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115TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

**H. R.** 2196

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

M R. RUSSELL introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. RECIPIENTS OF WHISTLEBLOWER DISCLO-**  
4 **SURES.**

5 Section 2302(b)(8)(B) of title 5, United States Code,  
6 is amended by striking “or to the Inspector” and all that  
7 follows through “such disclosures” and inserting “the In-  
8 spector General of an agency, a supervisor in the employ-  
9 ee’s direct chain of command up to and including the head

1 of the employing agency, the Director of National Intel-  
2 ligence, the Inspector General of the Intelligence Commu-  
3 nity, or to an employee designated by any of the aforemen-  
4 tioned individuals for the purpose of receiving such dislo-  
5 sures”.