AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 117-**54**

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Add at the end of subtitle E of title VIII the following new section:

SEC. 8 . WAIVER AUTHORIZATION STREAMLINING. 1

2 Section 8(a)(21) of the Small Business Act (15) 3 U.S.C. 637(a)(21)) is amended—

4 (1) in subparagraph (A), by striking "subparagraph (B)" and inserting "subparagraphs (B) and 5 (F)"; 6

7 (2) in subparagraph (B)—

| 8 | (A) by striking clause (iii); and |
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| 9 | (B) by redesignating clauses (iv) and (v) |
| 10 | as clauses (iii) and (iv), respectively; |

11 (3) by moving subparagraph (C) two ems to the 12 left; and

13 (4) by adding at the end the following new sub-14 paragraph:

15 "(F) In the event either a contract awarded pursuant to this subsection or ownership and control of a concern 16 17 performing a contract awarded pursuant to this subsection $\mathbf{2}$

1 will pass to another small business concern, the require-2 ments of subparagraph (A) shall not apply if—

3 "(i) the acquiring small business concern is a
4 program participant; and

5 "(ii) upon a request submitted prior to the pas-6 sage of the contract or the actual relinquishment of 7 ownership and control, as applicable, the Adminis-8 trator (or the delegee of the Administrator) deter-9 mines that the acquiring small business concern 10 would otherwise be eligible to directly receive the 11 award pursuant to this subsection.".

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