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## A BILL

To $\perp$ nsure further the military security of the United Dtates by preventing disclosures of information secured through official sources.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Unised wtates of America in Congress assembled, That whoever, by virtue of his employment by or performance of services for the United Dtates or by virtue of his service in the arned forces of the United States, having obtanned, or having had custody of, access to, or kmowledge of (1) any information concerning the nature, preparation, or use of any code, cipher, or cryptoeraphic or cryptanalytical system of the United States or any foreign covernment, or (2) any information concerning the design, construction, use, maintenance or repair of any devise, apparatus, or appliance used or prepared or planned for uee by the United Statea or any foreign govermment for cryptographic or cryptanalytic purpose, or (3) any marerial which has been, or purports to have been, prepared or transmilted in or by the use of any code; cipher or oryptoyraphic system of the United States or any forelgn government, or (4) any information concerning the cryptographic or cryptanalytic activities of the United States or any foreign government, or (5) any information which has deen or purports to have been derived from cryptanalysis of messages tranamitted by the United States or any foreign government, shall, without authorization by the head of tne department or agency by wif ch such person was employed or in which he performed services at tne time when he had custody of or access to or obtained knowledge of the above-described informaiion or material, communicate, furnish or transmit to another or publish any such information on material, shall be fined not more than $\$ 10,000$ or imprisoned not more than ten years or both. Authorizations granted as herein-
before provided shall be in accordance with sucn regulations as tne rresident may prescribe.

Sec 2. Whoever, by virtue of his employment by or performance of services for any foreign government or by virtue of his service in the armed forces of any foreign government, having obtained, or having had custody of, access to, or knowledge of (1) any information concerning the nature, preparation, or use of any code, cipher, or cryptographic or cryptanalytioal system of the Unfted states or any forelgn government, or (2) any information concerning the design, construction, use, maintenance or repair of any device, apparatue, or appliance used or prepared or planncd for use by the United States or any foreign government for cryptographic or cryptanalytic purpose, or (3) any material which ras been, or purports to have been, prepared or iransmitted in or by the use of any code, cipher or cryptographic system of the United States or any foreign government, or (4) any information concerning the cryptographic or cryptanalytjc activities of the United States or any forelgn government, or (5) any information which has been or purporta to have been derived from cryptanalysis of messages transmitted by the United utates or any foreign government, shall, wathout authorization by the secretary of Mar, the Secretary of the Navy or tne Secretary of State, communicate, furnisn or transmit to anotner or publish any such information or material, shall be fined not more than $\$ 10,000$ or imprisoned not more than ten jears, or both.

Sec. 3. 'the term "foreign government" as used herein includes any person or persons acting or purporting to act for or on behalf of any military or naval force, faction, party, department, agency or bureau within a foreign country, or for or on behalf of any government or any person or persons purporting to act as a governmont witnin a foreign country, whether or not such government is recognized by the United Siates.

Sec. 4. (a) The term "cryptographici as used herein includes any code, capher, secret writing, deception, mechanıcal device, or other method used tu disgunse or conceal the meaning of any communication.
(b) Tne term "cryptanalytic" as used herein includes all methods of interception and all methods of obtainIng information of the contents of cryptographic communications.

