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## **\*\*\*PUBLIC NOTICE\*\*\***

# ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

#### (LOW-INCOME HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE & NEVADA FUND FOR ENERGY ASSISTANCE)

#### ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM EXEMPT INCOME

The Low-Income Home Energy Assistance and Nevada Fund for Energy Assistance State Plans provide the Division of Welfare & Supportive Services' Administrator the authority to exempt income used to determine eligibility and benefit amount if a state of emergency has been declared by the Governor.

Due to the current health emergency, the Energy Assistance Program will exempt the \$300 per week supplement under the Federal Pandemic Unemployment Compensation program (FPUC) allowed under the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2021, approved on December 27, 2020 for both eligibility and benefit amount calculations.

### EFFECTIVE DATE: January 8, 2021.

In accordance with Nevada Governor Sisolak's Declaration of Emergency Directive 006 (Emergency Directive 006, extended by Emergency Directive 029 for the duration of the state of emergency), this notice will be available virtually in the following location: <u>http://dwss.nv.gov/</u>