

**31. AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE  
JACKSON LEE OF TEXAS OR HER DESIGNEE, DEBATABLE FOR  
10 MINUTES**

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1540, AS REPORTED  
OFFERED BY MS. JACKSON LEE OF TEXAS**

Page 417, after line 7, insert the following:

1 **SEC. 941. ASSESSMENT OF CONTRACTOR PERFORMANCE**  
2 **OF CERTAIN FUNCTIONS ON SMALL BUSI-**  
3 **NESS CONCERNS OWNED AND CONTROLLED**  
4 **BY WOMEN AND MINORITIES.**

5 No Department of Defense function that is per-  
6 formed by Department of Defense civilian employees and  
7 is tied to a certain military base may be converted to per-  
8 formance by a contractor until the Secretary of Defense  
9 conducts an outreach program to benefit small business  
10 concerns owned and controlled by women (as such term  
11 is defined in section 8(d)(3)(D) of the Small Business Act)  
12 and small business concerns owned and controlled by so-  
13 cially and economically disadvantaged individuals (as such  
14 term is defined in section 8(d)(3)(C) of the Small Business  
15 Act) that are located in the geographic area near the mili-  
16 tary base.

