

HR 5060

To direct the Inspector General of the Department of Defense to conduct an investigation into the withdrawal of the United States armed forces from Afghanistan, and for other purposes.

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Armed Forces and National Security

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
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Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Armed Forces and National Security

## Related Bills

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*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Aug 20, 2021)

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This bill requires the Inspector General of the Department of Defense to conduct a full investigation into the withdrawal of the U.S. Armed Forces from Afghanistan. The investigation must analyze (1) the extent to which, and reasons why, U.S. Humvees, helicopters, artillery, and drones ended up in the Taliban's possession; (2) the extent to which Afghan forces in possession of U.S. equipment entered Iran with such equipment; and (3) the effectiveness of the evacuation of U.S. and allied personnel.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Aug 20, 2021:** Introduced in House
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