**§19252. Authorization for expenditure of funds**

The bureau may make grants to community-based AIDS organizations or fiscal agents for the purposes of maintaining a statewide network of volunteer organizations that are members of a statewide AIDS alliance and supporting the work of those organizations. [PL 1989, c. 501, Pt. P, §20 (NEW).]

**1. Grants.**  Grants shall be made according to rules adopted by the bureau. In order to be eligible for a grant, the applicant must match state funds, in a percentage to be determined by the bureau, from community contributions of cash or contributions in kind.

[PL 1989, c. 501, Pt. P, §20 (NEW).]

**2. Award of grants.**  Grants awarded shall be based on submission to the bureau of an annual plan which includes, but is not limited to, community education, materials and ongoing operations of the organization.

[PL 1989, c. 501, Pt. P, §20 (NEW).]

**3. Distribution of grants.**  Grants shall be awarded to support existing community-based AIDS organizations and to assist the establishment of new community-based AIDS organizations. The bureau shall award the first grant no later than October 1, 1989.

[PL 1989, c. 501, Pt. P, §20 (NEW).]

**4. Consultation with statewide AIDS alliance.**  The bureau shall seek the advice of a statewide AIDS alliance regarding the distribution of grants before any grants are awarded.

[PL 1989, c. 501, Pt. P, §20 (NEW).]

SECTION HISTORY

PL 1989, c. 501, §P20 (NEW).

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