



**STATE OF LOUISIANA**  
**EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT**  
**BATON ROUGE**

**EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. EWE 93 - 6**

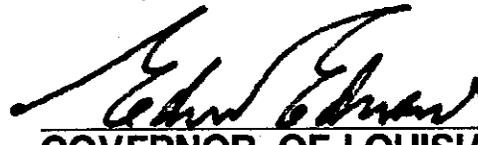
**WHEREAS:** to insure increased participation by the broadest number of minority-owned businesses, Louisiana Minority Business Enterprise Act (R.S. 39:1952, et seq.) requires a ten percent (10%) set aside for each fiscal year for awarding to minority businesses; and

**WHEREAS:** departments and agencies within the executive branch are to comply with the letter and spirit of said law; and

**WHEREAS:** some departments and agencies within the executive branch are violating the spirit of the law by designating certain areas to be exclusively set aside for minorities;

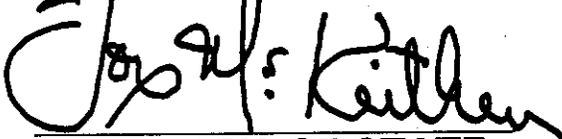
**NOW THEREFORE I, EDWIN W. EDWARDS,** Governor of the State of Louisiana, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana, do hereby order and direct that all departments and agencies within the executive branch comply with all the provisions of the Louisiana Minority Business Enterprise Act, but no department or agency within the executive branch shall designate any particular area to be set aside exclusively for minorities.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** I have hereunto set my hand officially and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Louisiana, at the Capitol, in the City of Baton Rouge, on this 2nd day of March, 1993.

  
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**GOVERNOR OF LOUISIANA**



**ATTEST BY  
THE GOVERNOR**

  
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**SECRETARY OF STATE**