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

INFORMATIONAL ITEM

Pursuant to RSA 21-P:43, RSA 4:45, RSA 4:47 and Executive Order 2020-04, as extended by Executive Order 2020-05, 2020-08, 2020-09, 2020-10 and 2020-14, Governor Sununu has authorized the Department of Corrections to accept and expend a sub grant retroactive to January 20, 2020, in the amount of \$65,491.00, from the New Hampshire Department of Justice, to prevent, prepare for, and respond to the coronavirus, from the date of the Governor's approval for the period of January 20, 2020 through January 20, 2022. 100% Federal Revenue received from another State Agency.

Funds are to be budgeted in an account, CESF Grant, Accounting Unit 02-046-046-460510-19420000, Department of Corrections, Corrections Grants, as follows:

Grant Title: CESF Grant				
Account	Description	FY 2020 Current	FY 2020 Requested Action	FY 2020 Adjusted Authorized
020-500200	Supplies	-	65,491.00	65,491.00
	Totals	-	65,491.00	65,491.00
Source of Funds:				
00D-488520	Federal Revenue from NHDOJ	-	(65,491.00)	(65,491.00)

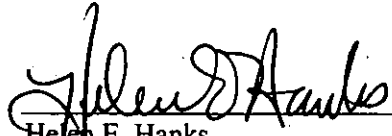
EXPLANATION

The NH Department of Corrections (NHDOC) is requesting to retroactively accept a Coronavirus Emergency Supplemental Funding (CESF) sub grant from the New Hampshire Department of Justice (NHDOJ) in the amount of \$65,491.00 to allow the Department to purchase emergency personal protective equipment.

The NHDOJ is the State Administering Agency (SAA) for the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program (Byrne JAG). The Federal Emergency Appropriations for Coronavirus Health Response and Agency Operations, signed by President Trump on March 27, 2020, contained funding to recipients of the Byrne JAG grant to "prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus". The CESF sub award is retroactive to January 20, 2020, with a project end date of January 20, 2022.

The CESF will assist the NHDOC in the prevention of, preparation for, and response to the COVID 19 pandemic in any of the New Hampshire Department of Corrections facilities. NHDOC continues to obtain the necessary medical, sanitation, and janitorial supplies for the protection and safety of both the residents and employees. The CESF sub grant will allow the NHDOC to acquire additional supplies to ensure the best outcome during the COVID 19 pandemic.

Respectfully Submitted,



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