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To provide for the sharing of certain foreign intelligence information with local law enforcement personnel, and for other purposes.

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Mr. WEINER (for himself, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. FOSSELLA, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. GRUCCI, Mr. KING, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. NADLER, Mr. OWENS, Mr. REYNOLDS, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. SWEENEY, and Ms. HARMAN) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committees on Intelligence (Permanent Select), Financial Services, and Education and the Workforce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

A BILL

To provide for the sharing of certain foreign intelligence information with local law enforcement personnel, and for other purposes.

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 “Federal-Local Infor-
5 mation Sharing Partnership Act of 2001”.

1 **SEC. 2. AUTHORITY TO SHARE GRAND JURY INFORMATION.**

2 Rule 6(e)(3)(C) of the Federal Rules of Criminal Pro-
3 cedure is amended—

4 (1) in clause (i)(V), by inserting after “national
5 security official” the following: “or to law enforce-
6 ment personnel of a State or political subdivision of
7 a State (including the chief executive officer of that
8 State or political subdivision who has the authority
9 to appoint or direct the chief law enforcement officer
10 of that State or political subdivision)”; and

11 (2) in clause (iii)—

12 (A) by striking “Federal”; and

13 (B) by adding at the end the following:
14 “Any chief executive officer or law enforcement
15 personnel of a State or political subdivision of
16 a State who receives information pursuant to
17 clause (i)(V), shall only use that information
18 consistent with such guidelines as the Attorney
19 General shall issue to protect confidentiality.”.

20 **SEC. 3. AUTHORITY TO SHARE ELECTRONIC, WIRE, AND**
21 **ORAL INTERCEPTION INFORMATION.**

22 Section 2517(6) of title 18, United States Code, is
23 amended—

24 (1) in the first sentence, by inserting after “na-
25 tional security official” the following: “or to law en-
26 forcement personnel of a State or political subdivi-

1 sion of a State (including the chief executive officer
2 of that State or political subdivision who has the au-
3 thority to appoint or direct the chief law enforce-
4 ment officer of that State or political subdivision)”;

5 (2) in the second sentence, by striking “Fed-
6 eral”; and

7 (3) by adding at the end the following: “Any
8 chief executive officer or law enforcement personnel
9 of a State or political subdivision of a State who re-
10 ceives information pursuant to this paragraph shall
11 only use that information consistent with such
12 guidelines as the Attorney General shall issue to pro-
13 tect confidentiality.”.

14 **SEC. 4. FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE INFORMATION.**

15 Section 203(d)(1) of the Uniting and Strengthening
16 America by Providing Appropriate Tools Required to
17 Intercept and Obstruct Terrorism Act (USA PATRIOT
18 ACT) of 2001 (Public Law 107–56) is amended—

19 (1) in the first sentence, by inserting after “na-
20 tional security official” the following: “or to law en-
21 forcement personnel of a State or political subdivi-
22 sion of a State (including the chief executive officer
23 of that State or political subdivision who has the au-
24 thority to appoint or direct the chief law enforce-
25 ment officer of that State or political subdivision)”;

1 (2) in the second sentence, by striking “Fed-
2 eral”; and

3 (3) by adding at the end the following: “Any
4 chief executive officer or law enforcement personnel
5 of a State or political subdivision of a State who re-
6 ceives information pursuant to this paragraph shall
7 only use that information consistent with such
8 guidelines as the Attorney General shall issue to pro-
9 tect confidentiality.”.

10 **SEC. 5. DISCLOSURES TO GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES FOR**
11 **COUNTERTERRORISM PURPOSES.**

12 Section 626(a) of the Fair Credit Reporting Act (15
13 U.S.C. 1681 et seq.) is amended by adding at the end
14 the following: “The recipient of that consumer report or
15 information may further disclose the contents of that re-
16 port or information to law enforcement personnel of a
17 State or political subdivision of a State (including the chief
18 executive officer of that State or political subdivision who
19 has the authority to appoint or direct the chief law en-
20 forcement officer of that State or political subdivision) to
21 assist the official who is to receive that information in the
22 performance of the official duties of that official. Any chief
23 executive officer or law enforcement personnel of a State
24 or political subdivision of a State who receives information
25 pursuant to this subsection shall only use that information

1 consistent with such guidelines as the Attorney General
2 shall issue to protect confidentiality.”.

