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November 13, 2018

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

Your Excellency and Members of the Council:

**REQUESTED ACTION**

That approval be and hereby is given to the Attorney General to appoint Gregory M. Albert, Position (#9U581, Appropriation # 02-20-20-200510-3310-013-500132) as an Assistant Attorney General, at a salary level of \$74,000, effective upon Governor and Executive Council approval or December 21, 2018, whichever is the latter. Mr. Albert will be occupying a position with a term that ends on April 29, 2020.

**EXPLANATION**

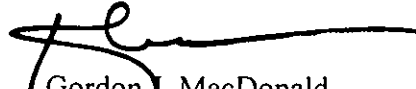
Mr. Albert is a resident of Bow, New Hampshire and a member of both the Massachusetts and the New Hampshire Bars. He received his law degree from the University of New Hampshire School of Law in 2010, and his undergraduate degree in Mass Communications from Bloomsburg University in 2000. He joined the Department of Justice in June, 2018 in the Consumer Protection Bureau. Prior to joining the Department, Mr. Albert was a staff attorney at the New Hampshire Public Defender's Office in Manchester, New Hampshire from August, 2010 through June, 2018. In view of Mr. Albert's performance since June 11, 2018, I am requesting his current salary be increased by \$3,000 from \$71,000 to \$74,000. This pay raise will become effective on December 21, 2018. A copy of his resume is attached. I plan to continue his assignment in the Consumer Protection Bureau.

2001 Laws of NH Chapter 158 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 am very pleased to offer Mr. Albert's appointment as an Assistant Attorney General at the above-referenced salary for your approval and respectfully urge your favorable consideration. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,



Gordon J. MacDonald  
Attorney General

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# **Gregory M. Albert, Esq.**

## **Professional Experience**

### **New Hampshire Attorney General's Office, Concord, NH**

**Attorney, Consumer Protection and Antitrust Bureau** 6/18 - Present

- Litigated complex financial fraud cases by directing investigations, issuing subpoenas, interviewing witnesses, and authoring and presenting indictments
- Represented the State through prosecution of multi-county felony criminal cases requiring significant motion writing, legal research, and oral arguments
- Coordinated with attorneys and investigators from multiple state agencies, including Securities and Insurance, to prosecute multi-jurisdictional criminal cases
- Conducted office-wide training of paralegals on the Rules of Evidence and how cases are presented
- Served on the executive committee of a multi-state investigation to combat robocalls
- Conducted administrative subpoena hearings to investigate and respond to consumer complaints of financial fraud and to facilitate consumer protection
- Represented the State through civil litigation relating to Consumer Protection Act violations
- Authored prosecution memorandums to make recommendations for felony criminal charges

### **New Hampshire Public Defender, Manchester, NH**

**Staff Attorney** 8/10 - 6/18

- Represented indigent defendants in court for all stages of a criminal trial, including bail and motion hearings, bench and jury trials, sentencing, and supreme court notices of appeal
- Managed a misdemeanor and felony caseload of more than 80 concurrent clients
- Mentored student attorneys and new attorneys in the office, including supervising bail hearings, motion writing, client interviews, ethical issues, and overall case strategy
- Appeared and advocated at motor vehicle-related administrative hearings
- Guided clients through case strategy and negotiated with prosecutors for plea bargains
- Developed and facilitated Information Technology (IT) strategy as part of steering committee which included end-user interviews, software testing, and long-term goal setting
- Participated in a pilot early case resolution program which focused on negotiation and expedited case resolution
- Advocated for clients in mediation and settlement conferences to facilitate case resolutions

### **Moir & Associates, Concord, NH**

**Student Attorney** 1/10 - 5/10

- Second-chaired a negligent homicide trial which included authoring memos on constitutional issues, preparing defense witnesses and experts, and consulting on case strategy
- Represented clients in juvenile and abuse/neglect cases in District Court
- Researched and authored suppression and other trial motions

### **Pierce Law Criminal Clinic, Concord, NH**

**Student Attorney** 8/09 - 12/09

- Represented clients through bail hearings and plea negotiations in misdemeanor cases
- Conducted client interviews and directed investigations

### **New Hampshire Public Defender, Manchester, NH**

**Student Attorney** 5/09 - 8/09

- Represented clients through hearings and plea bargains in misdemeanor cases in both District and Superior courts
- Attended client meetings and developed overall case strategy

**New Hampshire Attorney General's Office, Concord, NH**

**Legal Intern, Civil Bureau**

1/09 - 5/09

- Researched and authored New Hampshire Supreme Court briefs on civil rights defense
- Authored motions to dismiss and summary judgment motions on constitutional issues
- Provided memos on discrete legal issues for guidance to outside agencies

**Dun & Bradstreet, Bethlehem, PA**

**Account Executive**

5/06 - 7/07

- Managed and grew a \$2 million portfolio of global Fortune 500 companies
- Presented strategic analyses to CFOs and provided Return on Investment (ROI) measurements
- Authored contracts and adhered to compliance requirements for Sarbanes-Oxley
- Created proposals and responded to technical Requests for Proposal (RFP) to facilitate highly complex and corporate-wide initiatives with exposure to top executive levels

**Solutions Consultant**

9/02 - 5/06

**Ajilon Consulting, Allentown, PA**

1/01-11/01

## **Education**

**Franklin Pierce Law School (now University of New Hampshire School of Law),  
Concord, NH**

Juris Doctorate, graduated *Cum Laude*, 2010 (GPA: 3.5, Top 20%)

- Regional Champion, National Trial Competition
- Member, Constitutional Law Moot Court competition, Spring 2009
  - Runner-up for Best Oralist (80 participants)
  - Top Oralist, Pierce Law Intramural Competition
  - Member of Executive Board

**Bloomsburg University, Bloomsburg, PA**

Bachelor of Arts in Mass Communications, graduated *Magna Cum Laude*, 2000

**Admitted to practice in both New Hampshire and Massachusetts.**