

**MINORITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (MBE) AND WOMAN
BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (WBE) AFFIDAVIT**

The Missouri Gaming Commission's Regulations require that claim MBE/WBE status to provide either a current MBE/WBE certificate, or attest that they meet the qualifications for MBE/WBE certification prior to allowing business transactions with that vendor to count towards the licensee's MBE/WBE goals. Vendors should complete this form to attest that their company is not certified as a MBE/WBE but it meets the qualifications for MBE/WBE certification as outlined below.

Company name: _____ Taylor's Sausage Company _____

Owner Status: MBE or WBE (circle one or both)

Federal I.D./Social Security Number: _____ 26-1638947 _____

Company Address: _____ 1822 N. Grand Blvd. _____
_____ St. Louis, MO 63106 _____

Company Phone Number: _____ 314-652-3476 _____

Company Email Address: _____ sedward6@sbcglobal.net _____

The company is not MBE/WBE certified but the Company attests that it meets the qualifications for MBE/WBE certification as outlined below.

Missouri Gaming Commission's Qualifications for MBE/WBE certification:¹

1. Is at least fifty-one percent (51%) owned by one or more individual(s) who are a minority or woman; or, in the case of a corporation or other business entity, in which fifty-one percent (51%) of the stock or membership is owned by one or more minorities or women; and whose management and daily business operations are overseen by the minority or woman individual(s) who own it; or
2. Is a sole-proprietorship wholly owned and controlled by a minority or a woman.
3. Owned means having all the customary incidents of ownership, including the right of disposition, and sharing in all risks and profits commensurate with the degree of ownership interest.
4. The minority or woman owner(s) of the business possesses the resources and the requisite expertise to operate effectively in the firm's field of work and the minority or woman owner(s) controls the day-to-day operations of the business.
5. The minority or woman owner(s) has not acquired ownership via a transfer from a nonminority, spouse, relative or employee within one year of creation of the company.

¹These qualifications are based on the requirements set forth by the State of Missouri's Office of Supplier and Workforce Diversity. For the definition of a minority and for questions relating to these qualifications please see www.oswd.mo.gov.

I CERTIFY THAT I AM A MINORITY OR A WOMAN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS AN OWNER OF THE ABOVE-REFERENCE FIRM CLAIMING STATUS AS A MINORITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (MBE) OR WOMAN BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (WBE). I DECLARE, UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY, THAT THE INFORMATION PROVIDED IN THIS APPLICATION AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS IS TRUE AND CORRECT AND UNDERSTANDING THAT IT IS MATERIAL TO PROCEEDINGS OF THE MISSOURI GAMING COMMISSION.

Signed: Stacy M. Edwards Dated: August 27, 2013 *

Printed name of Signatory: Stacy M. Edwards

**This document expires two years from the date signed.*

575.050. 1. A person commits the crime of making a false affidavit if, with purpose to mislead any person, he, in any affidavit, swears falsely to a fact which is material to the purpose for which said affidavit is made.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 of August. I am commissioned
(DAY) (MONTH, YEAR)
as a notary public within the county of City of St. Louis, State of
(NAME OF COUNTY)
Missouri, and my commission expires on 25 December 2014
(NAME OF STATE) (DATE)

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