

1 Draft UI Charge Relief Language

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3 Sec. 1. UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE RATE SCHEDULE FOR
4 BENEFIT YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 2021

5 (a) Notwithstanding any provision of 21 V.S.A. § 1326 to the contrary, the
6 unemployment insurance contribution rate schedule for the benefit year
7 beginning on July 1, 2021 shall remain at Schedule I.

8 (b) The provisions of this section shall not apply if, on April 15, 2021, the
9 balance of the Unemployment Insurance Trust Fund is either below
10 \$90,000,000.00 or projected to drop below that amount on or before
11 December 31, 2021.

12 Sec. 2. UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE; BASE OF CONTRIBUTIONS
13 FOR 2022

14 (a) Notwithstanding 21 V.S.A. § 1321(b), the base of contributions for
15 calendar year 2022 shall be the same amount as for calendar year 2021.

16 (b) The provisions of this section shall not apply if, on October 15, 2021,
17 the balance of the Unemployment Insurance Trust Fund is either below
18 \$90,000,000.00 or projected to drop below that amount on or before
19 December 31, 2021.