

# Minority Certification

Company Name

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Address

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City

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State & Zip Code

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**Check all that apply:**

- Woman Owned
- Minority Owned (if minority owned, check the ethnic origin that applies:
  - African American
  - Hispanic American
  - Native American
  - Asian
  - American Pacific
  - Asian-Indian American
- NMSDC Regional Council (if checked, you must complete the following):
  - Organization: \_\_\_\_\_
  - Certification Number \_\_\_\_\_
  - Expiration: Month \_\_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

The National Minority Supplier Development Council (NMSDC) denotes a minority owned business as follows:

*A sole proprietorship, partnership, or corporation which a minimum of 51% is owned by minority persons. In the case of a proprietorship, the minority owners must be engaged in the daily management, control, and operation of the business concern. In the case of a corporation, the minority stockholders must be in control of the management and daily business operations, and the majority of the Board of Directors must be minority group members.*

The definition of a minority group member is an individual who is a U.S. citizen with at least one quarter of the following:

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## Asian-Indian

A U.S. citizen whose origins are from India, Pakistan and Bangladesh.

## Asian-Pacific

A U.S. citizen whose origins are from Japan, China, Indonesia, Malaysia, Taiwan, Korea, Vietnam, Laos, Cambodia, the Philippines, Thailand, Samoa, Guam, the U.S. Trust Territories of the Pacific or the Northern Marianas.

## Black

A U.S. citizen who is of African descent.

## Hispanic

A U.S. citizen of true-born Hispanic heritage, from any of the Spanish-speaking areas of the following regions: Mexico, Central America, South America and the Caribbean Basin only. Brazilians (Afro-Brazilian, indigenous/Indian only) shall be listed under Hispanic designation for review and certification purposes.

## Native American

A person who is an American Indian, Eskimo, Aleut or Native Hawaiian, and regarded as such by the community of which the person claims to be a part. Native Americans must be documented members of a North American tribe, band or otherwise organized group of native people who are indigenous to the continental United States and proof can be provided through a Native American Blood Degree Certificate (i.e., tribal registry letter, tribal roll register number).

If the above applies to you and your business, The Owner must sign below.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, certify that the above information is correct and that I am a U.S. person who owns the above company.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

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