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August 23, 2022

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

REQUESTED ACTION

Pursuant to RSA 21-I:54, authorize the Department of Employment Security to continue three full-time temporary *Attorney III* positions, Position ## 8T3077, 8T3078 and 8T3079, salary grade 30, effective upon Governor and Council approval or October 9, 2022, whichever is later, through October 8, 2023. 100% Federal Funds.

Funding is available in the following accounts for Fiscal Year 2023 and is anticipated to be available in Fiscal Year 2024, upon the availability and continued appropriation of funds in the future operating budget.

	<u>FY 2023</u>	<u>FY 2024</u>
02-27-27-270010-80400000-050-500109 Part Time Salaries	\$159,386	\$58,721
02-27-27-270010-80400000-060-500601 Benefits	\$78,144	\$28,789

EXPLANATION

The three *Attorney III* positions, ## 8T3077, 8T3078 and 8T3079, currently end October 8, 2022. These positions were created to assist with the handling of second level appeals of unemployment compensation determinations arising during the pandemic and are essential to maintain adequate staffing to ensure Department compliance with the state and federal eligibility and regulatory requirements.

Respectfully submitted,

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Commissioner

cc: NHES Human Resources