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| **Name of Grant Program:** Innovation Schools Enhancement Grant | **Fund Code:** 158 |

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| PART III – REQUIRED PROGRAM INFORMATION |

Please complete each of the fields below.

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| **GENERAL INFORMATION** | |
| **School Name:** | |
| **Year Open:** | **Grades Served:** |
| **Total Enrollment** (as of September 2017): | **School Type** (New/Academy/Conversion): |

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| Please indicate Yes/No for priority areas 1 and 2 below.  The Department will assess whether the applicant meets the remaining priority areas as stated in the RFP based on a review of the Description of Fund Use. |
| 1. Does the applicant operate an approved innovation school or academy in a district designated as Level 3 or 4 based on 2016 accountability data? <http://profiles.doe.mass.edu/statereport/accountability.aspx>   ***Indicate Yes/No:*** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| 1. Does the applicant operate an approved innovation school designated as Level 3 or 4 based on 2016 accountability data? <http://profiles.doe.mass.edu/statereport/accountability.aspx>   ***Indicate Yes/No:*** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |

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| **PART III - REQUIRED PROGRAM INFORMATION-NARRATIVE** |

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| **Section A-Description of Fund Use** |

In a separate Word document no more than five (5) pages in length, please address the following:

1. Describe how implementation of the approved innovation plan (or subsequent addendum) supports **increased** student achievement. Please include data to support the response.\*
2. Describe how the implementation of the approved innovation plan (or subsequent addendum) supports the **reduction** of achievement gaps between student subgroups **and** improves teaching and learning. Please include data to support the response.\*
3. Identify the **specific** area of autonomy that has been selected for enhancement. Include in the response:
4. Process used to identify the area of autonomy.
5. Stakeholders involved in the selection process.
6. Rationale for enhancing the innovation plan.
7. Describe the grant funded activities that will be developed and implemented. Responses must describe how grant funded activities will be expected to improve implementation of the approved innovation plan.
8. Describe how the effectiveness of the use of grant funds will be determined.
9. Describe how grant funded activities will be sustained beyond the duration of the grant.

*\*Submitted data may include internal (e.g., benchmark data, MAGs, etc.) and external assessment data. Please submit all data in aggregate form. Do not submit student level data.*