FISCAL COMMITTEE OF THE GENERAL COURT MINUTES

January 21, 2022

The Fiscal Committee of the General Court met on Friday, January 21, 2022, at 10:00 a.m. in Room 210-211 of the Legislative Office Building.

Members in attendance were as follows:

Representative Karen Umberger, Chairman

Representative Jess Edwards

Representative Tracy Emerick

Representative Keith Erf

Representative Peter Leishman

Representative Bob Lynn (Alternate)

Representative Mary Jane Wallner (Alternate)

Senator Gary Daniels

Senator Regina Birdsell (Alternate)

Senator Bob Giuda

Senator Cindy Rosenwald

Senator Lou D'Allesandro

The Chair called the meeting to order at 10:04 a.m.

ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES:

On a motion by Senator Giuda, seconded by Representative Leishman, that the Committee approve the minutes of the December 2, 2021 meeting as corrected. MOTION ADOPTED. (7-Yes; 2-Abstained)

On a motion by Senator Daniels, seconded by Representative Leishman, that the Committee approve the minutes of the December 17, 2021 meeting. MOTION ADOPTED. (9-Yes; 1-Abstained)

On a motion by Senator Daniels, seconded by Senator D'Allesandro, that the Committee approve the minutes of the December 23, 2021 meeting. MOTION ADOPTED. (7-Yes; 3-Abstained)

OLD BUSINESS:

None

NEW BUSINESS:

CONSENT CALENDAR

As announced by the Chair, the following items will be removed from the Consent Calendar and acted on individually;

- Tab 4 Pursuant to RSA 14:30-a, VI. FIS 22-007, 22-022, 22-023, 22-028, and 22-030
- Tab 5 Pursuant to RSA 14:30-a, VI. and RSA 124:25 FIS 22-013
- Tab 6 Pursuant to RSA 14:30-a, VI. (ARPA) FIS 22-014, 22-015, 22-035, 22-036, 22-039, and 22-042

On a motion by Senator D'Allesandro, seconded by Representative Edwards, that the Committee approve the remaining requests under the Consent Calendar as submitted. MOTION (10-Yes; 0-No) [TAB 3 pursuant to RSA 9:16-c, I, FIS 22-002 Department of Environmental Services – authorization to transfer \$30,000 in federal funds in and among classes within an accounting unit through June 30, 2023; TAB 4 RSA 14:30-a, VI., FIS 22-003 Department of Business and Economic Affairs – authorization to amend FIS 21-332, approved November 19, 2021, to create a new class line and adjust the appropriation through September 26, 2022 (Originally approved (FIS 21-007) January 15, 2021 with subsequent approval (FIS 21-174) August 20, 2021), FIS 22-005 Department of Environmental Services - authorization to accept and expend \$802,834 in federal funds through June 30, 2023, FIS 22-006 Department of Justice - authorization to accept and expend a Federal Fiscal Year 2021 grant in the amount of \$100,000 through June 30, 2023, FIS 22-008 Department of Natural and Cultural Resources – authorization to Retroactively amend FIS 21-253, approved on September 17, 2021, by extending the end date from December 30, 2021 to June 30, 2022 (Originally approved (FIS 21-010) on January 15, 2021), FIS 22-009 Department of Transportation - authorization to accept and expend \$110,000 in other funds through June 30, 2023, FIS 22-012 New Hampshire Employment Security authorization to accept and expend \$1,899,145 in additional federal funds through June 30, 2023, FIS 22-021 Department of Agriculture, Markets & Food – authorization to accept and expend \$398,133 in federal funds through June 30, 2023, FIS 22-026 Department of Health and Human Services - authorization to amend FIS 21-241, approved August 20, 2021, by transferring \$27,000 in federal funds through August 19, 2022, FIS 22-027 Department of Health and Human Services - authorization to amend an accept and expend item of federal funds approved by the Governor pursuant to RSA 21-P:43, RSA 4:45, RSA 4:47, and Executive Order 2020-04 as extended, to allow DHHS to modify and reallocate the budget by transferring \$40,000 in federal funds between classes through September 30, 2022 (Informational Item FIS 21-179 presented to Fiscal on August 20, 2021), and FIS 22-029 Department of Health and Human Services – authorization to amend an accept and expend item of federal funds approved by the Governor pursuant to RSA 21-P:43, RSA 4:45, RSA 4:47, and Executive Order 2020-04 as extended, to allow DHHS to modify and reallocate the budget by transferring funds in the amount of \$82,537 in federal funds between classes through June 30, 2023 (Informational Item FIS 21-097 presented to Fiscal on May 21, 2021); TAB 5 RSA 14:30-a, VI. and RSA 124:15, FIS 22-031 Department of Justice - authorization through June 30, 2023 to; 1) accept and expend other funds in the amount of \$33,824 for State Fiscal Year 2022 and \$115,738 for State Fiscal Year 2023, and 2) contingent upon approval of Request #1, authorization to establish one (1) temporary full-time Assistant Attorney General position dedicated to supporting the Public Utilities Commission; TAB 6 RSA 14:30-a, VI (ARPA), FIS 22-004 Department of Business and Economic Affairs - authorization to accept and expend \$61,468,436 in federal funds through June 30, 2023, FIS 22-010 Department of Business and Economic Affairs - authorization to accept and expend \$1,000,000 in federal funds through June 30, 2022, FIS 22-033 Department of Corrections - authorization to accept and expend \$7,156,500 in federal American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARPA) State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds (FRF) through June 30, 2023, FIS 22-034 Department of Corrections - authorization to accept and expend \$1,321,200 in federal American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARPA) State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds (FRF) through June 30, 2023, FIS 22-038 Department of Corrections - authorization to accept and expend \$539,490 in federal American

Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARPA), State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds (FRF) through June 30, 2023, FIS 22-040 Governor's Office for Emergency Relief And Recovery – authorization to budget and expend prior year carryforward funds in the amount of \$40,042,503 in Fiscal Year 2022 federal funds through June 30, 2023, and FIS 22-041 Governor's Office for Emergency Relief And Recovery – authorization to budget and expend prior year carryforward funds in the amount of \$1,253,750 in Fiscal Year 2022 federal funds through June 30, 2023; and TAB 7 RSA 14:30-a, VI. and RSA 124:15, FIS 22-011 Department of Business and Economic Affairs – authorization to; 1) accept and expend \$7,623,750 in federal funds through June 30, 2023, and 2) subject to approval of Request #1, establish one (1) full-time temporary Business Specialist position for the period of July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023, and FIS 22-016 Department of Health and Human Services – authorization through June 30, 2023 to; 1) accept and expend \$8,952,425 in federal funds under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, and 2) contingent upon approval of Request #1, authorization to create two (2) new full-time temporary Program Specialist IV positions

RSA 14:30-A, VI FISCAL COMMITTEE APPROVAL REQUIRED FOR ACCEPTANCE AND EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS OVER \$100,000 FROM ANY NON-STATE SOURCE:

FIS 22-007 Department of Military Affairs and Veterans Services – Major General David Mikolities, The Adjutant General, Department of Military Affairs and Veterans Services presented the request, a handout, and responded to questions of the Committee. Patrick Tufts, Chair, Governor's Commission on Alcohol and Other Drugs was also present to respond to Committee questions.

Representative Edwards requested the percentage of hazardous alcohol misuse data for men versus women. Senator Giuda inquired if the Department had metrics on days lost due to alcohol misuse or childcare, to which the Department responded they will get back to him with that information.

On a motion by Representative Leishman, seconded by Senator Birdsell, that the Committee approve the request of the Department of Military Affairs and Veterans Services to accept and expend \$290,700 in other funds through June 30, 2022.

(10-Yes; 0-No)

A roll call was taken, and the results were as follows:

Representative Edwards – Yes
Representative Emerick – Yes
Representative Erf – Yes
Representative Leishman – Yes
Senator Daniels – Yes
Senator Birdsell (Alternate) – Yes
Senator Giuda – Yes
Senator Rosenwald – Yes
Senator D'Allesandro – Yes
Representative Umberger – Yes
MOTION ADOPTED.

FIS 22-022 Department of Education - Tammy Vaillancourt, Chief Financial Officer, and Kelly Rambeau, Administrator, Office of Nutrition Programs and Services, Department of Education responded to questions of the Committee.

Senator Daniels asked how the Department determines success of this program and inquired if the food thrown away by students was tracked.

