

STATE OF NEW JERSEY CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

Robert M. Czech Chair/Chief Executive Officer

MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING OF THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION JUNE 6, 2012

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#### June 6, 2012

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A regular meeting of the Civil Service Commission was held on Wednesday, June 6, 2012, in Trenton, New Jersey.

PRESENT: Robert M. Czech, Chairperson, Members Robert E. Brenner and Thomas J. Perna; Pamela Ullman, Deputy Attorney General; Henry Maurer, Director, Division of Merit System Practices and Labor Relations.

In accordance with L.1975, c.231, the Secretary to the Civil Service Commission opened the meeting with the following statement:

Notice of this meeting was filed with the Secretary of State and sent to the Trentonian, Trenton Times, Courier-Post and Star Ledger on November 28, 2011, and posted at the Civil Service Commission, 3 Station Plaza, Trenton, New Jersey.

All actions were by unanimous vote unless otherwise specified.

#### **SECTION A – HEARING MATTERS**

#### A-1 SETTLEMENTS

In the Matter of Solomon Agyemang New Lisbon Developmental Center Department of Human Services Suspension

In the Matter of Keith Alexander Ancora Psychiatric Hospital Department of Human Services Removals (3)

In the Matter of Vital Alexandre Newark School District Removal and resignation not in good standing

In the Matter of Terence Bellinger Bayside State Prison Department of Corrections SLI

In the Matter of Vilma Collier Vineland Developmental Center Department of Human Services Removal

In the Matter of Anthony Cooks Camden County Department of Health Services Suspension

In the Matter of Rashanna Harper Vineland Developmental Center Department of Human Services Return to permanent held title at the end of the working test period

In the Matter of Rajonta Hodges Mercer County Board of Social Services Return to permanent held title at the end of the working test period In the Matter of Michael Jackson Essex County Department of Citizen Services Release at the end of the working test period

In the Matter of Richard McGowan East Orange Police Department Suspension

In the Matter of Isabella Yessenia Montalvo City of Newark Police Department Removal

In the Matter of John Mulholland Borough of Ringwood Department of Public Works Suspension

In the Matter of Isabella Kelly-Prince Vineland School District Resignation not in good standing

In the Matter of Sherrell Vinson Vineland Developmental Center Department of Human Services Removal

In the Matter of Takiela Smith Ann Klein Forensic Center Department of Human Services Removal

# **RECOMMENDATION OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE IN THE ABOVE CASES – SETTLEMENTS**

**ACTION:** The Civil Service Commission acknowledged the settlements.

#### A-2 DALE ARCHIE

Dale Archie, Laborer, Atlantic City Municipal Utilities Authority, seven working day suspension on charges of insubordination and other sufficient cause.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Reverse the seven working day suspension.

**ACTION:** The Civil Service Commission affirmed the recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge.

#### A-3 GARY LANGLEY (CONSOLIDATION)

Gary Langley, Senior Water Treatment Plant Operator, Atlantic City Municipal Utilities Authority, 10 working day and 30 working day suspension on charges of chronic or excessive absenteeism or lateness, neglect of duty and other sufficient cause.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Uphold the 10-day suspension and modify the 30-day suspension to a 60-day suspension.

**ACTION:** The Civil Service Commission affirmed the recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge.

#### A-4 KAMAL ABDELALL

Kamal Abdelall, Laborer 1, Bayonne Housing Authority, removal effective August 5, 2011, on the charge of inability to perform duties.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Modify the removal to a resignation in good standing.

**ACTION:** The Civil Service Commission affirmed the recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge.

#### A-5 ROBIN FOSTER

Robin Foster, Human Services Technician, Greystone Park Psychiatric Hospital, Department of Human Services, removal effective November 3, 2010, on charges of chronic and excessive absenteeism from work without pay.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Uphold the removal.

**ACTION:** The Civil Service Commission affirmed the recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge.

## A-6 DAVID HARDIN (CONSOLIDATION)

David Hardin, Police Captain, West Milford, Police Department, six-day suspension, two 30-day suspensions and removal effective August 8, 2008, on charges of conduct unbecoming a public employee, insubordination, neglect of duty and other sufficient cause, inability to perform duties, incompetency, inefficiency and failure to perform duties.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Modify the six-day suspension to a four-day suspension, modify the first 30-day suspension to a 15-day suspension, and uphold the second 30-day suspension and the removal.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission modified the recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge and modified the six-day suspension to a four-day suspension and upheld the two 30-day suspensions and removal.

