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Use the updated DBE CUF Monitoring Report (Form 25A-298) and DBE CUF Verification Report (Form 25A-299) effective Nov. 1, 2019 on all federal projects where a qualified Disadvanted Business Enterprise is participating. The *Alaska Construction Manual* is also updated with the same effective date to include a new Subsection 7.2.4 explaining the DBE CUF monitoring and verification process.

A CUF Monitoring Report (Form 25A-298) must be submitted annually for each DBE that participate in each federally-funded DOT&PF project. This applies to construction, professional services, material suppliers, and any other firms which are certified as a DBE involved in a federal project. A CUF Verification Report (Form 25A-299) is submitted after the DBE is substantially finished with its work, but before project final payment is made.

In addition, DOT&PF on-site construction project engineers and Professional Services Agreement project managers are required to receive annual CUF training before they go onsite or issue a PSA with a DBE. This online training is available at the Research, Development, and Technology Transfer (T2) website. Login to "My Scheduled Training" and select "CUF Federalaid Highway Program Video Training" from the list of available online courses. https://dot.alaska.ecatts.com/lmsTrainingCalendar.

Contact T2 staff if you need assistance with this training requirement.

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