

1 AN ACT concerning education.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Department of Central Management Services
5 Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois is amended by
6 adding Section 405-530 as follows:

7 (20 ILCS 405/405-530 new)

8 Sec. 405-530. Higher education supplier diversity report.

9 (a) Every institution of higher education approved by the
10 Illinois Student Assistance Commission for purposes of the
11 Monetary Award Program, whether public or private, shall submit
12 a 2-page report on its voluntary supplier diversity program to
13 the Department. The report shall set forth all of the
14 following:

15 (1) The name, address, phone number, and e-mail address
16 of the point of contact for the supplier diversity program
17 (or the institution's procurement program if there is no
18 supplier diversity program) for vendors to register with
19 the program.

20 (2) Local and State certifications the institution
21 accepts or recognizes for minority-owned, women-owned, or
22 veteran-owned business status.

23 (3) On the second page, a narrative explaining the

1 results of the report and the tactics to be employed to
2 achieve the goals.

3 (4) With respect to public universities, the voluntary
4 goals, if any, for fiscal year 2016 in each category for
5 the entire budget of the institution (expending both public
6 and private moneys, including any fee-supported entities)
7 and the commodity codes or a description of particular
8 goods and services for the area of procurement in which the
9 institution expects most of those goals to focus on in the
10 next year. With respect to public universities, beginning
11 with the 2017 report, the actual spending for the entire
12 budget of the institution (expending both public and
13 private moneys, including any fee-supported entities) for
14 minority business enterprises, women's business
15 enterprises, and veteran-owned businesses, expressed both
16 in actual dollars and as a percentage of the total budget
17 of the institution. The report shall include the total
18 dollar amount subject to the Business Enterprise Program
19 under the Business Enterprise for Minorities, Females, and
20 Persons with Disabilities Act, the goal established by the
21 Business Enterprise Program, and the actual amount spent on
22 minority-owned, women-owned, and veteran-owned businesses
23 of dollars subject to the Business Enterprise Program goal.
24 The narrative report shall include the university's
25 Compliance Plan as defined by the Business Enterprise
26 Program.

1 (5) With respect to public community colleges, the
2 voluntary goals, if any, for fiscal year 2017 in each
3 category for the entire budget of the institution
4 (expending both public and private moneys, including any
5 fee-supported entities) and the commodity codes or a
6 description of particular goods and services for the area
7 of procurement in which the institution expects most of
8 those goals to focus on in the next year. However, a public
9 community college may report the information under this
10 subdivision (3) for fiscal year 2016 instead. With respect
11 to public community colleges, beginning with the 2018
12 report, the actual spending for the entire budget of the
13 institution (expending both public and private moneys,
14 including any fee-supported entities) for minority
15 business enterprises, women's business enterprises, and
16 veteran-owned businesses, expressed both in actual dollars
17 and as a percentage of the total budget of the institution.
18 However, if a public community college elects to report the
19 information under subdivision (3) of this subsection (a)
20 for fiscal year 2016 instead, then the information under
21 this subdivision (4) must be reported beginning with the
22 2017 report.

23 (6) With respect to private institutions of higher
24 education, the voluntary goals, if any, for either fiscal
25 year or calendar year 2017 in each category for the entire
26 budget of the institution (expending both public and

1 private moneys, including any fee-supported entities) and
2 the commodity codes or a description of particular goods
3 and services for the area of procurement in which the
4 institution expects most of those goals to focus on in the
5 next year. However, a private institution of higher
6 education may report the information under this
7 subdivision (3) for fiscal year or calendar year 2016
8 instead. With respect to private institutions of higher
9 education, beginning with the 2018 report, the actual
10 spending for the entire budget of the institution
11 (expending both public and private moneys, including any
12 fee-supported entities) for minority business enterprises,
13 women's business enterprises, and veteran-owned
14 businesses, expressed both in actual dollars and as a
15 percentage of the total budget of the institution. However,
16 if a private institution of higher education elects to
17 report the information under subdivision (3) of this
18 subsection (a) for fiscal year or calendar year 2016
19 instead, then the information under this subdivision (4)
20 must be reported beginning with the 2017 report.

21 Each public university is required to submit a searchable
22 Adobe PDF report to the Department on or before November 15,
23 2016 and on or before November 15 every year thereafter. Each
24 private institution of higher education is required to submit a
25 searchable Adobe PDF report to the Department on or before
26 November 15, 2017 and on or before November 15 every year

1 thereafter. Each public community college is required to submit
2 a searchable Adobe PDF report to the Illinois Community College
3 Board on or before November 15, 2017 and on or before November
4 15 every year thereafter. However, if a private institution of
5 higher education or public community college elects to report
6 the information under subdivision (3) of this subsection (a)
7 for fiscal year or calendar year 2016 instead, then the
8 institution is required to submit the report on or before
9 November 15, 2016 and on or before November 15 every year
10 thereafter. The Illinois Community College Board shall
11 immediately forward to the Department all reports submitted to
12 the Illinois Community College Board. The Illinois Community
13 College Board is not responsible for collecting the reports or
14 for the content of the reports.

15 (b) For each report submitted under subsection (a) of this
16 Section, the Department shall publish the results on its
17 Internet website for 5 years after submission or, with respect
18 to public community colleges, for 5 years after the report has
19 been forwarded to the Department by the Illinois Community
20 College Board. The Department is not responsible for collecting
21 the reports or for the content of the reports.

22 (c) The Department shall hold an annual higher education
23 supplier diversity workshop in February of 2016 and every
24 February thereafter to discuss the reports with
25 representatives of the institutions of higher education and
26 vendors.

1 (d) The Department shall prepare a one-page template (not
2 including the narrative section) for the voluntary supplier
3 diversity reports. For purposes of complying with the Business
4 Enterprise for Minorities, Females, and Persons with
5 Disabilities Act and notwithstanding any law to the contrary,
6 the submission of these reports by public universities
7 satisfies all reporting requirements.

8 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
9 becoming law.