



OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF THE INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY NEWS RELEASE

Inspector General Expands Channels to Report Allegations of Fraud, Waste, and Abuse to Appropriate Authorities

(IMMEDIATE) The Office of the Inspector General of the Intelligence Community (ICIG) has stationed drop boxes in common areas across the Office of the Director of National Intelligence's (ODNI's) facilities to collect allegations of fraud, waste, abuse, and mismanagement. Drop boxes are located at Liberty Crossing (LX) in LX1 outside the auditorium near CRI; LX2 on the 2nd floor bridge by Dunkin Donuts; Maryland Square 2, 1st floor common area near the auditorium; Intelligence Community Campus–Bethesda (ICC-B) in Erskine Hall near the gym entrance and in the Centrum Hall cafeteria; and at Reston 3 in the common areas near the elevators on the 1st and 6th floors. The drop boxes are an extension of the ICIG's existing Hotline Program and intake process.

In connection with programs and activities within the responsibility and authority of the Director of National Intelligence, the ICIG is authorized to investigate information and complaints concerning:

- Allegations of a violation of law, rule, or regulation;
- Fraud, waste, and abuse of authority; or
- A substantial or specific danger to public health and safety.

As a reminder, employees in the federal government have an affirmative obligation to report fraud, waste, abuse, and corruption to appropriate authorities.¹ Hotline reporting tools are a key source of information for countering wrongdoing and enhancing the effectiveness of ODNI and the Intelligence Community. These tools help ICIG auditors, inspectors, and investigators uncover potential problems early and address them before they get worse.

Employees and contractors are encouraged to complete and submit intake forms stocked alongside the boxes and [available online](#). ICIG staff will collect submissions on a regular basis.

To learn more about live, automated, and web-based ICIG reporting options, visit the [Hotline information page](#).

The Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010 established the Office of the Inspector General of the Intelligence Community within the Office of the Director of National Intelligence. The ICIG's mission is to provide independent and objective oversight of the programs and activities within the responsibility and authority of the Director of National Intelligence, to initiate

¹ See [Executive Order 12731](#), [Principles of Ethical Conduct for Government Officers and Employees](#), and [Principles of Professional Ethics for the Intelligence Community](#).

and conduct independent audits, inspections, investigations, and reviews, and to lead and coordinate the efforts of the Intelligence Community Inspectors General Forum. The ICIG's goal is to have a positive and enduring impact throughout the Intelligence Community, to lead and coordinate the efforts of an integrated Intelligence Community Inspectors General Forum, and to enhance the ability of the United States Intelligence Community to meet national security needs while respecting our nation's laws and reflecting its values. The Forum consists of the twelve statutory and administrative Inspectors General having oversight responsibility for an element of the Intelligence Community. The Chair of the Forum is the Inspector General of the Intelligence Community.

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For career opportunities with the ICIG, please visit:

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To report allegations of waste, fraud, or abuse, please contact the ICIG:

Secure: ICIG Hotline 933-2800 | Unclassified: ICIG Hotline 855-731-3260

Secure Email: ICIGHOTLINE@dni.ic.gov | Unclassified Email: ICIGHOTLINE@dni.gov