



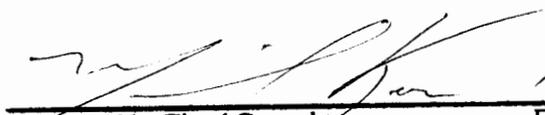
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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
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September 6, 2017

The Honorable Neal M. Kurk, Chairman
Fiscal Committee of the General Court
State House
Concord, NH 03301


Approved by Fiscal Committee 10/2/17
Date

His Excellency, Governor Christopher T. Sununu
and the Honorable Council
State House
Concord, NH 03301

REQUESTED ACTION

1. Pursuant to RSA 9:16-c, authorize the Department of Education, Bureau of Integrated Programs to transfer funds in and among accounting units in the amount of \$10,000, for the continued support of the School Improvement Grant, effective upon Fiscal Committee and Governor and Council approval through June 30, 2019. 100% Federal Funds.
2. Pursuant to RSA 14:30-a, VI, authorize the Department of Education, Bureau of Integrated Programs to accept and expend additional grant funds from the U. S. Department of Education in the amount of \$2,179,841 for the continued support of the School Improvement Grant, effective upon Fiscal Committee and Governor and Council approval through June 30, 2019. 100% Federal Funds.

Funds to be budgeted as follows:

Account: 06-56-56-5630-11310000 School Improvement Grant
Revenue Source Code: 406742

Class	Description	Current FY18 Budget	Request Action #1	Request Action#2	Adjusted FY18 Budget
<u>Income</u>					
000-406742	Federal Funds	(\$1,169,286)	\$0	(1,179,841)	(\$2,349,127)
<u>Expenditures</u>					
010-500100	Personal Ser Perm	\$100	\$0	\$24,118	\$24,218
020-500200	Current Expenses	\$2,500			\$2,500

Class	Description	Current FY18 Budget	Request Action#1	Request Action#2	Adjusted FY18 Budget
<u>Expenditures</u>					
027-502799	Trans to DOIT	\$1,902			\$1,902
028-582814	Trans to Gen Serv	\$477			\$477
029-500290	Intra-Agency Trans	\$1,139			\$1,139
030-500301	Equipment	\$1,000			\$1,000
039-500191	Telecommunications	\$1,025			\$1,025
040-500800	Indirect Costs	\$7,316			\$7,316
041-500801	Audit Fund Set Aside	\$2,547			\$2,547
042-500920	Add Fringe Benefits	\$2,868			\$2,868
060-500601	Benefits	\$10,713	\$0	\$650	\$11,363
067-500557	Train of Providers	\$3,000	(\$3,000)	\$0	\$0
070-500704	In-State Travel	\$2,724	(\$2,000)	\$0	\$724
072-500577	Grants Federal	\$1,126,975	\$10,000	\$1,155,073	\$2,292,048
080-500713	Out-of-State Travel	\$5,000	(\$5,000)	\$0	\$0
	Total	\$1,169,286	\$0	\$1,179,841	\$2,349,127

Class	Description	Current FY19 Budget	Request Action #1	Request Action#2	Adjusted FY19 Budget
<u>Income</u>					
000-406742	Federal Funds	(\$0)	\$0	(\$1,000,000)	(\$1,000,000)
<u>Expenditures</u>					
010-500100	Personal Ser Perm	\$0			\$
020-500200	Current Expenses	\$0			\$
027-502799	Trans to DOIT	\$0			\$
028-582814	Trans to Gen Serv	\$0			\$
029-500290	Intra-Agency Trans	\$0			\$
030-500301	Equipment	\$0			\$
039-500191	Telecommunications	\$0			\$
040-500800	Indirect Costs	\$0			\$
041-500801	Audit Fund Set Aside	\$0	\$0	\$1,000	\$1,000
042-500920	Add Fringe Benefits	\$0			\$
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070-500704	In-State Travel	\$0			\$
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080-500713	Out-of-State Travel	\$0			\$0
	Total	\$0	\$0	\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000

EXPLANATION

The NH Department of Education receives School Improvement Grant (SIG) awards authorized under section 1003(g) of Title I, Part A to substantially raise the achievement of low performing students and schools. The SIG grants require that the funds be awarded to local educational agencies (LEAs) with Priority schools, which are the State's lowest-achieving Title I schools. SIG funds are designated to support the implementation of comprehensive school reform. School Improvement Grants (SIGs), authorized under section 1003(g) of Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (ESEA), are grants to state educational agencies (SEAs). SEAs use the monies to make competitive subgrants to local educational agencies. The criteria for the subgrants are LEAs that demonstrate the greatest need for the funds and the strongest commitment to use the funds to provide adequate resources in order to substantially raise the achievement of students in their lowest-performing schools.

