

117TH CONGRESS
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H. R. 3392

To amend the Economic Aid to Hard-Hit Small Businesses, Nonprofits, and Venues Act with respect to grants for shuttered venue operators, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 20, 2021

Mr. GARBARINO (for himself, Mr. SUOZZI, Mr. JACOBS of New York, Mr. ZELDIN, and Mr. CASE) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Small Business

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. GRANTS FOR SHUTTERED VENUE OPERATORS.**

4 (a) ELIGIBLE PERSON OR ENTITY.—Section
5 324(a)(1) of the Economic Aid to Hard-Hit Small Busi-
6 nesses, Nonprofits, and Venues Act (title III of division
7 N of Public Law 116–260) is amended—

8 (1) in subparagraph (A)—

1 (A) in the matter preceding clause (i), by
2 inserting “an attraction operator,” after “mo-
3 tion picture theatre operator,”;

4 (B) in clause (i)—

5 (i) in the matter preceding subclause
6 (I), by inserting “the attraction operator,”
7 after “motion picture theatre operator,”;

8 (ii) in subclause (I), by inserting “an
9 attraction operator,” after “motion picture
10 theatre operator,”; and

11 (iii) in subclause (II), by inserting
12 “the attraction operator,” after “motion
13 picture theatre operator,”;

14 (C) in clause (ii)—

15 (i) in subclause (III), by striking “or”
16 at the end;

17 (ii) by redesignating subclause (IV) as
18 subclause (V); and

19 (iii) by inserting after subclause (III)
20 the following new subclause:

21 “(IV) the attraction operator is
22 open or intends to reopen; or”; and

23 (D) in clause (vi)—

1 (i) by inserting “the attraction oper-
 2 ator,” after “the motion picture theatre
 3 operator,” each place it appears; and

4 (ii) by inserting “attractions,” after
 5 “motion picture theatres,” each place it
 6 appears; and

7 (2) in subparagraph (B), by inserting “an at-
 8 traction operator,” after “motion picture theatre op-
 9 erator,”.

10 (b) ATTRACTION OPERATOR.—Section 324(a) of the
 11 Economic Aid to Hard-Hit Small Businesses, Nonprofits,
 12 and Venues Act (title III of division N of Public Law 116–
 13 260) is amended by adding at the end the following new
 14 paragraph:

15 “(11) ATTRACTION OPERATOR.—

16 “(A) IN GENERAL.—The term ‘attraction
 17 operator’ means an individual or entity that—

18 “(i) as the principal business activity
 19 of the individual or entity, owns or oper-
 20 ates an—

21 “(I) amusement park;

22 “(II) amusement arcade or par-
 23 lor; or

24 “(III) amusement device or con-
 25 cession; and

1 “(ii) includes an individual or entity
2 described in clause (i) that—

3 “(I) operates for profit;

4 “(II) is a nonprofit organization;

5 “(III) is government-owned; or

6 “(IV) is a corporation, limited li-
7 ability company, or partnership or op-
8 erated as a sole proprietorship.

9 “(B) EXCLUSION.—An individual or entity
10 that owns or operates a business described in
11 subclause (I), (II), or (III) of subparagraph
12 (A)(i) may not be treated as an ‘attraction op-
13 erator’ if gambling activities are carried out as
14 part of such business.”.

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