Amendment to H.R. 3838 Offered by Mr. Vindman of Virginia

At the appropriate place in title XI, insert the following:

1 SEC. 11____. LIMITATION ON ADVERSE ACTIONS AGAINST 2 EMPLOYEES OF DOD OIG.

3 None of the funds authorized to be appropriated by 4 this Act or otherwise made available to the Department 5 of Defense for fiscal year 2026 may be used to remove, 6 suspend, demote an employee of the Office of the Inspector General of the Department of Defense unless the em-7 ployee was not performing or engaged in misconduct, and 8 9 for whom those issues were documented for the record. 10 Nothing in this section shall be construed to limit or otherwise affect the authority of the Inspector General to dis-11 12 cipline or manage personnel within the Office of Inspector General in accordance with applicable laws and regula-13 14 tions.

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