

Whistleblowing Law: The U.S. Experience

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disclosure of
alleged
wrongdoing
to prevent harm
or
hold wrongdoers accountable

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5. Provide financial incentives

Compensation – Not Effective

Financial Incentives – Effective

Protection for Federal Workers

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Problems in Implementation

Giving govt. officials administrative authority

Centralized administration

Whistleblowers
&
Inspectors General

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