DISCLOSURE BY ELECTED PUBLIC EMPLOYEE
OF EXPENSES RELATED TO ATTENDANCE AT AN EVENT
SERVING A LEGITIMATE PUBLIC PURPOSE
AS REQUIRED BY 930 CMR 5.08(3)(b)

	ELECTED PUBLIC EMPLOYEE INFORMATION
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Write an X to confirm each statement.	I am filing this disclosure because: X My attendance at an event will serve a legitimate public purpose, i.e., it will promote the interests of the Commonwealth, a county or a municipality; and ___ A non-public entity (but not a lobbyist) has offered to pay or waive expenses worth $50 or more related to the event.
	EVENT ATTENDED
Describe the event that you will attend.	I attended the National Conference of State Legislatures' ("NCLS") Program -- 1775 to Today: Lessons in Leadership (the "Leadership Program")
Describe your participation in the event.	I was a participant in the Leadership Program.
Date, time and location of event.	September 24 – 26, 2026 Element Hotel Lexington, 727 Marrett Rd B, Lexington, MA 02421 In addition, the Leadership program held sessions at different sites in Lexington and Concord, Massachusetts including the Inn at Hastings Park, the Isaac Harris Clay Memorial Building, the Concord Scout House, and the Colonial Inn.
	EXPENSES RELATED TO INCIDENTAL HOSPITALITY
Identify the person or organization that offered to reimburse, pay or waive expenses.	National Conference of State Legislatures

Address of person or organization.	7700 E. First Place Denver, CO 80230
Provide information in as much detail as possible:	***Itemization and explanation of amounts offered:***
Transportation:	*Air, train, bus, and taxi fare and rental car hire, etc.* Ground Transportation: $78.00
Meals:	*Breakfast, lunch, dinner, special* $311 (for meals, receptions and snacks)
Admission:	*Admission, tickets, etc.*
Other (please list):	*Refreshment, entertainment, etc.* Lodging: $430.00 (2 nights) Pocket Copy of the Declaration of Independence: $20.00
Total:	$839.00
For the exemption to apply, check off both statements.	**Having disclosed the facts above, I determine that:** __X Acceptance of the reimbursement, waiver or payment of travel expenses will serve a legitimate public purpose i.e., will promote the interests of the Commonwealth, a county or a municipality; AND __X Such public purpose outweighs any special non-work related benefit to me or to the person providing the reimbursement, waiver or payment.
Please explain how the activity will promote the interests of the Commonwealth, a county or a municipality.	The Leadership Program provided me with the opportunity to join with other elected officials from across the United States to examine the events that took place in Lexington and Concord in 1775 and to learn and discuss the lessons in leadership that arose out of those historical events. In addition, the Leadership Program allowed participants to share thoughts on our democratic values and to exchange insights on how such historic leadership lessons apply to our core legislative functions, policymaking, governance, and civic engagement, all of which will inform my policy work in the Massachusetts Senate on behalf of the Commonwealth and its resident.
Employee signature:	
Date:	10/15/2026

Attach additional pages if necessary.

Elected state or county employees – file with the State Ethics Commission.

Members of the General Court – file with the House or Senate clerk or the State Ethics Commission.

Elected municipal employee – file with the City Clerk or Town Clerk.