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1ST SESSION

H. R. 1694

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

NOVEMBER 18, 2015

Received; read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and
Public Works

AN ACT

To amend MAP–21 to improve contracting opportunities for
veteran-owned small business concerns, and for other
purposes.

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

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “Fairness to Veterans
3 for Infrastructure Investment Act of 2015”.

4 **SEC. 2. DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISES.**

5 Section 1101(b) of MAP–21 (23 U.S.C. 101 note) is
6 amended—

7 (1) in paragraph (2) by adding at the end the
8 following:

9 “(C) VETERAN-OWNED SMALL BUSINESS
10 CONCERN.—The term ‘veteran-owned small
11 business concern’ has the meaning given the
12 term ‘small business concern owned and con-
13 trolled by veterans’ in section 3(q) of the Small
14 Business Act (15 U.S.C. 632(q)).”;

15 (2) in paragraph (3) by inserting “and veteran-
16 owned small business concerns” before the period at
17 the end; and

18 (3) in paragraph (4)(B)—

19 (A) in clause (ii) by striking “and” at the
20 end;

21 (B) in clause (iii) by striking the period at
22 the end and inserting “; and”; and

- 1 (C) by adding at the end the following:
- 2 “(iv) veterans.”.

Passed the House of Representatives November 17,
2015.

Attest:

KAREN L. HAAS,
Clerk.