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S. 1078

To provide for an additional temporary extension of programs under the Small Business Act and the Small Business Investment Act of 1958, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MAY 25, 2011

Ms. LANDRIEU introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship

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 Addi-
5 tional Temporary Extension Act of 2011”.

1 **SEC. 2. ADDITIONAL TEMPORARY EXTENSION OF AUTHOR-**
 2 **IZATION OF PROGRAMS UNDER THE SMALL**
 3 **BUSINESS ACT AND THE SMALL BUSINESS IN-**
 4 **VESTMENT ACT OF 1958.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 1 of the Act entitled “An
 6 Act to extend temporarily certain authorities of the Small
 7 Business Administration”, approved October 10, 2006
 8 (Public Law 109–316; 120 Stat. 1742), as most recently
 9 amended by section 1 of Public Law 112–1 (125 Stat. 3),
 10 is amended—

11 (1) by striking “Any” and inserting “Except as
 12 provided in section 3 of the Small Business Addi-
 13 tional Temporary Extension Act of 2011, any”; and

14 (2) by striking “May 31, 2011” each place it
 15 appears and inserting “July 31, 2011”.

16 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by
 17 subsection (a) shall take effect on May 30, 2011.

18 **SEC. 3. EXTENSION OF SBIR AND STTR TERMINATION**
 19 **DATES.**

20 (a) SBIR.—Section 9(m) of the Small Business Act
 21 (15 U.S.C. 638(m)) is amended—

22 (1) by striking “TERMINATION.—” and all that
 23 follows through “the authorization” and inserting
 24 “TERMINATION.—The authorization”;

25 (2) by striking “2008” and inserting “2011”;
 26 and

1 (3) by striking paragraph (2).

2 (b) STTR.—Section 9(n)(1)(A) of the Small Busi-
3 ness Act (15 U.S.C. 638(n)(1)(A)) is amended—

4 (1) by striking “IN GENERAL.—” and all that
5 follows through “with respect” and inserting “IN
6 GENERAL.—With respect”;

7 (2) by striking “2009” and inserting “2011”;
8 and

9 (3) by striking clause (ii).

10 (c) COMMERCIALIZATION PILOT PROGRAM.—Section
11 9(y)(6) of the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C. 638(y)(6))
12 is amended by striking “2010” and inserting “2011”.

13 **SEC. 4. COMPETITIVE SELECTION PROCEDURES FOR SBIR**
14 **AND STTR PROGRAMS.**

15 Section 9 of the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C. 638)
16 is amended by inserting after subsection (r) the following:

17 “(s) COMPETITIVE SELECTION PROCEDURES FOR
18 SBIR AND STTR PROGRAMS.—All funds awarded, appro-
19 priated, or otherwise made available in accordance with
20 subsection (f) or (n) must be awarded pursuant to com-
21 petitive and merit-based selection procedures.”.

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