

## HR 4340

SB CAPE Act of 2016

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Commerce

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### Sponsor

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### Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Small Business Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 7, 2016

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Commerce

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 4341	Related bill	Jul 25, 2016: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 545.

## **Small Business Contracting and Acquisition Programs Efficiency Act of 2016 or the SB CAPE Act of 2016**

This bill directs the Government Accountability Office (GAO) to initiate a review of the Office of Government Contracting and Business Development (OGCBD) of the Small Business Administration (SBA).

This review shall examine:

- the extent to which SBA personnel who carry out certain procurement and business development programs report to the OGCBD,
- whether greater efficiency and consistency in the certification process of the procurement and business development programs could be achieved by creating a single organizational unit of employees to process all certifications required by such programs,
- whether greater efficiency and efficacy in the performance of such programs could be achieved by improving the alignment of the field personnel assigned to them,
- how the OGCBD could improve its staffing of regulatory drafting functions and its coordination with the Federal Acquisition Regulatory Council to ensure timely rulemaking by the SBA, and
- any other areas in which the GAO determines that the SBA could improve its performance with respect to procurement and business development programs.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jan 7, 2016:** Introduced in House
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