraph (1) shall cover the following:

12 (A) The findings described in paragraph  
13 (1), including a detailed analysis of benefits,  
14 risks, and any specific security control gaps.

15 (B) A strategy and implementation plan to  
16 establish a reciprocal compliance mechanism for  
17 CC SRG and FedRAMP cybersecurity require-  
18 ments.

19 (C) An assessment of the feasibility and  
20 advisability of expanding the number of author-  
21 ized cybersecurity solutions to participate in the  
22 pilot program.

1           (3) FORM.—The report submitted under para-  
2           graph (1) shall be submitted in unclassified form,  
3           but may include a classified annex.

