

MINUTES OF MEETING
NEW JERSEY PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION
August 10, 2006
10:25 a.m.
495 West State Street
Trenton, New Jersey

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Lawrence Henderson.

Present were:

Chairman: Lawrence Henderson

Commissioners:
Peter J. DiNardo
Cheryl G. Fuller
Carla A. Katz
Matthew U. Watkins

Also present were:
Robert E. Anderson, General Counsel
Don Horowitz, Deputy General Counsel
Ira Mintz, Special Assistant to the Chairman
Annette Thompson, who acted as Stenographer

At the commencement of the meeting, the Chairman, 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 15, 2005 a copy of such notice was:

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

(b) mailed to the business offices of the Trenton Times, the Bergen Record, and the Camden Courier Post, as well as to the State House press room addresses of 25 media outlets; and

(c) mailed to the Secretary of State for filing.

Furthermore on August 3, 2006, copies of an additional written "Notice of Meeting" were posted and mailed in a similar manner.

Chairman Henderson called the meeting to order. The first item for consideration was the minutes of the June 29, 2006 meeting. A motion to adopt the minutes was made by Commissioner Fuller and seconded by Commissioner DiNardo. Commissioner Katz recused herself because she did not attend the June meeting. The motion was unanimously approved (Chairman Henderson, Commissioners DiNardo, Fuller and Watkins).

The General Counsel distributed his monthly and supplemental reports. He stated that there had been two recent Appellate Division affirmances, Old Bridge and Monmouth. Both cases were argued by Don Horowitz.

The first case for consideration was New Jersey Transit Corporation and P.B.A. Local 304, Docket No. SN-2006-065. Commissioner Katz moved the draft decision and Commissioner Watkins seconded the motion. The motion was unanimously approved (Chairman Henderson, Commissioners DiNardo, Fuller, Katz and Watkins).

The next case for consideration was Camden County Municipal Utilities Authority and United Food & Commercial Workers Union, Local 1360, Docket No. SN-2006-063. Commissioner Katz moved the draft decision and Commissioner DiNardo seconded the motion. The motion was unanimously approved (Chairman Henderson, Commissioners DiNardo, Fuller, Katz and Watkins).

The next case for consideration was East Orange Board of Education and East Orange Education Association, Docket No. SN-2006-070. Commissioner Fuller moved the draft decision and Commissioner Katz seconded the motion. The motion was unanimously approved (Chairman Henderson, Commissioners DiNardo, Fuller, Katz and Watkins).

The next case for consideration was New Jersey Institute of Technology and FOP Lodge No. 93, Docket No. SN-2006-083. Commissioner Watkins moved the draft decision and Commissioner Fuller seconded the motion. The motion to adopt the decision was unanimously approved (Chairman Henderson, Commissioners DiNardo, Fuller, Katz and Watkins).

The next case for consideration was Rutgers, The State University and FOP Lodge 62, Docket No. SN-2006-086. Commissioner Watkins moved the draft decision and Commissioner DiNardo seconded the motion. The motion to adopt the decision was unanimously approved (Chairman Henderson, Commissioners DiNardo, Fuller, Katz and Watkins).

The next case for consideration was Atlantic County Superintendent of Elections and Teamsters Local 331, Docket No. SN-2006-087. Commissioner Watkins moved the draft decision and Commissioner Fuller seconded the motion. The motion to adopt the decision was unanimously approved (Chairman Henderson, Commissioners DiNardo, Fuller, Katz and Watkins).

The next case for consideration was City of Jersey City and Jersey City Police Superior Officers Association, Docket No. SN-2006-089. Commissioner Watkins moved the draft decision and Commissioner Katz seconded the motion. Commissioner DiNardo recused himself because he has relatives employed in the Jersey City Police Department. The motion to adopt the decision was unanimously approved (Chairman Henderson, Commissioners Fuller, Katz and Watkins).

The next case for consideration was Borough of Bernardsville and Bernardsville PBA Local No. 365, Docket No. CO-2006-217. Commissioner Fuller moved the draft decision and Commissioner Katz seconded the motion. Commissioner Watkins recused himself because his township is represented by an attorney for one of the parties and he works closely with that attorney. The motion to adopt the decision was unanimously approved (Chairman Henderson, Commissioners DiNardo, Fuller and Katz).

The next case for consideration was Camden County Prosecutor and Camden County Assistant Prosecutors Association, Docket No. IA-2006-066. Commissioner Fuller moved the draft decision and Commissioner Watkins seconded the motion. The motion to adopt the decision was unanimously approved (Chairman Henderson, Commissioners DiNardo, Fuller, Katz and Watkins).

The last case for consideration was Union County Prosecutor and Union County Assistant Prosecutors Association, Docket No.

IA-2006-086. Commissioner Watkins moved the draft decision and Commissioner Fuller seconded the motion. The motion to adopt the decision was unanimously approved (Chairman Henderson, Commissioners DiNardo, Fuller, Katz and Watkins).

Commissioner Katz made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Commissioner DiNardo seconded the motion. The motion was unanimously approved. The meeting was then adjourned.

The next meeting is scheduled to be held on Thursday, September 28, 2006 at 10:00 a.m.