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May 9, 2024

The Honorable Jeanne Shaheen  
Chair  
Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice,  
Science, and Related Agencies  
Committee on Appropriations  
United States Senate  
Dirksen Senate Office Building, Room 142  
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Jerry Moran  
Ranking Member  
Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice,  
Science, and Related Agencies  
Committee on Appropriations  
United States Senate  
Hart Senate Office Building, Room 125  
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Chair Shaheen and Ranking Member Moran:

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested in the Fiscal Year 2025 Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies appropriations bill, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate. None of the entities for which I have requested congressionally directed spending are for-profit entities.

Sincerely,



BERNARD SANDERS  
United States Senator

**Sanders, Bernard(I-VT) Commerce, Justice and Science  
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

<b>Recipient Name</b>	<b>Project Purpose</b>	<b>Project Location</b>	<b>Amount Requested (\$000)</b>
Town of St. Albans	With this funding, the St. Albans Police Department will hire two police officers dedicated to narcotics and fentanyl prevention and interdiction.	Franklin County VT	\$210
Memphremagog Community Maritime	With this funding, Memphremagog Community Maritime will further develop and expand its center and programming.	Newport VT	\$317
State of Vermont Department of Public Safety	With this funding, the State of Vermont Department of Public Safety will upgrade its current aging communications equipment with more secure and effective equipment in order to improve public safety.	Statewide VT	\$4,100
Vermont Legal Aid	With this funding, Vermont Legal Aid will create a mobile legal clinic to bring their services to people in communities across the state.	Statewide VT	\$1,601
Vermont Legal Aid	With this funding, Vermont Legal Aid (VLA) will expand and enhance its work to ensure victims receive adequate support and services.	Statewide VT	\$385