## **MINORITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (MBE) AFFIDAVIT**

Business Name:	
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Owner Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_

I certify that I am a minority\* individual who is an owner of the above-referenced business claiming status as a minority business.\*\*

\*"Minority" means a person who is:

- 1. Black, which is a person having origins in any of the black racial groups in Africa;
- **2.** Hispanic, which is a person of Spanish or Portuguese culture, with origins in Mexico, South or Central America, or the Caribbean Islands, regardless of race;
- **3.** Asian American, which is a person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, Indian Subcontinent, Hawaii, or the Pacific Islands; or
- **4.** American Indian or Alaskan native, which is a person having origins in any of the original peoples of North America.

\*\*"Minority business" means a business, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:27H-21.18, which is:

- 1. A sole proprietorship, owned and controlled by a minority;
- 2. A partnership or joint venture, owned and controlled by minorities in which at least 51 percent of the ownership interest is held by minorities and the management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more of the minorities who own it; or
- **3.** A corporation or other entity, whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more minorities who own it, and which is at least 51 percent owned by one or more minorities, or, if stock is issued, at least 51 percent of the stock is owned by one or more minorities.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## WOMEN BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (WBE) AFFIDAVIT

Business Name:
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Owner Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_

I certify that I am a woman\* who is an owner of the above-referenced business claiming status as a women's business.\*\*

\*"Woman" means an individual, regardless of race, who self-identifies her gender as a woman, without regard to the individual's designated sex at birth.

\*\*"Women's business" means a business, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:27H-21.18, which is:

- 1. A sole proprietorship owned and controlled by a woman;
- 2. A partnership or joint venture owned and controlled by women in which at least 51 percent of the ownership is held by women and the management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more women who own it; or
- **3.** A corporation or other entity whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more women who own it, and which is at least 51 percent owned by women, or, if stock is issued, at least 51 percent of the stock is owned by one or more women.

Owner Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date:

## **MINORITY WOMEN BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (MWBE) AFFIDAVIT**

Business Name:		

Owner Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_

I certify that I am a woman\* and/or minority\*\* individual who is an owner of the above-referenced business claiming status as a minority and women's business.\*\*\*

\*"Woman" means an individual, regardless of race, who self-identifies her gender as a woman, without regard to the individual's designated sex at birth.

\*\*"Minority" means a person who is:

- **1.** Black, which is a person having origins in any of the black racial groups in Africa;
- 2. Hispanic, which is a person of Spanish or Portuguese culture, with origins in Mexico, South or Central America, or the Caribbean Islands, regardless of race;
- **3.** Asian American, which is a person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, Indian Subcontinent, Hawaii, or the Pacific Islands; or
- **4.** American Indian or Alaskan native, which is a person having origins in any of the original peoples of North America.

\*\*\*"Women's business" means a business, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:27H-21.18, which is:

- 1. A sole proprietorship owned and controlled by a woman;
- 2. A partnership or joint venture owned and controlled by women in which at least 51 percent of the ownership is held by women and the management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more women who own it; or
- **3.** A corporation or other entity whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more women who own it, and which is at least 51 percent owned by women, or, if stock is issued, at least 51 percent of the stock is owned by one or more women.

\*\*\*"Minority business" means a business, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:27H-21.18, which is:

- 1. A sole proprietorship, owned and controlled by a minority;
- 2. A partnership or joint venture, owned and controlled by minorities in which at least 51 percent of the ownership interest is held by minorities and the management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more of the minorities who own it; or
- 3. A corporation or other entity, whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more minorities who own it, and which is at least 51 percent owned by one or more minorities, or, if stock is issued, at least 51 percent of the stock is owned by one or more minorities.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## LESBIAN, GAY, BISEXUAL, TRANSGENDER, QUEER, QUESTIONING+ BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (LGBTQ+) AFFIDAVIT

Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner Name: \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that I identify as an LGBTQ+\* individual who is an owner of the above-referenced business claiming status as an LGBTQ+ business.\*\*

\*"LGBTQ+" means a person who identifies as lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, questioning +, or who otherwise does not identify as heterosexual or cisgender.

\*\*"LGBTQ+ business" means a business, which is:

- 1. A sole proprietorship, owned and controlled by a person who identifies as LGBTQ+;
- 2. A partnership or joint venture, owned and controlled by individuals who identify as LGBTQ+ in which at least 51 percent of the ownership interest is held by individuals who identify as LGBTQ+, and the management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more of the individuals who identify as LGBTQ+ who own it; or
- **3.** A corporation or other entity, whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more individuals who identify as LGBTQ+ who own it, and which is at least 51 percent owned by one or more individuals who identify as LGBTQ+ or, if stock is issued, at least 51 percent of the stock is owned by one or more individuals who identify as LGBTQ+.

Owner Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_