## DISABILITY SUPPLIER DIVERSITY PROGRAM (DSDP)

USBLN NOW OFFERS NEW
2 YEAR CERTIFICATION FOR
DISABILITY-OWNED BUSINESSES

DISABILITY SUPPLIER DIVERSITY®



## **CERTIFCATION UPDATES:**

- Applies to all USBLN suppliers/applicants of record as of 12/31/17
- Processing fee changes from \$200 annually to \$300 every two years

Beginning January 1, 2018, the USBLN will offer a two-year certification for suppliers, including **veterans with disabilities** and **service-disabled veteran suppliers**.

## **Two-year certification:**

- Creates a larger pool of certified disability suppliers in multicategories for corporate procurement supply chains;
- Provides greater efficiency with less processing, while maintaining the same level of thorough review during the certification and re-certification cycle.

Certified suppliers will receive benefits, i.e. information, education mentoring, and networking. Certified suppliers will be directly linked to USBLN corporate partners across many industries.

The USBLN certification is broadly accepted by hundreds of national and multi-national corporations that are looking for qualified disability suppliers for their supply chains.