On a motion by Representative Edwards, seconded by Senator D'Allesandro, that the Committee approve the request of the Department of Education to accept and expend \$22,455,591 in federal funds through June 30, 2022.

A roll call was taken, and the results were as follows:

Representative Edwards – Yes

Representative Emerick – Yes

Representative Erf – Yes

Representative Leishman – Yes

Senator Daniels – Yes

Senator Birdsell (Alternate) – Yes

Senator Giuda – Yes

Senator Rosenwald - Yes

Senator D'Allesandro – Yes

Representative Umberger – Yes (10-Yes; 0-No)

MOTION ADOPTED.

FIS 22-023 Department of Health and Human Services – Robert Barry, Liaison between the Department of Health and Human Services and the Prescription Drug Affordability Board, responded to questions of the Committee.

On a motion by Senator Daniels, seconded by Senator Giuda, that the Committee table the request of the Department of Health and Human Services to accept and expend \$350,000 in other funds through June 30, 2023.

A roll call was taken, and the results were as follows:

Representative Edwards – Yes

Representative Emerick – Yes

Representative Erf – Yes

Representative Leishman – Yes

Senator Daniels - Yes

Senator Birdsell (Alternate) - Yes

Senator Giuda - Yes

Senator Rosenwald - No

Senator D'Allesandro – No Representative Umberger – Yes (8-Yes; 2-No) MOTION ADOPTED.

<u>FIS 22-028 Department of Health and Human Services</u> — Ann Landry, Associate Commissioner, Population Health, and Mary Calise, Deputy Chief Financial Officer, Department of Health and Human Services responded to questions of the Committee. Christine Santaniello, Associate Commissioner, Division of Economic and Housing Stability, was also present to respond to Committee questions.

The Department will follow-up with the Department of Military Affairs and Veterans Services relative to funds available to support Homeless Veterans.

On a motion by Senator D'Allesandro, seconded by Senator Rosenwald, that the Committee approve the request of the Department of Health and Human Services to accept and expend \$1,142,717 in additional federal funds through June 30, 2023.

A roll call was taken, and the results were as follows:

Representative Edwards – No
Representative Emerick – Yes
Representative Erf – Yes
Representative Leishman – Yes
Senator Daniels – Yes
Senator Birdsell (Alternate) – Yes
Senator Giuda – No
Senator Rosenwald – Yes
Senator D'Allesandro – Yes
Representative Umberger – Yes
MOTION ADOPTED.
(8-Yes; 2-No)

<u>FIS 22-030 Department of Health and Human Services</u> – Patricia Tilley, Director, Division of Public Health Services, Department of Health and Human Services responded to questions of the Committee.

The Department stated that the Opioid Dashboard will be available in February.

On a motion by Senator D'Allesandro, seconded by Senator Birdsell, that the Committee approve the request of the Department of Health and Human Services to accept and expend \$1,578,886 in carry forward federal funds through August 31, 2022.

A roll call was taken, and the results were as follows:

Representative Edwards – Yes

Representative Emerick – Yes

Representative Erf – Yes

Representative Leishman – Yes

Senator Daniels – Yes

Senator Birdsell (Alternate) - Yes

Senator Giuda - Yes

Senator Rosenwald - Yes

Senator D'Allesandro – Yes

Representative Umberger – Yes

(10-Yes; 0-No)

MOTION ADOPTED.

RSA 14:30-a, VI FISCAL COMMITTEE APPROVAL REQUIRED FOR ACCEPTANCE AND EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS OVER \$100,000 FROM ANY NON-STATE SOURCE, AND RSA 124:15 POSITIONS AUTHORIZED:

<u>FIS 22-013 Department of Health and Human Services</u> – Karen Hebert, Director, Division of Economic and Housing Stability, and Mary Calise, Deputy Chief Financial Officer, Department of Health and Human Services responded to questions of the Committee.

The Department will look into the status of funding for Homeless Shelters and will provide the Committee with the requested information.

On a motion by Representative Leishman, seconded by Senator D'Allesandro, that the Committee approve the request of the Department of Health and Human Services through June 30, 2023 to; 1) accept and expend \$110,000 in federal funds, and 2) contingent upon approval of Request #1, establish one (1) full-time temporary Program Specialist IV (LG 25) position.

