

RULE

Louisiana Economic Development Office of Economic Development

Minority Business Enterprise (LAC 19:III.Chapters 1-25)

Louisiana Economic Development (“LED”), Office of Economic Development, authorized by and pursuant to the provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act, R.S. 49:950 et seq., and R.S. 36:104, hereby repeals rules for the administration of the Minority Business Enterprise.

In accordance with the Office of the Governor Executive Order No. JML 25-038, LED reviewed and evaluated these program rules, determined them to be obsolete and unnecessary and therefore seeks their repeal. This Rule is hereby adopted on the day of promulgation.

Title 19

CORPORATION AND BUSINESS

Part III. Minority Business Enterprises

Chapter 1. Statement of Policy/Legal Basis

§101. Statement of Policy

Repealed.

AUTHORITY NOTE: Promulgated in accordance with R.S. 39:1951-1969, R.S. 39:1981-1991.

HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Office of the Governor, Division of Administration, Office of Minority Business Enterprises, LR 11:342 (April 1985), repealed by the Louisiana Economic Development, Office of Economic Development, LR 51:2105 (December 2025).

Chapter 3. General Provisions

§301. Definitions

Repealed.

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Chapter 5. Certification Procedures

§501. Criteria for Minority Certification

Repealed.

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HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Office of the Governor, Division of Administration, Office of Minority Business Enterprises, LR 11:343 (April 1985), repealed by the Louisiana Economic Development, Office of Economic Development, LR 51:2105 (December 2025).

§503. Distribution of Certification Applications

Repealed.

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HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Office of the Governor, Division of Administration, Office of Minority Business Enterprises, LR 11:343 (April 1985), repealed by the Louisiana Economic Development, Office of Economic Development, LR 51:2105 (December 2025).

§505. Procedure

Repealed.

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HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Office of the Governor, Division of Administration, Office of Minority Business Enterprises, LR 11:343 (April 1985), amended by the Department of Economic Development, Division of Minority and Women's Business Enterprise, LR 14:350 (June 1988), LR 15:960 (November 1989), repealed by the Louisiana Economic Development, Office of Economic Development, LR 51:2105 (December 2025).

§507. Submittal of Information Requested

Repealed.

AUTHORITY NOTE: Promulgated in accordance with R.S. 39:1951-1969 and R.S. 39:1981-1991.

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§509. Certification Documents Inquiries/Assistance

Repealed.

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HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Office of the Governor, Division of Administration, Office of Minority Business Enterprises, LR 11:344 (April 1985), repealed by the Louisiana Economic Development, Office of Economic Development, LR 51:2105 (December 2025).

§511. Notification of Minority Certification Decision

Repealed.

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§513. Disapproval of Minority Certification

Repealed.

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§515. Verification of Information Submitted

Repealed.

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§517. Change in Minority Ownership/Control

Repealed.

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§519. Application Denied or Withdrawn

Repealed.

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§521. Liability

Repealed.

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HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Office of the Governor, Division of Administration, Office of Minority Business Enterprises, LR 11:344 (April 1985), repealed by the Louisiana Economic Development, Office of Economic Development, LR 51:2106 (December 2025).

§523. Exceptions to Vendor Certification Requirements

Repealed.

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Chapter 7. Recertification Procedures

§701. Annual Recertification

Repealed.

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§703. Failure to Recertify

Repealed.

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Chapter 9. Complaints Concerning Certified Vendors

§901. Ineligibility Complaints

Repealed.

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§903. Investigation of Complaint

Repealed.

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§905. Notification of Complaint

Repealed.

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§907. Response to Complaint

Repealed.

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§909. Cooperation in Complaint Investigation

Repealed.

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§911. Temporary Suspension

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§913. Complaint Investigation Decision

Repealed.

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Chapter 11. Decertification Procedures

§1101. Certification Denied

Repealed.

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§1103. Petition for Reconsideration

Repealed.

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§1105. Petition Reconsidered or Reviewed by OMBE

Repealed.

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§1107. Decision of Reconsideration Petition

Repealed.

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Chapter 13. Minority Participation in State Procurement Activity

§1301. Establishment of Annual Goals for Agencies

Repealed.

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§1303. Preparation by Agencies of Annual Plan for Attainment of Annual Goal

Repealed.

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Chapter 15. Designation and Setting-Aside of Procurement Activities for Minority-Owned Business Participation

§1501. Identification of Goods and Services

Repealed.

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§1503. Publication of Minority Business Directory

Repealed.

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§1505. Publication of Minority Business Directory

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§1507. Goods, Services and Public Works Set-Aside

Repealed.

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§1509. Applicable Laws

Repealed.

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§1511. Bid Identified as Set-Aside

Repealed.

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§1513. Bid Proposal Advertisements

Repealed.

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§1515. Agency Receipt and Evaluation of Minority Set-Aside Bids

Repealed.

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§1517. Designation of a Minority Set-Aside Bid

Repealed.

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Chapter 17. Criteria for Procurement of Goods and Services

§1701. Criteria for Procurement of Goods and Services

Repealed.

AUTHORITY NOTE: Promulgated in accordance with R.S. 39:1951-1969 and R.S. 39:1981-1991.

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§1703. Consulting Services

Repealed.

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§1705. Public Work Bids \$200,000 or More

Repealed.

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§1707. Construction Bids under \$200,000

Repealed.

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Chapter 19. Noncertified Vendor Participation

§1901. Noncertified Vendor Participation

Repealed.

AUTHORITY NOTE: Promulgated in accordance with R.S. 39:1951-1969 and R.S. 39:1981-1991.

HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Office of the Governor, Division of Administration, Office of Minority Business Enterprises, LR 11:347 (April 1985), repealed by the Louisiana Economic Development, Office of Economic Development, LR 51:2108 (December 2025).

§1903. Liability

Repealed.

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HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Office of the Governor, Division of Administration, Office of Minority Business Enterprises, LR 11:347 (April 1985), repealed by the Louisiana Economic Development, Office of Economic Development, LR 51:2108 (December 2025).

§1905. Small Business Criteria Waived

Repealed.

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§1907. Annual Target Goals with Non-Certified Minority Vendor

Repealed.

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HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Office of the Governor, Division of Administration, Office of Minority Business Enterprises, LR 11:347 (April 1985), repealed by the Louisiana Economic Development, Office of Economic Development, LR 51:2108 (December 2025).

§1909. Certification Procedures

Repealed.

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Chapter 21. Reports

§2101. Quarterly Reporting

Repealed.

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§2103. Annual Report to Legislature

Repealed.

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Chapter 23. Directory of Minority Businesses

§2301. Directory of Certified Minority Business Enterprises

Repealed.

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RULE

Louisiana Economic Development Office of Economic Development

Office of Women's Business Enterprise
(LAC 19:Chapters 1-5)

Louisiana Economic Development ("LED"), Office of Economic Development, authorized by and pursuant to the provision of the Administrative Procedure Act, R.S. 49:950 et seq., and R.S. 36:104, hereby repeals rules for the administration of the Office of Women's Business Enterprise.

In accordance with the Office of Governor Executive Order Number JML 25-038, LED reviewed and evaluated these program rules and determined them to be obsolete and unnecessary and therefore seeks their repeal. This Rule is hereby adopted on the day of promulgation.