The following appropriation authorities are being requested:

Class 010-Personal Services Perm. – Additional appropriation needed to support an existing position will provide additional assistance to process the SIG funds to LEAs, monitor LEA spending and gather necessary data for proper SIG accountability.

Class 041 – Audit Fund Set Aside – Additional appropriation needed to pay required audit fees.

Class 060-Benefits – Additional appropriation needed to cover the cost of health and dental insurances and FICA for the existing position.

Class 067-Train of Providers - Appropriation reduction due to zero anticipated expenditures for FY 2018.

Class 070-In-State Travel – Appropriations reduced due to travel expenses projected to be less than current appropriation.

Class 072 – Grants-Federal – Additional appropriation needed for subgrants to LEAs.

Class 080-Out-of-State Travel – Appropriation reduction due to zero anticipated expenditures for FY 2018.

The following information is provided in accordance with the Comptroller's instructional memorandum dated September 21, 1981:

1. List All Personnel involved:

Education Consultant II (an existing full-time position)

The Honorable Neal M. Kurk, Chairman
Fiscal Committee of the General Court
and
His Excellency, Governor Christopher T. Sununu
and the Honorable Executive Council
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2. Nature, Need, and Duration:

The Department is requesting authorization to use a portion of additional grant funds to support an existing position. This existing position will provide leadership and support for the grant. The primary goal of the School Improvement Grant is to make competitive subgrants to local educational agencies (LEAs) that demonstrate the greatest need for the funds and the strongest commitment to use the funds to provide adequate resources in order to substantially raise the achievement of students in their lowest-performing schools.

3. Relationship to Existing Agency Programs:

The purpose is to provide additional assistance to process the SIG funds to LEAs, monitor LEA spending, and gather necessary data for proper SIG accountability.

4. Has a Similar Program been Requested of the Legislature and Denied?

No.

5. Why wasn't this Funding Included in the Agency's Budget Request?

At the time that the State's Biennial Budget was being prepared, the waiver of extending grant period for the SIG had not been approved by the US Department of Education.

6. Can any Portion of the Grant Funds Be Utilized?

No. The existing position is necessary to fulfill the intent of the grant that was accepted by the Granting Authority.

7. Estimate the Funds Required to Continue the Position:

No additional funds will be required.

In the event Federal Funds become no longer available, General Funds will not be requested to support this program. Attached are copies of the grant awards.

Respectfully Submitted,



Frank Edelblut
Commissioner of Education

FISCAL SITUATION
06-56-56-5630-11310000 – School Improvement Grant

	<u>Award</u>	<u>G5 Available Balance*</u>
FFY 2013 SIG Grant Award	\$1,374,971	\$ 460,595
FFY 2014 SIG Grant Award	\$1,411,821	\$ 492,960
FFY 2015 SIG Grant Award	\$1,316,025	\$1,148,880
FFY 2016 SIG Grant Award	<u>\$1,282,790</u>	<u>\$1,246,692</u>
Total	\$5,385,607	\$3,349,127

Grant Award Available per G5 6/30/17	\$3,349,127
Less FY 2018 Appropriation 7/1/17	(\$1,169,286)

Grant Funds Available to Appropriate	<u>\$2,179,841</u>
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Add'l Appropriation Requested for FY 2018	\$1,179,841
Appropriation Request for FY 2019	\$1,000,000

*Department of Education draws funds through the Federal G5 System. Available balances above match G5 system as of 6/30/17. See attachment.
The US Department of Education School Improvement grant awards have an active twenty-seven month performance period (fifteen month grant award period with an additional twelve month expenditure period).



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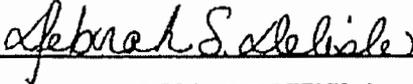
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TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- (1) THIS ACTION IS TO INCREASE THE GRANT AWARD IN THE AMOUNT SHOWN IN BLOCK 7.
- (2) The U.S. Department of Education (ED) is issuing a supplemental fiscal year (FY) 2013 grant award notice due to the reallocation of an award originally intended for a state not applying for SIG.



