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Governor

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OKLAHOMA SECRETARY
OF STATE

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

EXECUTIVE ORDER 2010-26

I, Brad Henry, Governor of the State of Oklahoma, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Sections 1 and 2 of Article VI of the Oklahoma Constitution, hereby state and order as follows:

The State Department of Education is an agency under the Executive Branch of state government, and subject to the authority of the Governor.

Although the Legislature did not pass a directive spending bill requiring the State Department of Education to fund essential programs, as is its customary practice, due to time constraints at the end of session, it is the intent of the Governor and the Legislature that these programs be funded.

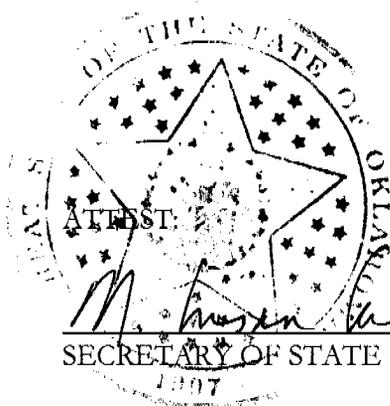
In order to accommodate the needs served through these programs, the State Board of Education shall apportion funds appropriated by Enrolled Senate Bill No. 1561 of the 2nd Session of the 52nd Oklahoma Legislature to those programs listed in Sections 5 through 36 of Enrolled House Bill No. 1137 of the 1st Session of the 52nd Oklahoma Legislature. Apportioned amounts shall be proportional to those amounts listed, but shall not be decreased by more than 7.9% to reflect the decrease in appropriation to the State Board of Education from FY 2010 to FY 2011.

Copies of this Executive Order shall be distributed to the State Superintendent of Public Instruction and the State Board of Education who shall cause the provisions of this order to be implemented.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Oklahoma to be affixed at Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, this 10th day of June, 2010.

BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

BRAD HENRY



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