

SRES 280

A resolution recognizing the month of October 2015 as "National Women's Small Business Month".

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Commerce

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (13 total)

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| Sen. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA] | D · MA | | Oct 7, 2015 |
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| Sen. Risch, James E. [R-ID] | R · ID | | Oct 7, 2015 |
| Sen. Rubio, Marco [R-FL] | R · FL | | Oct 7, 2015 |
| Sen. Shaheen, Jeanne [D-NH] | D · NH | | Oct 7, 2015 |

Committee Activity

No committee referrals or activity are recorded for this bill.

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Commerce

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Oct 7, 2015)

Recognizes: (1) October 2015 as National Women's Small Business Month, (2) the significant contributions of women small business owners and women entrepreneurs to the small business community, and (3) the importance of creating policies that promote a business-friendly environment for small business owners free of unnecessary regulations and red tape.

Honors the vital role of U.S. women small business owners and entrepreneurs during this Month.

Supports and encourages young women entrepreneurs to pursue their passions and create more start-up businesses.

Supports efforts to increase awareness of the value of women-owned small businesses on the U.S. economy.

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 7, 2015:** Introduced in Senate
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