SENATE BILL 718

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By: **Senator Hough**
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Assigned to: Rules

A BILL ENTITLED

1   AN ACT concerning

2   **Statewide Information Technology Master Plan – Security Policy**

3   FOR the purpose of requiring the statewide information technology master plan developed
4   by the Secretary of Information Technology to include a certain policy requiring
5   certain vendors to establish that an information technology product or piece of
6   equipment is safe from embedded security threats; and generally relating to the
7   statewide information technology master plan.

8   BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
9   Article – State Finance and Procurement
10   Section 3A–304
11   Annotated Code of Maryland
12   (2009 Replacement Volume and 2014 Supplement)

13   SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,
14 That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

15   **Article – State Finance and Procurement**

16 3A–304.

17   **(A)**   The Secretary shall develop a statewide information technology master plan.

18   **(B)   THE   STATEWIDE   INFORMATION   TECHNOLOGY   MASTER   PLAN**
19 **DEVELOPED UNDER SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION SHALL INCLUDE A POLICY**
20 **THAT:**

21   **(1)   REQUIRES A VENDOR SELLING AN INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY**
22 **PRODUCT OR A PIECE OF EQUIPMENT TO A UNIT OF STATE GOVERNMENT TO**

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.
[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

1   **ESTABLISH THAT THE PRODUCT OR PIECE OF EQUIPMENT IS SAFE FROM EMBEDDED**
2   **SECURITY THREATS; AND**

3   **(2)   SETS OUT THE STEPS THAT SHALL BE TAKEN TO ESTABLISH THAT**
4   **THE PRODUCT OR PIECE OF EQUIPMENT IS SAFE FROM EMBEDDED SECURITY**
5   **THREATS.**

6   SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
7   October 1, 2015.