

State of Misconsin 2011 - 2012 LEGISLATURE



## 2011 SENATE BILL 166

August 11, 2011 – Introduced by Senators S. COGGS and TAYLOR, cosponsored by Representatives GRIGSBY, E. COGGS, TURNER, BERCEAU and FIELDS. Referred to Committee on Workforce Development, Small Business, and Tourism.

1	AN ACT to amend 16.75 (3m) (b) 1., 16.855 (10m) (am) 1., 16.87 (2) (b) and 23.41
2	(6) of the statutes; <b>relating to:</b> preferences for minority-owned businesses in
3	state procurement.

## Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Currently, minority-owned businesses that are certified by the Department of Commerce receive certain preferences in governmental procurement. State agencies must attempt to ensure that 5 percent of the total amount expended for state procurements in each fiscal year is paid to minority-owned businesses. This bill increases the percentage to 7 percent of the total amount expended for state procurements in each fiscal year.

For further information see the *state* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

## The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

4	<b>SECTION 1.</b> 16.75 $(3m)$ (b) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:
5	16.75 (3m) (b) 1. The department and any agency making purchases under s.
6	16.74 shall attempt to ensure that 5 $\overline{7}$ percent of the total amount expended under
7	this subchapter in each fiscal year is paid to minority businesses.

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1	SECTION 2. 16.855 (10m) (am) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:
2	16.855 (10m) (am) 1. In awarding construction contracts the department shall
3	attempt to ensure that $5 \overline{7}$ percent of the total amount expended in each fiscal year
4	is awarded to contractors and subcontractors which are minority businesses, as
5	defined under s. 16.75 (3m) (a) 4.
6	<b>SECTION 3.</b> 16.87 (2) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:
7	16.87 (2) (b) The department shall attempt to ensure that $5 \frac{7}{2}$ percent of the
8	total amount expended under this section in each fiscal year is paid to minority
9	businesses, as defined in s. 16.75 (3m) (a) 4.
10	<b>SECTION 4.</b> 23.41 (6) of the statutes is amended to read:
11	23.41 (6) The department shall attempt to ensure that at least $\frac{5\%}{7}$ <u>7 percent</u>
12	of the total amount expended under this section in each fiscal year is paid to minority
13	businesses, as defined in s. 16.75 (3m) (a) 4.
14	SECTION 5. Effective date.
15	(1) This act takes effect on July 1, 2012.
16	(END)

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