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# H. R. 1860

To reauthorize the Small Business Technology Transfer Program, and for other purposes.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 16, 2001

Mr. EHLERS (for himself, and Mr. BARCIA) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Small Business, and in addition to the Committee on Science, 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

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## A BILL

To reauthorize the Small Business Technology Transfer Program, 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,*

3 **SECTION 1. SOLICITATIONS.**

4 Section 9(o)(2) of the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C.  
5 638(o)(2)) is amended by inserting “, which may be con-  
6 joined with SBIR solicitations,” after “STTR solicita-  
7 tions”.

8 **SEC. 2. DATABASE.**

9 (a) COLLECTION.—

1           (1) AMENDMENT.—Section 9(o)(9) of the Small  
2 Business Act (15 U.S.C. 638(o)(9)) is amended to  
3 read as follows:

4           “(9) collect, and maintain in a common format  
5 in accordance with subsection (v), such information  
6 from awardees as is necessary to assess the STTR  
7 program, including information necessary to main-  
8 tain the database described in subsection (k);”.

9           (2) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Section 9(v)  
10 of the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C. 638(v)) is  
11 amended by inserting “or STTR” after “SBIR”  
12 both places it appears.

13       (b) DATABASE.—Section 9(k) of the Small Business  
14 Act (15 U.S.C. 638(k)) is amended—

15           (1) by inserting “or STTR” after “SBIR” each  
16 place it appears in paragraph (1);

17           (2) by inserting “or required to have an STTR  
18 program pursuant to subsection (n),” after “sub-  
19 section (f)(1),” in paragraph (2);

20           (3) by inserting “and STTR” after “solely for  
21 SBIR” in paragraph (2); and

22           (4) by inserting “or STTR” after “SBIR” in  
23 paragraph (2)(A)(iii) and (D).

1           (c) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by  
2 this section shall take effect 180 days after the date of  
3 the enactment of this Act.

4 **SEC. 3. REAUTHORIZATION.**

5           Section 9(n)(1) of the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C.  
6 638(n)(1)) is amended by striking “and 2001” and insert-  
7 ing “2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, and  
8 2008”.

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