

MEMORANDUM

To: Joint Fiscal Committee Members

From: Rebecca Buck, Staff Associate

Date: July 1, 2009

Subject: Small Grant & Gift Requests--Quarterly Report

In accordance with the provisions of 32 V.S.A. § 5(a)(3) (as amended in Secs. 394 and 406 of Act No. 65 of 2007 and as further amended in Sec. 92 of Act No. 4 of 2009*), the Joint Fiscal Office is required to submit quarterly reports for small grant and gift requests with a value of \$5,000 or less.

For the quarter ending June 30, 2009, the Joint Fiscal Office received notification of the following item with a value of \$5,000 or less:

Received on May 21, 2009; \$500 grant from the National Association of Attorneys General to the Office of the Attorney General of Vermont to fund enforcement of the state's ban on internet sales of tobacco to Vermont consumers.

*Sec. 394. 32 V.S.A. § 5(a)(3) is amended to read:

(3) This section shall not apply to the acceptance of grants, gifts, donations, loans, or other things of value with a value of \$5,000.00 or less, provided that such acceptance will not incur additional expense to the state or create an ongoing requirement for funds, services, of facilities. The secretary of administration and joint fiscal office shall be promptly notified of the source, value and purpose of any items received under this subdivision. The joint fiscal office shall report all such items to the joint fiscal committee quarterly.