COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

1997 Legislative Session

Bill No.	CB-8-1997
Chapter No.	5
Proposed and Presented by	The Chairman (by request - County Executive)
Introduced by	Council Member Bailey
Co-Sponsors	
Date of Introduction	March 18, 1997

BILL

AN ACT concerning

Minority Business Opportunity Commission

For the purpose of providing representation on the Commission from certain industries and associations, and setting the terms of membership.

BY repealing and reenacting with amendments:

SUBTITLE 2. ADMINISTRATION.

Section 2-450,

The Prince George's County Code

(1995 Edition).

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED by the County Council of Prince George's County,

Maryland, that Section 2-450 of the Prince George's County Code be and the same is hereby repealed and reenacted with the following amendments:

SUBTITLE 2. ADMINISTRATION.

DIVISION 34. MINORITY BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES COMMISSION.

Sec. 2-450. Minority Business Opportunities Commission; established; membership and terms.

(a) There is hereby established the Minority Business Opportunities Commission, which shall monitor the efforts of County government in procuring goods and services from minority business enterprises through the implementation of and compliance with the County's Minority Business Opportunities Program as set forth in Division 6, Subdivision 1, of Subtitle 10A of this Code. The Commission shall also recommend changes in County procurement policies, programs, and practices and recommend legislation designed to better enable the County to achieve the goals stated in Division 6, Subdivision 1, of Subtitle 10A of this Code.

(b) The Commission shall consist of seven (7) members who shall be residents of Prince George's County. <u>Whenever possible, members should be selected from the business or legal</u> <u>community. Additionally, at least one member should be a citizen representative.</u> The members shall be appointed by the County Executive subject to confirmation by the County Council.

(c) No member of the Commission may have any financial interest in any entity doing business with the County nor shall any member in any manner whatsoever be interested in, or receive any benefit from, the profits or emoluments of any contract, job, work, or service for the County.

(d) [Of the initial members of the Commission, three (3) shall be appointed to terms expiring on September 30, 1989, and the remaining four (4) members shall be appointed to terms expiring on September 30, 1990. Thereafter, the] <u>The</u> terms of members shall be for [two (2)] <u>four (4)</u> years. Any vacancy shall be filled for the unexpired term in the manner of the original appointment. Each member shall serve until a successor is confirmed. [Members may be reappointed to no more than two (2) successive terms on the Commission.]

(e) The County Executive shall designate two (2) members of the Commission as Chairman and Vice Chairman, subject to confirmation by the County Council.

SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER ENACTED that this Act shall take effect forty-five (45) calendar days after it becomes law.

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Adopted this <u>8th</u> day of <u>April</u>, 1997.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY:

Dorothy F. Bailey Chair

ATTEST:

Joyce T. Sweeney Clerk of the Council

APPROVED:

DATE: _____ BY:

Wayne K. Curry County Executive

KEY:

<u>Underscoring</u> indicates language added to existing law. [Brackets] indicate language deleted from existing law.