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- (a) The Historically Underutilized Business Zone (HUBZone) Act of 1997 ($\underline{15~U.S.C.631}$ note) created the HUBZone Program.
- (b) The purpose of the *HUBZone* Program is to provide Federal *contracting* assistance for qualified small business *concerns* located in historically underutilized business zones, in an effort to increase employment opportunities, investment, and economic development in those areas.

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