

Westmoreland Statement On Senate Action on Cyber Bill

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WASHINGTON D.C. – Today, the U.S. Senate passed its version of the cyber sharing bill, the Cybersecurity Information Sharing Act (CISA). Representative Westmoreland serves at the Chairman of the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence's Subcommittee on the NSA and Cybersecurity and issued the following statement after CISA's passage:

"Now that the Senate has passed their Cybersecurity Information Sharing Act, we can finally start moving forward with a comprehensive cyber plan in conference," stated Westmoreland. *"Cyber threats are growing each day, and we need to equip our businesses with the right tools to prevent attacks. By improving the cyber-threat sharing capabilities between government and private companies, we can also improve the flow of timely, actionable information to protect our citizen's sensitive information and prevent another devastating cyber-attack."*

"I look forward to working with the Senate in the upcoming weeks to resolve the differences between the House and Senate versions, and take a first step towards developing a strong national cybersecurity plan to send to the President's desk."

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