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Pursuant to Pub. L. No. 117-263, § 5203(a), 136 Stat. 3227, 3228, the following is the Order of Succession for the Department of Homeland Security Office of Inspector General:

Order	Position	Status
1	Inspector General	Presidential Appointee with Senate Confirmation
2	Principal Deputy Inspector General*	Career Reserved
3	Chief of Staff / Deputy Inspector General for the Executive Office	Career Reserved
4	Deputy Inspector General for Audits	Career Reserved
5	Deputy Inspector General for Investigations	Career Reserved

* First Assistant

The above Order of Succession supersedes and replaces all previous Orders of Succession and is effective immediately. The above Order of Succession may not be changed by anyone who is not the Presidentially-appointed, Senate-confirmed Inspector General.

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