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December 6, 2023

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 Nancy A. DeAngelis to Position #9U750 (Appropriation #02-20-20-200510-2309-013-500132) as an Attorney at a salary level of \$107,000, effective upon Governor and Executive Council approval or December 29, 2023, whichever is later.

**EXPLANATION**

Ms. DeAngelis, a Salem resident, earned a Bachelor of Arts, with Distinction, in Government from Cornell University in 1992, Juris Doctor from Northeastern University School of Law in 1995, and Master of Science in Education in Instructional Technology from Kaplan University in 2014. After graduating law school, she joined the New Hampshire Public Defender where she served as Staff Attorney (1995-2000) and Managing Attorney (2000). She practiced as an Associate at Twomey & Sisti Law Offices (2000-2001) and Wiggin & Nouri, PA (2001-2004) before becoming Of Counsel with Robert A. Stein & Associates, PLLC (2004-2005). Ms. DeAngelis worked at RiverStone Resources, LLC, as Legal Audit Manager/Latent Case Manager (2005-2008) before opening Legal Resource Strategies, PLLC, later known as Nancy DeAngelis Law, PLLC (2008-2017). In addition to her legal career, she has held several positions in the education field including Senior Instructional Designer, Associate Professor, and Department Chair at Mount Washington College (2009-2015); Associate Director of Instructor Recruitment and Director of Program Development at Brandeis University (2016-2018); and Associate Vice President of Learning Solutions at Southern New Hampshire University (2018-2023). She is admitted to practice in New Hampshire and the United States Supreme Court. In light of Ms. DeAngelis's education and experience, I am requesting she be appointed as an Attorney at a salary of \$107,000. She will be assigned to the Consumer Protection and Antitrust Bureau's Elder Abuse and Financial Exploitation Unit. A copy of her resume is attached.

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RSA 21-M:3 and RSA 94:1-a(I)(c)(3) provide that the 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.

I am very pleased to offer Ms. DeAngelis' appointment as an Attorney at the above-referenced salary for your approval and respectfully urge your favorable consideration. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,



John M. Formella  
Attorney General

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# NANCY DEANGELIS

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## PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

- Experienced attorney and educator with a career devoted to improving the lives of others through legal advocacy, teaching, and driving change within existing systems.
- Seeking to leverage my advocacy skills to benefit vulnerable and marginalized populations.

## LEGAL EXPERIENCE

### ATTORNEY AND PRINCIPAL

May 2008 – June 2017

Nancy DeAngelis Law, PLLC, formerly Legal Resource Strategies, PLLC, Manchester, NH

- Cultivated a thriving practice providing legal research and writing on complex issues for fellow attorneys.
- Drafted the prevailing brief in several appeals before the New Hampshire Supreme Court.
- Prevailed in the following reported decisions: *Tyler v. Hannaford*, 161 N.H. 242 (2010) (scope of collateral estoppel), and *In re Sukerman*, 159 N.H. 565 (2009) (divisibility of an asset in divorce).

### LEGAL AUDIT MANAGER / LATENT CASE MANAGER

September 2005 – May 2008

RiverStone Resources, LLC, Manchester, NH

- Managed the defense of corporate policyholders in multi-jurisdictional toxic tort litigation.
- Resolved complex insurance coverage issues unique to long tail exposures such as trigger of coverage.
- Successfully negotiated billing disputes with defense counsel while continuing to protect policyholders.

### OF COUNSEL

July 2004 – September 2005

Robert A. Stein & Associates, PLLC, Concord, NH

- Represented clients in the areas of criminal defense and domestic relations.
- Prevailed on an appeal involving the issuance of a protective order without sufficient evidence.

### MEMBER (2004), ASSOCIATE ATTORNEY (2001-2004)

September 2001 – June 2004

Wiggin & Nourie, PA, Manchester, NH

- Represented clients in the areas of criminal defense, domestic relations, insurance coverage, personal injury, probate disputes, and business litigation.
- Obtained a favorable verdict in a civil jury trial defending an insured on a motor vehicle claim.

### ATTORNEY

November 2000 – August 2001

Twomey & Sisti Law Offices, Chichester, NH

- Represented clients in criminal prosecutions and motor vehicle administrative hearings.
- Prepared and presented jury and bench trials, drafted and argued motions, and negotiated pleas.

### MANAGING ATTORNEY (2000), STAFF ATTORNEY (1995-2000)

August 1995 – November 2000

New Hampshire Public Defender, Laconia & Concord, NH

- Represented clients in criminal prosecutions and juvenile delinquency proceedings.
- Prepared and presented jury and bench trials, drafted and argued motions, and negotiated pleas.

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## ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

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**ASSOCIATE VICE PRESIDENT OF LEARNING SOLUTIONS** November 2018 – September 2023  
Southern New Hampshire University, Manchester, NH

- Built innovative learning experiences to help working learners attain degrees faster and more affordably.
- Designed ways in which AI/ML can be leveraged to improve the learner experience for working learners.
- Taught Business Law online to stay connected to working learners and to appreciate their challenges.

**DIRECTOR OF PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT /  
ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR OF INSTRUCTOR RECRUITMENT** July 2016 – November 2018  
Brandeis University, Waltham, MA

- Led the development of online graduate degree programs for working professionals in STEM fields, including Bioinformatics, Health Informatics, and Strategic Analytics.

**DEPARTMENT CHAIR / ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR /  
SENIOR INSTRUCTIONAL DESIGNER** August 2009 – December 2015  
Mount Washington College (formerly Hesser College), Manchester, NH

- Led the advancement of degree programs in Criminal Justice and Paralegal Studies.
- Designed courses and taught several courses including Administrative Law, Tort Law, Constitutional Law, Criminal Law, Legal Research, Property Law, White Collar Crime, and Wills, Trusts & Estates.

## EDUCATION & CERTIFICATIONS

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Juris Doctor / Northeastern University School of Law, Boston, MA May 1995  
*Cooperative learning program with work in public and private sectors*

Master of Science in Education in Instructional Technology / Kaplan University, Chicago, IL April 2014  
*Areas of Emphasis: Adult Learners and Higher Education*

Bachelor of Arts with Distinction in Government / Cornell University, Ithaca, NY May 1992  
*Concentration in Law & Society*

Certificate in AI Strategy / eCornell, Ithaca, NY April 2023

## BAR ADMISSIONS

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United States Supreme Court March 2003  
United States District Court for the District of New Hampshire October 1995  
New Hampshire Supreme Court October 1995

## INTERESTS

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Running - Strength Training - Hiking - Nutrition  
Longevity - Healthy Aging - AI/ML and its potential to improve wellbeing

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