FY 2024 Agency Quarterly Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and EEO Report

Part I: Narrative Summary

Agency Name: Department Of Small Business Services									
 ✓ 1st Quarter (July -September ✓ 3rd Quarter (January -March 		 ✓ 2nd Quarter (October – December), due ✓ 4th Quarter (April -June), due July 30, 20 	•						
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Instructions for Filling out Quarterly Reports FY 2024

[NOTE: These forms are cumulative and designed to retain and preserve information for the entire FY 2024. For Q1 please copy the goals, programs, and initiatives from your draft of the FY 2024 DEI-EEO plan. Insert these statements in the corresponding sections of the Quarterly Report below, particularly sections IV, V, and VI. For Q2, Q3 and Q4, use previous quarter's submission to update their status, retaining all information for the prior quarters. You should also add programs and initiatives begun in these quarters even if they were not mentioned in the Annual Plan]

- 1. Please save this file as "XXXX Quarter X FY 2024 DEI-EEO Quarterly Report. Part I", where 'XXXX' is the commonly used acronym of your agency. You must submit this file in MS Word format. Please do not convert it to PDF.
- 2. Complete the "Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and EEO Training Summary" details in Part II Training Summary [see the attached Excel file].
 - <u>Core EEO Training:</u> Copy the information from the Training Completion Report you receive quarterly from DCAS Learning & Development onto grey-shaded cells in rows 26, 30, 34, and 38. Include any of these trainings that were administrated by your agency in the rows immediately below (27, 35, 39).
 - Other Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and EEO Related Training: Beginning with row 45, include training classes co-organized or cosponsored by your agency EEO and/or HR that are related to the development of the agency staff in the areas of equal employment, diversity, inclusion, civil rights, workplace culture and behavior, interpersonal relations, and community relations.
- 3. Mark progress in check boxes in the column for the current quarter. [Note: **Delayed** = behind schedule; **Deferred** = put off until later when better resources become available.]
- 4. Please save the Excel file as "XXXX Quarter X FY 2024 DEI-EEO Report. Part II Training Summary", where 'XXXX' is the commonly used acronym of your agency. You must submit this file in MS Excel format. Please do not convert it to PDF.

I. Commitment and Accountability Statement by the Agency Head - Commissioner Kim

Distributed to all agency employees?	⊠Yes, On (Date):11/28/2023 □ No ☑ By e-mail ☑ Posted on agency intranet and/or website. □ Other
II. Recognition and Accompl	ishments
The agency recognized employees, so inclusion, and equal employment opportunity	upervisors, managers, and units demonstrating superior accomplishment in diversity, equity, ortunity through the following:
☐ Diversity, equity, inclusion and EEO	Awards
$oxtimes$ Diversity, equity, inclusion and EEO $oldsymbol{B}$	Appreciation Events
☐ Public Notices	
☐ Positive Comments in Performance A	Appraisals

* Please describe DEI&EEO Awards and/or Appreciation Events below:

• Agency holiday celebration where each division head nominated employees who exhibited.

III. Workforce Review and Analysis

	Agency Headcount as of the last day of the quarter was:						
	Q1 (9/30/2023):296	Q2 (12/31/2023):322_	Q3 (3/31/2024):335	Q4 (6/30/2024):327			
II.	Agency reminded employees	s to update self-ID information r	regarding race/ethnicity, gende	r, and veteran status.			
		2/2024 🗵 Yes again d	on (Date):5/2/2024] No			
	□ Agency's intranet site	Service (by email; strongly recom	nmended every year)/				
	☐ On-boarding of new em☒ Newsletters and internal						
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IV. EEO, Diversity, Inclusion and Equity Initiatives for FY 2024

Please describe your progress this quarter in implementing the primary goals in Section IV of your Agency Diversity, Equity, Inc	lusion
and EEO Plan for FY 2024.	

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Please list the **Workforce Goal(s)** included in *Section IV: Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and EEO Initiatives for FY 2023,* which you set/declared in your FY 2024 Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and EEO Plan (e.g., underutilization, workforce planning, succession planning and diverse applicant pool, among others).

Description: HR and EEO collaborated to formulate potential hiring questions, hiring managers should use in the hiring process.

1. Structured Interview questions database

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6.	providing feed coordinates tra	lback to emplo	oyees. "Giving Feed on unit/developmen	lback and Gettin	g Results" is a	training that	t round of DCAS train will be available in M agement for the Non-	/lay 2024. HR also
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7.	7. Efforts to reduce Workforce underutilization: Conducting a three-year equity research project to glean comprehensive insights into the agency's acquisition and attrition trends. Data analysis is underway and project first draft of the report for June 2024.								
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B. Workplace:

Please list the Workplace Goal(s) included in *Section IV: Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and EEO Initiatives for FY 2024,* which you set/declared in your FY 2024 Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and EEO Plan (e.g., job satisfaction/engagement surveys, exit interviews/surveys, and onboarding surveys).

1. Performance Evaluation

Description: SBS is restructuring its employee performance evaluation process to ensure the evaluations are conducted objectively and free of identity bias. Steps taken to accomplish this goal include creating a Tasks and Standards library that provides Managers with language they can use to assess the performance of their reports in a structured way and provide guidance that ensures workplace success. As such, restructuring the performance evaluation process contributes to the agency's employee retention.

