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His Excellence, Governor Christopher T. Sununu
and the Honorable Council
State House
Concord, New Hampshire 03301

REQUESTED ACTION

Authorize the Department of Education to make an unencumbered stipend payment to an applicant for travel expenses related to an interview for the position of Attorney III, with the department's search committee in an amount not to exceed \$1,500, effective upon Governor and Council through June 30, 2018. 100% General Funds.

Funding is available in the account titled Governance as follows:

	<u>FY 18</u>
06-56-56-560510-20220000-080-500711 Out-of-State Travel	\$1,500

EXPLANATION

The Department is currently holding confidential interviews for the position of Attorney III, in coordination with the Attorney General's Office. Through the recruitment efforts of both the Department of Education and the Attorney General's Office, 8 applications were received. Phone interviews are conducted for qualified candidates. One of the finalists resides out of state. The Department would like to offer a travel stipend of no more than \$1,500 to the applicant who will be traveling from Kentucky.

Respectfully submitted,

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