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The Honorable Edward J. Kasemeyer  
Chairman  
Senate Budget and Taxation Committee  
3 West  
Miller State Office Building  
Annapolis, Maryland 21401

The Honorable Norman H. Conway  
Chairman  
House Appropriations Committee  
Room 121  
House Office Building  
Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Dear Senator Kasemeyer and Delegate Conway:

I am submitting this report in accordance with the requirement noted on page 117 of the 2014 Joint Chairmen's Report on the Operating Budget and the State Capital Budget and Related Recommendations. The Maryland State Department of Education (MSDE) is required to report on the number of loaned educator contracts and any conversion of these to regular positions by December 16, 2014 and annually thereafter.

As of December 1, 2014, MSDE is engaged in seven loaned educator contracts. The attached listing represents the current census report on loaned educator contracts and includes job function, title, salary, fund source(s) for the contract, first year of the contract, the number of years the loaned educator has been engaged by the State, and whether the educator files a financial disclosure statement.

Five loaned educator contracts have been eliminated since last year's report. Three of these conversions were possible by the allocation of new budgeted positions in fiscal year 2015. The remaining two loaned educator conversions were eliminated within existing resources. We are pleased to note the progress made from 78 loaned educators in 2008 to this year's seven.

The contributions of local experience and expertise that our loaned educators bring to the work of the Department are significant. We will continue to explore ways in which we can capitalize on these strengths while meeting the goal of limiting their involvement to special, short-term projects where local talent is a necessity. Should you have any questions regarding the information contained in this report, please contact Ms. Kristy Michel, Deputy State Superintendent for Finance and Administration at 410-767-0011 or [kristy.michel@maryland.gov](mailto:kristy.michel@maryland.gov). Thank you for your ongoing efforts on behalf of a strong public education for all of Maryland's children.

Sincerely,

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C: Kristy L. Michel, Deputy Superintendent for Finance and Administration  
Rebecca Ruff, Department of Legislative Services

Attachment (1)

**Maryland State Department of Education  
Fiscal Year 2015  
Loaned Educator Report**

<b>Job Function</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>First Year of Contract</b>	<b>Length of Service</b>	<b>FY 15 Salary</b>	<b>FY 15 Fund Source</b>	<b>Financial Disclosure Statement Status</b>
Assessment	Education Program Specialist II	07/01/2007	7.4	121,989.00	General	*
Spec. Educ. Coord. Svcs.	Education Program Manager I	07/01/2003	11.5	149,139.00	Federal & General	Yes
Administration and Quality Assurance	Education Program Specialist I	08/29/2005	9.3	123,078.00	Federal	*
Reading/English Language Arts	Education Program Specialist II	07/01/2008	6.5	125,044.06	Federal	*
Administration and Quality Assurance	Education Program Specialist I	10/10/2007	7.1	129,426.88	Federal	*
Assessment Planning	Education Program Specialist II	06/16/2003	11.5	98,427.00	General	Yes
Elementary School Initiatives	Education Program Manager I	08/23/2006	8.3	140,649.56	General	Yes

Y = Required Filed

S = Submitted to Ethics Commission for Inclusion

\* = Based on State Ethics Commission guidelines, duties/responsibilities do not require filing. Comparable PINs do not file.

Office of Human Resources

11/12/2014