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Memorandum

To: Superintendents, ESU Administrators, and Distance Education Coordinators

From: NDE Education Technology

Date: 7/2/2012

Re: End of Program for Distance Education Equipment Reimbursements, 79-1336 R.S.S.

With the sunset of the Distance Education Equipment Reimbursement program drawing closer it is important to assure that everyone is well informed of deadlines and processes.

Pursuant to R.S.S. 79-1336, the program's last and final application deadline for submission of equipment reimbursement requests will be July 1, 2013. Completed applications must include proof of payment for eligible equipment and services. Proof of payment can be in the form of copies of receipts of payment, payment vouchers/checks, accounting system records, and or proof of local board approvals of payments paid between July 14, 2006 and June 30 2013. Reimbursement payments will be paid from the state's 2013-14 fiscal year allocations which begin July 1, 2013. Payments will be made to districts and ESUs before September 1, 2013. This will be the last and final opportunity to apply for equipment reimbursement and the sunset of the program.

Incentives payments for course exchanges pursuant to R.S.S. 79-1337 continue with final application for that program occurring on August 1, 2015.

Visit the NDE Distance Education webpage for additional information and application updates at <http://www.education.ne.gov/TEHCEN/DistanceEducation.html>

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