

(a) The efforts undertaken to publicize the provisions of the set-aside program during the preceding fiscal year;

(b) The efforts undertaken to identify small businesses including those owned and operated by socially or economically disadvantaged persons, and the efforts undertaken to encourage participation in the set-aside program;

(c) The efforts undertaken by the commissioner to remedy the inability of small businesses to perform on potential set-aside awards; and

(d) The commissioner's recommendations for strengthening the set-aside program and delivery of services to small businesses.

Sec. 7. The sum of \$40,000 is appropriated to the commissioner of administration for the purpose of implementing this act.

Sec. 8. This act is effective July 1, 1975, except section 3 which shall become effective January 1, 1976.

Approved June 5, 1975.

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#### CHAPTER 384—H.F.No.715

*An act relating to public welfare; clarifying the definition of vendor of medical assistance to cover public health nurses; amending Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 256B.02, Subdivision 7.*

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 256B.02, Subdivision 7, is amended to read:

Subd. 7. **PUBLIC WELFARE; MEDICAL ASSISTANCE; NEEDY PERSONS; PUBLIC HEALTH NURSES.** "Vendor of medical care" means any person or persons furnishing, within the scope of his respective license, any or all of the following goods or services: medical, surgical, hospital, optical, visual, dental and nursing services; drugs and medical supplies; appliances; laboratory, diagnostic, and therapeutic services; nursing home and convalescent care; screening and health assessment services provided by public health nurses; and such other medical services or supplies provided or prescribed by persons authorized by state law to give such services and supplies.

Approved June 4, 1975.

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