

“(c) USES OF ASSISTANCE.—Services provided by the Network shall include—

“(1) providing current business management and technical assistance in a cost-effective and culturally tailored manner that primarily serves Alaska Natives, members of Indian tribes, or Native Hawaiians;

“(2) providing Tribal Business Information Centers with current electronic commerce information, training, and other forms of technical assistance;

“(3) supporting the Resource Center; and

“(4) providing any of the services that a small business development center may provide under section 21.

“(d) GRANT AND COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT MATCHING REQUIREMENT.—

“(1) IN GENERAL.—As a condition for receiving a contract, grant, or cooperative agreement authorized by this section, the recipient organization shall agree to obtain, after its application has been approved and notice of award has been issued, cash or in kind contributions from non-Federal sources as follows:

“(A) One non-Federal dollar for each 4 Federal dollars in the first and second years of the term of the assistance.

“(B) One non-Federal dollar for each 3 Federal dollars in the third and fourth years of the term of the assistance.

“(C) One non-Federal dollar for each Federal dollar in the fifth and succeeding years of the term of the assistance.

“(2) WAIVER.—The Administration may waive or reduce the matching funds requirements in paragraph (1) with respect to a recipient organization if the Administration determines that such action is consistent with the purposes of this section and in the best interests of the program authorized by this section.

“(3) EXCEPTION.—The matching funds requirement of paragraph (1) does not apply to contracts, grants, or cooperative agreements made to a tribal organization for the Resource Center.

“(e) AUTHORIZATION.—There is authorized to be appropriated—

“(1) to carry out this section, \$3,000,000 for fiscal year 2001 and each subsequent fiscal year; and

“(2) to fund the establishment and implementation of one Resource Center under the authority of this section, \$500,000 for fiscal year 2001 and each subsequent fiscal year.”.

(b) NATIVE HAWAIIAN ORGANIZATIONS UNDER SECTION 8(a).—Section 8(a)(15)(A) of the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C. 637(a)(15)(A)) is amended to read as follows:

“(A) is a nonprofit corporation that has filed articles of incorporation with the director (or the designee thereof) of the Hawaii Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, or any successor agency.”.

NOTICES OF HEARINGS

COMMITTEE ON INDIAN AFFAIRS

Mr. CAMPBELL. Mr. President, I would like to announce that the Committee on Indian Affairs will meet on Wednesday, October 4, 2000, at 9:30 a.m. in room 366 of the Dirksen Senate Building to conduct an oversight hearing on alcohol and law enforcement in Alaska.

Those wishing additional information may contact committee staff at 202/224-2251.

MEASURE READ THE FIRST TIME—S. 3146

Mr. KYL. Mr. President, I understand that S. 3146 is at the desk. I ask for its first reading.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will report the bill by title.

The legislative clerk read as follows:

A bill (S. 3146) to preserve the sovereignty of the United States over public lands and acquired lands owned by the United States, and to preserve State sovereignty and private property rights in non-Federal lands surrounding those public lands and acquired lands.

Mr. KYL. Mr. President, I now ask for its second reading and object to my own request.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Objection is heard.

SMALL BUSINESS INNOVATION RESEARCH PROGRAM AUTHORIZATION ACT OF 2000

Mr. KYL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Chair lay before the Senate a message from the House of Representatives on the bill, H.R. 2392, an act to amend the Small Business Act to extend the authorization for the Small Business Innovation Research program, and for other purposes.

There being no objection, the Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the following message from the House of Representatives:

*Resolved*, That the House agree to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 2392) entitled “An Act to amend the Small Business Act to extend the authorization for the Small Business Innovation Research Program, and for other purposes,” with the following amendment:

SECTION 1. TABLE OF CONTENTS.

The table of contents for this Act is as follows:

Sec. 1. Table of contents.

TITLE I—SMALL BUSINESS INNOVATION RESEARCH PROGRAM

Sec. 101. Short title.

Sec. 102. Findings.

Sec. 103. Extension of SBIR program.

Sec. 104. Annual report.

