

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 65
JULY 27, 1976

INTERAGENCY COMMITTEE ON MINORITY BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT

Whereas, There has been established within the Economic Development Administration of The City of New York an office of Minority Business Enterprise; and

Whereas, A major objective of that office is to involve City government in the stimulation and promotion of minority business development; and

Whereas, It is important that City agencies engaging in the procurement of goods and services for The City of New York coordinate their efforts to achieve greater participation by minority businesses.

Now, therefore, by the power vested in me as Mayor of The City of New York, it is hereby ordered as follows:

Section 1. There is hereby established an Interagency Committee on Minority Business Development.

§ 2. The Committee shall consist of the Economic Development Administrator, Commissioner of Purchase or their duly designated representatives and policy level officials from each City agency regularly involved in the procurement of goods and services for The City of New York.

§ 3. The interagency Committee on Minority Business Development shall develop:

a. Systems and procedures to assure adequate responsiveness by The City of New York to the needs of minority businesses.

b. Better communication between The City of New York and minority business enterprises to make known the City's desire to receive bids on goods and services to be purchased on a competitive basis.

c. Methods to encourage increased participation by minority contractors and sub-contractors in the economic development of the City.

§ 4. This Order shall take effect immediately.

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ABRAHAM D. BEAME, Mayor.