

MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

**CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION AND
OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS**

The prospective participant certifies to the best of the grant recipient's knowledge and belief that recipient and its principals:

- (A) Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily or otherwise excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
- (B) Have not within a three year period preceding this proposal been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain or performing a public (Federal, State or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; violation of Federal or State antitrust statutes or falsification or destruction of records, making false statements or receiving stolen property;
- (C) Are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a government entity (Federal, State, or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph (B) of this certification;
- (D) Have not within a three-year period preceding this application/proposal had one or more public transactions (Federal, State or local) terminated for cause or default;
- (E) Are current on all taxes due and owing to the State of Missouri; and
- (F) Are in compliance with all state and federal environmental laws and court orders issued pursuant to those laws, and that all environmental violations have been resolved.

I understand that a false statement on this certification may be grounds for rejection of this application/proposal, or termination of the award. In addition, under 18 USC Sec. 1001, a false statement may result in a fine of up to \$10,000 or imprisonment for up to five years, or both.

Typed Name and Title of Recipient or Authorized Representative

Signature of Recipient or Authorized Representative

Date

_____ I am unable to certify to the above statements. My explanation is attached.