

## HR 3558

Small Business Fair Competition Act

**Congress:** 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Commerce

**Introduced:** Sep 14, 2009

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Government Management, Organization, and Procurement.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Government Management, Organization, and Procurement. (Oct 23, 2009)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/111th-congress/house-bill/3558>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Griffith, Parker [D-AL-5]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** AL • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 23, 2009
Small Business Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 14, 2009

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Commerce

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

Small Business Fair Competition Act - Allows an incumbent contractor to re-compete for a proposed contract in the case of a government solicitation for bids or proposals for goods or services that are substantially the same as under a current contract, provided the contractor currently performing the contract represents in good faith that it is a small business.

Permits such representation to be made if the incumbent contractor: (1) meets the definition of a small business concern applicable to the solicitation and has not been determined by the Small Business Administration (SBA) to be other than a small business; or (2) was a small business when the current contract was awarded, is no longer a small business at the time of the solicitation, and will revert to being a small business if not awarded the proposed contract.

Allows the government to qualify a contract being awarded to the incumbent contractor as a small business set-aside for the duration of the contract.

Requires the Federal Acquisition Regulation to be revised to implement this Act.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Oct 23, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Government Management, Organization, and Procurement.
- **Sep 14, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 14, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Contracting and Technology .
- **Sep 14, 2009:** Referred to House Small Business
- **Sep 14, 2009:** Referred to the Committee on Small Business, and in addition to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, 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.
- **Sep 14, 2009:** Referred to House Oversight and Government Reform

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