

U.S. Chamber Commends Bipartisan Legislation to Establish a National Commission on Digital Security

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WASHINGTON, D.C. – U.S. Chamber Senior Vice President for National Security and Emergency Preparedness Ann Beauchesne today issued the following statement today regarding the introduction of the "Digital Security Commission Act of 2016":

"The U.S. Chamber commends Rep. Michael McCaul and Sen. Mark Warner for introducing the 'Digital Security Commission Act of 2016,' bipartisan legislation that would establish a National Commission on Security and Technology Challenges.

"The Commission is expected to be composed of 16 individuals with expertise in areas such as international commerce and economics, cryptography, law enforcement, technology, privacy and civil liberties, and intelligence.

"Most significantly, the Commission would enable a process for Congress to consider complex issues involving Americans' values and policy objectives regarding economics, privacy, and digital security at home and in the global marketplace.

"The Chamber looks forward to working with Congress, the administration, and other stakeholders on this bill and addressing the concerns of business."