

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1425**  
**OFFERED BY MR. TONKO OF NEW YORK**

Page 17, line 24, after paragraph (4) insert the following new paragraph:

1           “(5) In order to preserve and maintain the in-  
2           tegrity of the SBIR and STTR programs as pro-  
3           grams for small business concerns in the United  
4           States, large businesses or entities and foreign  
5           owned businesses or entities are prohibited from par-  
6           ticipation in the SBIR and STTR programs.

