

## CERTIFICATION OF BUSINESS DESIGNATION

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Name of Business

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Address of Business

Subcontractor certifies to the best of their knowledge and belief that it and its principals operate as a:

- Small Business (Self-certification – See below for qualifications)
- Large Business (any business that exceed small business limits)
- Certified Small Disadvantaged Business
- Certified Native American Owner Business
- Certified Minority Owned Business
- Certified Women Owned Business
- Certified Veteran Owned Business
- Certified HUBZONE Business
- Other (explain) \_\_\_\_\_

Subcontractor shall provide BluSky copies of valid, current and applicable certificates issued to Subcontractor certifying operation under the category checked above along with the executed Agreement. Subcontractor must notify BluSky within 30 days of any change in Subcontractor’s business/ classification status.

Subcontractor understands that a false statement on this certification may be grounds for rejection of any submitted proposal or quotation or termination of any award. In addition, under 18 USC Sec. 1001, a false statement may result in a fine of up to \$10,000 or imprisonment for up to 5 years, or both if federal funds are being used to support the procurement.

### BUSINESS DESIGNATION REQUIREMENTS

A small business is a “concern” that is organized for profit, with a place of business in the United States, and which operates primarily within the United States or makes a significant contribution to the U.S. economy through payment of taxes or use of American products, materials or labor. Further, the concern cannot be dominant in its field, on a national basis. Finally, the concern must meet the numerical small business size standard for its industry. The Small Business Association (SBA) has established a size standard for most industries in the U.S. economy. The most common size standards are as follows:

- 500 employees for most manufacturing and mining industries
- 100 employees for all wholesale trade industries
- \$6.5 million for most retail and service industries
- \$31 million for most general & heavy construction industries
- \$13 million for all special trade contractors
- \$0.75 million for most agricultural industries

A small business designation is a self-certifying program.

Large business is also a self-certification for businesses that exceed the limits of small business requirements.

All other designation must present a valid and current certificate issued by the SBA or other regulating governmental body.