AMENDMENT NO._______ Calendar No._____

Purpose: In the nature of a substitute.


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To ensure the Chief Information Office of the Consumer Product Safety Commission has a significant role in decisions related to information technology, and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on _________________ and ordered to be printed

Ordered to lie on the table and to be printed

AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE intended to be proposed by ____________

Viz:
1. Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the following:
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3. **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**
4. This Act may be cited as the “CPSC CIO Parity Act”.
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6. **SEC. 2. CIO AUTHORITY.**
7. (a) **IN GENERAL.**—The Consumer Product Safety Commission (in this section referred to as the “Commission”) shall ensure that the Chief Information Officer of the Commission, or other senior information technology
official as designated by the Chairman of the Commission, has a significant role in—

(1) the decision-making process for annual and multi-year planning, programming, budgeting, and execution decisions, related reporting requirements, and reports related to information technology;

(2) the management, governance, and oversight processes related to information technology; and

(3) the hiring of personnel with information technology responsibilities.

(b) CIO Approval.—The Chief Information Officer of the Commission, or the official designated under subsection (a), in consultation with the Chief Financial Officer of the Commission and budget officials, shall advise on the allocation of amounts appropriated to the Commission for information technology, consistent with the provisions of appropriations Acts, budget guidelines, and recommendations from the Director of the Office of Management and Budget.

(c) Additional Personnel.—The Chairman of the Commission, in consultation with the Chief Information Officer of the Commission, and subject to the approval of the Commission, shall appoint—

(1) a Chief Data Officer to serve at the Associate Executive Director level; and
(2) a Chief Technologist, to serve on a full- or part-time basis.