

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Honorarium or Expense Reimbursement Report
Executive Branch - RSA 15-B



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Office/Appointment/Employment held: Commissioner, Public Utilities Commission

List the full name, post office address, occupation, and principal place of business, if any, of the source of any reportable honorarium or expense reimbursement. When the source is a corporation or other entity, the name and work address of the person representing the corporation or entity in making the honorarium or expense reimbursement must be provided in addition to the name of the corporation or entity.

Source of Honorarium or Expense Reimbursement:

Name of source:
First Middle Last

Post Office Address:

Occupation:

Principal Place of Business:

If source is a Corporation or other Entity:

Name of Corporation or Entity: Business & Industry Association

Name of Corporate/Entity Representative: Michael Skelton

Work Address of Representative: 122 North Main Street Concord, NH 03301

Value of Honorarium: Date Received: If exact value is unknown, provide an estimate of the value of the gift or honorarium and identify the value as an estimate. Exact Estimate

Value of Expense Reimbursement: \$500 Date Received: 11/20-21/2022 copy of the agenda or an equivalent document must be attached to this filing. Exact Estimate X

Briefly describe the service or event this Honorarium or Expense Reimbursement relates to:

Summit with NH elected and appointed leaders to discuss business community issues. Expense related to hotel accommodation and meals.

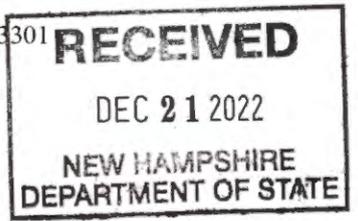
"I have read RSA 15-B and hereby swear or affirm that the foregoing information is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief."

Signature of Filer: Carleton B. Simpson

Date Filed: 12/21/2022

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NOVEMBER 20-21, 2022  
MOUNTAIN VIEW GRAND RESORT  
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## EVERSOURCE

## LEADERSHIP SUMMIT

# AGGENDA

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20

5:30 - 7:30 PM

REGISTRATION, CRYSTAL BALLROOM FOYER

NETWORKING RECEPTION, CRYSTAL BALLROOM

7:00 - 8:30 PM

DINNER, CRYSTAL BALLROOM

8:30 PM

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# MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21

7:00 - 8:00 AM

**BREAKFAST, CRYSTAL BALLROOM**

8:00 - NOON

## **CONCURRENT POLICY SESSIONS, PRESIDENTIAL HALL (SEPARATE BUILDING FROM MAIN HOTEL)**

**Important:** State policy leaders will be divided into three groups, alphabetically by last name, rotating at the conclusion of each policy session to the next session. By noon, state policy leaders will have had the benefit of participating in three separate policy sessions. Session descriptions on the next page.

8:00 - 9:00 AM

**CONCURRENT POLICY SESSIONS, PRESIDENTIAL HALL**

9:00 - 9:30 AM

**NETWORKING BREAK, PRESIDENTIAL FOYER**

9:30 - 10:30 AM

**REPEAT CONCURRENT POLICY SESSIONS, PRESIDENTIAL HALL**

State policy leaders rotate to next session

10:30 - 11:00 AM

**NETWORKING BREAK, PRESIDENTIAL FOYER**

11:00 AM - NOON

**REPEAT CONCURRENT POLICY SESSIONS, PRESIDENTIAL HALL**

State policy leaders rotate to last session

NOON - 1:00 PM

**LUNCH, HARDING ROOM**

## **CLOSING REMARKS**

Michael Skelton, President & CEO, Business & Industry Association

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# CONCURRENT POLICY SESSION DESCRIPTIONS

## **Concurrent Session A – Roosevelt Room: The Rising Cost of Energy & Solutions for the Granite State**

Lowering energy costs in the Granite State is essential to maintaining a competitive business climate. Panelists will discuss the contributing factors to the rising costs of energy in the New England region. This workshop will explore short- and long-term energy solutions the Granite State needs to bring down energy costs. Panelists will share their concerns for the future of energy sources in the region and explain what solutions they believe New Hampshire needs from policy makers.

**Moderator: Kirsten Koch**, Director of Public Policy, Business & Industry Association

- **Michael Licata**, Director of Government Affairs, Eversource
- **Marc Brown**, Vice President, State Affairs, Consumer Energy Alliance
- **Donald Kreis**, Consumer Advocate, NH Office of the Consumer Advocate

## **Concurrent Session B – Cleveland Room: All Hands on Deck: Critical Strategies to Strengthen NH's Workforce**

Workforce availability is the top business challenge facing Granite State employers and represents a major hurdle for New Hampshire's economic growth in the short and long term. This workshop will explore how educational programs, employer partnership opportunities, and increasing the affordability and availability of housing, along with other key issues, will all be necessary for the state to develop and sustain the workforce New Hampshire employers need to grow and prosper.

**Moderator: Michael Skelton**, President & CEO, Business & Industry Association

- **Frank Edelblut**, Commissioner, NH Department of Education
- **Mark Rubinstein**, Chancellor, Community College System of New Hampshire

## **Concurrent Session C – Coolidge Room: Permanent Reauthorization of Expanded Medicaid: Why Employers Care**

The New Hampshire Legislature enacted expanded Medicaid a decade ago, opening up healthcare to tens of thousands of residents. Employers supported the initiative, understanding the benefits of a healthy workforce and the reality that costs to provide services to the uninsured often cause higher health insurance costs. The time has come to reauthorize the state's participation in this program, and it's expected to be a top issue in the 2023 legislative session. This panel will look at the benefits of expanded Medicaid, what permanent reauthorization means, and consequences to the state if the program is not renewed.

**Moderator: David Juvet**, Senior Vice President, Public Policy, Business & Industry Association

- **Matthew Houde**, Director of Government Affairs, Dartmouth Health
  - **Henry Lipman**, NH Medicaid Director, Department of Health & Human Services
  - **Jim Monahan**, President, The Dupont Group
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