EEO Director requested incorporation of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DE&I) standards into formal performance evaluation process.

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2. SBS Inclusion Diversity Equity Access (IDEA) Council

Description: SBS' Inclusion Diversity Equity Access (IDEA) Council launched its applications for new members application on December 4, 2023, with the intention of planning for its ongoing presence at the agency and intention to create an inclusive environment that values difference. Agency employees from diverse backgrounds were invited to advance the NYC Department of Small Business Services' Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) Mission: "To support our Agency's overall mission, the Council strive to build a transparent culture of diversity, equity, and inclusion where employees feel a sense of belonging and perform their work with pride, passion, and commitment." This Employee Resource Group also supports agency retention by creating an open forum where colleagues can share

and learn how to work together as a team.

Five new members joined after the December invitation.

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5. SBS organizes semi-regular "SBS Insider" events, which are agency-wide fireside chats organized and hosted by SBS' Executive Team to celebrate diverse holidays and heritage months. For the third quarter FY2024, SBS hosted an SBS Insider with EDC President & CEO

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Andrew Kimball (January 23), Microsoft Associate General Counsel Bruce Jackson (February 22), and DSNY Commissioner Jessica Tisch (March 28). Additionally, SBS hosted The Dining Out NYC Community and Ethnic Media Roundtable with DOT Commissioner Ydanis Rodriguez (March 6).

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2. 1	5 th Annual Proc	urement Fair a	t Barclays Center				

Description: SBS' 15th annual procurement fair aims to provide Minority or Women-owned (MWBE) small business owners with the information they need to pursue procurement contracts with the City. Hosted on Monday, October 2, 2023, the fair set records with

over 1,200 attendees.

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4. Event at Brooklyn Commons SBS

Description: SBS hosted a two-day experience at the Brooklyn Commons during Q1:

- Day 1 focused on vendor services, including MWBE certification, capital access, local CBOs and service providers, and corporate partners.
- Day 2 was a hybrid marketplace for featuring/highlighting 10-20 Shop Black NYC retail vendors (2-4 per borough). The event was livestreamed and incorporated digital purchase capabilities.

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6. Quarter 3 Community Outreach:

In the 3rd quarter, the Community Outreach team hosted two (2) door-to-door outreach events in February to promote all business services in collaboration with elected officials' offices in various languages, five (5) in-person presentations/webinars to local entrepreneurs and

stakeholders, one (1) in-person presentation to the Association of Latin American Consuls General in Spanish to amplify business services available to their local stakeholders, eleven (11) mobile outreach events to promote business services to diverse entrepreneurs and business owners, five (5) Working Peoples job tours events to promote all SBS services available to job seekers, aspiring entrepreneurs and business owners in the 13 highest gun-violence impacted zip-codes, and twenty-nine (29) tabling events to promote all business services to current and prospective entrepreneurs. Many of these events were conducted in various languages, including English, Spanish, and Bangla.

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WE Connect Event: Breaking Barriers in Emerging Industries (March 8, 2024) - An inspiring event during Women's History Month and International Women's Day as WE NYC, in partnership with Women.nyc, and AIA NY, proudly presents the "Breaking Barriers in Emerging Industries" event. This transformative gathering is dedicated to fostering a thriving ecosystem for women entrepreneurs.

WE Master Leadership Conference: Revolutionize Your Business Growth (February 21 & 22, 2024) — WE NYC's two-day spring conference. This event will spotlight the significance of diversity in entrepreneurship, particularly in honor of Black History Month. Get insights from a panel featuring WE NYC mentors and clients. They'll share firsthand experiences of how embracing diversity in entrepreneurship has fueled their business growth in NYC.

WE Connect Event: Celebrating Asian Women Entrepreneurs (February 9, 2024) - In anticipation of the Lunar New Year celebrations, join us for an insightful and inspiring event that celebrates the journey of Asian women entrepreneurs. Our panelists will share their unique challenges, pivotal moments in their business journeys, insights into their mindsets, and cherished rituals surrounding the Lunar New Year.

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Capacity Building	; Workshop:					
how a transforme	ed DEIB culture	at a community-bas	ed development	organization (can help drive o	ity Building workshop series, focused on change and foster sustainability. Hosted minated in Q4 but was planned between
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10. Cause Effective Board Retreats:

This service, part of Neighborhood Development Division (NDD's) Capacity Building programs, provided individuals board and staff engagement programming for community-based development organizations working in low and moderate-income neighborhoods. The programming focused on bridging the gap between board members and staff with diverse identities and perspectives. In Q4, Fordham Road BID, Columbus Amsterdam BID, and Red Hook Business Alliance all planned and executed board retreats and coaching sessions with our service provider.

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11. Black M/WBEs Lunch & Learn:

BE NYC conducted four Lunch & Learn webinars to connect Black M/WBEs with information on City agency procurement trends and opportunities, reaching 145 attendees. On June 6, BE NYC hosted its first BE NYC Open House (virtual), which connected 69 attendees with information and resources available to business owners through BE NYC and other SBS programs. During the month of June, BE NYC was particularly active around the Juneteenth holiday, with outreach events on 6/13 in Staten Island (53 potential business owners & job seekers engaged), 6/15 in Harlem (205 potential business owners & job seekers engaged), the Juneteenth holiday (6/19) in Crown Heights, Brooklyn, and 6/20 in Canarsie with Sen. Roxanne Persaud.