AUTHORIZING OFFICIAL

SEP 22 2014

DATE

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OFFICE OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

APR 15 2014

The Honorable Virginia M. Barry, Ph.D.
Commissioner of Education
New Hampshire Department of Education
101 Pleasant Street
Concord, New Hampshire 03301-3860

Dear Commissioner Barry,

I am pleased to approve New Hampshire's application for fiscal year (FY) 2013 funds under the School Improvement Grants (SIG) program, authorized by Section 1003(g) of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (ESEA), as amended as well as New Hampshire's request for an extension of the period of availability for FY 2013 funds through September 30, 2017. If New Hampshire decides to make any significant changes to its FY 2013 SIG application, those changes will need to be approved by the Department.

Secretary Duncan and I view turning around our Nation's persistently lowest-achieving schools as one of the most important challenges facing our educational system. I hope the FY 2013 SIG funds will enable you and your local educational agencies to continue to support this effort.

I appreciate the work you and your team are doing to meet the challenges of turning around your State's persistently lowest-achieving schools. New Hampshire's students will benefit greatly from your focus and advocacy. We will continue to provide the assistance and support you need to implement the SIG interventions as effectively as possible. If you have any questions concerning the award notice for your State's SIG grant, please do not hesitate to contact Michael Wells (Michael.Wells@ed.gov), Acting Group Leader of the Office of School Turnaround.

Sincerely,

Deborah S. Delisle
Assistant Secretary
Office of Elementary and Secondary
Education



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TERMS AND CONDITIONS

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Ann Whalen
Assistant Secretary

09/28/2015

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

OFFICE OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

MAY 16 2016

The Honorable Virginia M. Barry
Commissioner of Education
New Hampshire Department of Education
101 Pleasant Street
Concord, NH 03301

Dear Commissioner Barry:

I am writing in response to the New Hampshire Department of Education's (NHDOE) waiver request to extend the period of availability of its fiscal year (FY) 2014 School Improvement Grants (SIG) program funds authorized under section 1003(g) of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (ESEA), as amended by the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001. NHDOE requested this waiver to use the FY 2014 SIG funds through September 30, 2020 for the purpose of making five-year awards to eligible local educational agencies (LEAs) and to extend the period of availability of the FY 2014 school improvement funds for the State educational agency and all of its LEAs to September 30, 2020.

After reviewing the information provided by NHDOE in support of its waiver request, I find that the waiver will advance student academic achievement in New Hampshire. I am therefore, pursuant to my authority under section 8401 of the ESEA, as amended by the Every Student Succeeds Act, granting a waiver of section 421(b) of the General Education Provisions Act to extend the period of availability of New Hampshire's FY 2014 SIG funds until September 30, 2020. I am approving this waiver based on NHDOE's assurance that it will ensure that the FY 2014 SIG funds are used consistent with its approved FY 2014 SIG application and the SIG final requirements. Please note that all FY 2014 funds must be obligated and liquidated by September 30, 2020. Any funds not obligated and liquidated by that date will revert to the U.S. Department of the Treasury.

I appreciate the work you are doing to improve New Hampshire's lowest-performing schools and provide a high-quality education for all of its students. If you have any questions, please contact Collette Roney or Tawanda Avery of my staff at: OSS.NewHampshire@ed.gov.

Sincerely,

Ann Whalen
Senior Advisor to the Secretary
Delegated the Duties of Assistant
Secretary for Elementary and Secondary
Education

cc: Kathryn Nichol, Coordinator for School Improvement Grants

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Ann Whalen
Assistant Secretary

09/28/2016

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
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AUG 12 2015

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The Honorable Virginia Barry
Commissioner of Education
New Hampshire Department of Education
101 Pleasant Street
Concord, NH 03301

Dear Commissioner Barry:

