

<b>AGENCY NAME:</b>	South Carolina Department of Education		
<b>AGENCY CODE:</b>	H630	<b>SECTION:</b>	001

**FORM D – PROVISIO REVISION REQUEST**

<b>NUMBER</b>	<b>1A.59</b>
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*Cite the proviso according to the renumbered list for FY 2019-20 (or mark "NEW").*

<b>TITLE</b>	(SDE-EIA: CDEPP Unexpended Funds)
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*Provide the title from the FY 2018-19 Appropriations Act or suggest a short title for any new request.*

<b>BUDGET PROGRAM</b>	<b>VIII.B - CDEPP</b>
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*Identify the associated budget program(s) by name and budget section.*

<b>RELATED BUDGET REQUEST</b>	None
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*Is this request associated with a budget request you have submitted for FY 2019-20? If so, cite it here.*

<b>REQUESTED ACTION</b>	<b>Amend</b>
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*Choose from: Add, Delete, Amend, or Codify.*

<b>OTHER AGENCIES AFFECTED</b>	First Steps, EOC
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*Which other agencies would be affected by the recommended action? How?*

<b>SUMMARY &amp; EXPLANATION</b>	The proviso allocates unexpended CDEPP funds; this is a fiscal year update.
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*Summarize the existing proviso. If requesting a new proviso, describe the current state of affairs without it. Explain the need for your requested action. For deletion requests due to recent codification, please identify SC Code section where language now appears.*

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<b>FISCAL IMPACT</b>	None
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*Provide estimates of any fiscal impacts associated with this proviso, whether for state, federal, or other funds. Explain the method of calculation.*

<b>PROPOSED PROVISO TEXT</b>	<p>1A.59. (SDE-EIA: CDEPP Unexpended Funds) For Fiscal Year <del>2018-19</del> <u>2019-20</u>, the Office of First Steps to School Readiness is permitted to retain the first \$1,000,000 of any unexpended CDEPP funds of the prior fiscal year and expend these funds to enhance the quality of the full-day 4K program in private centers and provide professional development opportunities.</p> <p>By August first, the Office of First Steps is directed to allocate any additional unexpended CDEPP funds from the prior fiscal year and any CDEPP funds carried forward from prior fiscal years that were transferred to the restricted account for the following purpose: Education Oversight Committee - \$1,000,000 for the South Carolina Community Block Grants for Education Pilot Program.</p> <p>If carry forward funds are less than the amounts appropriated, funding for the items listed herein shall be reduced on a pro rata basis.</p> <p>If by August first, the Department of Education or the Office of First Steps determines there will be funds available, funds shall be allocated on a per pupil basis for districts eligible for participation first, who have a documented waiting list, and funded an extended program per this proviso in the prior school year, then to districts to increase the length of the program to a maximum of eight and a half hours per day or two hundred and twenty days per year or to fund summer programs. By August 1, the Department of Education and the Office of First Steps must collect the documented waiting lists and determine a process to notify parents of eligible students of available slots in all approved providers. If a district chooses to fund summer enrollment the program funding shall conform to the funding in this act for full year programs, however shall be reduced on a pro rata basis to conform with the length of the program. A summer program shall be no more than eight and a half hours per day and shall be not more than ten weeks in length. The per pupil allocation and classroom grant must conform with the appropriated amount contained in this Act and end of year adjustments shall be based on the one hundred and thirty five day student average daily membership or later student average daily membership for districts choosing to extend the program past one hundred and eighty days. Funds may also be used to provide professional development and quality evaluations of programs.</p> <p>No later than April first, the Department of Education and the Office of First Steps must report to the Chairman of the Senate Finance Committee and the Chairman of the</p>
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House Ways and Means Committee on the expenditure of these funds to include the following information: the amount of money used and specific steps and measures taken to enhance the quality of the 4K program and the amount of money used for professional development as well as the types of professional development offered and the number of participants.

*Paste FY 2018-19 text above, then bold and underline insertions and strikethrough deletions. For new proviso requests, enter requested text above.*