A roll call was taken, and the results were as follows:

Representative Edwards – Yes

Representative Emerick - Yes

Representative Erf – Yes

Representative Leishman – Yes

Senator Daniels – Yes

Senator Birdsell (Alternate) – Yes

Senator Giuda – Yes

Senator Rosenwald - Yes

Senator D'Allesandro – Yes

Representative Umberger – Yes

MOTION ADOPTED.

(10-Yes; 0-No)

AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN 2021 CONSENT CALENDAR

RSA 14:30-a, VI FISCAL COMMITTEE APPROVAL REQUIRED FOR ACCEPTANCE AND EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS OVER \$100,000 FROM ANY NON-STATE SOURCE:

<u>FIS 22-014 Department of Health and Human Services</u> – Lori Shibinette, Commissioner, and Henry Lipman, Director, Division of Medicaid Services, Department of Health and Human Services responded to questions of the Committee.

On a motion by Senator D'Allesandro, seconded by Senator Giuda, that the Committee approve the request of the Department of Health and Human Services to accept and expend \$500,5000 in federal American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds through June 30, 2023.

A roll call was taken, and the results were as follows:

Representative Edwards – Yes

Representative Emerick – Yes

Representative Erf – Yes

Representative Leishman - Yes

Senator Daniels - Yes

Senator Birdsell (Alternate) - Yes

Senator Giuda - Yes

Senator Rosenwald - Yes

Senator D'Allesandro - Yes

Representative Umberger – Yes

MOTION ADOPTED.

(10-Yes; 0-No)

<u>FIS 22-015 Department of Health and Human Services</u> – Lori Shibinette, Commissioner, Katja Fox, Director, Division for Behavioral Health, and Henry Lipman, Director, Division of Medicaid Services, Department of Health and Human Services responded to questions of the Committee. Also present to respond to Committee questions were Charles Arlinghaus, Commissioner, Department of Administrative Services, and Dean Carucci, Chief Executive Officer, Portsmouth Regional Hospital.

On a motion by Senator Birdsell, seconded by Senator Giuda, that the Committee approve the request of the Department of Health and Human Services to accept and expend \$15,015,000 in federal American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds through June 30, 2023.

A roll call was taken, and the results were as follows:

Representative Edwards – Yes

Representative Emerick - Yes

Representative Erf – Yes
Representative Leishman – No
Senator Daniels – Yes
Senator Birdsell (Alternate) – Yes
Senator Giuda – Yes
Senator Rosenwald – Yes
Senator D'Allesandro – Yes
Representative Umberger – Yes
MOTION ADOPTED.
(9-Yes; 1-No)

<u>FIS 22-035 Department of Health and Human Services</u> – Katja Fox, Director, Division for Behavioral Health, and Mary Calise, Deputy Chief Financial Officer, Department of Health and Human Services responded to questions of the Committee.

On a motion by Senator D'Allesandro, seconded by Representative Edwards, that the Committee approve the request of the Department of Health and Human Services to amend FIS 21-232, approved September 17, 2021, by transferring funds in the amount of \$1,041,828 in federal funds awarded under the American Rescue Plant Act (ARPA) of 2021, and by extending the end date from March 14, 2023 to June 30, 2023.

A roll call was taken, and the results were as follows:

Representative Edwards – Yes
Representative Emerick – Yes
Representative Erf – Yes
Representative Leishman – Yes
Senator Daniels – Yes
Senator Birdsell (Alternate) – Yes
Senator Giuda – Yes
Senator Rosenwald – Yes
Senator D'Allesandro – Yes
Representative Umberger – Yes
MOTION ADOPTED.

(10-Yes; 0-No)

<u>FIS 22-036 Department of Health and Human Services</u> – David Weeders, Director, Information Services, Department of Health and Human Services, responded to questions of the Committee.

The Department stated the privacy impact assessment will include plans for retention and data destruction.

Representative Erf stated the expectation is that the privacy assessment will be complete and made publicly by May. The Department stated the goal is 8 weeks after contract completion.

On a motion by Representative Edwards, seconded by Senator Giuda, that the Committee approve the request of the Department of Health and Human Services to accept and expend \$84,084 in federal American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds through June 30, 2023.

