

## Supplier Diversity Classifications

### U.S. Definitions

**Disabled Owned** - A business that is at least 51% owned by one or more disabled persons who control and operate the business. Control in this context means exercising the power to make policy decisions and operate means being actively involved in the day-to-day management of the business.

**Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise (DVBE)** - This term is used by the State of California, public utilities, and many private corporations to designate a company that is owned (at least 51%) and controlled by a Veteran with a Service-Connected Disability rating of at least 10% from the Department of Veterans Affairs. Additionally, the Veteran must reside in the state of California.

**Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE)** - A business that is usually certified by a federal, state or local government agency as having met all of the government standards that award eligibility, but may include women, minority, disabled and other disadvantaged as a result of economic disadvantages with respect to education, employment, residence or business location or social disadvantage and lack of business training.

**Disadvantaged Veteran Enterprise (DVE)** - A business that is a small business concern owned and controlled by veterans, where not less than 51% is owned controlled and managed by veterans.

**Historically Black Colleges / Universities & Minority Institutions (HBCU/MI)** - Historically Black and minority colleges and universities that are recognized by the government as legitimate set-aside business opportunities.

**HUBZone Certified** - A business that is operating in a certified historically underutilized business zone. There are 7,000 qualified census tracts (HUD) and 900 qualified non-metropolitan counties.

**LGTB Owned (LGTB)** – A business that is at least 51% owned and operated by an LGTB person(s).

**Minority-Owned** - A business that is at least 51% owned by, and whose management and daily business operations are controlled by, one or more members of a socially and economically disadvantaged minority group, namely U.S. citizens who are African Americans (Black), Hispanic Americans, Native Americans, Asian-Pacific Americans, Alaskan Native Americans and Indian Sub-Continent Americans.

**Minority Business Enterprise (MBE)** - A Minority Business Enterprise usually certified by a federal, state or local governmental agency as having met all of the government standards that award eligibility.

**Service-Disabled Veteran (SDV)** – A business that a veteran with a disability that is service-connected. The term “service connected” means, with respect to disability or death, that such disability was incurred or aggravated, in the line of duty in the active military, naval or air service. (38 U.S.C. ‘101(16).

**Small Business** - A business concern eligible for assistance from SBA as a small business is one that is organized for profit, with a place of business located in the United States. It must operate primarily within the United States or make a significant contribution to the U.S. economy through payment of

taxes or use of American products, materials or labor. Together with its affiliates, it must meet the numerical size standards as defined in the Small Business Size Regulations, 13 CFR 121

**Small Disadvantaged Business (SDB)** - Small Disadvantaged Business: New certification eligibility criteria established by the SBA effective 7/1/99. All firms must be certified by one of the SDB Certification Agencies designated by the SBA. To qualify must be a small business, not exceed standards for Primary SIC, meet Contracting Officers' assigned SIC code, be a U.S. Citizen and be 51% owned and controlled by one or more Socially & Economically Disadvantaged Individuals. The SBA classification is based on a Preponderance of the Evidence Clause" this SDB Certification is good for 3 years.

**Veteran Business Enterprise (VBE)** - Under SBA Guidelines Small Business Act (PL 85-536) as amended states: Small Business Concerns owned and controlled by veterans not less than 51% owned by one or more veterans and in the case of a publicly owned business not less than 51% of the stock is owned by one or more veterans.

**Veteran Owned** - A business that is a least 51% owned by one or more veterans, who control and operate the business. Control in this context means exercising the power to make policy decisions and operate means to be actively involved in the day-to-day management of the business. The term "veteran" (38 U.S.C.'101(2)) means a person who served in the active military, naval, or air service, and who was discharged or released there from under conditions other than

**Vietnam Veteran** - A business that is a least 51% owned by one or more Vietnam Veterans who served between 1/1/59 and 5/7/75 and have control and operate the business. Control in this context means exercising the power to make policy decisions and operate means to be actively involved in the day-to-day management of the business.

**Women-Owned** - A business that is at least 51% owned by, and whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more women who are U.S. citizens.

**Woman Business Enterprise (WBE)** - A Women Business Enterprise usually certified by a federal, state or local Government agency as having met all of the government standards that award eligibility.

**8(A) Designation** - The 8A designation is given to small companies owned by socially and economically disadvantaged persons, so that they may bid and obtain federal government contracts and other assistance to develop their business. The business owner must be eligible under the same rules and guidelines set down by the federal government.

### International Definitions

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**LGTB-Owned** – A business that is at least 51% owned and operated by one or more LGTB person(s)

**Minority-Owned** - A business that is at least 51% owned by, and whose management and daily business operations are controlled by, one or more members of a socially and economically disadvantaged

minority group. Minority (ethnicity) is defined by country as the socio-economic under-represented. Intel does not require disclosure of ethnicity per privacy policy. Disclosure of ethnicity is voluntary, not a requirement.

**Veteran Owned** - A business that is at least 51% owned by one or more veterans, who control and operate the business. Country exceptions: Israel, Taiwan

**Women-Owned** - A business that is at least 51% owned and operated by one or more women.