



Unemployment Insurance Law Changes Effective January 1, 2024

Act 106 (HB 1197)

Failure To Appear for Job Interviews

§11-10-515

Creates a benefit disqualification for failing without good cause and without notice to attend two scheduled job interviews with the same employer. To satisfy the disqualification, a claimant will be required to have thirty (30) days of covered employment. Effective date January 1, 2024.

Act 196 (HB 1430)

Maximum Number of Weeks

§11-10-504

Reduces the maximum weekly UI benefit duration from sixteen to twelve weeks. Effective for initial claims filed on or after January 1, 2024.

Act 587 (HB 1575)

Work Search Requirements

§11-10-507

Provides that, unless excused from work search, a claimant shall be ineligible for UI benefits for any week during which five (5) work search contacts are not made. Effective date January 1, 2024.

Requires DWS to audit at least one hundred (100) work search reports each week. Effective date January 1, 2024.