

**RULES  
OF THE  
GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
EMPLOYMENT SECURITY LAW**

**CHAPTER 300-2-4  
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE BENEFIT PAYMENTS**

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**Emergency Rule 300-2-4-0.23-.13 Maximum Benefit Amount**

Executive Orders 03.26.20.01 and 06.30.21.02, signed by Governor Brian Kemp on March 26, 2020, and June 30, 2021, respectively, authorized the Commissioner of Labor to adopt emergency rules to implement the suspension of O.C.G.A. § 34-8-193(d)(1), which establishes the maximum unemployment benefits payable to an individual in a benefit year. Accordingly, O.C.G.A. § 34-8-193(d)(1) shall be suspended and the maximum benefits payable to an individual shall be twenty-six times the weekly benefit amount for claims filed from March 14, 2020, through March 26, 2022. For all claims filed on or after March 27, 2022, O.C.G.A. § 34-8-193(d)(1) shall be reinstated and in full force and effect.

Authority: O.C.G.A. §§ 50-13-4(b), Exec. Order No.'s 03.26.20.01 (Mar. 26,2021) & 06.30.21.02 (Jun. 30, 2021).