### **STATE OF NEVADA**

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# Department of Employment, Training and Rehabilitation EMPLOYMENT SECURITY DIVISION 500 E. Third Street Carson City, Nevada 89713-0001

## NOTICE OF INTENT TO ACT UPON A REGULATION Post Date: 11/3/2020

Notice of Hearing to adopt amended Regulations related to the 2021 Unemployment Insurance (UI) Tax Rate Schedule for Nevada Employers and Employer Charging Relief for the second and third calendar quarters of 2020.

Pursuant to Nevada Revised Statute NRS 233B.0608 and Nevada Governor Sisolak's Declaration of Emergency Directive 006

The purpose of the hearing is to receive comments from all interested persons regarding the proposed amendments to regulation pertaining to the Unemployment Insurance Tax Rate Schedule for calendar year 2021 and the proposed regulation to provide Employer Charging Relief to employers for the second and third calendar quarters of 2020.

Name of Organization: Nevada Employment Security Division (ESD)

Date and Time of Meeting: Friday, December 4, 2020; 10:00 A.M.

Place of Meeting: Live Meeting:

SAO - Auditorium 500 E. 3<sup>rd</sup> St Carson City, Nevada 89713

**Note:** This meeting will broadcast and virtual public comment will be made available. A link to the relevant areas for public comment and livestream will be made available prior to the meeting at the following web page no later than three days before the meeting: <u>https://detr.nv.gov/Page/Public\_Meetings</u>

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#### **AGENDA**

- I. Call to order and welcome ESD
- **II.** Public Comment Administrator may limit public comment to 3 minutes per speaker, but may not restrict comment based upon viewpoint. No action may be taken upon a matter raised under the public comment period, unless the matter itself has been specifically included on this agenda as an action item. Total time for this public comment agenda item will not exceed 30 minutes.
- III. Confirmation of Posting ESD
- **IV.** Review Written Comments ESD
- V. Administrator Review of proposed amendments to regulation to provide Employer Charging Relief for the second and third calendar quarters of 2020.
- VI. Administrator Review of Proposed amendments to regulation to maintain the average tax rate of 1.65% from calendar year 2020 in calendar year 2021
- VII. Closing Public Comment Chair may limit public comment to 3 minutes per speaker, but may not restrict comment based upon viewpoint. No action may be taken upon a matter raised under the public comment period, unless the matter itself has been specifically included on this agenda as an action item. Total time for this public comment agenda item will not exceed 30 minutes.

#### VIII. \* For possible action: Adjournment

Agenda items may be taken out of order. Two or more agenda items may be combined for consideration. An item may be removed or discussion on an item may be delayed at any time.

A copy of the meeting Notice and Agenda can be requested either in person or by written request to the Department of Employment, Training and Rehabilitation; Employment Security Division, 500 E. Third Street, Carson City, Nevada 89713 or telephone Administration Support Services at (775) 684-3934 or email request to esdtaxrate@detr.nv.gov. Copies of pertinent documents will also be made available on the DETR website at: http://detr.nv.gov.

**NOTE**: Written comments must be received by the Employment Security Division on or before November 25, 2020, at the following address:

Attn: Management & Administration Support Services Department of Employment, Training and Rehabilitation Employment Security Division 500 E. Third Street, Carson City, NV 89713

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**NOTE**: Persons with disabilities who require reasonable accommodations or assistance at the meeting should notify the Employment Security Division in writing at 500 E. Third Street, Carson City, Nevada 89713, or call Management & Administration Support Services at (775) 684-3934 (*for individuals who are deaf or have hearing disabilities, dial TTY (800) 326-6868 or 711 for Relay Nevada)* or send an email to esdtaxrate@detr.nv.gov within 72 hours of meeting date and time. Supporting materials as provided for in NRS 241.020(5) may be obtained by contacting Administration Support Services at the above-noted contact information.

Notice of this meeting was posted on the Internet on the following websites: DETR's Public Notices website at: <u>https://detr.nv.gov/Page/PUBLIC\_NOTICES</u>, the State of Nevada's Public Notices website at: <u>https://notice.nv.gov/</u>, and the Administrative Regulation Notices website at: <u>http://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/Notice/A/</u>.

# In accordance with Nevada Governor Sisolak's Declaration of Emergency Directive 006 there will not be a physical location for the public to attend this hearing.

• As per Nevada Governor Sisolak's Declaration of Emergency Directive 006; Subsection 3: The requirements contained in NRS 241.020 (4) (a) that public notice agendas be posted at physical locations within the State of Nevada are suspended.

• As per Nevada Governor Sisolak's Declaration of Emergency Directive 006; Subsection 4: Public bodies must still comply with requirements in NRS 241.020 (4)(b) and NRS 241.020 (4)(c) that public notice agendas be posted to Nevada's notice website and the public body's website, if it maintains one along with providing a copy to any person who has requested one via U.S. mail or electronic mail.

• As per Nevada Governor Sisolak's Declaration of Emergency Directive 006; Subsection 5: The requirement contained in NRS 241.020 (3)(c) that physical locations be available for the public to receive supporting material for public meetings is suspended.

• As per Nevada Governor Sisolak's Declaration of Emergency Directive 006; Subsection 6: If a public body holds a meeting and does not provide a physical location where supporting material is available to the public, the public body must provide on its public notice agenda the name and contact information for the person designated by the public body from whom a member of the public may request supporting material electronically and must post supporting material to the public body's website, if it maintains one.