

MISSISSIPPI AIRPORT ASSOCIATION

DISADVANTAGE BUSINESS ENTERPRISE

WORKSHOP

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WORKSHOP PURPOSE



DBE CERTIFICATION

- Basic requirements to be a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise
- Certification Process
- Resource Information for DBE Certification

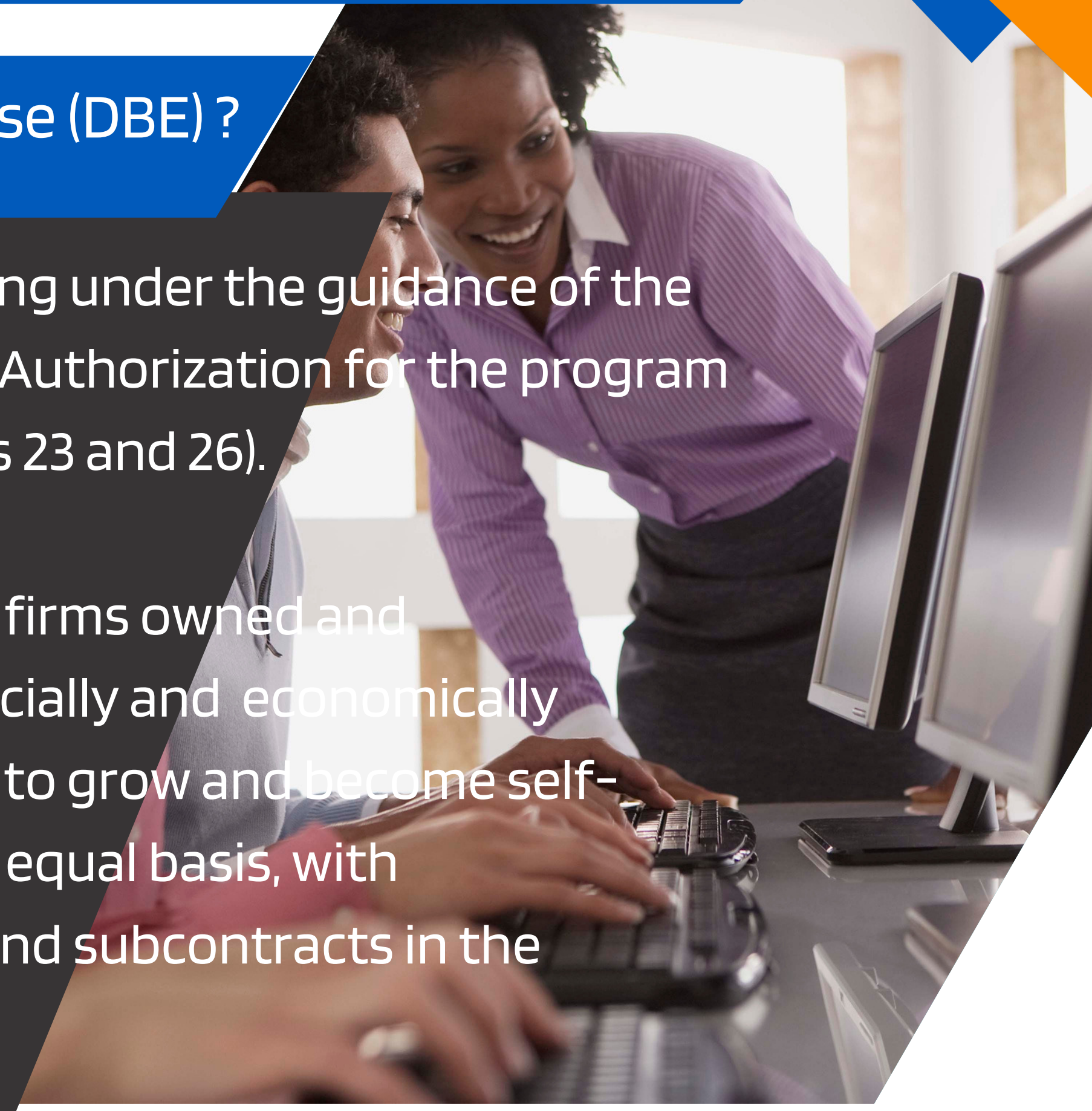
CONTRACT COMPLIANCE

- Requirement
- Responsibilities for Monitoring the Performance
- Community Outreach

What Is the Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) ?

