



State of New Hampshire



Cassandra Sanchez
Child Advocate

Office of the Child Advocate

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March 20, 2024

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

REQUESTED ACTION

In accordance with the provisions of RSA 94:3 (Yearly Service Increases), I respectfully request approval of an annual salary step increase for Cassandra Sanchez, Director of the Office of Child Advocate, from Grade HH, Step 4 (Salary \$113,886.00) to Grade HH, Step 5 (Salary \$120,120.00) effective April 8, 2024, upon Governor and Council approval.

EXPLANATION

Cassandra Sanchez was appointed Director of the Office of Child Advocate effective as of April 8, 2022. She is entitled to a yearly service increase as described in RSA 94:3. The Director of the Office of Child Advocate is responsible for lifting up children by promoting equitable and effective reforms that meet the best interests of all New Hampshire children and strengthening public confidence and accountability in the State's systems that support children and families. Ms. Sanchez is a valuable employee who demonstrates dedication and commitment to the state and this Office. I am pleased to have this opportunity to recommend her for a salary step increase.

Respectfully submitted,

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