Community Goal #11 Updates:

Department of Small Business Services FY 2024 Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and Equal Employment Quarterly Report □ Delayed Q1 Update: ☐ Planned □ Not started ☐ Ongoing ☐ Deferred ☐ Completed Q2 Update: □ Delayed ☐ Planned ☐ Not started ☐ Ongoing □ Deferred □ Completed Q3 Update: □ Planned □ Not started ☐ Ongoing □ Delayed ☐ Deferred □ Completed Q4 Update: **⊠** Planned □ Not started ☐ Ongoing ☐ Deferred ☐ Delayed 12. BE NYC Events: BE NYC Executive Director supported production and gave remarks at a Town Hall for the African Community in the Bronx, which supported approximately 30 attendees. Additionally, BE NYC Executive Director provide remarks at the Juneteenth Tech NYC Forum at Medgar Evers College on June 17th and spoke on a panel ("Environmental Sustainability and Economic Development: Profit and Purpose") at the Wealth Weekend Impact Investing Summit on June 18th. **Community Goal #12 Updates:** □ Planned □ Not started □ Completed Q1 Update: ☐ Ongoing ☐ Delayed ☐ Deferred Q2 Update: ☐ Ongoing ☐ Delayed ☐ Completed ☐ Planned □ Not started ☐ Deferred Q3 Update: □ Planned □ Ongoing □ Completed □ Not started □ Delayed □ Deferred Q4 Update: ☐ Ongoing □ Delayed **⊠** Planned □ Not started □ Deferred

13. SBS Outreach and MWBE Recruitment Events:

SBS is an administrative partner for the Citywide M/WBE Program for which the Adams Administration has outlined two more recent primary strategic goals: to award \$25 billion in City contracts to M/WBEs by FY2026 and to award \$60 billion in City contracts to M/WBEs by FY2030. To deliver on these goals and MMR metrics under SBS' stewardship, SBS' DEFO division partnered with the Outreach Division on 29 events throughout the five boroughs and online to provide services related but not limited to MWBE certification, contract procurement, and business development, in the fourth quarter of Fiscal Year 2024.

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14. Up	coming DEFO	programming a	nd activities in the pla	nning phase wi	thin the fourth	n quarter includ	ed:
	a. The SBS 1		VBE Procurement Fair	: To connect co	ertified M/WBI	Es to City contr	acting opportunities and SBS resources
	b. National	Black Business	Month programming rtunities, and capital.	g: To highlight	Black entrepr	eneurship and	small business and connect them to
	c. MWBE Bo	rough Forum S	·	•		•	ogram and connect them and currently
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D. Equity, Inclusion and Race Relations Initiatives:

Please list the Equity, Inclusion and Race Relations initiatives included in Section IV: Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and EEO Initiatives for FY 2024, which you set/declared in your FY 2024 Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and EEO Plan.

Please describe the steps that your agency has taken to establish your agency as a leader in creating equitable and inclusive workplace environment and enhancing cultural competency. Please specify Equity and Race Relations initiatives embarked on, or continued from previous year(s), e.g., meetings, educational and cultural programs, presentations, discussions, books/articles, other suggested readings, etc., and describe the activities, including the dates when the activities occurred. How do you evaluate the impact of these initiatives?

1. SBS' IDEA Council Book club reading

Description: SBS' ERG, the IDEA Council hosts a series of book clubs where colleagues read and discussed works that analyzed issues related to Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion, and provided best practices.

Equity, Inclusion and Race F	elations Initiative #1 Updates:
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2. Hispanic Heritage Month (Sept 15-Oct 15) Event

Description: On October 11, 2023, SBS hosted a Fireside Chat in honor of Hispanic Heritage Month (Sept 15-Oct 15). During the event colleagues shared insights on initiatives our agency is leading to support Hispanic business owners, and provided personal insights on their unique Hispanic heritages inform how and why they do the work they do.

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5. SBS Outreach and M/WBE Events:

The SBS Outreach and M/WBE Recruitment team held or participated in 119 business development, MWBE certification, or workforce events that reached over 6,000 people for FY2024's fourth quarter. The events were held across all five boroughs and online, with outreach provided in the English, Spanish, Arabic, Bangla, French, Chinese or Thai languages. Highlights include the 2024 Small Business Expo on May 29, 2024, where over 2300 people were provided access to free business services, workshops, or networking opportunities with other business owners in the top 10 languages, including but not limited to English, Spanish, and Chinese languages; the Harlem Pride 2024 Celebration Day on June 29, 2024, where more than 260 people were served in the English and Spanish languages; and the M/WBE Borough Forum in Queens held on April 4, 2024 in collaboration with the Mayor's Office of MWBE, Queens Borough President and Queens Chamber of Commerce to promote the City's M/WBE Certification Program and Selling to Government resources to current and prospective M/WBE Firms while spotlighting procuring agencies and business support providers.

