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Her Excellency, Governor Kelly A. Ayotte
and the Honorable Council
State House
Concord, New Hampshire 03301

REQUESTED ACTION

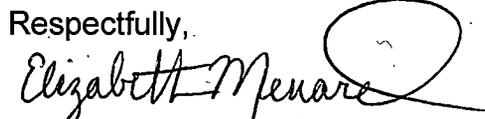
Pursuant to RSA 94:3, the Housing Appeals Board requests **retroactive** approval to authorize a salary increment for Board Member Edward L. Rogers, Position #9U657, from the current salary Labor Grade DD, Step 4 \$87,225 to salary Labor Grade DD, Step 5 \$91,980, effective July 16, 2025, upon Governor and Executive Council approval.

EXPLANATION

Board Member Rogers was appointed to his position on June 23, 2021, with a start date of July 16, 2021. He is eligible to advance to Step 5 on the salary scale on July 16, 2025. He is currently being paid at Labor Grade DD, Step 4. This request is **retroactive** because the Housing Appeals Board was awaiting the outcome of Fiscal Year 2026/2027 legislative budget activities that could have potentially abolished this agency entirely through House Bill 1 and 2 amendments.

RSA 94:3 "Yearly Service Increases" states in part: "upon recommendation of the appointing authority, the holder of any position mentioned in RSA 94:1-a shall be entitled to an annual increase in salary amounting to 1/6 of the difference between the minimum and maximum salary for said position but in no case shall the total salary exceed the maximum as herein established."

Respectfully,


Elizabeth M. Menard, Clerk
Housing Appeals Board