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Legacy IT Reduction Act of 2022

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** NH • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill addresses the problem of legacy information technology (IT) used by the federal government.

Specifically, each federal agency must

- compile an inventory that lists each legacy IT system used, operated, or maintained by the agency; and
- within two years of this bill's enactment, and every five years thereafter, develop and include a plan to modernize the legacy IT systems as part of the agency's information resource management strategic plan.

The Office of Management and Budget (OMB) must issue guidance on this bill's implementation, including criteria to determine whether IT qualifies as a legacy IT system.

Each agency must transfer to schools or nonprofit organizations any educationally useful federal equipment that the agency no longer uses.

The Government Accountability Office must report to Congress on this bill's implementation and how this bill functions alongside other IT modernization offices, policies, and programs.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 15, 2022:** Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Reported by Senator Peters with amendments. With written report No. 117-262.
- **Dec 15, 2022:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 653.
- **Mar 30, 2022:** Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Ordered to be reported with an amendment favorably.
- **Mar 22, 2022:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 22, 2022:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.