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HUBZone Improvement Act of 2010

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Commerce

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Snowe, Olympia J. [R-ME]

Party: Republican • **State:** ME • **Chamber:** Senate

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| Sen. Dorgan, Byron L. [D-ND] | D · ND | | Apr 12, 2010 |
| Sen. McCaskill, Claire [D-MO] | D · MO | | Jul 12, 2010 |

Committee Activity

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| Small Business and Entrepreneurship Committee | Senate | Referred To | Feb 23, 2010 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

HUBZone Improvement Act of 2010 - Directs the Administrator of the Small Business Administration (SBA) to ensure that the map used by the SBA to identify HUBZones (historically underutilized business zones) is accurate, up-to-date, and revised as new data is made available.

Requires the Administrator to: (1) implement policies for ensuring that only qualified HUBZone small businesses are participating in the HUBZone program; (2) report to the congressional small businesses concerning qualification for, and recertification of, a HUBZone small business; and (3) develop measures and implement plans to assess HUBZone program effectiveness.

Amends the Small Business Act to prohibit the Administrator, during the period beginning on the date that a small business is determined qualified as a HUBZone small business and ending the day before a HUBZone program contract for which such small business submits a bid is awarded, from determining that the small business is no longer qualified based on a failure to meet the applicable employment percentage unless, among other things, the small business has not attempted to maintain such percentage.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 23, 2010:** Introduced in Senate
- **Feb 23, 2010:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S702)
- **Feb 23, 2010:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship. (text of measure as introduced: CR S702-703)

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