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6. NYC SCION Kick-offs

Through the month of June, SBS (Workforce1 Unit) hosted a series of SCION Kick-off events in the Workforce1 Career Centers (1 in each borough). The purpose of the event was to:

- Highlight our commitment to better servicing people with Disability in our Workforce1 Career Centers.
- Train center staff on Disability Etiquette Awareness.
- To introduce our staff to Community Partners (by borough) that provide services for people with disabilities to better coordinate access to workforce development services and supports.
- Introduce Community Partners to Workforce1 staff and services.
- Introduce Community Partners to other CBOs in the borough that they could network with

Dates of Event							
6/4 Bronx							
6/6 Staten Island							
6/11 Queens							
6/18 Manhattan							
6/27 Brooklyn							
New Yorkers							
	several curate	ed hiring events for	New Yorkers to	connect this	community to	emplovment oppo	rtunities. We've also
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We launched an	ESL class (in pa	rtnership with DOE)	that takes place a	at the Queens	Workforce1 Cai	eer Center	
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V. Recruitment

A. Recruitment Efforts

Please list **Recruitment Initiatives and Strategies** which you set/declared in your FY 2024 Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and EEO Plan (e.g., targeted outreach and outreach, diversity recruitment, social media presence, where jobs are posted, EEO and APO collaboration, evaluation of best recruitment sources, structured interview training and unconscious bias training).

1. Database for Legal roles with DEI Recruitment Leads

A database was created to support recruitment for legal roles at SBS. The database includes culturally oriented organizations like the Asian American Legal Defense and Education Fund and the LGBT Bar of New York to support the acquisition of candidates in the legal field from diverse backgrounds. 50% of the entries in the database support recruiting equity based on gender, race/ethnicity, or sexuality. The agency's recruitment team contacted representatives listed in the database for the advertising of its Agency Attorney role in 2023.

Presently, SBS is evaluating the effectiveness of its DEI Recruitment Database strategy against its goal of having a minimum of 15 external recruitment partners specializing in the following areas: Race/Ethnicity, Gender, and Sexuality by the end of FY 2024. To date, SBS has also succeeded in adding Military Status to the EEO categories to the scope of its Recruitment efforts by way of the creation of an SBS Work Study internship created in collaboration with the NYC Department of Veteran's Services.

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2. Hiring Hall August 28, 2023

Description: SBS attended the DCAS-sponsored Hiring Hall on August 28, 2023, to hire for 8 entry-level roles including: Program Manager, Regulatory Reform, Contract Manager, Program Manager Capital Access, Program Manager M/WBE, Compliance Advisor and Program Manager. New Yorkers from diverse backgrounds attended to Hiring Hall, and SBS' HR Team reviewed more than 300 resumes.

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3. J	obsNYC Hiring H	lalls								
	SBS attended 20 JobsNYC Hiring Halls from March 2024 – June 2024 where workforce services were promoted as well as SBS job opportunities. Each event was held in different neighborhoods throughout the 5 boroughs.									
	and to encou	rage hiring mar		S' Structured Int	=	_	Managers at the point of job posting ias and Structured Interviewing:			
	SBS's Human Resources and EEO Office continue to collaborate in the review and approval of interview questions, which are added the Interview Question Library as a resource for hiring managers.									
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4. Recruitment Efforts for Civil Service Exams

List all recruitment events that were held by the agency to promote open-competitive civil service examinations.

Quarter #	Event Date	Event Name	Borough
1		N/A	
2		N/A	
3		N/A	
4		N/A	

SBS continues to send reminders of civil service exams available for filing. Additionally, HR continues to send information about DCAS Civil Service 1 on 1 sessions.

5. List actual expenditures related to recruiting candidates for open-competitive and promotion civil service exams.

Borough	Approximate Dollar Amount (\$) in Q1	Approximate Dollar Amount (\$) in Q2	Approximate Dollar Amount (\$) in Q3	Approximate Dollar Amount (\$) in Q4
Bronx				
Brooklyn				
Manhattan				
Queens				
Staten Island				

Other Re	ecruitment	Strategies:
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SBS is planning recruitment with following programs for interns in FY 2024: SYEP (Summer 2024), Veterans work study program (Fall 2024), Stanford in NY (Fall 2024), and Stanford Cardinal Quarter (Summer 2025). These internships include professional mediation trainings and engaging group activities. Additionally, interns have the chance to go on field trips to City Hall, Wall Street, and visit other key downtown Manhattan sites.

Recruitment Initiatives/Strategies #5 Updates:									
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C. Recruitment Sources

List recruitment sources used for filling vacancies in the current Quarter 3.

- 1. N/A
- 2.
- 3.

D. Internships/Fellowships

The agency is providing the following internship opportunities in FY 2024. [Note: Please update this information every quarter.]