#### A-7 STEVEN PASHAL (CONSOLIDATION)

Steven Pashal, Senior Correction Officer, Mountainview Youth Correctional Facility, Department of Corrections, removal effective August 11, 2011 and resignation not in good standing effective August 12, 2011, on charges of chronic or excessive absenteeism and abandonment of job as a result of absence from work as scheduled without permission for five consecutive work days.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Uphold the removal and the resignation not in good standing.

**ACTION:** The Civil Service Commission affirmed the recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge.

#### A-8 RAHMEENAH SALAAM

Rahmeenah Salaam, Senior Correction Officer, Northern State Prison, Department of Corrections, removal effective December 8, 2010, on charges of conduct unbecoming a public employee, neglect of duty, other sufficient cause, falsification, and violation of a rule, regulation, policy, procedure, order, or administrative decision.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Uphold the removal.

**ACTION:** The Civil Service Commission affirmed the recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge.

#### **SECTION B – MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS**

B-1 The Division of State and Local Operations requests the elimination or designation as archaic various State government titles within Occupational Group 12 (Information Processing Systems Occupations).



DATE:	May 3, 2012
TO:	Civil Service Commission
FROM:	Kenneth Connolly, Director
SUBJECT:	Change in State Classification Plan

#### STATE GOVERNMENT - TITLE CONSOLIDATION INITIATIVE

The Division of State and Local Operations requests the elimination or designation as archaic various state government titles within Occupational Group 12 (Information Processing Systems Occupations). These actions will meet Civil Service Commission goals of title reduction.

The functions classified by these titles no longer exist. The encumbered title, to be designated archaic, will be inactivated subsequent to attrition.

Our review indicates five (5) titles may be eliminated and one (1) title may be designated as archaic.

State Appointing Authorities and affected negotiations representatives have been given the opportunity to review this proposal and all articulated issues have been reviewed and resolved.

The changes shall become effective at the beginning of the first pay period following Commission approval of these actions.

#### TITLE INACTIVATION

Accountant/Auditor Trainee Data Processing P95-53320 Career Competitive Treasury

Accountant/Auditor 4 Data Processing P19-53319 Career Competitive Treasury

Accountant/Auditor 3 Data Processing P22-53321 Career Competitive Treasury

Accountant/Auditor 2 Data Processing P25-53322 Career Competitive Treasury

Supervising Accountant/Auditor Data Processing R30-53346 Career Competitive Treasury

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TITLES TO BE DESIGNATED AS ARCHAIC

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Accountant/Auditor 1 Data Processing S28-53345 Career Competitive Treasury

**B-2** The Department of Community Affairs requests the inactivation of the Assistant Chief Neighborhood Preservation and Demonstration Programs title.



## MEMORANDUM

DATE: May 10, 2012

TO: Civil Service Commission

FROM: Kenneth Connolly, Director UK UM State and Local Operations

SUBJECT: Change in State Classification Plan

#### TITLE INACTIVATIONS

The Department of Community Affairs (DCA) requests inactivation of the following title.

The title is assigned to DCA and currently is unencumbered. DCA has no future plans for use of the title as the function has become obsolete.

As the title is assigned to the M (Managerial) bargaining unit, union notification is not required.

Effective date: The effective date of the verbiage change will be the beginning of the first pay period that follows the Commission's approval of this change in the State Classification plan.

#### TITLE TO BE INACTIVATED

Assistant Chief Neighborhood Preservation and Demonstration Programs M30-64452 C S NL12

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**B-3** The Division of State and Local Operations requests the consolidation of several local government typing variant titles.



## MEMORANDUM

DATE: May 8, 2012

TO: Civil Service Commission

FROM: Kenneth Connolly, Director State and Local Operations

SUBJECT: Change in the Classification Plan

#### LOCAL GOVERNMENT - TITLE CONSOLIDATION INITIATIVE

The Division of State and Local Operations requests the consolidation of several local government typing variant titles. These titles are identical to their corresponding base titles, except for the inclusion of typing duties.

