

114TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 4156

To ensure equal access for HUBZone designations to all tax-paying small business owners.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

DECEMBER 2, 2015

Mr. CRDENAS (for himself, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. VARGAS, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Ms. MENG, Mr. POCAN, Mr. TAKANO, Mr. POLIS, Mrs. TORRES, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, and Mr. LOWENTHAL) 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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “HUBZone Equity  
5 Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. AMENDMENT TO DEFINITION OF HUBZONE SMALL**  
7 **BUSINESS CONCERN.**

8 Subparagraph (A) of section 3(p)(3) of the Small  
9 Business Act (15 U.S.C. 632(p)(3)) is amended by insert-

1 ing “or lawful permanent residents of the United States”

2 after “United States citizens”.

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