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H. R. 5851

To increase small business lending, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 18, 2012

Mr. TIERNEY (for himself, Mr. CARNAHAN, Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. LARSEN of Washington, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. MCGOVERN, Ms. NORTON, Mr. OLVER, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. SARBANES, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, and Mr. TONKO) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Small Business

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Increasing Small Busi-
5 ness Lending Act of 2012”.

6 **SEC. 2. FEE REDUCTIONS AND LOAN GUARANTEES.**

7 (a) FEE REDUCTIONS.—Section 501 of the American
8 Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Public Law 111–
9 5; 123 Stat. 151) is amended by striking “March 4, 2011”
10 each place it appears and inserting “the date that is 1

1 year after the date of enactment of the Increasing Small
2 Business Lending Act of 2012”.

3 (b) LOAN GUARANTEES.—Section 502(f) of division
4 A of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of
5 2009 (Public Law 111–5; 123 Stat. 153) is amended by
6 striking “March 4, 2011” and inserting “the date that
7 is 1 year after the date of enactment of the Increasing
8 Small Business Lending Act of 2012”.

9 (c) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There
10 are authorized to be appropriated to the Administrator of
11 the Small Business Administration such sums as may be
12 necessary to carry out sections 501 and 502 of the Amer-
13 ican Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Public Law
14 111–5; 123 Stat. 151), as amended by this subsection.

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