

HR 6668

Inspectors General Independence Act of 2020

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Cooper, Jim [D-TN-5]

Party: Democratic • **State:** TN • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Correa, J. Luis [D-CA-46]	D · CA		May 1, 2020
Rep. Price, David E. [D-NC-4]	D · NC		May 8, 2020
Rep. Shalala, Donna E. [D-FL-27]	D · FL		May 8, 2020
Rep. Case, Ed [D-HI-1]	D · HI		Jun 24, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	May 1, 2020

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 3664	Identical bill	May 7, 2020: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

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This bill permits an inspector general to be removed by the President or by a federal entity before the expiration of his or her term only for permanent incapacity, inefficiency, neglect of duty, malfeasance, or conviction of a felony or conduct involving moral turpitude.

The bill provides for a seven-year term of office for each inspector general. An individual may serve for more than one term.

Any individual appointed to fill a vacancy in such position, occurring before the expiration of the term for which his or her predecessor was appointed, shall be appointed for a full seven-year term.

Actions Timeline

- **May 1, 2020:** Introduced in House
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