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April 7, 2025

Her Excellency, Governor Kelly A. Ayotte
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 reappoint Zachary A. Frish, Position #9U581 (Appropriation #02-20-20-200510-3310-013-500132) as an Assistant Attorney General at a salary level of \$84,000, effective upon Governor and Executive Council approval or April 29, 2025, whichever is later, for a term ending April 29, 2030.

EXPLANATION

Mr. Frish, a resident of Derry, is a member of the New Hampshire and Massachusetts Bars. He earned his Bachelor of Science in Business Administration from Northeastern University in 2014. Following graduation, he worked as a Bank Examiner for the Massachusetts Division of Banks from 2015 to 2020. His duties in the Division's Depository Institution Supervision Department included risk management, consumer protection compliance, Community Reinvestment Act and Fair Lending enforcement, and consumer outreach and education. While working full-time as a Bank Examiner, he enrolled to study law at New England Law | Boston, where he earned his Juris Doctor in 2021. During law school, he interned at the Suffolk County District Attorney's Office, Major Felony Unit (2019), and served as a Student Prosecutor in the Boston Municipal Court, Dorchester Division (2020-21). He was practicing as an Associate with Dalton & Finegold, L.L.P., in Andover, Massachusetts prior to joining the Department's Consumer Protection and Anti-Trust Bureau, Financial Fraud Unit, in 2022. I plan to continue his current assignment, and his salary will remain the same. A copy of his resume is attached.

RSA 21-M:3 and RSA 94:1-a provide that designation of positions, salary levels, and salary increases for attorneys at the Department of Justice shall be determined by the Attorney

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General, subject to approval of the Governor and Council, within appropriations made to the Department of Justice.

I am pleased to offer Mr. Frish's reappointment as an Assistant Attorney General at the above-referenced salary for your approval and respectfully urge your favorable consideration.

Respectfully submitted,



John M. Formella
Attorney General

#4961937

Zachary Frish

Professional Experience

New Hampshire Department of Justice

Attorney, Consumer Protection & Antitrust Bureau

Concord, NH

September 2022 – Present

- Investigate and prosecute violations of New Hampshire's criminal code, with an emphasis on white collar crimes, including elder exploitation and abuse, theft, securities fraud, and other forms of fraudulent conduct.
- Enforce New Hampshire's Consumer Protection Act by investigating, prosecuting, and litigating allegations of businesses and individuals employing unfair methods of competition, or unfair or deceptive acts or practices.
- Enforce both New Hampshire and federal antitrust laws proscribing combinations and monopolies by participating in multistate investigations of and litigation against entities suspected or accused of undertaking anticompetitive and/or monopolistic conduct.
- Responsible for managing other consumer protection-related job functions, including responding to Right-to-Know inquiries, enforcing the Health Club statute, and assisting with the maintenance of New Hampshire's Consumer Sourcebook.

Dalton & Finegold, L.L.P.

Associate

Andover, MA

September 2021 – August 2022

- Represent and advise financial institutions with respect to their compliance and regulatory functions, with a focus on consumer protection laws and regulations.
- Represent buyers, sellers, and lenders conducting residential real estate transactions.

Bar Admissions

- Massachusetts
- New Hampshire

Education

New England Law | Boston

Juris Doctor

G.P.A.: 3.4

Boston, MA

May 2021

Northeastern University

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration

Minor in Political Science

Boston, MA

January 2014

Skills & Interests

Skills: Legal writing, research, and analysis; policy analysis; public speaking.

Interests: Hockey, boating and fishing, woodworking, persuasive writing, sports therapy and nutrition.