

July 22, 2021

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Dear Business Owner:

Re: NCA Certification Approval Minority Business Enterprise (MBE) Certification Term Expires: July 23, 2022

Congratulations! After reviewing the No-Change Affidavit (NCA) information you supplied, we are pleased to inform you that your firm has been granted continued certification under the Business Enterprise Program (BEP) for Minorities, Females and Persons with Disabilities.

This certification is in effect with the State of Illinois until the date specified above as long as you continue to submit annual No -Change Affidavits and are found to still meet the requirements of the Program.

Your firm's name will appear in the State's Directory as a certified vendor with the BEP in the specialty area(s) of:

NIGP 20655: INTEGRATED HARDWARE-SOFTWARE IT, TURNKEY SOLUTION, SERVER AND MAINFRAME COMPUTER NIGP 20811: APPLICATION SOFTWARE, (NOT OTHERWISE CLASSIFIED), MICROCOMPUTER NIGP 20821: BUSINESS INTELLIGENCE SOFTWARE, MICROCOMPUTER NIGP 20832: CUSTOMER RELATIONSHIP MANAGEMENT SOFTWARE (CRM), MICROCOMPUTER NIGP 20836: DATA PROCESSING SOFTWARE, MICROCOMPUTER NIGP 20837: DATABASE SOFTWARE, MICROCOMPUTER NIGP 20851: HUMAN RESOURCES SOFTWARE, MICROCOMPUTER NIGP 20855: INVENTORY MANAGEMENT SOFTWARE, MICROCOMPUTER NIGP 20856: LOGISTICS AND SUPPLY CHAIN SOFTWARE, MICROCOMPUTER NIGP 20859: LIBRARY INFORMATION MANAGEMENT AND LIBRARY CATALOG DATABASE SOFTWARE, MICROCOMPUTER NIGP 20866: PROFESSIONAL: COMPUTER TRAINING, E-LEARNING, HOSPITAL/PHARMACY, LEGAL, ETC. SOFTWARE, MICROCOMPUTER NIGP 20867: PROGRAMMING: BASIC, ASSEMBLER, COMPUTER ASSISTED SOFTWARE ENGINEERING TOOLS (CASE), LIBRARIES, ETC., MICROCOMPUTER. NIGP 20868: PROJECT MANAGEMENT SOFTWARE, MICROCOMPUTER NIGP 20871: PROCUREMENT SOFTWARE, MICROCOMPUTER NIGP 20872: PROCUREMENT AND ACCOUNTING TAXONOMY SOFTWARE, MICROCOMPUTER NIGP 20912: APPLICATION SOFTWARE, MAINFRAME COMPUTER, INCLUDING COBOL NIGP 20967: PROFESSIONAL: ELEARNING, HOSPITAL AND PHARMACY, LEGAL, COMPUTER TRAINING, ETC., MAINFRAMES AND SERVERS NIGP 91828: COMPUTER HARDWARE CONSULTING **NIGP 91829: COMPUTER SOFTWARE CONSULTING NIGP 91875: MANAGEMENT CONSULTING** NIGP 92007: APPLICATIONS SOFTWARE FOR MICROCOMPUTER SYSTEMS: BUSINESS, MATHEMATICAL AND STATISTICAL, MEDICAL, SCIENTIFIC, ETC. NIGP 92019: COMPUTER DIGITIZING SERVICES NIGP 92040: PROGRAMMING SERVICES, COMPUTER, INCLUDING MOBILE DEVICE APPLICATIONS NIGP 92047: SUPPORT SERVICES, COMPUTER, INCLUDES COMPUTER WARRANTIES NIGP 96910: COMPUTER PROGRAMING SERVICES, CIS

Also, please be advised that this certification does not guarantee that you will receive a State contract. Please visit the Vendor Registration page on www.opportunities.illinois.gov and be sure to register with each of the Procurement Bulletins listed so that you are notified of upcoming solicitations in your NIGP codes. Certification with the Business Enterprise Program does not ensure you receive notifications; you must also register with the Procurement Bulletins.

Thank you for your participation in the BEP. We welcome your participation and wish you continued success.

Sincerely,

Carlos Gutiérrez Certification Manager Business Enterprise Program