3 **SEC. 6. MULTILATERAL COOPERATION AGAINST TERROR-**
4 **ISTS.**

5 Section 222(f) of the Immigration and Nationality
6 Act (8 U.S.C. 1202(f)) is amended—

7 (1) in paragraph (1), by striking the period at
8 the end and inserting a semicolon;

9 (2) by redesignating paragraph (2) as para-
10 graph (3); and

11 (3) by inserting after paragraph (1) the fol-
12 lowing:

13 “(2) the Secretary of State may provide copies
14 of any record of the Department of State and of dip-
15 lomatic and consular offices of the United States
16 pertaining to the issuance or refusal of visas or per-
17 mits to enter the United States, or any information
18 contained in those records, to law enforcement per-
19 sonnel of a State or political subdivision of a State
20 (including the chief executive officer of that State or
21 political subdivision who has the authority to appoint
22 or direct the chief law enforcement officer of that
23 State or political subdivision), if the Secretary deter-
24 mines that it is necessary and appropriate, however,
25 any chief executive officer or law enforcement per-

1 sonnel of a State or political subdivision of a State
2 who receives information pursuant to this paragraph
3 shall only use that information consistent with such
4 guidelines as the Attorney General shall issue to pro-
5 tect confidentiality; and”.

6 **SEC. 7. INFORMATION ACQUIRED FROM AN ELECTRONIC**
7 **SURVEILLANCE.**

8 Section 160(k)(1) of the Foreign Intelligence Surveil-
9 lance Act of 1978 (50 U.S.C. 1806) is amended by insert-
10 ing after “law enforcement officers” the following: “or law
11 enforcement personnel of a State or political subdivision
12 of a State (including the chief executive officer of that
13 State or political subdivision who has the authority to ap-
14 point or direct the chief law enforcement officer of that
15 State or political subdivision)”.

16 **SEC. 8. INFORMATION ACQUIRED FROM A PHYSICAL**
17 **SEARCH.**

18 Section 305(k)(1) of the Foreign Intelligence Surveil-
19 lance Act of 1978 (50 U.S.C. 1825) is amended by insert-
20 ing after “law enforcement officers” the following: “or law
21 enforcement personnel of a State or political subdivision
22 of a State (including the chief executive officer of that
23 State or political subdivision who has the authority to ap-
24 point or direct the chief law enforcement officer of that
25 State or political subdivision)”.

1 **SEC. 9. DISCLOSURE OF EDUCATIONAL RECORDS.**

2 Section 444(j)(1)(B) of the General Education Provi-
3 sions Act (20 U.S.C. 1232g) is amended—

4 (1) by inserting after “disseminate” the fol-
5 lowing: “(including disclosure of the contents of
6 those education records to law enforcement per-
7 sonnel of a State or political subdivision of a State,
8 including the chief executive officer of that State or
9 political subdivision who has the authority to appoint
10 or direct the chief law enforcement officer of that
11 State or political subdivision, in the performance of
12 the official duties of that law enforcement officer)”;
13 and

14 (2) by adding at the end the following: “Any
15 chief executive officer or law enforcement personnel
16 of a State or political subdivision of a State who re-
17 ceives information pursuant to this paragraph shall
18 only use that information consistent with those
19 guidelines.”.

20 **SEC. 10. INVESTIGATION AND PROSECUTION OF TER-**
21 **RORISM.**

22 Section 408(c)(1)(B) of the National Education Sta-
23 tistics Act of 1994 (20 U.S.C. 9007) is amended—

24 (1) by inserting after “disseminate” the fol-
25 lowing: “(including disclosure of the contents of
26 those reports, records, and information to law en-

1 enforcement personnel of a State or political subdivi-
2 sion of a State, including the chief executive officer
3 of that State or political subdivision who has the au-
4 thority to appoint or direct the chief law enforce-
5 ment officer of that State or political subdivision, in
6 the performance of the official duties of that law en-
7 forcement officer)”; and

8 (2) by adding at the end the following: “Any
9 chief executive officer or law enforcement personnel
10 of a State or political subdivision of a State who re-
11 ceives information pursuant to this paragraph shall
12 only use that information consistent with those
13 guidelines.”.

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