

## Chapter DOD 5

### DIRECTORY OF MINORITY BUSINESS

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**DOD 5.01 Statutory authority.** The statutory authority for the enactment of ch. DOD 5 is ss. 560.01 (2) and 560.02 (4), Stats.

**History:** Cr. Register, November, 1981, No. 311, eff. 12-1-81.

**DOD 5.02 Definitions.** (1) "Department" means the department of development.

(2) "Minority business" means a business that is at least 51% owned, controlled and actively managed by minority persons, or 50% in the case of a partnership.

(3) "Minority" means Black, Hispanic American, Native American Indian, Eskimo, Aleut, Native Hawaiian or Asian Pacific American (including Oriental).

(4) "Minority business directory" means the listing of minority firms operating in Wisconsin, published by the department of development.

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**DOD 5.03 Minority business directory, requirements, powers of the department.** (1) Firms that desire to be included in the Minority Business Directory shall comply with the following requirements.

(a) Any firm listed in the Minority Business Directory shall complete a business profile questionnaire and a minority ownership certification form.

**Note:** The business profile questionnaire and the minority ownership certification form may be obtained from the Department of Development, P.O. Box 7970, Madison, Wisconsin 53707.

(b) Completion of the certification form shall include the signatures of the officers or owners of the firm and notarization and a corporate seal where appropriate.

(2) The department shall determine which firms comply with the definition of minority business.

(3) The department shall remove any firm from the minority business directory if, after an investigation, the department concludes that the firm fails to meet the minority business definition.

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