



CONSULTANT CERTIFICATION

The Arkansas Department of Transportation requires certification of compliance with Arkansas law for current and prospective Consultants. The requirement applies to entities with current and ongoing contracts and those seeking participation in new contracts.

Pursuant to Arkansas law, an entity must provide certification of compliance with certain regulations prior to entering into a contract with a public entity for an amount as designated by the applicable laws.

1. In accordance with Governor's Executive Order 98-04, Contract and Grant Disclosure and Certification Forms are required for contracts valued more than \$25,000 unless exempt from disclosure requirements. A fillable version of Form EO 98-04 can be found at <https://www.transform.ar.gov/procurement/forms-and-reporting/>. All consultants and applicable subconsultants are required to complete this form when responding to a solicitation. Annual updates are required thereafter.

2. **Israel Boycott Restriction**

For contracts valued at \$1,000 or greater:

A public entity shall not enter into a contract with a company without written certification that the person or company is not currently engaged in a boycott of Israel. If at any time after signing this certification the Consultant decides to engage in a boycott of Israel, the Consultant must notify the contracting public entity in writing. See Arkansas Code Annotated § 25-1-503.

3. **Illegal Immigrant Restriction**

For contracts exceeding \$25,000:

No state agency may enter into or renew a public contract for services with a Consultant who employs or contracts with an illegal immigrant. A Consultant shall certify that it does not employ, or contract with, illegal immigrants. See Arkansas Code Annotated § 19-11-105.

4. **Energy, Fossil Fuel, Firearms, and Ammunition Industries Boycott Restriction**

For contracts valued at, or exceeding, \$75,000:

A public entity shall not enter into a contract with a company unless the contract includes a written certification that the person or company is not currently engaged in, and agrees for the duration of the contract not to engage in, a boycott of an Energy, Fossil Fuel, Firearms, or Ammunition Industry. If a company does boycott any of these industries, see Arkansas Code Annotated § 25-1-1102.

5. **Scrutinized Company Restriction**

Required with bid or proposal submission:

A state agency shall not contract with a Scrutinized Company or a company that employs a Scrutinized Company as a subconsultant. A Scrutinized Company is a company owned in whole or with a majority ownership by the government of the People's Republic of China. A state agency shall require a company that submits a bid or proposal for a contract to certify that it is not a Scrutinized Company and does not employ a Scrutinized Company as a subconsultant. See Arkansas Code Annotated § 25-1-1203.



By signing this form, the Consultant agrees and certifies they are not a Scrutinized Company and they do not currently and shall not for the aggregate term of any contract:

- Boycott Israel.
- Knowingly employ or contract with illegal immigrants.
- Boycott Energy, Fossil Fuel, Firearms, or Ammunition Industries.
- Employ a Scrutinized Company as a subconsultant or subcontractor.

CORPORATION NAME:

Signature

Date

*BUSINESS ENTITY FILING NO.:

*A corporation may not transact business in this state until it obtains a certificate of authority from the Secretary of State. See Arkansas Code Annotated § 4-27-1501. www.sos.arkansas.gov/business-commercial-services-bcs