

Most notably H.R. 2397 would authorize the SBA Administrator to provide financial assistance to private nonprofit organizations to conduct projects for the benefit of small businesses owned and operated by women. The bill notes that such projects shall provide, among other things, financial assistance, including training and counseling on how to apply for and secure business credit and investment capital, preparing and presenting financial statements, and managing cash flow and other financial operations of a business concern; management assistance, including training and counseling in how to plan, organize, staff, direct, and control each major activity and function of a small business; and marketing assistance, including training and counseling in identifying and segmenting domestic and international market opportunities, preparing and executing marketing plans, developing pricing strategies, locating contract opportunities, negotiating contracts, and utilizing varying public relations and advertising techniques.

H.R. 2397 would also direct that the National Women's Business Council (NWBC) conduct at least one study per year that evaluates the challenges hindering the success of women entrepreneurs, and mandates that NWBC select the topic for the study in consultation with the Committee on Small Business of the House of Representatives and the Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship of the Senate.

Support for this legislation will help Congress fulfill its commitment to ensuring that women owned and operated small businesses are able to access the resources and training they may require in order to achieve success. I urge my colleagues to support H.R. 2397.

Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentlewoman from New York (Ms. VELÁZQUEZ) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 2397.

The question was taken; and (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

□ 1900

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, proceedings will resume on motions to suspend the rules previously postponed.

Votes will be taken in the following order:

- H.R. 2563, by the yeas and nays;
- H. Con. Res. 151, by the yeas and nays;
- H. Res. 233, by the yeas and nays.

The postponed votes on S. 1352, H. Con. Res. 21, H.R. 2359 and H.R. 2284 will be taken tomorrow.

The first electronic vote will be conducted as a 15-minute vote. Remaining electronic votes will be conducted as 5-minute votes.

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The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 2563, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Illinois (Mr. DAVIS) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 2563.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 386, nays 0, not voting 46, as follows:

[Roll No. 499]
YEAS—386

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| Ackerman | Cuellar | Hastings (WA) |
| Aderholt | Culberson | Hayes |
| Akin | Cummings | Heller |
| Alexander | Davis (AL) | Hensarling |
| Allen | Davis (CA) | Herger |
| Altmire | Davis (IL) | Herseth Sandlin |
| Arcuri | Davis (KY) | Higgins |
| Baca | Davis, David | Hill |
| Bachmann | Davis, Lincoln | Hinchev |
| Bachus | Davis, Tom | Hinojosa |
| Baird | Deal (GA) | Hirono |
| Baker | DeFazio | Hobson |
| Baldwin | DeGette | Hodes |
| Barrett (SC) | Delahunt | Holden |
| Barrow | DeLauro | Holt |
| Bartlett (MD) | Dent | Honda |
| Barton (TX) | Diaz-Balart, L. | Hooley |
| Bean | Diaz-Balart, M. | Hoyer |
| Berkley | Dicks | Hulshof |
| Berry | Dingell | Inglis (SC) |
| Biggert | Doggett | Inslee |
| Bilbray | Donnelly | Israel |
| Bilirakis | Doolittle | Issa |
| Bishop (NY) | Doyle | Jackson (IL) |
| Bishop (UT) | Drake | Jackson-Lee |
| Blackburn | Dreier | (TX) |
| Blumenauer | Duncan | Johnson (GA) |
| Blunt | Edwards | Johnson (IL) |
| Boehner | Ehlers | Johnson, Sam |
| Bono | Ellison | Jones (NC) |
| Boren | Ellsworth | Jones (OH) |
| Boswell | Emanuel | Jordan |
| Boucher | Emerson | Kagen |
| Boustany | Engel | Kanjorski |
| Boyd (FL) | English (PA) | Kaptur |
| Boyd (KS) | Eshoo | Keller |
| Brady (PA) | Etheridge | Kennedy |
| Brady (TX) | Everett | Kildee |
| Bralley (IA) | Fallin | Kilpatrick |
| Brown (SC) | Farr | Kind |
| Brown, Corrine | Fattah | King (IA) |
| Brown-Waite, | Feeney | King (NY) |
| Ginny | Ferguson | Kirk |
| Buchanan | Finer | Klein (FL) |
| Burgess | Forbes | Kline (MN) |
| Burton (IN) | Fortenberry | Knollenberg |
| Buyer | Fossella | Kucinich |
| Camp (MI) | Fox | Kuhl (NY) |
| Campbell (CA) | Frank (MA) | Lamborn |
| Cannon | Franks (AZ) | Lampson |
| Cantor | Frelinghuysen | Langevin |
| Capito | Gallely | Lantos |
| Capps | Garrett (NJ) | Larsen (WA) |
| Cardoza | Gerlach | Larson (CT) |
| Carnahan | Giffords | Latham |
| Carney | Gilchrest | LaTourette |
| Castle | Gillibrand | Lee |
| Castor | Gillmor | Levin |
| Chabot | Gingrey | Lewis (CA) |
| Chandler | Gohmert | Lewis (GA) |
| Clarke | Gonzalez | Lewis (KY) |
| Clay | Goode | Linder |
| Cleaver | Goodlatte | LoBiondo |
| Clyburn | Gordon | Loeb sack |
| Coble | Granger | Lofgren, Zoe |
| Cohen | Green, Al | Lowey |
| Cole (OK) | Green, Gene | Lucas |
| Conaway | Grijalva | Lungren, Daniel |
| Cooper | Gutierrez | E. |
| Costa | Hall (NY) | Lynch |
| Costello | Hall (TX) | Mack |
| Courtney | Hare | Mahoney (FL) |
| Cramer | Harman | Maloney (NY) |
| Crenshaw | Hastert | Manzullo |
| Crowley | Hastings (FL) | Markey |

