

117TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 2982

To amend title 32, United States Code, to authorize cybersecurity operations and missions to protect critical infrastructure by members of the National Guard in connection with training or other duty.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 4, 2021

Mr. KIM of New Jersey (for himself, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Ms. KUSTER, Mr. KELLY of Mississippi, and Mr. RYAN) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Armed Services

A BILL

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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 “National Guard Cyber-
5 security Support Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. CYBERSECURITY OPERATIONS AND MISSIONS TO**
2 **PROTECT CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE BY**
3 **MEMBERS OF THE NATIONAL GUARD IN CON-**
4 **NECTION WITH TRAINING OR OTHER DUTY.**

5 Section 502(f)(1) of title 32, United States Code, is
6 amended by adding after the flush matter at the end the
7 following new sentence: “Such training or other duty may
8 include cybersecurity operations or missions undertaken
9 by the member’s unit at the request of the Governor of
10 the State concerned to protect critical infrastructure (as
11 that term is defined in the Critical Infrastructures Protec-
12 tion Act of 2001 (42 U.S.C. 5195c)).”.

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