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### **STATE OFFICE OF SPECIAL EDUCATION FFY 2020 FEDERAL GRANT APPLICATION AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC REVIEW**

ST. THOMAS, USVI – The Virgin Islands Department of Education, State Office of Special Education (SOSE), announces the availability of copies of its FFY 2020 IDEA Part B Federal Grant Application for public review, in both school districts, over the next 60 days.

Comments will be accepted up to 30 days after the close of the public review period and may be submitted to SOSE Director Dr. Renee Charleswell via email at [renee.charleswell@vide.vi](mailto:renee.charleswell@vide.vi) or brought to the office from April 9 to May 9.

Copies of the grant application, containing a tentative state budget, may be obtained from the offices of Special Education (state and district); the superintendent of schools; the Office of the Commissioner of Education, in both school districts; the University of the Virgin Islands campuses; the Charles W. Turnbull Regional Library in St. Thomas; the Florence Williams Public Library in Christiansted, St. Croix; and the Julius E. Sprauve School on St. John. A copy may also be found at the Department's website, [www.vide.vi](http://www.vide.vi), under "Our Divisions, Special Education."

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