

**LOCAL LAWS
OF
THE CITY OF NEW YORK
FOR THE YEAR 2013**

No. 144

Introduced by Council Members Reyna, Brewer, Chin, Dickens, Eugene, Gentile, Jackson, James, King, Koo, Koppell, Mendez, Palma, Richards, Vann, Wills, Rodriguez, Greenfield, Gennaro and Van Bramer.

A LOCAL LAW

To amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to opportunities for veteran-owned business enterprises in city procurement.

Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

Section 1. Title 6 of the administrative code of the city of New York is amended by adding a new section 6-138 to read as follows:

§ 6-138. Participation by veteran owned business enterprises in city procurement.

The commissioner of the department of small business services, in consultation with the city chief procurement officer, shall analyze veteran owned business enterprises and opportunities for such business enterprises in city procurements and shall, by December 1, 2014, determine the need for a citywide program to promote opportunities in city procurement for veterans. At such time, the commissioner shall submit to the council a report on such analysis including the basis for such determination. If the commissioner determines that there is a need for such a citywide program, such report shall also contain recommendations concerning measures to enhance the opportunities of such businesses with respect to city procurement, which shall include but need not be limited to, outreach and notification of contract opportunities, certification of veteran owned business enterprises, recommendations regarding the establishment of participation goals, and

tracking and reporting the utilization of such business enterprises.

§2. This local law shall take effect immediately.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK, s.s.:

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a local law of The City of New York, passed by the Council on December 19, 2013 and approved by the Mayor on December 30, 2013.

MICHAEL M. McSWEENEY, City Clerk, Clerk of the Council

CERTIFICATION OF CORPORATION COUNSEL

I hereby certify that the form of the enclosed local law (Local Law No. 144 of 2013, Council Int. No. 1159-A of 2013) to be filed with the Secretary of State contains the correct text of the local law passed by the New York City Council and approved by the Mayor.

JEFFREY D. FRIEDLANDER, Acting Corporation Counsel.