

**NH Department of Education
Division of Educator Support and Higher Education
Public Higher Education Task Force**

January 18, 2024 Meeting Minutes



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A meeting of the Public Higher Education Task Force was held on Thursday, January 18, 2024, at 1:00pm at 172 N. Main Street, Concord, NH, 03301. The following members present:

Stephen Appleby, Chair
M. Jacqueline Eastwood
Senator James Gray
George Hansel
Richard Lavers
Cathy Provencher
Mark Rubinstein
Edwin Smith
Nick Toumpas

The following members were not present:

Representative Rick Ladd
Butch Locke
Representative David Luneau
Jennifer MacDonald

1. Introduction of Presenter – Commissioner Edelblut
2. Presentation – Commissioner Edelblut – NHED Commissioner CCSNH Board Presentation January 2024
3. Small working groups / discussion
4. Introduction of Presenter – Director Gottlob
5. Presentation – Director Gottlob – Occupational Demand in the NH Labor Market – NH Economic and Labor Market Information Bureau
6. Small working groups / discussion
7. Closing remarks
8. Meeting was adjourned at 5:00pm.