

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2397, AS REPORTED**  
**OFFERED BY MR. FITZPATRICK OF**  
**PENNSYLVANIA**

At the end of the bill (before the short title), insert  
the following:

1       SEC. 10002. None of the funds made available by this  
2 Act may be used to enter into a contract using procedures  
3 that do not give to small business concerns owned and con-  
4 trolled by veterans (as that term is defined in section  
5 3(q)(3) of the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C. 632(q)(3))  
6 that are included in the database under section 8127(f)  
7 of title 38, United States Code, any preference available  
8 with respect to such contract, except for a preference given  
9 to small business concerns owned and controlled by serv-  
10 ice-disabled veterans (as that term defined in section  
11 3(q)(2) of the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C. 632(q)(2)).

