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March 19, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Appropriations Committee
H-305 The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Appropriations Committee
1036 Longworth HOB
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Cognitive Behavioral Intervention Training for Staff project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is New York City Department of Probation, located at 33 Beaver Street, New York, NY 10004.

The proposed funding will strengthen the Department of Probation's ability to reduce recidivism and improve public safety by supporting evidence-based interventions and modernized service delivery. Specifically, funds will be used to train probation staff in Cognitive Behavioral Intervention (CBI) techniques—proven methods that address harmful thought patterns linked to criminal behavior—and to implement integrated technology platforms that enhance case management, program coordination, and outcome tracking across mental health services, CBI programming, and workforce training initiatives.

This project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes described in section 501 of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. § 10152).

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,



Gregory W. Meeks
Member of Congress