The typing function has evolved over time to include the use of keyboard equipment to input/retrieve information on a desktop or other computer, replacing antiquated technology such as typewriters. Most positions now require some level of proficiency in keyboarding/typing information into a computer or other key entry device. Thus, maintaining separate titles for this function is unnecessary and obsolete by today's standards. The definition, requirement, and KSA sections of the base title specifications will be modified accordingly to accommodate this proposal.

The title actions will be processed as lateral employee movements; appointment type to appointment type, with retention of existing status.

Upon the successful completion of the consolidation process, the identified titles will be inactivated. Any existing eligibility lists for these titles shall be processed as follows;

- Promotional and open competitive lists issued from pending announcements for any
  affected title in which employees with provisional appointments are serving will be certified
  for one time use only in order to effect permanent appointment(s) and will be declared
  expired upon disposition of the certification.
- A complete list that has never been used and contains no employees with current provisional appointments for the title and unit scope specified shall be declared expired.
- A complete list which contains employees with current provisional appointments for the title
  and unit scope specified (with the exception of such employees currently on active military
  duty) will be processed for one time use and will be declared expired upon the disposition of
  the certification.
- An incomplete list containing no employees with current provisional appointments for the title and unit scope specified shall be declared expired.
- Any employee currently on active military duty will be afforded all applicable rights under Federal and State law upon their release from active duty and given the opportunity to apply and compete for any announcements for which they would otherwise have been eligible but for their military service.
- Eligibility lists for affected titles and unit scopes which have expired will be revived as necessary to address unanticipated situations which may arise.

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Where it is found that an employee's movement from a NC title to a competitive title could have been effectuated via promotional examination procedures before any title consolidation impacting the employee's title, the Division of Selection Services will announce a promotional examination, regardless of whether or not the movement after the consolidation still constitutes a promotional movement. Similarly, where an employee was previously classified in a competitive title, but, as a result of a title consolidation, is cross-walked into a NC title, the Division of Selection Services will process any future promotional movements based on the employee's competitive title before the title consolidation without regard to whether or not the employee's present NC title is approved to promote to a competitive title.

Furthermore, we request the inactivation of two (2) titles. The titles are presently unencumbered.

#### TITLE CONSOLIDATION & MOVEMENT OF INCUMBENTS:

Effective: Changes will be effective the first pay period following the Commission's approval.

#### FROM:

Administrative Clerk, Typing 06047 Career (C) Local

Assistant Municipal Clerk, Typing 05063 Career (C) Local

Data Control Clerk, Typing 01470 Career (C) Local

Data Entry Machine Operator, Typing 05419 Career (C) Local

Deputy Registrar of Vital Statistics, Typing 01523 Career (C) Local

Employee Benefits Clerk, Typing 04758 Career (C) Local

Medical Records Clerk, Typing 02470@ Career (C) Local

Principal Data Entry Machine Operator, Typing 06151 Career (C) Local

Principal Employee Benefits Clerk, Typing 07063 Career (C) Local

Principal Medical Records Clerk, Typing 06899 Career (C) Local TO:

Administrative 00020	e Clerk Career (C)	Local
Assistant Mun 00617	icipal Clerk Career (C)	Local
Data Control ( 01468	Clerk Career (C)	Local
Data Entry Ma 04649	chine Operato Career (C)	
Deputy Regist 01520	rar of Vital Stat Career (C)	
Employee Ber 04731	nefits Clerk Career (C)	Local
Medical Recor 02469	rds Clerk Career (C)	Local
Principal Data 05178	Entry Machine Career (C)	
Principal Empl 04936	oyee Benefits Career (C)	Clerk Local

Principal Medical Records Clerk 02824 Career (C) Local Civil Service Commission May 8, 2012 Page 3

