

STATE OF NEW JERSEY CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

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AGENDA OF REGULAR MEETING OF THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

OCTOBER 16, 2024

Allison Chris Myers, Chairperson Dolores Gorczyca Daniel W. O'Mullan Diomedes Tsitouras Christina Mongon

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION MINUTES

Submitted for adoption are the Civil Service Commission minutes of its meeting of September 25, 2024.

ACTION:

WITHDRAWAL OF APPEALS

The following appeals were withdrawn and removed from the hearing calendar:

David Conceicao, Union County, Sheriff's Department, layoff

George Cook, Hoboken, Department of Environmental Services, removal.

Cheatee Kpou, New Lisbon Developmental Center, Department of Human Services, removal.

ACTION:

SECTION A – HEARING MATTERS

A-1 SETTLEMENTS

Zaire Goodson Department of Children and Families

Andre Jones Hunterdon Developmental Center Department of Human Services

Nirva Lubin Green Brook Regional Center Department of Human Services

Christopher Opperman Judiciary Camden Vicinage

Noemi Quiles Woodbine Developmental Center Department of Human Services

Niema Wilson Ann Klein Forensic Center Department of Health Allah Young Lakewood Department of Public Works

ACTION:

A-2 ZAIRE BAILEY – CSC DOCKET NO. 2024-956

Zaire Bailey, Supervising Juvenile Detention Officer, Middlesex County, Department of Adult Corrections, removal, effective May 6, 2023, on charges of incompetency, inefficiency or failure to perform duties, insubordination, conduct unbecoming a public employee, neglect of duty and other sufficient cause.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Reverse the removal.

ACTION:

A-3 SAVON BRITTINGHAM – CSC DOCKET NO. 2023-977

Savon Brittingham, County Correctional Police Officer, Mercer County Correction Center, release at the end of the working test period, effective October 27, 2022.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Reverse the release at the end of the working test period.

ACTION:

A-4 JOSEPH FUSCO – CSC DOCKET NO. 2021-386

Joseph Fusco, Custodial Worker, Brick Township School District, removal, effective June 16, 2021, on charges of conduct unbecoming a public employer and other sufficient cause.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Uphold the removal.

A-5 THOMASINA LLOYD - CSC DOCKET NO. 2023-846

Thomasina Lloyd, Social Worker, Ocean County, Board of Social Services, removal, effective September 19, 2022, on charges of incompetency, inefficiency or failure to perform duties, conduct unbecoming a public employee, neglect of duty and other sufficient cause.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Dismiss the appeal for failure to appear.

ACTION:

A-6 STEPHAN PITTS – CSC DOCKET NO. 2024-476

Stephan Pitts, Road Repairer 2, Camden County, Department of Public Works, 20 working day suspension, on charges of insubordination, conduct unbecoming a public employee, neglect of duty and other sufficient cause.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Uphold the 20 working day suspension.

ACTION:

A-7 SALVATORE SPILLETTI – CSC DOCKET NO. 2023-2657

Salvatore Spilletti, County Correctional Police Officer, Hudson County, Department of Corrections, 90 working day suspension, on charges of incompetency, inefficiency or failure to perform duties, insubordination, conduct unbecoming a public employee, neglect of duty and other sufficient cause.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Grant the appellant's motion for summary decision and reverse the 90 working day suspension.

ACTION:

SECTION B – MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS

B-1 ERIC MORRISON - CSC DOCKET NO. 2024-1933

Eric Morrison, represented by Russell L. Lichtenstein, Esq. appeals the decision to remove his name from the Fire Fighter (M2201D), Atlantic City, eligible list on the basis of an unsatisfactory driving record.

B-2 EDWARD SPAHR - CSC DOCKET NO. 2024-2629

Edward Spahr appeals the decision to remove his name from the State Park Police Officer Trainee (S0231D), Department of Environmental Protection eligible list on the basis of an unsatisfactory background report.

ACTION:

B-3 MARY SPAHR - CSC DOCKET NO. 2024-2630

Mary Spahr appeals the decision to remove her name from the State Park Police Officer Trainee (S0231D), Department of Environmental Protection eligible list on the basis of an unsatisfactory background report.

ACTION:

B-4 VINCENT GRANESE – CSC DOCKET NO. 2023-2269

Vincent Granese appeals his score on the oral portion of the promotional examination for Fire Lieutenant (PM2384C), Ventnor City.

ACTION:

B-5 G.V. - CSC DOCKET NO. 2023-2386

G.V. appeals his score on the oral portion of the promotional examination for Fire Captain (PM2353C), Wildwood.

ACTION:

B-6 JUAN BARROSO – CSC DOCKET NO. 2025-374

Juan Barroso, a Fire Official, UFD with Kearny, represented by Zinovia H. Stone, Esq., petitions the Civil Service Commission for interim relief regarding his immediate suspension.

ACTION:

B-7 S.J. - CSC DOCKET NO. 2025-86

S.J., a Police Captain with Boonton, represented by Matthew A. Peluso, Esq., petitions the Civil Service Commission (Commission) for interim relief of his indefinite suspension.

B-8 MARK KIEFFER III – CSC DOCKET NO. 2025-251

Mark Kieffer III, a Police Officer with Trenton, represented by Stuart J. Alterman, Esq., petitions the Civil Service Commission for interim relief of his immediate suspension.

ACTION:

B-9 S.A. – CSC DOCKET NO. 2024-1673

S.A., an Operating Engineer Repairer with Northern State Prison, Department of Corrections, represented by Arnold Shep Cohen, Esq., requests back pay pursuant to *In the Matter of S.A.* (CSC, decided May 19, 2021).

ACTION:

B-10 BUILDING MANAGEMENT SERVICES SPECIALIST TRAINEE – CSC DOCKET NO. 2025-755

The Division of Agency Services requests the establishment of the noncompetitive title of Building Management Services Specialist Trainee in accordance with *N.J.A.C.* 4A:3-1.2.

ACTION:

B-11 COMPLIANCE OFFICER, MVC – CSC DOCKET NO. 2025-668

The Division of Agency Services requests that certain incumbents in the Safety Specialist, MVC title series be cross walked to the Compliance Officer, MVC Commercial Bus Unit title series.