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Reintroducing legislation in 2020 ala SB 553/HB 1276 (Security Features for Connected Devices) to implement de minimis security standards for IoT devices. Renewing the effort to protect consumer privacy through some form of SB 613/HB 901 (Online Consumer Protection Act) that was introduced last session. Encouraging state action, if not already underway, to examine the security of in light of expert testimony so that any confirmed vulnerabilities are remediated and any issues of trust in the system are foreclosed before the next election.

Offering legislation that would ensure that all branches of state government and

Bel Leong-hong, Chair, Economic Development Subcommittee.

Ms. Leong-hong referenced her subcommittee meeting prior to this Council meeting (see minutes for March 12, 2019) and that in the interests of time she would be brief. The included both examining barriers to entry and incentives to promote growth. In that connection, to streamline the security clearance process that has included meetings of subcommittee members with Congressman Ruppersberger. It has also included active support for SB 228 (Cybersecurity Incentive Tax Credits) passed in 2019 and for expanding internships to build the cybersecurity workforce. These efforts related to barriers and incentives will continue in the next two years.

Dr. Greg von Lehmen for Dr. Jonathan Katz, Chair, Economic Development Committee.

Dr. von Lehmen noted that Dr. Katz was not able to attend the meeting because of a professional conflict and conveyed his regrets. The principal recommendation of the subcommittee is for the