#### FROM:

Registrar of Vital Statistics, Typing 03052@ Career (C) Local

Secretarial Assistant, Typing 04364 Career (C) Local

Secretarial Assistant Typing, Bil in Span & Eng 06385 Career (C) Local

Secretary Board/Commission, Typing 07421 Career (C) Local

Senior Data Control Clerk, Typing 05036 Career (C) Local

Senior Data Entry Machine Operator, Typing 06048 Career (C) Local

Senior Employee Benefits Clerk, Typing 04892 Career (C) Local

Senior Medical Records Clerk, Typing 07094 Career (C) Local

Supervising Data Control Clerk, Typing 06898 Career (C) Local

Vault Clerk, Typing 04392 Career (C) Local

#### TO:

Registrar of Vital Statistics 03050@ Career (C) Local

Secretarial Assistant 03127 Career (C) Local

Secretarial Assistant, Bil in Span & Eng 05132 Career (C) Local

Secretary Board/Commission 07419 Career (C) Local

Senior Data Control Clerk 03294 Career (C) Local

Senior Data Entry Machine Operator 05180 Career (C) Local

Senior Employee Benefits Clerk 04730 Career (C) Local

Senior Medical Records Clerk 03467 Career (C) Local

Supervising Data Control Clerk 03872 Career (C) Local

Records Support Technician 1 56562 Career (C) Local

#### TITLE INACTIVATION:

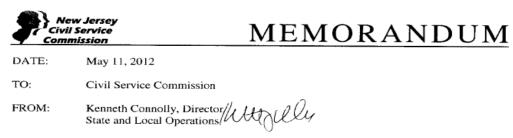
Effective: Changes will be effective the first pay period following the Commission's approval.

Senior Elections Clerk, Typing 07581 Unclassified (U) Local

Supervisor of Water Collections, Typing 04680 Career (C) Local

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**B-4** The Division of State and Local Operations requests the reactivation of the title Supervisor of Bridge Operations.



SUBJECT: Change in the State Classification Plan

#### STATE GOVERNMENT TITLES

The Division of State and Local Operations requests the reactivation of the State title Supervisor of Bridge Operation (40347). The title had been inactivated on April 6<sup>th</sup>, 2011 as part of the Civil Service Commission initiative to reduce unnecessary titles; the memo approved on that date targeted a number of unencumbered titles for elimination. The Department of Transportation (DOT) was notified of the plan to inactivate and provided no objection to the action. DOT has since realized its need for the function provided by this title and requested its reactivation.

This action is requested to fulfill the need of the affected agency.

Upon the Commission's approval of the action, the effective date of this action will be October 22, 2011 to accommodate an approved out-of-title reclassification request.

#### TITLE REACTIVATIONS

Supervisor of Bridge Operation 40347 Competitive N412

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## **B-5 DAVID A. MOS**

David A. Mos, a Police Officer with the City of Newark, represented by Matthew D. Areman, Esq., petitions the Civil Service Commission for enforcement of the Merit System Board decision rendered on January 26, 2005.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that this request be dismissed for the Commission's lack of jurisdiction.

#### **B-6 MICHAEL PRINS**

Michael Prins, represented by James D. Addis, Esq., seeks resolution of a dispute concerning back pay arising from the decision *In the Matter of Michael Prins* (CSC, decided April 6, 2011), which reversed his removal as a County Correction Sergeant with Hudson County.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission granted Michael Prins \$54,197.98 in back pay.

#### **B-7 PRESTON WILLIAMS**

Preston Williams, a Senior Correction Officer, Juvenile Justice, with the Juvenile Justice Commission, represented by Daniel K. Snyder, Esq., seeks Civil Service Commission resolution of a dispute concerning the amount of back pay due to him during the period of his indefinite suspension.

**ACTION:** The Civil Service Commission awarded \$21,409.21 in back pay.

#### **B-8 FREDERICK ROLL**

Frederick Roll, a County Correction Officer with Hunterdon County, represented by Anthony J. Fusco, Jr., Esq., petitions the Civil Service Commission for interim relief of his removal effective February 16, 2012.

#### **B-9** TEACHER AND TEACHER, JUVENILE FACILITIES

The International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Local 102, represented by Susan J. Cameron, Esq., requests interim relief from the Civil Service Commission regarding the layoff of employees in the titles of Teacher and Teacher, Juvenile Facilities, with Union County.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that this request be denied.

#### **B-10 PAUL SERDIUK**

Paul Serdiuk, a former Personnel Assistant 2, appeals an official written reprimand issued by the Department of Military and Veterans Affairs.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that this appeal be denied.

## **B-11 MICHAEL ANDRADE, ET AL.**

Michael Andrade, represented by Jennifer Pisano, Esq., Antoine Anderson, and Damian Sorrentino appeal the determinations that their names were not added to the list for Fire Fighter (M2505M), Bloomfield.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that the appeal of Antoine Anderson be granted and his name be added to the Fire Fighter (M2505M), Bloomfield eligible list. The Civil Service Commission directed that the appeals of Michael Andrade and Damian Sorrentino be denied.

