

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

Agency: NC Community College System **Division:** Workforce & Economic Development

Budget Code: 16800 **Center Title:** Career Readiness **Center Number:** 15001584

***** Position Information *****

Proposed Classification: Workforce Development Specialist **Proposed Salary Grade:** 75

Salary Range: \$41,366 – \$65,282 **Proposed Effective Date:** 03 / 01 / 06

Number of Positions: 1

	<u>Center Authorized Budget</u>	<u>Current Request</u>
Total Budget	\$ 80,155.00	\$ 80,155.00
Receipts	<u>80,155.00</u>	<u>80,155.00</u>
Appropriation	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00

Funding Source(s): Career Readiness Certification – Workforce Investment Act Funds through the Division of Employment and Training in the Department of Commerce.

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

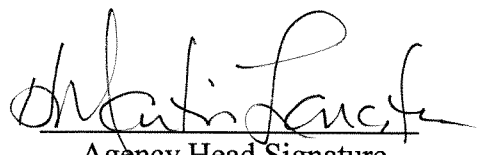
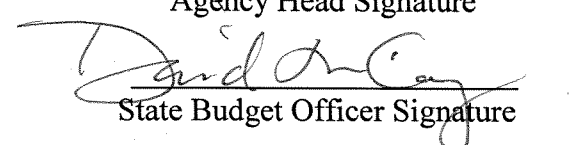
This position was created originally in the 2005 Conference Report on Continuation, Capital and Expansion Budget (Item 157) as an Education Consultant II position. This request is to change the classification from an Education Consultant II to a Workforce Development Specialist. Initially it was expected that an education background would be needed for this program. After further review of the position requirements, it was determined that due to the highly specialized workforce development work to be performed, a subject matter expert in the area of WorkKeys assessments to assist with the state design, delivery and roll out of the Career Readiness Certification Initiative is required.

This request is being submitted in accordance with Senate Bill 622, Section 6.5, “the Director of the Budget may not change the classification or increase the number of receipt-supported positions without prior consultation with the Joint Legislative commission on Governmental Operations.”

Statutory Reference for Request

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Presentation to be made by

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Title


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State Budget Officer Signature