

**Office of State Budget and Management**  
**Establish New, Receipt-Supported Positions**  
(G.S. 143-34.1)

**Agency:** Dept of Public Instruction

**Division:** Office of the Deputy State Superintendent

**Budget Code:** 13510

**Center Title:** Education Management Area

**Center Number:** 1000

**\*\*\* Position Information \*\*\***

**Proposed Classification:** DPI Education Program Director II      **Proposed Salary Grade:** 82

**Salary Range:** \$54,040 - \$86,285      **Proposed Effective Date:** 2/1/04

**Number of Positions:** 1

	<u><b>Center Authorized Budget</b></u>	<u><b>Current Request</b></u>
Total Budget	\$ 5,152,458	\$ 98,442
Receipts	<u>1,885,232</u>	<u>98,442</u>
Appropriation	\$ 3,267,226	\$

Funding Source(s): Federal Grant - Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act

Justification for Position (including description of duties and responsibilities):

When No Child Left Behind was signed into law on January 8, 2002, the Department of Public Instruction had no formal organizational unit to coordinate all of the activities required to implement the law. After nearly two years of implementation, it is clear that NCLB impacts every area, division, and section of the agency, as well as every school system in the state. Establishing this position guarantees that all of the requirements in the statute will be carried out. No Child Left Behind impacts on every one of the four major areas in the Department of Public Instruction, and all 117 school systems and 95 charter schools receive funding from No Child Left Behind. The extensive nature of the legislation requires oversight at the highest level in the Department to ensure that all requirements are met and that staff understand the interrelationships that exist in No Child Left Behind.

The primary purpose of the Coordinator of Federal Programs is to coordinate the activities of all Department of Public Instruction staff to ensure that all requirements of NCLB are carried out. This includes developing policies and procedures to implement certain key elements of the legislation, ensuring that Department of Public Instruction staff cooperate and collaborate in the implementation of the statute, and ensuring that all of the information required by the United States Department of Education is collected and submitted according to prescribed timelines and using prescribed forms

Statutory Reference for Request

Philip Price

Presentation to be made by

Associate Superintendent for Financial &  
Business Services

Title

Agency Head Signature

State Budget Officer Signature