Race/Ethnicity* [#s] * Use self-ID data obtained from NYCAPS; Gender* [#s] [N-B=Non-Binary; O=Other; U=Unknown] * Use self-ID data

1. Urban Fellows Total: 2

	Race/Ethnicity* [#s]: Black Hispanic_1 Asian/Pacific Islander Native American White_1 Two or more Races
	Gender* [#s]: M F _2 N-B O U N/A
2.	Public Service Corps Total:
	Race/Ethnicity* [#s]: Black Hispanic Asian/Pacific Islander Native American White Two or more Races
	Gender* [#s]: M F N-B O U N/A
3.	Summer College Interns Total:
	Race/Ethnicity* [#s]: Black Hispanic Asian/Pacific Islander Native American White Two or more Races
	Gender* [#s]: M F N-B O U N/A
4.	Summer Graduate Interns Total:
	Race/Ethnicity* [#s]: Black Hispanic Asian/Pacific Islander Native American White Two or more Races
	Gender* [#s]: M F N-B O U N/A
5.	Other (Civil Service Fellow) Total: 2
	Race/Ethnicity* [#s]: Black_1 Hispanic1_ Asian/Pacific Islander Native American White Two or more Races
	Gender* [#s]: M _1 F _1 N-B O U
6.	Other (College Aide) Total: 1

Race/Ethnicity* [#s]	: Black	_ Hispanic_	Asian/Pacific Islander	Native American	_ White1_	Two or more Races	
Gender* [#s]: M	_F_1N	I-В О _	U				

Additional comments:

- o In July 2024, SBS hosted 21 SYEP interns. The agency will be providing professional mediation trainings, engaging group activities, cohort-wide brown bag lunches with senior leaders, and a field trip to City Hall.
- SBS continues to work with the following programs to recruit interns for the Fall and beyond: Stanford in NY, Harvard Club Foundation and Veterans Work study. This quarter, SBS is planning to recruit interns from the Moynihan Public Service Fellows program though the City College of New York, and the Public Service Corp work study program as well as the next cohort of Urban Fellows through DCAS.

E. 55-A Program

The agency uses the 55-a Program to hire and retain qualified individuals with disabilities.	☐ Yes	⊠ No
Currently, the agency employs the following number of 55-a participants:		
Q1 (9/30/2023):3 Q2 (12/31/2023):3 Q3 (3/31/2024):3	_Q4 (6/30/2024): _	3
During the 1st Quarter, a total of _0 new applications for the program were received. During the 1st Quarter _0 participants left the program due to		
During the 2nd Quarter, a total of _0_ new applications for the program were received. During the 2nd Quarter participants left the program due to		
During the 3rd Quarter, a total of0_ new applications for the program were received. During the 3rd Quarter participants left the program due to [state reasons]		
During the 4th Quarter, a total of0_ new applications for the program were received. During the 4th Quarter _0_ participants left the program due to [state reasons]		
The 55-a Coordinator has achieved the following goals:		
Disseminated 55-a information — by e-mail: ☐ Yes ☒ No in training sessions: ☒ Yes ☐ No on the agency website: ☒ Yes ☐ No through an agency newsletter: ☐ Yes ☒ No Other:		
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VI. Selection (Hiring and Promotion)

Please review Section VI of your FY 2024 Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and EEO Plan and describe your activities for this quarter below:

Please list additional **Selection Strategies and Initiatives** which you set/declared in your FY 2024 Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and EEO Plan (e.g., use of structured interview, EEO or APO representatives observing interviews, review of placements, review of e-hire applicant data). Please describe the steps that your agency has taken to meet these objectives.

1. Career Counseling: Advising employees of opportunities for promotion and career development; Notification of promotion/transfer opportunities.

SBS Employees are encouraged to schedule 1-on-1 meetings with the agency's career counselor to learn more about civil service and how to navigate professional development in the City of New York. The career counselor recommends trainings and exams for the employee that may be helpful for them to meet their development goals. In Quarter 3, HR held eleven 1-on-1 career counseling sessions with employees.

2. Reviewing the methods by which candidates are selected for appointment, promotion, or to fill vacancies (new hires), especially for mid- and high-level discretionary positions.

In FY24's 3rd Quarter SBS' Human Resources Team identified additional opportunities to embed and reinforce EEO best practices in the interview stage of the recruitment process. These opportunities include disseminating structured interview best practices via a guidance deck to Hiring Managers at the point of job posting and encouragement to attend DCAS' Structured Interviewing and Unconscious Bias and Structured Interviewing: Utilizing Follow-Up and Probing Questions training. In the 3rd quarter, the Human Resources Team has also strengthened its partnership with the EEO Team to ensure interview questions are subjected to EEO review and approved for use once alignment with SBS' mission to be inclusive is confirmed.

3. Describe the role of agency EEO Officer and other EEO staff in the selection of candidates for appointment or promotion (pre- and post-appointment).

On April 1, 2024, an Interview Question Library with questions pre-approved by HR and EEO was published on the agency's intranet site to assist managers in expediting their recruitment process. Hiring Managers do not need to submit interview questions for vetting if they used the pre-approved questions in the library. This allows them to start interviewing as soon as possible. Additionally, structured interviewing best practices are shared with hiring managers when their job posting is published.

4. Analyzing the impact of layoffs or terminations on racial, gender and age groups.

After reviewing the CEEDS dashboard report, there were two terminations. Based on an analysis of the impact of these two terminations, considering the racial, gender and age groups they represent there is no substantial impact.

5. Other:

During this Quarter the Agency activities included: # of Vacancies # of New Hires # of New Promotions

Q1 #____ #___ #___

Q2 #____ #___ #___

Q3 #__40_ #___ #___8_ #__3_

Q4 #____ #___6_ #____

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Please provide your training information in Part II of the report "DEI-EEO Training Summary" (in MS Excel).

