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Re: Adequacy Aid Calculations
From: Virginia Barry, Commissioner
To: Superintendents
CC: John Beardmore, Commissioner Department of Revenue Administration

Attached please find the revised Adequacy Aid for FY2016. These revisions have been updated using the FY2014-15 ADM data submitted to the NH DOE as of Wednesday, September 14th. The Department of Education reserves the right under **RSA 198:42 I** to make adjustments to the final grant payment in April 2016 necessitated by variations in the ADM data.

RSA 198:42 – Distribution Schedule of Adequate Education Grants; Appropriation.

- I. The adequate education grant determined in RSA 198:41 shall be distributed to each municipality's school district or districts legally responsible for the education of the pupils who attend approved public schools within the district or in other districts or who attend approved programs for children with disabilities, as the case may be, from the education trust fund in 4 payments of 20 percent on September 1, 20 percent on November 1, 30 percent on January 1, and 30 percent on April 1 of each school year; provided that for a dependent school district, the grant determined in RSA 198:41 shall be distributed to the municipality, which shall appropriate and transfer the grant funds to its dependent school department. During the course of the school year, the commissioner may make adjustments in grant payments necessitated by variations in the ADMA data for a school district for any fiscal year in which the ADMA calculation is made.