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PAYROLL LETTER #19-015
(Civil Services Only)

TO: All Agencies in the Uniform State Payroll System

FROM: Marissa Revelino, Chief
Personnel and Payroll Services DivisionRE: **INCREASE IN OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS PREFUNDING RATES EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019**

Effective July 1, 2019, Other Post-Employment Benefits (OPEB) Retiree Health contribution rates for **BU01, BU02, BU03, BU04, BU07, BU08, BU09, BU10, BU11, BU12, BU13, BU14, BU15, BU17, BU18, BU19, BU20, and BU21** will increase. In accordance with CalHR directive, OPEB Retiree Health contribution rate from eligible employees in Excluded or Exempt positions not tied to a specific BU will also increase effective July 1, 2019.

The first deduction with the rate increase will be based on payments issued for July 2019 pay period and will be withheld from the August 2019 pay period.

For specific information regarding eligibility and policy details, please refer to CalHR's Policy Statement at the following link: [CalHR's Policy Statement](#).

For specific information regarding contribution rates for BUs, please refer to the Memoranda of Understanding at the following link: [Memoranda of Understanding](#).

For specific information regarding contribution rates for Excluded or Exempt positions not tied to a specific BU, please refer to the CalHR announcement dated June 28, 2019.

Please direct questions related to OPEB as follows:

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Program Administration (e.g., rules, regulations, benefits/pay impacts)	Personnel Services Branch CalHR	(916) 323-3343
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