
SENATE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Senator Sabrina Cervantes, Chair
2025 - 2026 Regular Session

AB 685 (Solache) - Small Business Resiliency and Innovation Act

Version: June 3, 2026

Urgency: Yes

Hearing Date: August 13, 2026

Policy Vote: B., P. & E.D. 10 - 0

Mandate: No

Consultant: Janelle Miyashiro

Bill Summary: AB 685 expands grant eligibility for the California Small Business Technical Assistance Program (TAP) and establishes the Small Business Resiliency and Innovation Act, which appropriates \$26 million from the General Fund to a new fund administered by the Office of Small Business Advocate (OSBA) within the Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development (GO-Biz) for allocation to TAP and the Capital Infusion Program (CIP), as specified.

***** ANALYSIS ADDENDUM – SUSPENSE FILE *****

The following information is revised to reflect amendments
adopted by the committee on August 13, 2026

Fiscal Impact: Unknown fiscal impact for OSBA to integrate new eligibility parameters into its grant award determination process for the current TAP and CIP program year.

Committee Amendments:

- Delete appropriation and related provisions.
- Delete GO-Biz reporting requirements.
- Delete urgency clause.

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