

Union Calendar No. 453

118TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 7988

[Report No. 118-547]

To amend the Small Business Act to include requirements relating to new small business entrants in the scorecard program, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 15, 2024

Mr. STAUBER (for himself and Ms. PEREZ) introduced the following bill;
which was referred to the Committee on Small Business

JUNE 11, 2024

Committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union
and ordered to be printed

A BILL

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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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Small Business Pro-
5 curement and Utilization Reform Act of 2024” or the
6 “SPUR Act”.

7 **SEC. 2. MODIFICATIONS TO SCORECARD REQUIREMENTS.**

8 Section 15(y) of the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C.
9 644(y)) is amended—

10 (1) in paragraph (2)—

11 (A) by redesignating subparagraph (E) as
12 subparagraph (F); and

13 (B) by inserting after subparagraph (D)
14 the following new subparagraph:

15 “(E) The number of new small business
16 entrants, including new small business entrants
17 that are small business concerns owned and
18 controlled by service-disabled veterans, qualified
19 HUBZone small business concerns, small busi-
20 ness concerns owned and controlled by socially
21 and economically disadvantaged individuals, and
22 small business concerns owned and controlled
23 by women awarded prime contracts in each
24 North American Industry Classification System
25 code during the fiscal year, and a comparison

1 to the number awarded prime contracts during
2 the prior fiscal year, if available.”;

3 (2) in paragraph (3), by striking “subpara-
4 graphs (B) through (E) of paragraph (2)” and in-
5 serting “subparagraphs (B) through (F) of para-
6 graph (2)”;

7 (3) by amending paragraph (6) to read as fol-
8 lows:

9 “(6) DEFINITIONS.—In this subsection:

10 “(A) NEW SMALL BUSINESS ENTRANT.—

11 The term ‘new small business entrant’ means a
12 small business concern that—

13 “(i) has been awarded a prime con-
14 tract; and

15 “(ii) has not previously been awarded
16 a prime contract by the Federal Govern-
17 ment.

18 “(B) SCORECARD.—The term ‘scorecard’
19 means any summary using a rating system to
20 evaluate the efforts of a Federal agency to meet
21 goals established under subsection (g)(1)(B)
22 that—

23 “(i) includes the measures described
24 in paragraph (2); and

1 “(ii) assigns a score to each Federal
2 agency evaluated.”.

3 **SEC. 3. COMPLIANCE WITH CUTGO.**

4 No additional amounts are authorized to be appro-
5 priated to carry out this Act or the amendments made
6 by this Act.

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