Prince George's County Council Agenda Item Summary

Meeting Date: 4/29/2008 **Reference No.:** CR-002-2008

Draft No.: 1

Proposer(s): County Executive **Sponsor(s):** Dean, Exum

Item Title: A Resolution to approve amendments to the Prince George's County Procurement

Regulations regarding minority business enterprises pursuant to Section 10A-105 of the

Prince George's County Code

Drafter: Tracy M. Benjamin, Office of Law

Resource Personnel: Pamela H. Piper, Director of the Office of Central Services

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

Date Presented: Executive Action:

Committee Referral: 1/22/2008 - EDH Effective Date:

Committee Action: 2/13/2008 - FAV

Date Introduced: 1/22/2008

Public Hearing:

Council Action (1) 4/29/2008 - ADOPTED

Council Votes: MB:A, WC:A, SHD:A, TD:A, CE:A, TK:A, EO:A, IT:A

Pass/Fail: P

Remarks:

AFFECTED CODE SECTIONS:

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND HOUSING COMMITTEE

Date 2/13/2008

Committee Vote: Favorable, 3-0 (In favor: Council Members Exum, Dean and Campos.)

Staff summarized the purpose of the resolution. CR-2-2008 amends the Prince George's County Procurement Regulations regarding minority business enterprises pursuant to Section 10A-105 of the Prince George's County Code.

The County Executive proposed CR-2-2008 and a staff member spoke in support of the resolution.

Kwasi Holman, President and CEO of Prince George's County Economic Development Corporation spoke in support of the resolution.

The Office of Law determined that CR-2-2008 was in proper legislative form.

The Office of Audits and Investigation indicated there will be no material or negative fiscal impact on the County as a result of adopting CR-2-2008

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BACKGROUND INFORMATION/FISCAL IMPACT:

(Includes reason for proposal, as well as any unique statutory requirements)

This legislation will approve amendments of the Procurement Regulations regarding certifications, consultation and determinations of minority business enterprises (MBEs) pursuant to Section 10A-105 of the Prince George's County Code. CB-2-2008 transfers the function of certifying and decertifying MBEs from the Minority Business Opportunities Commission to the Minority Business Development Division of the Office of Central Services so that the Code reflects the current practice and procedures of the County. The regulations are adopted to coincide with amendments to the County Code in CB-2-2008.

CODE INDEX TOPICS:		
INCLUSION FILES:		