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Memorandum

To: The Honorable Marvin L. Abney
 Chairman, House Finance Committee

The Honorable Daniel DaPonte
 Chairman, Senate Finance Committee

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Date: January 23, 2017

Subject: Amendment to Article 1 – Relating to Making Appropriations in Support of FY 2018 and Article 10 – Relating to Making Revised Appropriations in Support of FY 2-017 (17-H-5175)

The Governor's proposed supplemental budget does not remove funding for the Institute for the Study and Practice of Nonviolence and thus language stricken in Article 10 on page 16, line 9 and 10, was stricken incorrectly. In addition, the Governor's proposed FY 2018 budget continues funding of \$200,000 for this organization and thus language identifying this funding allocation should have been included in Article 1.

As a result of this error in the Appropriations Act as submitted to the General Assembly, the Governor requests that Article 1, page 15, line 4 be changed as follows:

“Rhode Island, and \$520,000 for the Community Action Fund, and \$200,000 for the Institute for the Study and Practice of Nonviolence’s Violence Reduction Strategy.”

In addition, the Governor requests that the language stricken in Article 10, page 16, lines 9 and 10, be unstricken and that the insertion of “and” on line 8 be removed.

Finally, Line 7 on page 38 of Article 10, should reflect an enacted FTE authorization of 93.0 for the Office of the Public Defender, not 92.0 as listed.

If you have any questions regarding this amendment, please feel free to contact me (222-6300).

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Attachment

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