A roll call was taken, and the results were as follows:

Representative Edwards – Yes

Representative Emerick – Yes

Representative Erf – Yes

Representative Leishman – Yes

Senator Daniels - Yes

Senator Birdsell (Alternate) – Yes

Senator Giuda – Yes

Senator Rosenwald - Yes

Senator D'Allesandro – Yes

Representative Umberger – Yes

(10-Yes; 0-No)

MOTION ADOPTED.

<u>FIS 22-039 Governor's Office for Emergency Relief And Recovery</u> – Taylor Caswell, Executive Director, and Chase Hagaman, Deputy Director, Governor's Office for Emergency Relief And Recovery, responded to questions of the Committee.

On a motion by Senator Rosenwald, seconded by Senator Birdsell, that the Committee approve the request of the Governor's Office for Emergency Relief And Recovery to budget and expend prior year carryforward funds in the amount of \$5,007,500 in Fiscal Year 2022 federal funds through June 30, 2023.

A roll call was taken, and the results were as follows:

Representative Edwards – Yes

Representative Emerick – Yes

Representative Erf – Yes

Representative Leishman - Yes

Senator Daniels - Yes

Senator Birdsell (Alternate) - Yes

Senator Giuda - Yes

Senator Rosenwald - Yes

Senator D'Allesandro - Yes

Representative Umberger – Yes

(10-Yes; 0-No)

MOTION ADOPTED.

FIS 22-042 Department of Health and Human Services — On a motion by Senator D'Allesandro, seconded by Senator Birdsell, that the Committee approve the request of the Department of Health and Human Services to accept and expend \$2,226,201 in federal funds from the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) through June 30, 2023.

A roll call was taken, and the results were as follows:

Representative Edwards – Yes

Representative Emerick – Yes

Representative Erf – Yes

Representative Leishman – Yes

Senator Daniels – Yes

Senator Birdsell (Alternate) – Yes

Senator Giuda - Yes

Senator Rosenwald - Yes

Senator D'Allesandro - Yes

Representative Umberger – Yes (10-Yes; 0-No)

MOTION ADOPTED.

RSA 7:12, ASSISTANTS:

<u>FIS 22-001 Department of Justice</u> – John Formella, Attorney General, and Kathleen Carr, Director of Administration, Department of Justice presented the request and responded to questions of the Committee.

On a motion by Senator Giuda, seconded by Senator Birdsell, that the Committee approve the request of the Department of Justice to accept and expend a sum not to exceed \$2,853,691 in general litigation expenses incurred in the defense of the State and the prosecution of criminal laws through June 30, 2022.

A roll call was taken, and the results were as follows:

Representative Edwards – Yes

Representative Emerick – Yes

Representative Erf – Yes

Representative Leishman – Yes

Senator Daniels – Yes

Senator Birdsell (Alternate) – Yes

Senator Giuda - Yes

Senator Rosenwald - Yes

Senator D'Allesandro – Yes

Representative Umberger – Yes (10-Yes; 0-No)

MOTION ADOPTED.

RSA 9:16-a, TRANSFERS AUTHORIZED, RSA 14:30-a, VI FISCAL COMMITTEE APPROVAL REQUIRED FOR ACCEPTANCE AND EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS OVER \$100,000 FROM ANY NON-STATE SOURCE, RSA 9:17-a, LIMITATIONS, AND CHAPTER 91, SECTION 35, LAWS OF 2021, CHANGE IN FEDERAL MATCH REVENUE:

<u>FIS 22-032 Department of Health and Human Services</u> – Mary Calise, Deputy Chief Financial Officer, Department of Health and Human Services presented the request and responded to questions of the Committee.

On a motion by Senator D'Allesandro, seconded by Senator Birdsell, that the Committee approve the request of the Department of Health and Human Services to transfer general funds in the amount of \$19,053,889 between various class lines, decrease Federal revenues in the amount of \$83,747, decrease related Other revenues in the amount of \$19,057, and create new expenditure class codes through June 30, 2022.

A roll call was taken, and the results were as follows:

Representative Edwards – Yes

Representative Emerick – Yes

Representative Erf – Yes

Representative Leishman – Yes

Senator Daniels – Yes

Senator Birdsell (Alternate) - Yes

Senator Giuda - Yes

Senator Rosenwald – Yes

Senator D'Allesandro – Yes

Representative Umberger – Yes

MOTION ADOPTED.

