Pursuant to Emergency Order #29, which authorizes temporary modification of executive branch deadlines and other requirements, issued pursuant to Section 18 of Executive Order 2020-04 as modified and extended by Emergency Orders 2020-05, 2020-08, 2020-09, 2020-10, 2020-14, 2020-15, 2020-16, 2020-17, 2020-18, and 2020-20, the following is hereby ordered:

**Continued Modification on the Limitation of Hours for Part-Time Officers**

The New Hampshire Police Standards and Training Council previously adopted an emergency rule in order to allow part-time officers working during the declared state of emergency to be exempt from the working-hour limitations in a calendar year. Specifically, the emergency rule exempted hours worked during the state of emergency from the limits imposed by administrative rule Pol 302.11.

In order to ensure adequate protection of the public and mitigate staffing concerns in police departments across the State, part-time officers who have not attended the full-time police academy must continue to be allowed to work during the COVID-19 pandemic. Accordingly, the hours worked by part-time officers during the state of emergency shall not count towards the cumulative total of allowable hours under administrative rule Pol 302.11.

Given under my hand and seal at the Executive Chambers in Concord, this 25th day of October, in the year of Our Lord, two thousand and twenty, and the independence of the United States of America, two hundred and forty-four.