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H. R. 3296

To amend the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 with respect to grants for economic adjustment, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NOVEMBER 1, 2011

Mr. CARNAHAN introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committee on Financial Services, 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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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 Energy
5 Improvements Financing Act of 2011”.

1 **SEC. 2. GRANTS FOR ECONOMIC ADJUSTMENT.**

2 Section 209 of the Public Works and Economic De-
3 velopment Act of 1965 (42 U.S.C. 3149) is amended by
4 adding at the end the following:

5 “(e) ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROGRAMS.—

6 “(1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary is authorized
7 to make grants under this section to support innova-
8 tive, utility-administered energy efficiency programs
9 for small business concerns.

10 “(2) SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN DEFINED.—In
11 this subsection, the term ‘small business concern’
12 has the meaning given that term under section 3(a)
13 of the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C. 632(a)).”.

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