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BY: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 990

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 3, strike “an African American” and substitute “a”; in line 5, strike “an African American-owned” and substitute “a”; and in the same line, after “business” insert “owned by a member of an ethnic or racial minority group”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, in line 7, after the bracket, insert “, BUT IF SHE IS ALSO A MEMBER OF AN ETHNIC OR RACIAL MINORITY GROUP, A WOMAN MAY BE CERTIFIED IN THAT CATEGORY IN ADDITION TO THE GENDER CATEGORY”.

On page 4, after line 17, insert:

“(4) (I) FOR PURPOSES OF ACHIEVING THE GOALS IN THIS SUBSECTION, A CERTIFIED MINORITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISE MAY PARTICIPATE IN A PROCUREMENT CONTRACT AND BE COUNTED AS A WOMAN-OWNED BUSINESS, OR AS A BUSINESS OWNED BY A MEMBER OF AN ETHNIC OR RACIAL GROUP, BUT NOT BOTH, IF THE BUSINESS HAS BEEN CERTIFIED IN BOTH CATEGORIES.

“(II) THE SPECIFIC CATEGORY USED FOR PARTICIPATION AS A CERTIFIED MINORITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISE UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH (I) OF THIS PARAGRAPH MUST BE IDENTIFIED AT THE TIME THE BID OR PROPOSAL IS SUBMITTED TO THE PROCURING AGENCY.”;

and in lines 18 and 21, strike “(4)” and “(5)”, respectively, and substitute “(5)” and “(6)”.

(Over)

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 5, in lines 9, 10, and 14, strike “(6)”, “(5)”, and “(7)”, respectively, and substitute “**(7)**”, “**(6)**”, and “**(8)**”, respectively; and strike in their entirety lines 24 through 28, inclusive.