#### **B-12 GEORGE HEAGELE AND JASON BERGSTROM**

George Heagele, represented by Rachel Caruso, Esq., and Jason Bergstrom, appeal the bypass of their names on the Fire Captain (PM5063M), Hamilton Fire District, #7, eligible list.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that these appeals be denied.

#### **B-13 JOSEPHINE HINSON**

Josephine Hinson, a Human Services Specialist 3 with Camden County Board of Social Services, appeals the bypass of her name on a certification of the Human Services Specialist 4 (PC0784K), Camden County Board of Social Services, eligible list.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that this appeal be denied.

#### **B-14 JESSE SUTTOR**

Jesse Suttor, represented by Daniel J. Zirrith, Esq., appeals the determination of the Division of State and Local Operations, which upheld the bypass of his name on the certification of the County Correction Officer (S9999K), Passaic County, eligible list.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that this appeal be denied.

#### **B-15 ELISEO MEDRANO, ET AL.**

The City of Passaic, on behalf of Eliseo Medrano, Hisham Sheikh, and Lisandro Rosario, requests that they be permitted to participate in the intergovernmental transfer program and to complete the remainder of their working test periods as Police Officers with Passaic.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that this request be granted.

#### **B-16 JOHNATHAN SEIDEL**

The City of Millville requests relaxation of N.J.A.C. 4A:4-7.1A(c) so as to permit the intergovernmental transfer of Johnathan Seidel from the title of Sheriff's Officer, Salem County Sheriff's Office, to the title of Police Officer, Millville.

## **B-17 LAKIA TORRES AND JOSE YUNQUE**

The Middlesex County Sheriff's Office, on behalf of Lakia Torres and Jose Yunque, requests that they be permitted to participate in the intergovernmental transfer program and to complete the remainder of their working test periods as Sheriff's Officers with the Sheriff's Office.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that this request be granted.

## **B-18 HARRY CREO**

Harry Creo, represented by William D. Sayers, Esq., appeals the determination by the Division of State and Local Operations which found that the appointing authority had presented a sufficient basis to remove his name from the County Correction Officer (S9999H), Essex County eligible list due to falsification of his pre-employment application.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that this appeal be granted.

## **B-19 ADRIAN LALLJEE**

Adrian Lalljee appeals the decision of the Division of State and Local Operations which upheld the removal of his name from the Correction Officer Recruit (S9999K), Department of Corrections, eligible list on the basis of falsification of his employment application.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that this appeal be denied.

## **B-20 ISCHYROS PARFAIT**

Ischyros Parfait appeals the decision of the Division of State and Local Operations which upheld the removal of his name from the Correction Officer Recruit (S9999K), Department of Corrections, eligible list due to his unsatisfactory driving record.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that this appeal be denied.

#### **B-21 SELINA ALLEN, ET AL.**

Selina Allen, Jennifer Bak, Kimberlee Doyle-Maloney, Andrea Lewis, and Jeannae Suiter appeal the decisions of the Division of State and Local Operations that the proper classifications of their positions with the Department of Children and Families are Residential Services Specialist 1 or Residential Services Specialist 2. The appellants seek Administrative Analyst 1 or Administrative Analyst 2 classifications.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that these appeals be denied, but the appellants' Position Classification Questionnaires be forwarded to the Division of Classification and Personnel Management for expedited review.

#### **B-22 TAMMY HANAK**

Tammy Hanak appeals the determination of the Division of State and Local Operations that her position with the Department of the Treasury is properly classified as Principal Audit Account Clerk.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that this appeal be denied.

#### **B-23 SUZAN MCMANUS**

Suzan McManus appeals the decision of the Division of State and Local Operations that the proper classification of her position with Warren County is Clerk 2. The appellant seeks Human Services Specialist 1 or Income Maintenance Technician classification.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that this appeal be denied.

#### **B-24 THOMAS ZABRISKIE**

The Township of Vernon requests that the eligible list for Police Sergeant (PM2617J) be revived in order to appoint Thomas Zabriskie effective December 27, 2011.

#### **B-25 GEORGE JOHNSON**

The Superior Officers Association of PBA Local 122, represented by James Katz, Esq., appeals the decision of the Division of State and Local Operations which concluded that Deptford Township's temporary appointment of George Johnson to a Police Lieutenant position even though there was an existing eligible list of four names, did not violate N.J.A.C. 4A:4-1.7.

