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January 27, 2016

Her Excellency, Governor Margaret Wood Hassan
and the Honorable Council
State House
Concord, NH 03301

REQUESTED ACTION

Pursuant to RSA 4:8, authorize New Hampshire Employment Security (NHES) to accept a donation from United States Census Bureau in the form of payment for travel-related expenses for an NHES employee to attend a Local Employment Dynamics (LED) Partnership Workshop in Washington, DC. The estimated value of the donation is \$1,250.

EXPLANATION

A donation of an estimated \$1,250 will be made to NHES for the purpose of funding travel-related expenses for an employee in the NHES Economic and Labor Market Information Bureau to attend a scheduled LED Partnership Workshop. The LED Partnership is a voluntary organization of state Workforce Information (WI) providers and Census Bureau representatives who have agreed to work together to develop new information about local labor markets. The LED Workshop will be held on March 7th and 8th, 2016. The recent snow storm in Washington, D.C. has delayed the release of the final agenda for the upcoming annual LED workshop. The announcement of the workshop is attached.

Your consideration of our request is appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

George N. Copadis
Commissioner

GNC/jdr

REGISTER TODAY
For the
2016 Local Employment Dynamics Partnership Annual Workshop
March 7-8, 2016

Join us in our vibrant Capitol in downtown DC for our **2016 Local Employment Dynamics (LED) Partnership Annual Workshop**. This year's workshop is **March 7-8** at the Ronald Reagan Building and International Trade Center, located at 1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC and US Census Bureau at 4600 Silver Hill Road in Suitland, Md. The LED Partnership is a collaborative partnership between state data agencies and the Census Bureau to leverage existing data in the development of new sources of economic and demographic information for policy makers and data users. The workshop provides professional development and networking for Labor Market Information directors, data analysts and data providers at state and federal agencies, nonprofit organizations, businesses, and other data users.

The theme for this year's workshop is "**National Perspective, Local Data.**" We will be highlighting the work of our state Labor Market Information (LMI) partners and other state and local data users through plenary and breakout sessions. By popular demand, we will also be offering hands-on training opportunities throughout the workshop.

Further details and an agenda will be posted on our website. Information on previous workshops can also be found at <http://lehd.ces.census.gov/learning/>.

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If you have any questions about the workshop, please call (301) 763-8303, or email CES.Local.Employment.Dynamics@census.gov.