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September 9, 2010

Dr. Joseph C. Conaty
Director, Academic Improvement and Teacher Quality Programs
Office of Elementary and Secondary Education
U.S. Department of Education
400 Maryland Avenue, S.W., Room 3E314
Washington, DC 20202

Dear Dr. Conaty,

I am pleased to submit to you the original and two copies of the State of New Jersey's application for funding under the Education Jobs Fund Program.

On behalf of the State of New Jersey I look forward to receiving final approval from the Department of its award of funds in the near term. I also want to thank you and your staff for the continued assistance with reviewing our application and providing guidance related to it.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Rochelle R. Hendricks".

Rochelle R. Hendricks
Acting Commissioner

Application of a Governor for Funding under the Education Jobs Fund Program



**U.S. Department of Education
Washington, D.C. 20202**

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EDUCATION JOBS FUND APPLICATION

(Public Law No. 111-226, Section 101)

Legal Name of Applicant: State of New Jersey

DUNS No: 067373258

Employer Identification Number: 216000928

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**Completion of this application constitutes a request by the Governor
for funding under the Education Jobs Fund program.**

The Governor hereby assures that:

1. The State will comply with all applicable statutes, regulations, and its approved Education Jobs Fund (Ed Jobs) application and will use funds under the program in accordance with those statutes and regulations and its approved application;
2. The State will comply with the maintenance-of-effort (MOE) requirements in section 101 (10)(A) of Public Law No. 111-226 (Act) and, within 60 days of the date of the State's grant award, submit to the U.S. Department of Education (Department) the most current applicable MOE data available;
3. The State will use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that ensure proper disbursement of and accounting for funds under the Ed Jobs program, including procedures to ensure compliance with Federal cash management requirements;
4. The State will reserve not more than 2 percent of its allocation for the administrative costs of carrying out its responsibilities with respect to Ed Jobs

funds and will use all remaining funds to make awards to local educational agencies (LEAs) for the support of elementary and secondary education in accordance with section 101(5) of the Act;

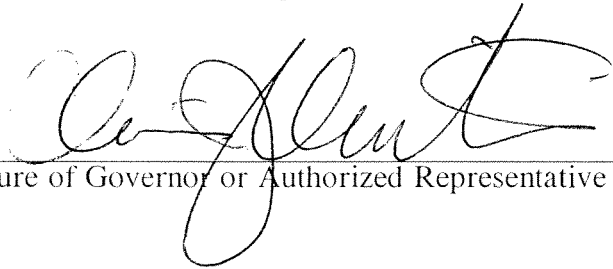
5. The State will make awards to LEAs on a timely basis so that funds are available for their use during the 2010-2011 school year;
6. The State will not require an LEA that has previously submitted the required local application under the State Fiscal Stabilization Fund (SFSF) program to submit an application to receive funding under the Ed Jobs program;
7. The State will not use funds under the Ed Jobs program, directly or indirectly, to (a) establish, restore, or supplement a rainy-day fund; (b) supplant State funds in a manner that has the effect of establishing, restoring, or supplementing a rainy-day fund; (c) reduce or retire debt obligations incurred by the State; or (d) supplant State funds in a manner that has the effect of reducing or retiring debt obligations incurred by the State;
8. The State will develop and implement a monitoring plan that will enable the State to ensure that its LEAs comply with all applicable programmatic and fiscal requirements;
9. The State will comply with the reporting requirements (including subrecipient reporting requirements) of section 1512 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 and such other reporting requirements as the Secretary may establish;
10. The State will comply with all applicable assurances in OMB Standard Form 424B (Assurances for Non-Construction Programs); and
11. With respect to the certification regarding lobbying in Department Form 80-0013, no Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making or renewal of Federal grants under this program; the State will complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," when required (34 C.F.R. Part 82, Appendix B); and the State will require the full certification, as set forth in 34 C.F.R. Part 82, Appendix A, in the award documents for all subawards at all tiers.

The Governor further assures that the State will distribute funds to LEAs on the basis of *either*
– (check one of the boxes below)

- ☒ The State's primary elementary and secondary education funding formula (e) as identified in its application for funding under the SFSF program; *or*
- ☐ The LEAs' relative shares of funds under Part A of Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 for the most recent fiscal year for which data are available.

Chris Christie

Governor or Authorized Representative (Printed Name)



Signature of Governor or Authorized Representative

9/8/10
Date