

BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PROGRAM FOR MINORITIES, FEMALES AND PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

In order to promote the development and use of minority or minority-owned businesses or services, Southern Illinois University, as an Illinois public university, is required to participate in the State of Illinois' Business Enterprise Program (BEP) for minorities, females, and persons with disabilities. The completion of this form will play an important role in our University's goal to obtain goods and services from qualifying individuals or businesses.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY:

- 1) FEIN/SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER _____
- 2) COMPANY/INDIVIDUAL NAME _____
- 3) DBA NAME (if applicable) _____
- 4) ADDRESS _____
- 5) CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____
- 6) TELEPHONE NUMBER () - _____
- 7) IF AN INDIVIDUAL: FEMALE MALE
- 8) IF A COMPANY: FEMALE OWNED (must own 51% or more) NOT APPLICABLE
- 9) WITHIN EACH SECTION, SELECT APPROPRIATE CATEGORY:
 - A. AFRICAN AMERICAN CAUCASIAN
 ALASKAN AMERICAN HISPANIC
 ASIAN AMERICAN NATIVE AMERICAN
 DECLINE TO ANSWER
 - B. PERSON WITH DISABILITY NOT APPLICABLE

Complete this Ethnic Status Form and fax to 618-453-6720 or mail it back to us at:

**Procurement Services
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1215 Douglas Dr.
Carbondale IL 62901**

Questions: Please contact Starla Nixon at (618) 650-3255.

Thank you for your cooperation.