



97TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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Introduced 11/14/2012, by Sen. Martin A. Sandoval

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

220 ILCS 5/21-1251 new

Amends the Public Utilities Act. Provides that the Illinois Commerce Commission shall require all regulated cable service and video service providers under its authority to submit an annual report on all procurement goals and actual spending for minority-owned, women-owned, veteran-owned, and small business enterprises. Provides that each regulated cable service and video service provider shall submit the rules, regulations, and definitions used for its procurement goals and the name and contact information for the staff person responsible for administering the programs associated with the goals in the annual report. Provides that the Commission shall publish each annual report on its website and shall maintain each annual report for at least 5 years. Effective immediately.

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1 AN ACT concerning public utilities.

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

4 Section 5. The Public Utilities Act is amended by adding
5 Section 21-1251 as follows:

6 (220 ILCS 5/21-1251 new)

7 Sec. 21-1251. Minority, female, veteran, and small
8 business reports and spending. The Commission shall require all
9 regulated cable service and video service providers under its
10 authority to submit an annual report by December 1, 2014 and
11 each December 1 thereafter, in a searchable Adobe PDF format,
12 on all procurement goals and actual spending for
13 minority-owned, women-owned, veteran-owned, and small business
14 enterprises in the previous calendar year. These goals shall be
15 expressed as a percentage of the total work performed by the
16 regulated cable service and video service provider, and the
17 actual spending for all minority-owned, women-owned,
18 veteran-owned, and small business enterprises shall be
19 expressed as a percentage of the total work performed by the
20 regulated cable and video provider.

21 Each regulated cable service and video service provider
22 shall submit the rules, regulations, and definitions used for
23 its procurement goals and the name and contact information for

1 the staff person responsible for administering the programs
2 associated with the goals in the annual report.

3 The Commission shall issue a proposed format for each
4 report, which shall be developed in consultation with the
5 Capital Development Board.

6 The Commission shall publish each annual report on its
7 website and shall maintain each annual report for at least 5
8 years.

9 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
10 becoming law.