(10-Yes; 0-No)

RSA 490-F:7, III, CIRCUIT COURT JUDGES; NUMBER:

FIS 22-037 Judicial Branch – Chief Justice Gordon MacDonald, and the Honorable Susan Ashley, Deputy Administrative Judge for the Circuit Court, Judicial Branch responded to questions of the Committee.

On a motion by Senator Birdsell, seconded by Representative Leishman, that the Committee approve the request of the Judicial Branch to convert an existing vacant full-time marital master position to a full-time judicial vacancy in the circuit court.

A roll call was taken, and the results were as follows:

Representative Edwards – Yes

Representative Emerick - Yes

Representative Erf – Yes
Representative Leishman – Yes
Senator Daniels – Yes
Senator Birdsell (Alternate) – Yes
Senator Giuda – Yes
Senator Rosenwald – Yes

Senator Rosenward – Yes
Senator D'Allesandro – Yes

Representative Umberger – Yes (10-Yes; 0-No)

MOTION ADOPTED.

LATE ITEM:

<u>FIS 22-043 Department of Health and Human Services</u> – Lori Shibinette, Commissioner, Jonathan Ballard, Chief Medical Officer, and Mary Calise, Deputy Chief Financial Officer, Department of Health and Human Services responded to questions of the Committee.

On a motion by Senator D'Allesandro, seconded by Senator Birdsell, that the Committee approve the request of the Department of Health and Human Services to accept and expend \$12,012,000 in federal American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds through June 30, 2023 to pay for At-Home COVID test kits.

A roll call was taken, and the results were as follows:

Representative Edwards – Yes

Representative Emerick – Yes

Representative Erf – Yes

Representative Leishman – Yes

Senator Daniels – Yes

Senator Birdsell (Alternate) - Yes

Senator Giuda – Yes

Senator Rosenwald - Yes

Senator D'Allesandro – Yes

Representative Umberger – Yes (10-Yes; 0-No)

MOTION ADOPTED.

INFORMATIONAL MATERIALS:

FIS 22-019 Department of Health and Human Services – Lori Shibinette, Commissioner, Department of Health and Human Services responded to questions of the Committee regarding the Operating Statistics Dashboard SFY22 report through November 30, 2021 and will work on revising the report in the coming months.

The informational items were accepted and placed on file.

AUDIT INFORMATIONAL MATERIALS:

No discussion.

AUDITS:

State of New Hampshire, Department of Transportation, Turnpike System, Annual Financial Report For The Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2021 – Stephen Smith, Director of Audits, Audit Division, Office of Legislative Budget Assistant and Bob Mahoney, Audit Partner, KPMG, and Karen Farrell, Manager, KPMG, presented the report and responded to questions of the Committee. Marie Mullen, Director of Finance, Department of Transportation, was also present to respond to Committee questions.

This report was accepted, placed on file, and released at the December 17, 2021 meeting of the Fiscal Committee.

Annual Comprehensive Financial Report, For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2021, New Hampshire Lottery Commission, A Department of the State of New Hampshire—Stephen Smith, Director of Audits, and Kimberly Bisson, Audit Manager, Audit Division, Office of Legislative Budget Assistant presented the report and responded to questions of the Committee. Lynda Plante, Chief Executive Officer, and Jim Duris, Chief Financial Officer, New Hampshire Lottery Commission, were also present to respond to Committee questions.

This report was accepted, placed on file, and released at the December 17, 2021 meeting of the Fiscal Committee.

2021 Annual Comprehensive Financial Report, New Hampshire Liquor Commission, A Department of The State of New Hampshire – Stephen Smith, Director of Audits, and Jean Mitchell, Financial Audit Supervisor, Audit Division, Office of Legislative Budget Assistant presented the report and responded to questions of the Committee. Joseph Mollica, Chairman, and Tina Demers, Chief Financial Officer, New Hampshire Liquor Commission, were also present to respond to Committee questions.

This report was accepted, placed on file, and released at the December 17, 2021 meeting of the Fiscal Committee.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING AND ADJOURNMENT:

The Chair scheduled the next regular meeting of the Fiscal Committee for Friday, February 18, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. to be held in Room 210-211 of the Legislative Office Building.

The meeting adjourned at approximately 1:04 p.m.

Representative Tracy Emerick, Clerk