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MEMORANDUM

To: The Honorable Marvin L. Abney
 Chairman, House Finance Committee

The Honorable William J. Conley, Jr.
 Chairman, Senate Finance Committee

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Date: March 5, 2018

Subject: Amendment to Article 11 of the FY 2019 Appropriations Act
 (18-H-7200)

The Governor requests that the following change be made to the Article 11 entitled "Relating to Workforce Development".

Page 277 (of the full bill), Line 18 remove the comma and insert the word "above" after 28-43-8.5.

The intent of this new language was to permit any funding received in excess of the base job development assessment of 0.19% to be used to support employment services programs operated by the Department of Labor and Training. Omission of the word "above" in this new language incorrectly made it appear that all funds received from this assessment would be use for these programs.

If you have any questions regarding this amendment, please feel free to call me at 222-6300.

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