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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.

Harnessing the power of a data-driven government
June 7, 2018 | Rich Beutel

The digital revolution, ubiquity of the internet and rise of big data have given government an unprecedented capability to produce, collect, utilize and disseminate a vast array of information and data. These trends have ushered in a new era of data-powered government innovation and citizen services based on the undeniable value in making government data widely available – to citizens, activists, companies, academics, and entrepreneurs. This is often referred to as the "open government" era, which thrives on government transparency, public accountability and citizen-centered services.

Consequently, the last 20 years have seen a transformation of public policies – legislative, regulatory, and administrative – grounded in the philosophy that access to and dissemination of government data is a public right and that any constraints on access hinder transparency and accountability. While there is broad recognition of the need to maximize access to government data, the types of government data are increasingly diverse and complex. For instance, there are many cases where the government collects or licenses private sector data, often combining this data with other data produced by the government. These datasets are often referred to as "hybrid data" or "privately curated data" –data licensed to or collected by the government that comprises both public and private sources. Access to and use of hybrid data is increasingly critical for government to transform data into actionable information.

Given the focus and challenges that come with this transformation, I offer some ideas that agencies and Congress should consider over the short and long term.

Read more HERE.

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