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#### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

New Act

Creates the Illinois Information Security Improvement Act. Creates the Office of the Statewide Chief Information Security Officer within the Department of Innovation and Technology. Provides for the duties and powers of the Office. Creates the position of Statewide Chief Information Security Officer to serve as the head of the Office. Provides for the qualifications, powers, and duties of the Statewide Chief Information Security Officer, and for the appointment of the Statewide Chief Information Security Officer by the Secretary of Innovation and Technology. Defines terms. Effective January 1, 2019.

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1 AN ACT concerning government.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 1. Short title. This Act may be cited as the  
5 Illinois Information Security Improvement Act.

6 Section 5. Definitions. As used in this Act:

7 "Critical information system" means any information system  
8 (including any telecommunications system) used or operated by a  
9 State agency or by a contractor of a State agency or other  
10 organization or entity on behalf of a State agency: that  
11 contains health insurance information, medical information, or  
12 personal information as defined in the Personal Information  
13 Protection Act; where the unauthorized disclosure,  
14 modification, destruction of information in the information  
15 system could be expected to have a serious, severe, or  
16 catastrophic adverse effect on State agency operations,  
17 assets, or individuals; or where the disruption of access to or  
18 use of the information or information system could be expected  
19 to have a serious, severe, or catastrophic adverse effect on  
20 State operations, assets, or individuals.

21 "Department" means the Department of Innovation and  
22 Technology.

23 "Information security" means protecting information and

1 information systems from unauthorized access, use, disclosure,  
2 disruption, modification, or destruction in order to provide:  
3 integrity, which means guarding against improper information  
4 modification or destruction, and includes ensuring information  
5 nonrepudiation and authenticity; confidentiality, which means  
6 preserving authorized restrictions on access and disclosure,  
7 including means for protecting personal privacy and  
8 proprietary information; and availability, which means  
9 ensuring timely and reliable access to and use of information.

10 "Incident" means an occurrence that: actually or  
11 imminently jeopardizes, without lawful authority, the  
12 confidentiality, integrity, or availability of information or  
13 an information system; or constitutes a violation or imminent  
14 threat of violation of law, security policies, security  
15 procedures, or acceptable use policies or standard security  
16 practices.

17 "Information system" means a discrete set of information  
18 resources organized for the collection, processing,  
19 maintenance, use, sharing, dissemination, or disposition of  
20 information created or maintained by or for the State of  
21 Illinois.

22 "Office" means the Office of the Statewide Chief  
23 Information Security Officer.

24 "Secretary" means the Secretary of Innovation and  
25 Technology.

26 "Security controls" means the management, operational, and

1 technical controls (including safeguards and countermeasures)  
2 for an information system that protect the confidentiality,  
3 integrity, and availability of the system and its information.

4 "State agency" means any agency under the jurisdiction of  
5 the Governor.

6 Section 10. Purpose. The purposes of this Act are to:

7 (1) provide a comprehensive framework for ensuring the  
8 effectiveness of information security controls over  
9 information resources that support State agency operations  
10 and assets;

11 (2) recognize the critical role of information and  
12 information systems in the provision of life, health,  
13 safety, and other crucial services to the citizens of the  
14 State of Illinois and the risk posed to these services due  
15 to the ever-evolving cybersecurity threat;

16 (3) recognize the highly networked nature of the  
17 current State of Illinois working environment and provide  
18 effective statewide management and oversight of the  
19 related information security risks, including coordination  
20 of information security efforts across State agencies;

21 (4) provide for the development and maintenance of  
22 minimum security controls required to protect State of  
23 Illinois information and information systems;

24 (5) provide a mechanism for improved oversight of State  
25 agency information security programs, including through

1 automated security tools to continuously diagnose and  
2 improve security;

3 (6) recognize that information security risk is both a  
4 business and public safety issue, and the acceptance of  
5 risk is a decision to be made at the executive levels of  
6 State government; and

7 (7) ensure a continued and deliberate effort to reduce  
8 the risk posed to the State by cyberattacks and other  
9 information security incidents that could impact the  
10 information security of the State.

