

**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 2012; 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 ~~2011:~~ *2012:*

1. Class 1: A rate of 0.25 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is ~~8.5~~ *11.4* percent or more;
2. Class 2: A rate of 0.55 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~6.9~~ *9.8* percent but less than ~~8.5~~ *11.4* percent;
3. Class 3: A rate of 0.85 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~5.3~~ *8.2* percent but less than ~~6.9~~ *9.8* percent;
4. Class 4: A rate of 1.15 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~3.7~~ *6.6* percent but less than ~~5.3~~ *8.2* percent;
5. Class 5: A rate of 1.45 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~2.4~~ *5.0* percent but less than ~~3.7~~ *6.6* percent;

6. Class 6: A rate of 1.75 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~{0.5}~~ 3.4 percent but less than ~~{2.1}~~ 5.0 percent;
7. Class 7: A rate of 2.05 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~{1.1}~~ 1.8 percent but less than ~~{0.5}~~ 3.4 percent;
8. Class 8: A rate of 2.35 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~{2.7}~~ 0.2 percent but less than ~~{1.1}~~ 1.8 percent;
9. Class 9: A rate of 2.65 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~{4.3}~~ -1.4 percent but less than ~~{2.7}~~ 0.2 percent;
10. Class 10: A rate of 2.95 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~{5.9}~~ -3.0 percent but less than ~~{4.3}~~ -1.4 percent;
11. Class 11: A rate of 3.25 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~{7.5}~~ -4.6 percent but less than ~~{5.9}~~ -3.0 percent;
12. Class 12: A rate of 3.55 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~{9.1}~~ -6.2 percent but less than ~~{7.5}~~ -4.6 percent;
13. Class 13: A rate of 3.85 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~{10.7}~~ -7.8 percent but less than ~~{9.1}~~ -6.2 percent;
14. Class 14: A rate of 4.15 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~{12.3}~~ -9.4 percent but less than ~~{10.7}~~ -7.8 percent;
15. Class 15: A rate of 4.45 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~{13.9}~~ -11.0 percent but less than ~~{12.3}~~ -9.4 percent;
16. Class 16: A rate of 4.75 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~{15.5}~~ -12.6 percent but less than ~~{13.9}~~ -11.0 percent;

17. Class 17: A rate of 5.05 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is at least ~~[-17.1]~~ -14.2 percent but less than ~~[-15.5]~~ -12.6 percent; and

18. Class 18: A rate of 5.4 percent is assigned to each employer whose reserve ratio is less than ~~[-17.1]~~ -14.2 percent.

Sec. 2. This regulation becomes effective on January 1, 2012.