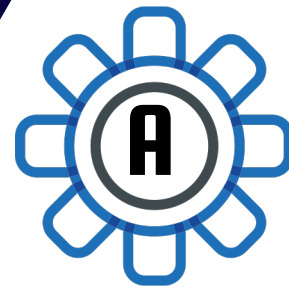
The DBE program is a federal program operating under the guidance of the United States Department of Transportation. Authorization for the program comes from Federal Regulations, 49 CFR (Parts 23 and 26).

The goal of the DBE Program is to ensure that firms owned and controlled by minorities, women, and other socially and economically disadvantaged persons have the opportunity to grow and become self-sufficient so that they are able to compete on equal basis, with nondisadvantaged businesses for contracts and subcontracts in the transportation industry.



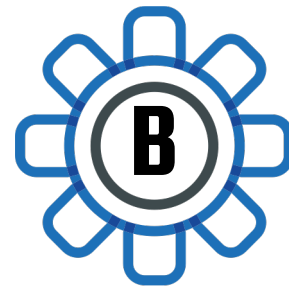
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Which is NOT a requirement for certification?

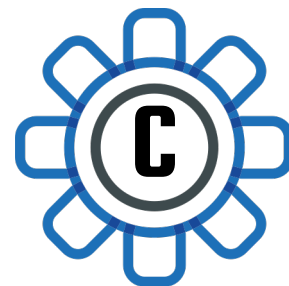


Must be a member of a protected class or able to prove social and economical disadvantage.

PNW must be less than \$1.32 million
Must be a small business



Must be in business for 2 years



Must be in business for profit.



TRIVIA QUESTION



What is the PNW threshold for DBE certification?

\$750,000



\$1.32 Million



\$1 Million



TRIVIA QUESTION



- Three-year average gross receipts for an ACDBE must be below \$56.42 million.
- True
- False

DBE BASIC REQUIREMENTS

Must be a member of a protected class or able to prove social and economic disadvantage and own 51% of business.

Personal Net Worth must be less than \$1.32million.

Must be a small business (as defined by SBA).

Must be in business for profit.



ROADMAP TO DBE CERTIFICATION IN MISSISSIPPI

Firms Located in Mississippi

1. Complete the UCP Application, listed as DBE Certification Application.
 - a. Page 13 needs to be signed and notarized.
2. Supporting Document Checklist (Page 14)
(all items might not apply to your business, we will judge this on a case by case basis)
 - a. PNW Statement
 - i. Page 1 needs to be dated at the top.
 - ii. Page 3 needs to be signed, dated and notarized.
 - b. Federal Tax Returns
 - i. Please make sure that taxes for every year are signed and dated.
 - ii. If you filed electronically, make sure Form 8879 is included and signed.

If you need assistance in gathering paperwork and/or completing the steps, contact Larry Davis at 601-718-7344. He's the Program Director for Systems Consultant Associates and they offer free DBE supportive services.

After we have received all of the requested information, your application will be processed within 90 days.

CERTIFICATION RESOURCES

Civil Rights Page-MDOT

https://mdot.ms.gov/porta/civil_rights

49CFR-Part 26 -Certification Regulations

<https://www.ecfr.gov/current/title-49/subtitle-A/part-26>

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TRIVIA QUESTION

- Are the airports required to obtain annual gross receipts of DBE and non-DBE contractors and subcontractors who seek to work on your federal projects?

- No



- Yes



ARE AIRPORTS REQUIRED TO HAVE A DBELO IF THEY RECEIVED CUMULATIVE TOTAL \$250,000 IN FAA FUNDS IN A FEDERAL FISCAL YEAR

YES

NO



49 CFR 26.11

What Records do Recipients keep
and report

CONTRACT COMPLIANCE



49 CFR 26.37

What are a recipient's responsibilities for monitoring the performance of other program participants?



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If you have any questions, you are welcome to email or call for a conference

THANK YOU

For your attention during this business workshop event.

