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1 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, In May of 2017, the world witnessed a coordinated
3 global cyberattack known as WannaCry; it was one of the largest
4 cyberattacks ever, impacting over 150 countries and infecting
5 more than 250,000 computers and devices; and

6 WHEREAS, WannaCry is a type of malicious software (malware)
7 classified as ransomware; it encrypts essential files on a
8 Windows device and requires that you pay a ransom to unlock
9 those files; and

10 WHEREAS, Although WannaCry was focused on organizations
11 and businesses; it was unique in that it was not targeted at
12 any one industry or region, and it used malware that can move
13 through a corporate network from a single entry point; and

14 WHEREAS, For organizations that have older equipment or
15 legacy software, such as hospitals, manufacturing plants, and
16 power plants, deploying a patch to fix a malware vulnerability
17 can be complicated and disruptive; power plants (coal, nuclear,
18 and renewables) provide virtually all of the power needs for
19 almost 13 million Illinoisans; and

20 WHEREAS, Cyberattacks are an increasing concern for the
21 Illinois power grid as a widespread outage could cause

1 catastrophic damage to the economy of Illinois; therefore, be
2 it

3 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
4 HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE
5 CONCURRING HEREIN, that the International Cybersecurity Task
6 Force is created within the Illinois Commerce Commission; and
7 be it further

8 RESOLVED, That the Task Force shall review the Joint
9 Analysis Report from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security
10 and the Federal Bureau of Investigation dated December 29, 2016
11 and entitled "Grizzly Steppe - Russian Malicious Cyber
12 Activity" and develop strategies to either implement or reject
13 the recommendations made in the report; and be it further

14 RESOLVED, That the Task Force shall make recommendations to
15 Midcontinent Independent System Operator and PJM
16 Interconnection LLP relative to insulation of Illinois
17 businesses and consumers from cyberattacks; and be it further

18 RESOLVED, That the Task Force shall consist of the
19 following members:

20 (1) two members from businesses that supply
21 electricity that serve 20,000 or more customers, appointed

1 by the Minority Leader of the House of Representatives;

2 (2) two members from businesses that supply natural gas
3 that serve 20,000 or more customers, appointed by the
4 Minority Leader of the Senate;

5 (3) one member from a water supplier that serves 20,000
6 or more customers, appointed by the Speaker of the House of
7 Representatives;

8 (4) one member from the nuclear power industry,
9 appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives;

10 (5) one member from the wind power industry, appointed
11 by the President of the Senate;

12 (6) one member from the solar power industry, appointed
13 by the President of the Senate;

14 (7) one member from the Illinois Chamber of Commerce,
15 appointed by the Minority Leader of the House of
16 Representatives;

17 (8) one member from the Illinois Hospital Association,
18 appointed by the Minority Leader of the Senate;

1 (9) one member of the American Civil Liberties Union,
2 appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives;

3 (10) two members of telecommunication businesses that
4 serve 20,000 or more customers, appointed by the Governor;

5 (11) two members of the Illinois Commerce Commission,
6 appointed by the Governor;

7 (12) the Mayor of Chicago, or his or her designee;

8 (13) the Mayor of Aurora, or his or her designee;

9 (14) the Mayor of Springfield, or his or her designee;

10 (15) a mayor from the Quad Cities area, or his or her
11 designee, appointed by the President of the Senate;

12 (16) a mayor from the Metropolitan East St. Louis area,
13 or his or her designee, appointed by the Minority Leader of
14 the Senate;

15 (17) two members of the majority party of the House of
16 Representatives, appointed by the Speaker, one of whom is
17 to be Chair and the other Co-Chair of the Task Force;

1 (18) two members of the minority party of the House of
2 Representatives, appointed by the Minority Leader;

3 (19) two members of the majority party of the Senate,
4 appointed by the President; and

5 (20) two members of the minority party of the Senate,
6 appointed by the Minority Leader; and be it further

7 RESOLVED, That the members of the Task Force shall serve
8 without compensation; and be it further

9 RESOLVED, That the Task Force shall submit its report to
10 the General Assembly no later than December 31, 2018 and the
11 Task Force shall be dissolved upon submission of the report.