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January 2, 2019

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

Requested Action


Pursuant to RSA 94:3, the Department of Safety, with the authorization of the Office of the Governor, respectfully requests approval of an annual salary step increase for Richard C. Bailey, Jr., Assistant Commissioner of the Department of Safety (unclassified position #9U539), in the amount of \$6,197.35, from Grade JJ, Step 6 (\$125,159.85) to Grade JJ, Step 7, with a new annual salary of \$131,357.20, effective January 4, 2019, effective upon Governor and Council approval.

Explanation

RSA 94:3 "Yearly Service Increases" states, in part, that "upon recommendation of the appointing authority, the holder of any position mentioned in RSA 94:1-a shall be entitled to an annual increase in salary amounting to 1/5 of the difference between the minimum and maximum salary for said position but in no case shall the total salary exceed the maximum as herein established".

Assistant Commissioner Bailey has been at Step 6 for at least one year and is eligible to advance to Step 7 on the salary scale effective January 4, 2019. The Assistant Commissioner assists with the oversight of the Department of Safety, which includes the Divisions of Administration, Motor Vehicles, State Police, Homeland Security & Emergency Management, Emergency Services & Communications, Fire Standards/Training & Emergency Medical Services, and Fire Safety.

Respectfully submitted,


John J. Barthelmes
Commissioner of Safety