VIII. Reasonable Accommodation

Please report all reasonable accommodation requests and their disposition in the DCAS Citywide Complaint/Reasonable Accommodation Tracking System by logging into your CICS Account at: https://mspwva-dcslnx01.csc.nycnet/Login.aspx

The agency did input full Reasonable Accommodation activity on the DCAS Citywide Complaint and Reasonable Accommodation (CAD) Database:

Q1: \boxtimes Yes \square No Q2: \boxtimes Yes \square No Q3: \boxtimes Yes \square No Q4: \boxtimes Yes \square No

- IX. Compliance and Implementation of Requirements Under Executive Orders and Local Laws
 - A. Local Law 92: Annual Sexual Harassment Prevention training

Please provide Sexual Harassment Prevention Training Information in Part II of the report "DEI-EEO Training Summary" (in MS Excel).

B. Local Law 97: Annual Sexual Harassment Reporting

\times	The agency has entered the sexual harassment Complaint Data in the DCAS Citywide Complaint Tracking System and updates t	he
	information as they occur.	

Q1 \boxtimes Q2 \boxtimes Q3 \square N/A Q4 \boxtimes

- ☑ The agency has entered **all types of complaints** in the DCAS Citywide Complaint Tracking System and updates the information as they occur.
- \boxtimes The agency ensures that complaints are closed within 90 days.

Report all complaints and their disposition in the DCAS Citywide Complaint/Reasonable Accommodation Tracking System by logging into your CICS Account at: https://mspwva-ctwapx02.csc.nycnet/Login.aspx

C. Executive Order 16: Training on Transgender Diversity and Inclusion

Please provide E.O. 16 Training Information in Part II of the report "DEI-EEO Training Summary" (in MS Excel).

I. Audits and Corrective Measures

Please choose the statement that applies to your agency.
☐ The agency is <u>NOT</u> involved in an audit conducted by NYC Equal Employment Practice Commission (EEPC) or another governmenta agency specific to our EEO practices.
☐ The agency is involved in an audit; please specify who is conducting the audit:
\square Attach the audit recommendations by EEPC or the other auditing agency.
☐ The agency has submitted or will submit to DCAS Citywide Equity and Inclusion an amendment letter, which shall amend the agency plan for FY 2023.
☑ The agency received a Certificate of Compliance from the auditing agency in 2022 or 2023.
Please attach a copy of the Certificate of Compliance from the auditing agency.

Appendix A: EEO Personnel Details

EEO Personnel For _4th_ Quarter, FY 2024

Personnel Changes

Personnel Changes this Quarter: ☐ No Changes		Number of Additions:	Number of Deletions:	
Employee's Name & Title	1.	2.	3.	
Nature of change	☐ Addition ☐ Deletion	☐ Addition ☐ Deletion	☐ Addition ☐ Deletion	
Date of Change in EEO Role	Date of Change in EEO Role Start Date or Termination Date:		Start Date or Termination Date:	
Employee's Name & Title	Aida Gil & EEO Specialist/Investigator			
Nature of change	☑ Addition ☐ Deletion	☐ Addition ☐ Deletion	☐ Addition ☐ Deletion	
Date of Change in EEO Role Start Date: 2/26/2024		Start Date or Termination Date:	Start Date or Termination Date:	
For New EEO Professionals:				
Name & Title	4. Aida Gil & EEO Specialist/Investigator	5.	6.	
EEO Function	□ EEO Officer □ EEO Counselor □ EEO Trainer ☒ EEO Investigator □ 55-a Coordinator □ Other: (specify)	☐ EEO Officer ☐ EEO Counselor ☐ EEO Trainer ☐ EEO Investigator ☐ 55-a Coordinator ☐ Other: (specify)	☐ EEO Officer ☐ EEO Counselor ☐ EEO Trainer ☐ EEO Investigator ☐ 55-a Coordinator ☐ Other: (specify)	
Percent of Time Devoted to EEO	☑ 100% ☐ Other: (specify %):	☐ 100% ☐ Other: (specify %):	☐ 100% ☐ Other: (specify %):	
Name & Title				
EEO Function	□ EEO Officer □ EEO Counselor □ EEO Trainer □ EEO Investigator □ 55-a Coordinator □ Other: (specify)	☐ EEO Officer ☐ EEO Counselor ☐ EEO Trainer ☐ EEO Investigator ☐ 55-a Coordinator ☐ Other: (specify)	☐ EEO Officer ☐ EEO Counselor ☐ EEO Trainer ☐ EEO Investigator ☐ 55-a Coordinator ☐ Other: (specify)	
Percent of Time Devoted to EEO	☐ 100% ☐ Other: (specify %):	□100% □ Other: (specify %):	☐ 100% ☐ Other: (specify %):	

