

(ii) The Secretary of Budget and Fiscal Planning shall incorporate these adjustments into the budget recommendations for the Governor's review and approval for inclusion in the annual budget request.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect ~~October~~ July 1, 1994.

Approved May 26, 1994.

CHAPTER 497

(Senate Bill 541)

AN ACT concerning

Procurement Law – Minority Business Enterprise – Certification

FOR the purpose of clarifying that a business may not participate in the minority business participation program while the business's certification is pending; and requiring the Board of Public Works to adopt certain regulations.

BY adding to

Article – State Finance and Procurement

Section 14-303(c)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1988 Replacement Volume and 1993 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article – State Finance and Procurement

14-303.

(C) THE REGULATIONS ADOPTED UNDER THIS SECTION SHALL SPECIFY THAT A UNIT MAY NOT ALLOW A BUSINESS TO PARTICIPATE AS IF IT WERE A CERTIFIED MINORITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISE IF THE BUSINESS'S CERTIFICATION IS PENDING.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 1994.

Approved May 26, 1994.
