

# Minority/Women Business Enterprises Application Affidavit

The undersigned does hereby swear that the statements contained in this application and all attachments which have been provided in support of this application (hereafter referred to as THIS APPLICATION) are true, accurate and complete and include all material information necessary to identify and explain the ownership and operation of:

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Insert Full Name of Company Here)

Further, the undersigned agrees to provide the SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PALM BEACH COUNTY (hereafter referred to as the AGENCY) with current, complete, and accurate information regarding THIS APPLICATION, its attachments, or any project or contract issued by the agencies or corporation utilizing the AGENCY for their own minority/women enterprise procurement and/or construction programs. The undersigned further agrees that, as part of this certification procedure the AGENCY may freely contact any person or organization named in this application to verify statements made in THIS APPLICATION and/or secure additional information or data required to grant to, or withhold from, the application company certification as an MBE or WBE. The undersigned understands and agrees that failure to submit required materials and/or to consent to interview(s), audit(s), and/or examination(s) will be grounds for immediate rejection of the application for certification or recertification.

It is recognized and acknowledged that the statements contained in THIS APPLICATION are being given under oath and that any material misrepresentation will be grounds for denial of certification or for re-certification and may result in not awarding or terminating contracts which may be awarded as the result of information contained in THIS APPLICATION.

Furthermore, the undersigned acknowledges that (he/she) may not fraudulently obtain, retain, attempt to obtain nor aid another in fraudulently obtaining or retaining or attempting to obtain certification; willfully make a false statement whether by affidavit report or other representation, to any official of a certifying jurisdiction or employee for the purpose of influencing the certification of any entity as a MBE or WBE; or willfully obstruct, impede or attempt to obstruct or impede any official or employee who is investigating the qualifications of a business entity which has requested certification.

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The applicant further understands that false statements or material misrepresentations made in this application will be grounds for initiating action under local, state and federal laws which deal with fraud and perjury. The AGENCY may initiate actions, as it deems appropriate, including but not limited to, forwarding pertinent information to the appropriate governmental authorities.

The undersigned further acknowledges that certification is normally reviewed every three (3) years, however, the AGENCY retains the right to reevaluate the contents of THIS APPLICATION at any time.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print of Type Name Print or Type Title

On this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_\_\_, before me appeared to me personally known, did execute the forgoing affidavit, and represented that he/she was properly authorized by (print or type the name of firm) \_\_\_\_\_ to execute the affidavit and did so as his/her free act and deed:

Notary Public:

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

State of: \_\_\_\_\_

Commission Number: \_\_\_\_\_

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_