

**PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE
EMPLOYMENT SECURITY DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT
OF EMPLOYMENT, TRAINING AND REHABILITATION**

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EXPLANATION – Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets ~~omitted material~~ is material to be omitted.

AUTHORITY: §§1 and 2, NRS 612.220 and 612.550.

A REGULATION relating to unemployment compensation; prescribing the contribution rate schedule for calendar year 2017 and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Section 1. NAC 612.270 is hereby amended to read as follows:

612.270 The Administrator establishes the following schedule of contribution rates for eligible employers for calendar year ~~2016;~~ *2017*:

1. Class 1: A rate of 0.25 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is ~~12.2~~ *13.3* percent or more;
2. Class 2: A rate of 0.55 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~10.6~~ *11.8* percent but less than ~~12.2~~ *13.3* percent;
3. Class 3: A rate of 0.85 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~9.0~~ *10.2* percent but less than ~~10.6~~ *11.8* percent;
4. Class 4: A rate of 1.15 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~7.4~~ *8.6* percent but less than ~~9.0~~ *10.2* percent;
5. Class 5: A rate of 1.45 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~5.8~~ *7.0* percent but less than ~~7.4~~ *8.6* percent;

6. Class 6: A rate of 1.75 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~4.2~~ 5.4 percent but less than ~~5.8~~ 7.0 percent;

7. Class 7: A rate of 2.05 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~2.6~~ 3.8 percent but less than ~~4.2~~ 5.4 percent;

8. Class 8: A rate of 2.35 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~1.0~~ 2.2 percent but less than ~~2.6~~ 3.8 percent;

9. Class 9: A rate of 2.65 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~0.6~~ 0.6 percent but less than ~~1.0~~ 2.2 percent;

10. Class 10: A rate of 2.95 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~2.2~~ -1.0 percent but less than ~~0.6~~ 0.6 percent;

11. Class 11: A rate of 3.25 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~3.8~~ -2.6 percent but less than ~~2.2~~ -1.0 percent;

12. Class 12: A rate of 3.55 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~5.4~~ -4.2 percent but less than ~~3.8~~ -2.6 percent;

13. Class 13: A rate of 3.85 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~7.0~~ -5.7 percent but less than ~~5.4~~ -4.2 percent;

14. Class 14: A rate of 4.15 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~8.6~~ -7.3 percent but less than ~~7.0~~ -5.7 percent;

15. Class 15: A rate of 4.45 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~10.2~~ -8.9 percent but less than ~~8.6~~ -7.3 percent;

16. Class 16: A rate of 4.75 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~11.8~~ -10.5 percent but less than ~~10.2~~ -8.9 percent;

17. Class 17: A rate of 5.05 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~+13.4~~ -12.1 percent but less than ~~+11.8~~ -10.5 percent; and

18. Class 18: A rate of 5.4 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is less than ~~+13.4~~ -12.1 percent.

Sec. 2. This regulation becomes effective on January 1, 2017.