11 Section 15. Office of the Statewide Chief Information  
12 Security Officer.

13 (a) The Office of the Statewide Chief Information Security  
14 Officer is established within the Department of Innovation and  
15 Technology. The Office is directly subordinate to the Secretary  
16 of Innovation and Technology.

17 (b) The Office shall:

18 (1) serve as the strategic planning, facilitation, and  
19 coordination office for information technology security in  
20 this State and as the lead and central coordinating entity  
21 to guide and oversee the information security functions of  
22 State agencies;

23 (2) provide information security services to support  
24 the secure delivery of State agency services that utilize  
25 information systems and to assist State agencies with

1           fulfilling their responsibilities under this Act;

2           (3) conduct information and cybersecurity strategic,  
3           operational, and resource planning and facilitating an  
4           effective enterprise information security architecture  
5           capable of protecting the State;

6           (4) identify information security risks to each State  
7           agency, to third-party providers, and to key supply chain  
8           partners, including an assessment of the extent to which  
9           information resources or processes are vulnerable to  
10          unauthorized access or harm, including the extent to which  
11          the agency's or contractor's electronically stored  
12          information is vulnerable to unauthorized access, use,  
13          disclosure, disruption, modification, or destruction, and  
14          recommend risk mitigation strategies, methods, and  
15          procedures to reduce those risks. These assessments shall  
16          also include, but not be limited to, assessments of  
17          information systems, computers, printers, software,  
18          computer networks, interfaces to computer systems, mobile  
19          and peripheral device sensors, and other devices or systems  
20          which access the State's network, computer software, and  
21          information processing or operational procedures of the  
22          agency or of a contractor of the agency.

23          (5) manage the response to information security and  
24          information security incidents involving State of Illinois  
25          information systems and ensure the completeness of  
26          information system security plans for critical information

1 systems;

2 (6) conduct pre-deployment information security  
3 assessments for critical information systems and submit  
4 findings and recommendations to the Secretary and State  
5 agency heads;

6 (7) develop and conduct targeted operational  
7 evaluations, including threat and vulnerability  
8 assessments on information systems;

9 (8) monitor and report compliance of each State agency  
10 with State information security policies, standards, and  
11 procedures;

12 (9) coordinate statewide information security  
13 awareness and training programs; and

14 (10) develop and execute other strategies as necessary  
15 to protect this State's information technology  
16 infrastructure and the data stored on or transmitted by  
17 such infrastructure.

18 (c) The Office may temporarily suspend operation of an  
19 information system or information technology infrastructure  
20 that is owned, leased, outsourced, or shared by one or more  
21 State agencies in order to isolate the source of, or stop the  
22 spread of, an information security breach or other similar  
23 information security incident. State agencies shall comply  
24 with directives to temporarily discontinue or suspend  
25 operations of information systems or information technology  
26 infrastructure.

1           Section 20. Statewide Chief Information Security Officer.  
2           The position of Statewide Chief Information Security Officer is  
3           established within the Office. The Secretary shall appoint a  
4           Statewide Chief Information Security Officer who shall serve at  
5           the pleasure of the Secretary. The Statewide Chief Information  
6           Security Officer shall report to and be under the supervision  
7           of the Secretary. The Statewide Chief Information Security  
8           Officer shall exhibit a background and experience in  
9           information security, information technology, or risk  
10          management, or exhibit other appropriate expertise required to  
11          fulfill the duties of the Statewide Chief Information Security  
12          Officer. If the Statewide Chief Information Security Officer is  
13          unable or unavailable to perform the duties and  
14          responsibilities under Section 25, all powers and authority  
15          granted to the Statewide Chief Information Security Officer may  
16          be exercised by the Secretary or his or her designee.

