

111<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESS  
1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION

# H. R. 3729

To amend section 31 of the Small Business Act with respect to awarding contract opportunities to qualified HUBZone small business concerns, and for other purposes.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

OCTOBER 6, 2009

Mr. HERGER introduced the following bill; which was referred to the  
Committee on Small Business

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## 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. AWARDING CONTRACT OPPORTUNITIES.**

4 Section 31(b)(2)(B) of the Small Business Act (15  
5 U.S.C. 657a(b)(2)(B)) is amended by striking “shall” and  
6 inserting “may”.