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November 6, 2019

His Excellency, Governor Christopher T. Sununu  
and the Honorable Council  
State House  
Concord, NH 03301

Your Excellency and Members of the Council:

**REQUESTED ACTION**

That approval be and hereby is given to the Attorney General to grant a salary increase to Joshua C. Harrison, as an Assistant Attorney General (Position #9U220, Appropriation #02-20-20-200510-2613-013-500132), from a salary level of \$63,900 to a salary level of \$70,000 **retroactive** to July 1, 2019 upon Governor and Executive Council approval.

**EXPLANATION**

In accordance with the 2001 N.H. Laws Chapter 158, Section 101, and 2018 N.H. Laws Chapter 162, Section 14, this request seeks your approval to grant a salary increase for Assistant Attorney General Joshua C. Harrison. This item is **retroactive** because funds in the Fiscal Year 2020-2021 biennium budget were not available to submit this request prior to July 1, 2019.

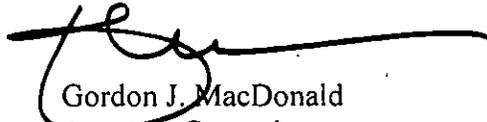
Mr. Harrison is a resident of Concord. He received his law degree from the University of New Hampshire School of Law in May of 2017. He joined the Department of Justice in October 2017 in the Environmental Protection Bureau and was appointed an Assistant Attorney General on October 26, 2018. Mr. Harrison's salary will increase by \$6,100, from \$63,900 to \$70,000. I will continue his assignment in the Environmental Protection Bureau.

RSA 94:1-a(I)(c)(3) provides that designation of positions, salary levels, and salary increases for attorneys at the Department of Justice shall be determined by the Attorney General, subject to approval of the Governor and Council, within appropriations made to the Department of Justice.

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I respectfully urge your favorable consideration of this request. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,



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