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The Section 809 Panel is a congressionally mandated panel designed to be a catalyst that restores agility and simplicity to defense acquisition through bold and effective recommendations.

Good morning! We found several articles that you may be interested in.

Commercial Accelerators and the Defense Department: A Blueprint for Collaboration
March 14, 2018 | Joshua Israel

In the National Defense Authorization Act for FY2016, Congress established the Section 809 Panel to recommend ways to streamline defense acquisition. According to the panel, private industry sees defense acquisition as "a process that features excessive layers, tremendous amounts of paperwork, and timeframes that do not fit the way most firms do business." Accelerators are a potential solution to this problem, helping the department forge enduring relationships with the most innovative companies the nation has to offer. These programs' return on investment is unmatched anywhere within the Department of Defense. Partnering with accelerators will enable the Pentagon to stay ahead of today's rapidly evolving technological curve to secure necessary advantages for America's warfighters on the battlefield.

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Other Articles of Interest

Defense Agency To Begin Moving Classified Data to Amazon's Secret Cloud After Protest
March 13, 2018 | Frank Konkel

Here's What the Services Want from Congress This Year
March 13, 2018 | Caroline Houck

Trump Just Blocked What Would Have Been the Largest Tech Acquisition Ever—Because China
March 13, 2018 | Josh Horwitz

Federal CIO, Tech Board Vote On How To Dole Out Modernization Funds
March 13, 2018 | Aaron Boyd

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March 13, 2018 | Billy Mitchell

Trump's tariffs tied to defense spending irks German officials
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Lockheed F-35 Cost Stabilizes at $406 Billion, Pentagon Says

March 13, 2018 | Anthony Cappacio

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March 13, 2018 | Mark Pomerleau

Aerospace and defense 3-D printing market to surpass $4B by 2023, report says
March 13, 2018 | Daniel Cebul

Trump discusses massive military buildup, 'space force' at Marine Corps air station
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Air Force's FY 2017 Acquisition Report Reviews 465 Programs of Record
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