

## Md. State Government Code Ann. § 2-10A-13

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### § 2-10A-13. Joint Committee on Cybersecurity, Information Technology, and Biotechnology.

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- (a) There is a Joint Committee on Cybersecurity, Information Technology, and Biotechnology.
- (b) The Committee consists of the following 12 members:
  - (1) six members of the Senate of Maryland, appointed by the President of the Senate; and
  - (2) six members of the House of Delegates, appointed by the Speaker of the House.
- (c) The members of the Committee serve at the pleasure of the presiding officer who appointed them.
- (d) The President and the Speaker shall appoint jointly a Senator and a Delegate to serve as cochairs who shall alternate in serving as the presiding chair of the Committee each year.
- (e) The Committee shall:
  - (1) work to broaden the support, knowledge, and awareness of advances in cybersecurity, information technology, and biotechnology to benefit the people of Maryland;
  - (2) evaluate State cybersecurity systems and the adequacy of economic development and job skills training programs to advance cybersecurity in the State;
  - (3) make recommendations regarding actions to promote cybersecurity, information technology, and biotechnology industries in the State; and
  - (4) examine and evaluate additional cybersecurity-, information technology-, or biotechnology-related issues as designated by the cochairs of the Committee.
- (f) The Committee shall report its findings and recommendations to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2-1257 of this title, the Legislative Policy Committee, the Senate Finance Committee, and the House Economic Matters Committee on or before December 31 of each year.

### History

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2009, ch. 140; 2014, ch. 464, § 1; 2015, ch. 58; 2019, ch. 510, § 4; ch. 511, § 4.

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