

1 AN ACT concerning finance.

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

4 Section 5. The State Revenue Sharing Act is amended by  
5 changing Section 3 as follows:

6 (30 ILCS 115/3) (from Ch. 85, par. 613)

7 Sec. 3. Use of Fund.

8 (a) The amounts allocated and paid to the municipalities  
9 and counties of this State pursuant to the provisions of this  
10 Act shall be used solely for the general welfare of the people  
11 of the State of Illinois, including financial assistance to  
12 school districts, any part of which lie within the  
13 municipality or county, through unrestricted block grants for  
14 school purposes carried out within the municipality or county  
15 making the grant, and also including, but not limited to,  
16 mental health programs, wastewater projects, road and bridge  
17 construction and repair and social service programs.

18 (b) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act  
19 of the 102nd General Assembly, the amounts allocated and paid  
20 to municipalities and counties under this Act may also be used  
21 for the procurement of black-owned media services as provided  
22 under subsection (b) of Section 35-45 of the Illinois  
23 Procurement Code.

1 (Source: P.A. 86-18.)

2 Section 10. The Illinois Procurement Code is amended by  
3 adding Section 35-45 as follows:

4 (30 ILCS 500/35-45 new)

5 Sec. 35-45. Purchase of black-owned media services.

6 (a) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act  
7 of the 102nd General Assembly, it shall be the aspirational  
8 goal of the State that for any State agency subject to the  
9 provisions of this Code, no less than 10% of the total dollar  
10 amount used by that State agency for the purchase of media  
11 services shall be used to procure the services of black-owned  
12 media.

13 (b) As soon as practicable after the effective date of  
14 this amendatory Act of the 102nd General Assembly, each  
15 municipality, county, school district, and community college  
16 district shall adopt an ordinance or resolution that  
17 establishes an aspirational goal that no less than 10% of the  
18 total dollar amount used for the purchase of media services  
19 shall be used to procure the services of black-owned media.  
20 Municipalities and counties may use moneys allocated and  
21 disbursed under Section 2 of the State Revenue Sharing Act for  
22 the purposes of this subsection (b).

23 (c) If any State agency or public institution of higher  
24 education contract is eligible to be paid for or reimbursed,

1 in whole or in part, with federal-aid funds, grants, or loans,  
2 and the provisions of this Section would result in the loss of  
3 those federal-aid funds, grants, or loans, then the contract  
4 is exempt from the provisions of this Section in order to  
5 remain eligible for those federal-aid funds, grants, or loans.

6 (d) Each State agency under the jurisdiction of this Code  
7 shall file with the Commission on Equity and Inclusion an  
8 annual compliance plan which shall outline the State agency's  
9 efforts and progress towards the goal of using media services  
10 funds to procure services of black-owned media for the then  
11 immediately preceding fiscal year.

12 (e) For the purposes of this Section, "black-owned media"  
13 means a newspaper or other periodical issued at regular  
14 intervals whether in print or electronic format, a news  
15 service whether in print or electronic format, a radio  
16 station, a television station, a television network, a  
17 community antenna television service, or any other person,  
18 business, or corporation that is (i) majority owned by black  
19 or African American persons, (ii) certified by the Business  
20 Enterprise Program as a minority-owned business or women-owned  
21 business, and (iii) engaged in making any written, oral, or  
22 electronic communication that contains news, promotion, or  
23 inducement.

24 Section 15. The Counties Code is amended by adding Section  
25 5-3004 as follows:

1 (55 ILCS 5/5-3004 new)

2 Sec. 5-3004. Purchase of black-owned media services. The  
3 county board of each county shall adopt an ordinance that  
4 establishes an aspirational goal that no less than 10% of the  
5 total dollar amount used for the purchase of media services by  
6 the county shall be used to procure the services of  
7 black-owned media as provided under subsection (b) of Section  
8 35-45 of the Illinois Procurement Code.

9 Section 20. The Illinois Municipal Code is amended by  
10 adding Section 8-1-19 as follows:

11 (65 ILCS 5/8-1-19 new)

12 Sec. 8-1-19. Purchase of black-owned media services. The  
13 corporate authorities of each municipality shall adopt an  
14 ordinance that establishes an aspirational goal that no less  
15 than 10% of the total dollar amount used for the purchase of  
16 media services by the municipality shall be used to procure  
17 the services of black-owned media as provided under subsection  
18 (b) of Section 35-45 of the Illinois Procurement Code.

19 Section 25. The School Code is amended by adding Section  
20 22-94 as follows:

21 (105 ILCS 5/22-94 new)

1       Sec. 22-94. Purchase of black-owned media services. The  
2       school board of each school district shall adopt a resolution  
3       that establishes an aspirational goal that no less than 10% of  
4       the total dollar amount used for the purchase of media  
5       services by the school district shall be used to procure the  
6       services of black-owned media as provided under subsection (b)  
7       of Section 35-45 of the Illinois Procurement Code.

8           Section 30. The Public Community College Act is amended by  
9       adding Section 3-29.20 as follows:

10           (110 ILCS 805/3-29.20 new)

11       Sec. 3-29.20. Purchase of black-owned media services. The  
12       board of trustees of each community college district shall  
13       adopt a resolution that establishes an aspirational goal that  
14       no less than 10% of the total dollar amount used for the  
15       purchase of media services by the community college district  
16       shall be used to procure the services of black-owned media as  
17       provided under subsection (b) of Section 35-45 of the Illinois  
18       Procurement Code.