# Calvert County Public Schools 1305 Dares Beach Road Prince Frederick, MD 20678

# Policy Statement #7008 (Construction) of the Board of Education Regarding Minority Business Enterprise Procedures for State Funded Public School Construction Projects

#### I. Purpose

A. To provide appropriate legal guidance for the Minority Business Enterprise Program in order for the school system to be in compliance with Maryland State Law

## II. Policy Statement

A. Because equal employment opportunities should be available to all individuals, the Calvert County Board of Education hereby expresses its intention to fulfill the requirements of the law established for Minority Business Enterprise Procedures for state funded public school construction projects.

#### III. Delegation of Authority

A. The Board of Education directs the Superintendent of Schools to communicate this policy and accompanying procedures to all relevant parties. The procedures have been provided by and are required by the State of Maryland Office of Public School Construction Program.

## IV. Exceptions

A. There are no exceptions to this policy. However, the Board, by majority vote, may temporarily suspend all or part of this policy. Suspension of all or part of this policy, however, in no way relieves the Board of its obligation to comply with the pertinent local, state and federal laws and regulations or the rules and regulations of the Maryland State Board of Education and the Maryland State Department of Education.

#### V. Expiration/Review

A. This policy will be reviewed at the end of three years, or sooner, if approved by majority vote of the Board of Education in public session.

## VI. Effective Date

A. This policy is effective December 14. 2023.

# **Citations**

State Law: § 5-301(d)(3)(v) of the Education Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland

§§ 14-301 through 14-308 of the State Finance and Procurement Article of the

Annotated Code of Maryland

State Reg.: COMAR 14.39.01.01 (B)(30)(a-b); COMAR 14.39.03

Federal Law: Adm. Reg.:

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