

## HR 6368

Encouraging Small Business Innovators

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Commerce

**Introduced:** Jul 13, 2018

**Current Status:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship

**Latest Action:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship. (Sep 26, 2018)

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### Sponsor

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

### Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Norman, Ralph [R-SC-5]	R · SC		Jul 17, 2018
Rep. Velazquez, Nydia M. [D-NY-7]	D · NY		Jul 17, 2018
Resident Commissioner González-Colón, Jenniffer [R-PR-At Large]	R · PR		Jul 17, 2018

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Discharged From	Sep 20, 2018
Science, Space, and Technology Committee	House	Discharged From	Sep 20, 2018
Small Business and Entrepreneurship Committee	Senate	Referred To	Sep 26, 2018
Small Business Committee	House	Reported By	Sep 20, 2018

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Commerce

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 5515	Related bill	<b>Aug 13, 2018:</b> Became Public Law No: 115-232.

## Encouraging Small Business Innovators

This bill amends the Small Business Act to require the Small Business Administration (SBA) to provide an increase to the past performance rating of small business participants who served as mentors in the SBA mentor-protege program under the Small Business Innovation Research or the Small Business Technology Transfer Program.

This bill amends the Duncan Hunter National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2009 to revise provisions of the Federal Acquisition Regulation to promote the use of government-wide and other interagency contracts.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Sep 26, 2018:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship.
- **Sep 25, 2018:** Mr. Chabot moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Sep 25, 2018:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H8808-8810)
- **Sep 25, 2018:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 6368.
- **Sep 25, 2018:** DEBATE - The House resumed with debate on H.R. 6368.
- **Sep 25, 2018:** At the conclusion of debate, the chair put the question on the motion to suspend the rules. Mr. Chabot objected to the vote on the grounds that a quorum was not present. Further proceedings on the motion were postponed. The point of no quorum was considered as withdrawn.
- **Sep 25, 2018:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H8820-8821)
- **Sep 25, 2018:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 389 - 6 (Roll no. 400).(text: CR H8808)
- **Sep 25, 2018:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 389 - 6 (Roll no. 400). (text: CR H8808)
- **Sep 25, 2018:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 20, 2018:** Reported by the Committee on Small Business. H. Rept. 115-956, Part I.
- **Sep 20, 2018:** Committee on Oversight and Government discharged.
- **Sep 20, 2018:** Committee on Science, Space, and Technology discharged.
- **Sep 20, 2018:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 744.
- **Jul 18, 2018:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jul 18, 2018:** Ordered to be Reported.
- **Jul 13, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 13, 2018:** Referred to the Committee on Small Business, and in addition to the Committees on Oversight and Government Reform, and Science, Space, and Technology, 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.