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| Marshall | Petri | Slaughter |
| Matheson | Pickering | Smith (NE) |
| Matsui | Pitts | Smith (NJ) |
| McCarthy (CA) | Platts | Smith (TX) |
| McCarthy (NY) | Poe | Smith (WA) |
| McCaul (TX) | Pomeroy | Solis |
| McCollum (MN) | Porter | Souder |
| McCrery | Price (GA) | Spratt |
| McDermott | Price (NC) | Stark |
| McGovern | Putnam | Stearns |
| McHugh | Radanovich | Stupak |
| McIntyre | Rahall | Sutton |
| McKeon | Ramstad | Tancred |
| McMorris | Rangel | Tanner |
| Rodgers | Regula | Tauscher |
| McNerney | Rehberg | Terry |
| McNulty | Reichert | Thompson (CA) |
| Meek (FL) | Renzi | Thompson (MS) |
| Meeks (NY) | Reynolds | Thornberry |
| Melancon | Rodriguez | Tiahrt |
| Mica | Rogers (AL) | Rogers (KY) |
| Michaud | Rogers (MI) | Rohrabacher |
| Miller (FL) | Ros-Lehtinen | Roskam |
| Miller (MI) | Rothman | Roybal-Allard |
| Miller (NC) | Royce | Royce |
| Miller, Gary | Ruppersberger | Ryan (OH) |
| Miller, George | Ryan (WI) | Ryan (WI) |
| Mitchell | Salazar | Sánchez, Linda |
| Mollohan | Sali | T. |
| Moore (KS) | Sánchez, Linda | Sarbanes |
| Moore (WI) | T. | Saxton |
| Moran (KS) | Sánchez, Linda | Schakowsky |
| Moran (VA) | T. | Schiff |
| Murphy (CT) | Sánchez, Linda | Schmidt |
| Murphy, Patrick | T. | Schwartz |
| Murphy, Tim | T. | Scott (GA) |
| Musgrave | Sarbanes | Scott (VA) |
| Myrick | Saxton | Sensenbrenner |
| Nadler | Schakowsky | Serrano |
| Napolitano | Schiff | Sessions |
| Neal (MA) | Schmidt | Shadegg |
| Neugebauer | Schwartz | Shays |
| Nunes | Scott (GA) | Shea-Porter |
| Oberstar | Scott (VA) | Sherman |
| Obey | Sensenbrenner | Shuler |
| Olver | Serrano | Shuster |
| Ortiz | Sessions | Simpson |
| Pascrell | Shadegg | Peterson (MN) |
| Pastor | Shays | Peterson (PA) |
| Paul | Shea-Porter | |
| Payne | Sherman | |
| Pearce | Shuler | |
| Pence | Shuster | |
| Perlmutter | Simpson | |
| Peterson (MN) | Sires | |
| Peterson (PA) | Skelton | |

NOT VOTING—46

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| Abercrombie | Graves | Reyes |
| Andrews | Hoekstra | Ross |
| Becerra | Hunter | Rush |
| Berman | Jefferson | Sanchez, Loretta |
| Bishop (GA) | Jindal | Sestak |
| Bonner | Johnson, E. B. | Shimkus |
| Boozman | Kingston | Snyder |
| Butterfield | LaHood | Space |
| Calvert | Lipinski | Sullivan |
| Capuano | Marchant | Taylor |
| Carson | McCotter | Walz (MN) |
| Carter | McHenry | Weiner |
| Conyers | Meehan | Weller |
| Cubin | Murtha | Wexler |
| Davis, Jo Ann | Pallone | |
| Flake | Pryce (OH) | |

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). There are 2 minutes remaining on this vote.

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Mr. McNERNEY and Ms. LINDA T. SÁNCHEZ of California changed their vote from “nay” to “yea.”

So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.