

# HOUSE BILL No. 1402

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## DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

**Citations Affected:** IC 4-13-16.5.

**Synopsis:** State contract goals. Provides that to the extent permitted by federal law and regulations, the expenditure of federal economic stimulus fund money and American Rescue Plan Act money is subject to the provisions of the statute relating to providing contracting opportunities for minority business enterprises, women's business enterprises, and veteran owned small businesses. Updates a reference to federal statutes and regulations in the business enterprise statute.

**Effective:** Upon passage.

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January 13, 2022, read first time and referred to Committee on Government and Regulatory Reform.

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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2021 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning state offices and administration.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 4-13-16.5-1.1 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
- 2 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 1.1. A reference to
- 3 a federal statute or regulation in this chapter is a reference to the statute
- 4 or regulation as in effect January 1, ~~2001~~: **2022**.
- 5 SECTION 2. IC 4-13-16.5-1.2 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
- 6 CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
- 7 [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: **Sec. 1.2. (a) For purposes of this**
- 8 **chapter, "contract" includes a contract awarded by a state agency,**
- 9 **paid in whole or in part by federal funds.**
- 10 **(b) As used in this chapter, "federal funds" refers to money**
- 11 **received by the state from any of the following:**
- 12 **(1) The federal economic stimulus fund.**
- 13 **(2) The American Rescue Plan Act.**
- 14 **(c) To the extent permitted by federal law and regulations, the**
- 15 **expenditure of federal funds is subject to this chapter.**
- 16 SECTION 3. **An emergency is declared for this act.**

