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

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	ELECTED PUBLIC EMPLOYEE INFORMATION
Name of elected public employee:	Senator Cynthia Stone Creem
Title/ Position	Massachusetts State Senator
Office:	State Senate Assistant Majority Leader Chair, Bills in Third Reading
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	I am filing this disclosure because:
Write an X to confirm each statement.	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
	x_ 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.	The Friends of the Israel Defense Forces 2017 Annual Dinner consists of an Annual Reception and Benefactors' Dinner at the Boston Convention and Exhibition Center for supporters of the educational, social and spiritual needs of the Israeli Defense Forces.
Describe your participation in the event.	I will be presenting a Citation during the reception.
Date, time and location of event.	Tuesday, December 5, 2017 at 5 PM, Boston Convention Center, 415 Summer St, Boston, MA 02210
Identify the person or	EXPENSES RELATED TO INCIDENTAL HOSPITALITY Michael Field who serves on the Board of the New England Chapter of the Friends of
organization that offered to reimburse, pay or waive expenses.	Michael Field who serves on the Board of the New England Chapter of the Friends of the Israel Defense Forces.

Address of person or organization.	Michael Field, Field & Schultz, 183 State Street, Boston, MA 02109
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. \$0
Meals:	Breakfast, lunch, dinner, special events. Reception and Dinner- Suggested Contribution- \$360.00
Admission:	Admission, tickets, etc.
Other (please list):	Refreshment, entertainment, etc.
Total:	Suggested Contribution-\$360.00
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.	I will be presenting a Massachusetts Senate Citation to the New England Region of the Friends of the Israel Defense Forces which will remind attendees of the importance of preserving the economic and social relationship between the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the State of Israel.
Employee signature:	Cyll Ken
Date:	12/1/17

Attach additional pages if necessary.

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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.