I am pleased to approve New Hampshire's application for new and continuation awards for fiscal year (FY) 2015 and FY 2016 funds under the School Improvement Grants (SIG) program, authorized under Section 1003(g) of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, as amended by No Child Left Behind. This letter awards FY 2015 funds. A separate letter and Grant Award Notification will follow in a few months to award funds for FY 2016 with no further action required from New Hampshire. I also approve New Hampshire's request for an extension of the period of availability of FY 2015 funds under section 421(b) of the General Education Provisions Act, (20 U.S.C. § 1225(b)), until September 30, 2021, so that New Hampshire may make subgrants to local educational agencies (LEAs) for up to five years. Please note that, in addition to obligating all FY 2015 funds by September 30, 2021, those funds must be liquidated by that date as well. Any funds not obligated and liquidated by that date will revert to the U.S. Department of Treasury. My approval of New Hampshire's SIG application and request to extend the period of availability of the funds will allow New Hampshire to fully implement SIG consistent with its approved State application and the revised SIG final requirements (available at: <https://www.federalregister.gov/articles/2015/02/09/2015-02570/final-requirements-school-improvement-grants-title-i-of-the-elementary-and-secondary-education-act>). If New Hampshire decides to make any amendments to its FY 2015 SIG application, those amendments will need to be approved by the U.S. Department of Education (ED).

Turning around our nation's lowest-achieving schools is one of the most significant challenges facing our educational system. I hope the FY 2015 SIG funds will enable you and your LEAs to continue this important work.

I appreciate the work you and your team are doing to meet the challenges of turning around your State's lowest-achieving schools and am confident that New Hampshire's students will benefit from your focus and advocacy. ED will continue to provide assistance and support you to implement the SIG interventions as effectively as possible. If you have any questions concerning the award notice for your State's SIG grant, please contact Collette Roney or Tawanda Avery of my staff at: OSS.NewHampshire@ed.gov.

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The Department of Education's mission is to promote student achievement and preparation for global competitiveness by fostering educational excellence and ensuring equal access.

Thank you for your continued commitment to enhancing education for all of New Hampshire's students.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ann Whalen', with a stylized, cursive script.

Ann Whalen
Senior Advisor to the Secretary
Delegated the Duties of Assistant Secretary for
Elementary and Secondary Education

cc: Kathryn Nichol, New Hampshire Department of Education

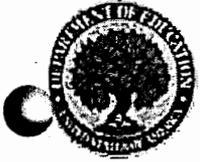


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**Jason Botel
Acting Assistant Secretary**

06/21/2017

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OFFICE OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

OCT 24 2015

The Honorable Virginia Barry, Ph.D.
Commissioner of Education
New Hampshire Department of Education
101 Pleasant Street
Concord, NH 03301

Dear Commissioner Barry:

I am pleased to award New Hampshire its fiscal year (FY) 2016 funds under the School Improvement Grants (SIG) program, authorized under Section 1003(g) of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, as amended by No Child Left Behind.¹ I am also approving New Hampshire's request for an extension of the period of availability of FY 2016 funds under section 421(b) of the General Education Provisions Act, (20 U.S.C. § 1225(b)), until September 30, 2021, so that New Hampshire may make subgrants to local educational agencies (LEAs) for up to four years. My approval of New Hampshire's SIG application and request to extend the period of availability of the funds will allow New Hampshire to fully implement SIG consistent with its approved State application and the revised SIG final requirements (available at: <https://www.federalregister.gov/articles/2015/02/09/2015-02570/final-requirements-school-improvement-grants-title-i-of-the-elementary-and-secondary-education-act>). If New Hampshire decides to make any amendments to its FY 2015–2016 application, those amendments will need to be approved by the U.S. Department of Education (the Department).

Turning around our nation's lowest-achieving schools is one of the most significant challenges facing our educational system. I hope the FY 2016 SIG funds will enable you and your LEAs to continue this important work.

The Department will continue to provide assistance and support you to implement the SIG interventions as effectively as possible. If you have any questions concerning the award notice for your State's SIG grant, please contact Collette Roney or Tawanda Avery of my staff at: OSS.NewHampshire@ed.gov.

¹ Your State's award represents 99.5 percent of its FY 2016 SIG allocation, due to the 0.496 percent reduction in the *Continuing Appropriations and Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies Appropriation Act, 2017, and Zika Response and Preparedness Act*, Pub. Law No. 114-223. Additional changes to FY 2016 Title I, Part A allocations (on which SIG allocations are primarily based) are possible, depending on whether the 0.496 percent reduction in the FY 2016 Title I, Part A funds that became available on October 1, 2016 remains. In the event the .0496 percent is restored, the Department will supplement your State's SIG award accordingly.

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... Thank you for your continued commitment to enhancing education for all of New Hampshire's students.

Sincerely,



Ary Amerikaner
Deputy Assistant Secretary
Delegated the Duties of Assistant Secretary
for Elementary and Secondary Education

cc: Kathryn Nichol, New Hampshire Department of Education

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