17          Section 25. Responsibilities.

18           (a) The Secretary shall:

19               (1) appoint a Statewide Chief Information Security  
20           Officer pursuant to Section 20;

21               (2) provide the Office with the staffing and resources  
22           deemed necessary by the Secretary to fulfill the  
23           responsibilities of the Office;

24               (3) oversee statewide information security policies



1 and practices, including:

2 (A) directing and overseeing the development,  
3 implementation, and communication of statewide  
4 information security policies, standards, and  
5 guidelines;

6 (B) overseeing the education of State agency  
7 personnel regarding the requirement to identify and  
8 provide information security protections commensurate  
9 with the risk and magnitude of the harm resulting from  
10 the unauthorized access, use, disclosure, disruption,  
11 modification, or destruction of information in a  
12 critical information system;

13 (C) overseeing the development and implementation  
14 of a statewide information security risk management  
15 program;

16 (D) overseeing State agency compliance with the  
17 requirements of this Section;

18 (E) coordinating Information Security policies and  
19 practices with related information and personnel  
20 resources management policies and procedures; and

21 (F) providing an effective and efficient process  
22 to assist State agencies with complying with the  
23 requirements of this Act.

24 (b) The Statewide Chief Information Security Officer  
25 shall:

26 (1) serve as the head of the Office and ensure the

1 execution of the responsibilities of the Office as set  
2 forth in subsection (c) of Section 15, the Statewide Chief  
3 Information Security Officer shall also oversee State  
4 agency personnel with significant responsibilities for  
5 information security and ensure a competent workforce that  
6 keeps pace with the changing information security  
7 environment;

8 (2) develop and recommend information security  
9 policies, standards, procedures, and guidelines to the  
10 Secretary for statewide adoption and monitor compliance  
11 with these policies, standards, guidelines, and procedures  
12 through periodic testing;

13 (3) develop and maintain risk-based, cost-effective  
14 information security programs and control techniques to  
15 address all applicable security and compliance  
16 requirements throughout the life cycle of State agency  
17 information systems;

18 (4) establish the procedures, processes, and  
19 technologies to rapidly and effectively identify threats,  
20 risks, and vulnerabilities to State information systems,  
21 and ensure the prioritization of the remediation of  
22 vulnerabilities that pose risk to the State;

23 (5) develop and implement capabilities and procedures  
24 for detecting, reporting, and responding to information  
25 security incidents;

26 (6) establish and direct a statewide information

1 security risk management program to identify information  
2 security risks in State agencies and deploy risk mitigation  
3 strategies, processes, and procedures;

4 (7) establish the State's capability to sufficiently  
5 protect the security of data through effective information  
6 system security planning, secure system development,  
7 acquisition, and deployment, the application of protective  
8 technologies and information system certification,  
9 accreditation, and assessments;

10 (8) ensure that State agency personnel, including  
11 contractors, are appropriately screened and receive  
12 information security awareness training;

13 (9) convene meetings with agency heads and other State  
14 officials to help ensure:

15 (A) the ongoing communication of risk and risk  
16 reduction strategies,

17 (B) effective implementation of information  
18 security policies and practices, and

19 (C) the incorporation of and compliance with  
20 information security policies, standards, and  
21 guidelines into the policies and procedures of the  
22 agencies;

23 (10) provide operational and technical assistance to  
24 State agencies in implementing policies, principles,  
25 standards, and guidelines on information security,  
26 including implementation of standards promulgated under

1           subparagraph (A) of paragraph (3) of subsection (a) of this  
2           Section, and provide assistance and effective and  
3           efficient means for State agencies to comply with the State  
4           agency requirements under this Act;

5           (11) in coordination and consultation with the  
6           Secretary and the Governor's Office of Management and  
7           Budget, review State agency budget requests related to  
8           Information Security systems and provide recommendations  
9           to the Governor's Office of Management and Budget;

10          (12) ensure the preparation and maintenance of plans  
11          and procedures to provide cyber resilience and continuity  
12          of operations for critical information systems that  
13          support the operations of the State; and

14          (13) take such other actions as the Secretary may  
15          direct.

16          Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect January  
17          1, 2019.