EEO Training Completed within the Last <u>two</u> years, including the current quarter (EEO and D&I Officers, Deputies, and all new EEO Professionals):								
Name & EEO Role	1. Angelita McDonald – EEO Director		2. Michelle	2. Michelle Barnes-Anderson _ODS Director		O Specialist/Investigator		
Completed EEO Trainings: 1. Everybody Matters-EEO and D&I		□ No		□ No		□ No		
2. Sexual Harassment Prevention		□ No		□ No		□ No		
3. IgbTq: The Power of Inclusion		□ No	☐ Yes	□ No		□ No		
4. Disability Awareness & Etiquette		□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No		
5. Unconscious Bias		□ No	☐ Yes	□ No		□ No		
6. Microaggressions		□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No		
7. EEO Officer Essentials: Complaint/Investigative Processes		□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No		
8. EEO Officer Essentials: Reasonable Accommodation	✓ Yes	<u>□ No</u>	☐ Yes	□ No	□ Yes	□ No		
9. Essential Overview Training for New EEO Officers	✓ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No		
10. Understanding CEEDS Reports	✓ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No		□ No		

EEO Personnel Training Continued:

ıme & EEO Role	EEO Training completed within the last two years, including the current quarter (EEO and D&I Officers, Deputies, and all new EEO Professionals):							
inc & ELO Roic	4.		5.		6.			
Completed EEO Trainings: . Everybody Matters-EEO and D&I	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No		
2. Sexual Harassment Prevention	□ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No		
3. IgbTq: The Power of Inclusion	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No		
I. Disability Awareness & Etiquette	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No		
i. Unconscious Bias	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No		
6. Microaggressions	☐ Yes	□ No	□ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No		
Z. EEO Officer Essentials: Complaint/Investigative Processes	□ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	□ Yes	□ No		
B. EEO Officer Essentials: Reasonable Accommodation	☐ Yes	□ No	□ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No		
9. Essential Overview Training for New EEO Officers	□ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No		
.0. Understanding CEEDS Reports	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No		

EEO Personnel Contact Information (Please list all current EEO professionals)

Please provide full mailing address of the principal Agency EEO Office: 1 Liberty Plaza, 11th Floor, New York, NY 10006

Diversity and EEO Staffing as of _4th__Quarter FY 2024*

EEO/Diversity Role	<u>Name</u>	<u>Civil Service Title</u>	% of Time Devoted to EEO & Diversity Functions	Office E-mail Address	<u>Telephone</u> <u>#</u>
EEO Officer/Director	Angelita McDonald	Administrative Staff Analyst	100	amcdonald@sbs.nyc.gov	212-618-8782
Deputy EEO Officer OR Co-EEO Officer	N/A				
Chief Diversity & Inclusion Officer	N/A				
Diversity & Inclusion Officer	N/A				
Chief Diversity Officer/Chief MWBE Officer per E.O. 59	Dynishal Gross	Administrative Business Promotion Coordinator	100	dgross@sbs.nyc.gov	212-513-6456
ADA Coordinator	Michelle Barnes-Anderson	Administrative Contract Specialist	100	mbarnes@sbs.nyc.gov	212-618-6717

Disability Rights Coordinator	Michelle Barnes-Anderson	Administrative Contract Specialist	100	mbarnes@sbs.nyc.gov	212-618-6717
Disability Services Facilitator	Michelle Barnes-Anderson	Administrative Contract Specialist	100	mbarnes@sbs.nyc.gov	212-618-6717
55-a Coordinator	Michelle Barnes-Anderson	Administrative Contract Specialist	100	mbarnes@sbs.nyc.gov	212-618-6717
Career Counselor	Dianna Man	Administrative Staff Analyst	100	dman@sbs.nyc.gov	212-618-6798
EEO Counselor	Angelita McDonald	Administrative Staff Analyst	100	amcdonald@sbs.nyc.gov	212-618-8782
EEO Investigator	Aida Gil	Community Coordinator	100	agil@sbs.nyc.gov	212-513-6375
EEO Counselor/ Investigator	Angelita McDonald	Administrative Staff Analyst	100	amcdonald@sbs.nyc.gov	212-618-8782
Investigator/Trainer	Aida Gil	Community Coordinator	100	agil@sbs.nyc.gov	212-513-6375
EEO Training Liaison	Angelita McDonald	Administrative Staff Analyst	100	amcdonald@sbs.nyc.gov	212-618-8782
Other (specify)					
Other (specify)					

^{*} Please note changes (new personnel filling the specified role). You may insert additional entries as needed. Title refers to the civil service title. If there is an EEO\Diversity role that your staff performs that is not on the list above, you may indicate it on the chart. You may provide full contact information once if several roles are performed by the same person.



FY 2024 QUARTERLY REPORT - Part II: DIVERSITY AND EEO TRAINING SUMMARY

AGENCY NAME: Department of Small Business Services Quarter 4 FY 2024

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SUBMITTED BY (TITLE): Angelita McDonald

DATE SUBMITTED: 8/14/2024 E-MAIL: amcdonald@sbs.nyc TEL #: 212-618-8782

1st Quarter (July-September) <u>DUE October 30, 2023</u>; 2nd Quarter <u>DUE January 30, 2024</u>; 3rd Quarter (January-March) <u>DUE April 30, 2024</u>; 4th Quarter (April-June) <u>DUE July 30, 2024</u>.

