

Empire State Development

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Ms. Catherine Thiaville
Metal Solutions, Inc.
1821 Broad Street
Utica, NY 13501

Dear Ms. Catherine Thiaville:

The New York State Department of Economic Development, Division of Minority and Women's Business Development (DMWBD) has completed its review of your application for State Certification as a Women Business Enterprise (WBE). We have determined that your firm meets eligibility requirements for certification, pursuant to New York State Executive Law, Article 15-A.

On behalf of the DMWBD, we are pleased to inform you that the firm of Metal Solutions, Inc. has been granted status as a **Women Business Enterprise (WBE)**. In our effort to help you have the broadest possible reach, your business will be listed in the State's Directory of Certified Businesses with the codes listed on the following page.

Certification status is not intended to imply that the State of New York guarantees your company's capability to perform on State contracts, nor does it imply that your company is guaranteed any State business.

Be advised that your certification expires 3 years from the date of this letter or unless you are contacted by this Office for recertification. We will notify you when your company should submit its application for recertification.

Please remember that any changes in your company that affect ownership, and/or managerial and/or operational control must be reported to this office within thirty (30) days of such changes. These include changes to company name, business address, telephone numbers, principal products/services, and bonding capacity.

If your certification is questioned by any public or private entity, please direct the inquiry to this Office for clarification. Thank you for your cooperation. On behalf of the State of New York, I wish you luck in your business endeavors, particularly those involving State agencies.

Sincerely,



Bette Yee
Director of Certification Operations

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Metal Solutions, Inc. will be listed in New York State's Directory of Certified Businesses with the following list of codes for products and services:

ESD-D-2235: CUSTOM SHEET METAL FABRICATOR

NAICS-332999: ALL OTHER MISCELLANEOUS FABRICATED METAL PRODUCT MANUFACTURING