

Small Business Impact Statement

EFFECTIVE DATE OF REGULATION:
Upon filing with the Nevada Secretary of State
Proposed Regulation R048-25

1. **Background:**

The proposed regulation is required due to the passages of AB458, AB493, SB379, and SB440 during the 2025 legislative session. The proposed amended regulation incorporates statutory requirements for solar installation companies, lead generators, and system financiers, and ensures that all parties comply with updated consumer protection provisions.

2. **Description of Solicitation:**

The NSCB intends to solicit comments on the proposed regulation as part of the public workshop scheduled for January 16, 2026.

The proposed regulation places new rules on how companies can solicit business for distributed generation systems and anyone generating leads or referrals for solar installation work must follow certain guidelines and restrictions regarding potential customers.

3. **Does the proposed regulation impose a direct and significant economic burden upon a small business or directly restrict the formation, operation or expansion of a small business?**

The Nevada State Contractors Board has determined that the proposed amendment should not have a negative financial impact upon a small business. The proposed regulation is not expected to negatively impact the formation, operation, or expansion of a small business in Nevada.

4. **How was that conclusion reached?**

The NSCB made a concerted effort to determine whether the proposed amended regulation is likely to impose a direct and significant economic burden upon a small business or directly restrict the formation, operation or expansion of a small business. The NSCB has preliminarily determined that the amended regulation is unlikely to impose a direct and significant economic burden upon a small business, result in any direct or indirect adverse effects on small businesses or directly restrict the formation, operation, or expansion of a small business.

I, David Behar, Executive Officer of the Nevada State Contractors Board, certify that, to the best of my knowledge or belief, a concerted effort was made to determine the impact of the proposed regulation on small business, and that the information contained in the statement above is accurate.

Date: 12/29/25

Signature: 
David Behar, Executive Officer
Nevada State Contractors Board