Sec. 105. Third phase assistance.

Sec. 106. Report on programs for annual performance plan.

Sec. 107. Output and outcome data.

Sec. 108. National Research Council reports.

Sec. 109. Federal agency expenditures for the SBIR program.

Sec. 110. Policy directive modifications.

Sec. 111. Federal and State technology partnership program.

Sec. 112. Mentoring networks.

Sec. 113. Simplified reporting requirements.

Sec. 114. Rural outreach program extension.

TITLE II—GENERAL BUSINESS LOAN PROGRAM

Sec. 201. Short title.

Sec. 202. Levels of participation.

Sec. 203. Loan amounts.

Sec. 204. Interest on defaulted loans.

Sec. 205. Prepayment of loans.

Sec. 206. Guarantee fees.

Sec. 207. Lease terms.

TITLE III—CERTIFIED DEVELOPMENT COMPANY PROGRAM

Sec. 301. Short title.

Sec. 302. Women-owned businesses.

Sec. 303. Maximum debenture size.

Sec. 304. Fees.

Sec. 305. Premier certified lenders program.

Sec. 306. Sale of certain defaulted loans.

Sec. 307. Loan liquidation.

TITLE IV—CORRECTIONS TO THE SMALL BUSINESS INVESTMENT ACT OF 1958

Sec. 401. Short title.

Sec. 402. Definitions.

Sec. 403. Investment in small business investment companies.

Sec. 404. Subsidy fees.

Sec. 405. Distributions.

Sec. 406. Conforming amendment.

TITLE V—REAUTHORIZATION OF SMALL BUSINESS PROGRAMS

Sec. 501. Short title.

Sec. 502. Reauthorization of small business programs.

Sec. 503. Additional reauthorizations.

TITLE VI—MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

Sec. 601. Loan application processing.

Sec. 602. Application of ownership requirements.

Sec. 603. Eligibility for HUBZone program.

Sec. 604. Subcontracting preference for veterans.

Sec. 605. Small business development center program funding.

Sec. 606. Surety bonds.

TITLE I—SMALL BUSINESS INNOVATION RESEARCH PROGRAM

SEC. 101. SHORT TITLE.

(a) SHORT TITLE.—This title may be cited as the “Small Business Innovation Research Program Reauthorization Act of 2000”.

SEC. 102. FINDINGS.

Congress finds that—

(1) the small business innovation research program established under the Small Business Innovation Development Act of 1982, and reauthorized by the Small Business Research and Development Enhancement Act of 1992 (in this Act referred to as the “SBIR program”) is highly successful in involving small businesses in federally funded research and development;

(2) the SBIR program made the cost-effective and unique research and development capabilities possessed by the small businesses of the Nation available to Federal agencies and departments;

(3) the innovative goods and services developed by small businesses that participated in the SBIR program have produced innovations of critical importance in a wide variety of high-technology fields, including biology, medicine, education, and defense;

(4) the SBIR program is a catalyst in the promotion of research and development, the commercialization of innovative technology, the development of new products and services, and the continued excellence of this Nation’s high-technology industries; and

(5) the continuation of the SBIR program will provide expanded opportunities for one of the Nation’s vital resources, its small businesses, will foster invention, research, and technology, will create jobs, and will increase this Nation’s competitiveness in international markets.

SEC. 103. EXTENSION OF SBIR PROGRAM.

Section 9(m) of the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C. 638(m)) is amended to read as follows:

“(m) TERMINATION.—The authorization to carry out the Small Business Innovation Research Program established under this section shall terminate on September 30, 2008.”.

SEC. 104. ANNUAL REPORT.

Section 9(b)(7) of the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C. 638(b)(7)) is amended by striking “and the Committee on Small Business of the House of Representatives” and inserting “, and to the Committee on Science and the Committee on Small Business of the House of Representatives.”.

SEC. 105. THIRD PHASE ASSISTANCE.

Section 9(e)(4)(C)(i) of the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C. 638(e)(4)(C)(i)) is amended by striking “; and” and inserting “; or”.