

# SB3425



## 103RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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SB3425

Introduced 2/8/2024, by Sen. Christopher Belt

### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

30 ILCS 575/8i

Amends the Business Enterprise for Minorities, Women, and Persons with Disabilities Act. In provisions requiring State agencies and public institutions of higher education to encourage prime vendors to amend a contract with no contract goal, provides that, if a prime vendor is not willing to amend a contract to include the recommended goal of the State agency or public institution of higher education, the contract shall be rebid immediately.

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A BILL FOR

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 Business Enterprise for Minorities, Women,  
5 and Persons with Disabilities Act is amended by changing  
6 Section 8i as follows:

7 (30 ILCS 575/8i)

8 (Section scheduled to be repealed on June 30, 2029)

9 Sec. 8i. Renewals. State agencies and public institutions  
10 of higher education shall:

11 (a) review all existing contracts prior to the time of  
12 renewal to determine if the contract goal is being met by  
13 the prime vendor;

14 (b) review all existing contracts prior to the time of  
15 renewal to determine if the contract goal should be  
16 increased based upon market conditions and availability of  
17 firms certified pursuant to this Act;

18 (c) review existing contracts with no contract goal to  
19 determine if a goal can be established; if it is  
20 determined that a contract goal can be established, the  
21 State agency or public institution of higher education  
22 shall encourage the prime vendor to amend the contract to  
23 include the contract goal; if a prime vendor is not

1 willing to amend a contract to include the recommended  
2 goal of the State agency or public institution of higher  
3 education, the contract shall be rebid immediately; if the  
4 prime vendor amends the contract to include the  
5 recommended goal of the State agency or public institution  
6 of higher education, the prime vendor ~~a prime contractor~~  
7 shall be required to complete a utilization plan to  
8 demonstrate how it intends to meet the contract goal; and

9 (d) review renewals at least 6 months prior to renewal  
10 to allow adequate time to rebid if it is determined that  
11 the prime contractor has not demonstrated good faith  
12 efforts towards meeting the contract goal.

13 All renewals shall be subject to any amendments made to  
14 this Act, or amendments made to any administrative rules  
15 adopted under this Act, that become effective prior to the  
16 date of renewal.

17 The requirements of this Section shall not apply to  
18 construction and construction-related services procurements.

19 This Section is operative on and after January 1, 2018.

20 (Source: P.A. 100-391, eff. 8-25-17.)