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SECTION 809 PANEL

Daily Media Clips

August 6, 2018

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.

Congress offers millions in budget to cyber-harden missile defense systems
August 6, 2018 | Jen Judson

House and Senate lawmakers have authorized an injection of about $51 million in funding to cyber-harden missile defense systems, according to the fiscal 2019 National Defense Authorization Act conference report, and appropriators are expected to follow suit in the defense spending bill with roughly $100 million in additional funding.

Congressional authorizers noted in a summary of the NDAA conference report, released July 23, that the conferees were supporting an increase in funding to address cyber threats to U.S. missile defense systems.

The U.S. military and its allies are reliant on missile defense systems both regionally and to defend the homeland. Such a capability will require a more robust level of protection against cyberattacks as adversaries grow in their ability to take down systems through jamming and other electronic warfare capabilities.

The strategy to disarm enemy systems using jamming and electronic attack already plays a major role in war gaming against possible peer adversaries in the future. Using cyber and electronic attack is seen, at times, as the first line of offense to take down enemy air defense systems, so as to allow the injection of friendly forces into denied territory.

Read more HERE.

Other Articles of Interest

GSA wants to rescue innovations from the 'valley of death'
August 6, 2018 | Jason Miller

To improve military networks, the Army looks to commercial solutions
August 4, 2018 | Adam Stone

DoD reveals why there's 'not going to be another big' budget increase in 2020
August 4, 2018 | Aaron Mehta, Tara Copp, and Leo Shane III

Thanks to missile sales to UAE, US Army can buy 100 more advanced Patriot missiles
August 6, 2018 | Jen Judson

Breaking the Big E: Already more than $1 billion in projected costs and snarled in red tape
August 4, 2018 | Mark D. Faram

Inside SecDef Jim Mattis' $2.5 Billion Plan to Make the Infantry Deadlier
August 5, 2018 | Matthew Cox

Pentagon doubles down on 'single-cloud' strategy for $10 billion contract
August 5, 2018 | Aaron Gregg

The internet of battlefield things will depend on modernized networks
August 4, 2018 | Adam Stone

Software-defined networks drive IT modernization
August 4, 2018 | Adam Stone

Academics created a periodic table of mind-blowing tech, and it's a handy guide to how the world will change forever
August 4, 2018 | Jake Kanter

Can the Technology Modernization Fund get traction?
August 3, 2018 | Chase Gunter

Section 809 News

Commissioner Joseph Dyer discusses characteristics of successful programs in our latest Bold Bites Podcast. LISTEN!

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