ALL EEO-RELATED TRAINING (ALL MODALITIES)	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	FY 2024 YEAR
	(July - Sept. 2023)	(Oct Dec. 2023)	(Jan Mar. 2024)	(April - June 2024)	TO DATE
TOTAL DIVERSITY & EEO TRAINING	42	236	272	121	671

CORE DIVERSITY AND EEO TRAINING (All Modalities)						
TOTAL CORE EEO TRAINING ALL MODALITIES: E-Learning & Instructor-led training	42	5	272	121	440	
Everybody Matters: EEO and Diversity & Inclusion for NYC Employees	0	1	2	2	5	
Administered by DCAS [Copy data from DCAS Learning & Development report in this row. ENTER ALL ZEROS. Do not leave blank.]	0	1	2	2	5	
Administered by Agency [Enter data from internal training in this row] NOTE: Completions from DCAS-provided training count towards agency compliance for these mandated trainings.	0	0	0	0	0	

ALL EEO-RELATED TRAINING (ALL MODALITIES)	1st Qtr (July - Sept. 2023)	2nd Qtr (Oct Dec. 2023)	3rd Qtr (Jan Mar. 2024)	4th Qtr (April - June 2024)	FY 2024 YEAR TO DATE
2. Sexual Harassment Prevention	41	1	4	96	142
Administered by DCAS [Copy data from DCAS Learning & Development report in this row. ENTER ALL ZEROS. Do not leave blank.]	41	1	4	96	142
Administered by Agency [Data Entry BLOCKED]	NOTE: SHP training t curriculum that is ap provided to DCAS. TI SHP training that is a	0			
3. IgbTq: The Power of Inclusion	1	3	264	23	291
Administered by DCAS [Copy data from DCAS Learning & Development report in this row. ENTER ALL ZEROS. Do not leave blank.]	1	3	264	23	291
Administered by Agency [Enter data from internal training in this row] NOTE: Completions from DCAS-provided training count towards compliance for these mandated trainings.	0	0	0	0	0
4. Disability Awareness & Etiquette	0	0	2	0	2
Administered by DCAS [Copy data from DCAS Learning & Development report in this row. ENTER ALL ZEROS. Do not leave blank.]	0	0	2	0	2
Administered by Agency [Enter data from internal training in this row]	0	0	0	0	0

ALL EEO-RELATED TRAINING (ALL MODALITIES)	1st Qtr (July - Sept. 2023)	2nd Qtr (Oct Dec. 2023)	3rd Qtr (Jan Mar. 2024)	4th Qtr (April - June 2024)	FY 2024 YEAR TO DATE
OTHER DIVE	RSITY AND EE	O RELATED TR	AINING (AII M	odalities)	
ALL OTHER DIVERSITY & EEO RELATED TRAINING	0	231	0	0	231
New Employee Orientation (Only if it includes EEO Component)	NOTE: Do not m	nake entries here if new	v employees received C	ORE EEO training as par	t of their onboarding
TOTAL PARTICIPANTS TRAINED					0
6. Structured Interviewing		FULL TITLE: Stru	ctured Interviewing a	and Unconscious Bias	
and Unconscious Bias TOTAL PARTICIPANTS TRAINED					0
7. Structured Interviewing and Unconscious Bias (Follow up) TOTAL PARTICIPANTS TRAINED	FULL.	TITLE: Structured Inte	erviewing: Utilizing Fo	ollow-Up and Probing	Questions 0
8. Building an Inclusive Culture:	FUI	LL TITLE: Building an I	Inclusive Culture: Und	derstanding Unconsci	ous Bias
Understanding Unconscious Bias TOTAL PARTICIPANTS TRAINED					0
9. From Microaggressions	ELILI TITLE	- Creating a Culture	of Inclusion From Mi	eroaggressions to Mi	ero offirmations
to Microaffirmations TOTAL PARTICIPANTS TRAINED	FOLL IIILE	:. Creating a Culture (I inclusion, From Wil	croaggressions to Mi	0
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10. Managing the Multi-Generational Workforce	FULL TITLE: Ma	naging the Multi-Gei	nerational Workforce	: Leveraging the Tale	
TOTAL PARTICIPANTS TRAINED					0
11. Bystander Training	FL	JLL TITLE: Moving fro	m Bystander to Upsta	ander, What Would Y	ou Do?
TOTAL PARTICIPANTS TRAINED					0
12. Reasonable Accommodation		FULL TITLE: Reason	nable Accommodatio	n Procedural Guidelin	nes
TOTAL PARTICIPANTS TRAINED					0
13. The Power of Words		FULL TITLE	: The Power of Word	s, Can We Talk?	
TOTAL PARTICIPANTS TRAINED					0
14. Other Diversity/EEO Related	Specify topic >			that new and encumb	• •
TOTAL PARTICIPANTS TRAINED		231	policy & procedures	s (DEI, Discrimination	, Protected categories, 231
16. Other Diversity/EEO Related	Specify topic >				
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15. Other Diversity/EEO Related	Specify topic >				
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17. Other Diversity/EEO Related	Specify topic >		ı		
TOTAL PARTICIPANTS TRAINED					0
18. Other Diversity/EEO Related	Specify topic >				
TOTAL PARTICIPANTS TRAINED					0
ADDITIONAL TRAINING				PACE TO REPORT ADDITION D RETURN THE REPORT TO	
Other Diversity/EEO Related	Specify topic >				
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