

By Senator Lawson

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1 A bill to be entitled

2 An act relating to the Office of Supplier Diversity of
3 the Department of Management Services; amending s.
4 287.09451, F.S.; providing for the affidavit for
5 certification of a minority business enterprise to be
6 signed electronically; providing an effective date.

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8 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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10 Section 1. Paragraph (m) of subsection (4) of section
11 287.09451, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

12 287.09451 Office of Supplier Diversity; powers, duties, and
13 functions.—

14 (4) The Office of Supplier Diversity shall have the
15 following powers, duties, and functions:

16 (m) To certify minority business enterprises, as defined in
17 s. 288.703, and as specified in ss. 287.0943 and 287.09431, and
18 shall recertify such minority businesses at least once every 2
19 years. Minority business enterprises must be recertified at
20 least once every 2 years by affidavit, which may include an
21 electronic signature.

22 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2010.