

112TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 3787

To amend the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 to require a jobs score
for each spending bill considered in Congress.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 18, 2012

Mr. CICILLINE (for himself, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, and Mr. McDERMOTT) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Rules, and in addition to the Committee on the Budget, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

A BILL

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a jobs score for each spending bill considered in Congress.

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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Jobs Score Act of
5 2012”.

1 **SEC. 2. AMENDMENT TO THE CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET**
2 **ACT OF 1974.**

3 Section 402 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974
4 (2 U.S.C. 653) is amended—

5 (1) in paragraph (2), by striking “and”;

6 (2) in paragraph (3), by striking the period and
7 inserting “; and”; and

8 (3) by inserting after paragraph (3) the fol-
9 lowing:

10 “(4) an estimate of the number of jobs which
11 would be created, sustained, or lost in carrying out
12 such bill or resolution in the fiscal year in which it
13 is to become effective and in each of the 4 fiscal
14 years following such fiscal year, together with the
15 basis for each such estimate, and to the extent prac-
16 ticable, the analysis shall include regional and State-
17 level estimates of jobs that would be created, sus-
18 tained, or lost.”.

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