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Republic of South Africa is deleted as included in the reference to items "produced" in the Republic.

Item (1) of this section is revised in the active voice to clarify that the bidder or offeror provides the required certification.

In item (2) of this section, the words "in writing", which formerly modified the word "determines", are deleted as unnecessary in light of the substantive requirement, in § 11-207(1) of this article, that determinations be in writing.

Defined terms: "Procurement" § 11-101 "Supplies" § 11-101 "Unit" § 11-101

14-503. CERTIFICATION BY CONTRACTORS.

FOR A PROCUREMENT SOLICITED AFTER JANUARY 1, 1987 AND COSTING MORE THAN \$100,000, THE BIDDER OR OFFEROR SHALL CERTIFY AT THE TIME THE PROCUREMENT CONTRACT IS AWARDED THAT:

- (1) THE BIDDER OR OFFEROR IS NOT DOING BUSINESS WITH OR IN THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA; OR
- (2) IN THE CONDUCT OF OPERATIONS IN THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA, THE BIDDER OR OFFEROR:
- (I) MAINTAINS NONSEGREGATION OF THE RACES IN ALL EATING, COMFORT, AND WORK FACILITIES AND LOCKER ROOMS;
- (II) PROMOTES EQUAL AND FAIR EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES FOR ALL EMPLOYEES:
- (III) PROVIDES EQUAL PAY FOR ALL EMPLOYEES DOING EQUAL OR COMPARABLE WORK FOR THE SAME PERIOD OF TIME;
- (IV) INITIATES AND DEVELOPS TRAINING PROGRAMS THAT WILL PREPARE A SUBSTANTIAL NUMBER OF BLACKS, ASIANS, AND OTHER NONWHITES FOR SUPERVISORY, ADMINISTRATIVE, CLERICAL, AND TECHNICAL JOBS;
- (V) INCREASES THE NUMBER OF BLACKS, ASIANS, AND OTHER NONWHITES IN MANAGEMENT AND SUPERVISORY POSITIONS; AND
- (VI) IMPROVES THE QUALITY OF EMPLOYEES' LIVES OUTSIDE THE WORK ENVIRONMENT IN SUCH AREAS AS HOUSING, TRANSPORTATION, SCHOOLING, RECREATION, AND HEALTH FACILITIES.
 - REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former SF § 11-148.3(a).