

(2006 Replacement Volume and 2007 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**

14-101.

(a) In this subtitle the following words have the meanings indicated.

(B) "INDIVIDUAL WITH DISABILITY OWNED BUSINESS" MEANS ~~AN ENTITY~~ A BUSINESS:

(1) THAT IS ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES OR OF THIS STATE;

(2) THAT IS MAJORITY OWNED BY AN INDIVIDUAL OR INDIVIDUALS ~~CERTIFIED AS HAVING A DISABILITY~~ DETERMINED BY THE DIVISION OF REHABILITATION SERVICES IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO HAVE A DISABILITY, AS DEFINED BY TITLE 21, SUBTITLE 3 OF THE EDUCATION ARTICLE;

(3) WHOSE MAJORITY OWNER OR OWNERS ARE DIRECTLY AND SIGNIFICANTLY ENGAGED IN THE DAILY OPERATION OF THE BUSINESS;

(4) WHOSE WORKFORCE INCLUDES INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES COMPRISING A PERCENTAGE OF THE WORKFORCE THAT IS AT OR ABOVE THE MINIMUM REQUIRED UNDER THE POLICIES OR GUIDELINES ESTABLISHED BY THE STATE PRICING AND SELECTION COMMITTEE FOR REHABILITATION AND EMPLOYMENT PROGRAMS;

(5) WHOSE TOTAL GROSS REVENUES FOR CONTRACTS ASSIGNED UNDER THE PROGRAM AT THE TIME OF ASSIGNMENT DO NOT EXCEED THE MAXIMUM ALLOWED UNDER POLICIES OR GUIDELINES ESTABLISHED BY THE STATE PRICING AND SELECTION COMMITTEE FOR REHABILITATION AND EMPLOYMENT PROGRAMS; AND

(6) THAT CONTINUES TO MEET ALL OTHER ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA ESTABLISHED BY THE STATE PRICING AND SELECTION COMMITTEE FOR REHABILITATION AND EMPLOYMENT PROGRAMS.

[(b)] (C) "Sheltered workshop" means an agency: