MINUTES OF MEETING NEW JERSEY PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION November 26, 2019 10:00 a.m. 495 West State Street Trenton, New Jersey

The meeting was called to order by Chair Joel M. Weisblatt.

Present were:

Commissioners:

John Bonanni David Jones Pasquale Papero

Also present were:

Christine Lucarelli-Carneiro, General Counsel Don Horowitz, Senior Deputy General Counsel Frank Kanther, Deputy General Counsel John Boppert, Deputy General Counsel Ramiro Perez, Deputy General Counsel Kellie Hullfish, who acted as Stenographer

At the commencement of the meeting, Chair Weisblatt, pursuant to Section 5 of the Open Public Meetings Act, entered this announcement into the minutes of the meeting:

Adequate notice has been provided by the dissemination of a written "Annual Notice of Meeting." On December 20, 2018 a copy of such notice was:

(a) prominently posted in a public place at the offices of the Public Employment Relations Commission;

(b) e-mailed to the business offices of the Trenton Times and the Courier Post;

(c) posted on the agency's web site.

Furthermore on November 21, 2019, copies of an additional written "Notice of Meeting" were posted and sent in a similar manner.

The first item for consideration was the minutes of the October 31, 2019 meeting. Commissioner Bonanni moved the minutes and Commissioner Jones seconded the motion. The motion to adopt the minutes was unanimously approved (Chair Weisblatt, Commissioners Bonanni, Jones and Papero).

Chair Weisblatt stated he would give a Chair's report at the December 19, 2019 meeting.

The Counsel's Office distributed a monthly report.

General Counsel Lucarelli-Carneiro reminded the Commissioner's to please complete and submit at their earliest convenience the New Jersey Special State Officer Ethics Training.

The first case for consideration was <u>The Ocean County</u> <u>Utilities Authority and United Steel Workers, AFL-CIO, Paper and</u> <u>Forestry, Rubber, Manufacturing, Energy, Allied Industrial and</u> <u>Service Workers International Union, Local 4-406</u>, Docket No. SN-2019-058. Commissioner Jones moved the draft decision and Commissioner Papero seconded the motion. The motion to adopt the draft decision was unanimously approved (Chair Weisblatt, Commissioners Bonanni, Jones and Papero).

The next case for consideration was <u>Borough of Carteret and</u> <u>FMBA Local 67</u>, Docket No. SN-2019-043. The draft was previously sent as Agenda Item #3 for the October 31, 2019 Commission meeting. Commissioner Jones moved the draft decision and Commissioner Papero seconded the motion. The motion to adopt the

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draft decision was unanimously approved (Chair Weisblatt, Commissioners Bonanni, Jones and Papero).

The next case for consideration was <u>City of Jersey City and</u> <u>Jersey City Public Employees, Inc., Local 245 and International</u> <u>Brotherhood of Teamsters Union, Local 641</u>, Docket Nos. CU-2016-027, CU-2016-028, CO-2016-221 and CO-2016-236. Commissioner Jones moved the draft decision and Commissioner Papero seconded the motion. The motion to adopt the draft decision was unanimously approved (Chair Weisblatt, Commissioners Bonanni, Jones and Papero).

The next case for consideration was <u>Township of Lakewood and</u> <u>Teamsters Local 97 and Samuel Schulman</u>, Docket No. CI-2018-005. Commissioner Bonanni moved the draft decision and Commissioner Jones seconded the motion. The motion to adopt the draft decision was unanimously approved (Chair Weisblatt, Commissioners Bonanni, Jones and Papero).

The next case for consideration was <u>Edison Township Board of</u> <u>Education and Edison Township Education Association</u>, Docket No. CO-2018-227. Commissioner Jones moved the draft decision and Commissioner Bonanni seconded the motion. The motion to adopt the draft decision was unanimously approved (Chair Weisblatt, Commissioners Bonanni, Jones and Papero).

The next case for consideration was <u>State of New Jersey</u>, <u>Motor Vehicle Commission and Local 32BJ</u>, <u>New Jersey State Motor</u>

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<u>Vehicle Employees Union, SEIU, AFL-CIO</u>, Docket No. SN-2019-061. Commissioner Papero moved the draft decision and Commissioner Jones seconded the motion. The motion to adopt the draft decision was unanimously approved (Chair Weisblatt, Commissioners Bonanni, Jones and Papero).

The last item on the agenda was the Revised Proposed Amendment to <u>N.J.A.C</u>. 19:11-1.5 and Revised Proposed New Rules <u>N.J.A.C</u>. 19:12-7.1, 7.2 and 7.3 to Implement the Workplace Democracy Enhancement Act. Commissioner Jones moved to adopt and Commissioner Bonanni seconded the motion to Revise the Proposed Amendment to <u>N.J.A.C</u>. 19:11-1.5 and Revised Proposed New Rules <u>N.J.A.C</u>. 19:12-7.1, 7.2 and 7.3 to Implement the Workplace Democracy Enhancement Act. The motion to adopt the amendment and new rules was unanimously approved (Chair Weisblatt, Commissioners Bonanni, Jones and Papero).

The Chair asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Bonanni made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Commissioner Papero seconded the motion. The motion was unanimously approved. The meeting was then adjourned.

The next meeting is scheduled to be held on Thursday, December 19, 2019.

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