**ACTION:** The Civil Service Commission directed that this appeal be granted and the matter be referred for a classification review.

#### **B-26** ACCOUNT CLERK (C2121N), BURLINGTON COUNTY

Burlington County requests permission not to make an appointment from the December 7, 2011 certification for Account Clerk (C2121N).

**ACTION:** The Civil Service Commission granted an appointment waiver and assessed partial selection costs in the amount of \$1,024.

#### **B-27** CLERK DRIVER (C0304M), HUDSON COUNTY

The Division of State and Local Operations petitions the Civil Service Commission for enforcement of the decision rendered on October 19, 2011, wherein the Commission ordered that the appointing authority properly dispose of the January 28, 2011 certification (OL110077) of the eligible list for Clerk Driver (C0304M).

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission ordered the appointing authority to comply with the Commission's previous order to properly dispose of the certification and fined the appointing authority \$10,000 for compliance costs.

#### **B-28 DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY, TRAINEE TITLES**

The Director, Division of State and Local Operations, requests the reallocation of the titles of Auditor Taxation Trainee, Investigator Trainee Taxation, Investigator Trainee Taxation, Bilingual in Spanish and English, and Tax Representative Trainee to the noncompetitive division of the career service on an interim basis.

#### **B-29 PARKING ENFORCEMENT OFFICER (M0618K), UNION TOWNSHIP**

The Division of State and Local Operations petitions the Civil Service Commission for enforcement of the decision rendered on October 19, 2011, wherein the Commission ordered that the appointing authority properly dispose of the August 3, 2009 certification (OL090997) of the eligible list for Parking Enforcement Officer (M0618K).

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission granted an appointment waiver and assessed \$2,048 in selection costs. Further, the Commission ordered the appointing authority to pay a fine of \$1,000 for non compliance in this matter and remit prior compliance costs in the amount of \$500.

## **B-30 ROAD REPAIRER 1 (C2390N), BERGEN COUNTY**

Bergen County requests permission not to make an appointment from the January 27, 2012 certification for Road Repairer 1 (C2390N).

**ACTION:** The Civil Service Commission granted an appointment waiver and assessed selection costs in the amount of \$1,024.

## **B-31 SENIOR ENGINEER (C0207N), MERCER COUNTY**

Mercer County requests permission not to make an appointment from the August 9, 2011 certification for Senior Engineer (C0207N).

**ACTION:** The Civil Service Commission granted an appointment waiver and assessed selection costs in the amount of \$2,048.

## **B-32 ALFONSINA COMUNE**

Alfonsina Comune, a former Executive Assistant 1 with the Office of Information Technology, represented by Joseph R. Lang, Esq., appeals the determination of the Director, Governor's Office of Employee Relations, which found that the appellant failed to support a finding that she had been subjected to a violation of the New Jersey State Policy Prohibiting Discrimination in the Workplace.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that this appeal be denied but the appellant receive differential back pay to reflect that she should have earned an annual salary of \$104,170.95 from April 1, 2006 to December 23, 2006.

#### **B-33 ESTHER WILLIAMS**

Esther Williams, a Supervisor of Nursing Services at Trenton Psychiatric Hospital, Department of Human Services, appeals the determination of the Assistant Commissioner, which found sufficient evidence that the appellant had violated the New Jersey State Policy Prohibiting Discrimination in the Workplace.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that this appeal be denied.

## **B-34 JEOMAR ALICEA**

The appeal of Jeomar Alicea, a Senior Correction Officer at the Albert C. Wagner Youth Correctional Facility, Department of Corrections, of his 30 working day suspension, on charges, was heard by Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) Tiffany M. Williams, who rendered her initial decision on April 12, 2012. At its meeting on May 16, 2012, the Civil Service Commission did not adopt the ALJ's recommendation to modify the 30 working day to a three day suspension. Rather, the Commission imposed a 10 working day suspension. The proposed decision is now submitted for the Commission's review.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission adopted the decision.

## **B-35 DERRICK MCNAIR**

The appeal of Derrick McNair, a Hospital Attendant with the Hudson County Department of Health and Human Services, of his removal, effective February 3, 2012, on charges, was heard by Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) JoAnn Lasala Candido, who rendered her initial decision on April 3, 2012. At its meeting on May 16, 2012, the Civil Service Commission did not adopt the ALJ's recommendation to modify the removal to a six-month suspension. Rather, the Commission upheld the removal. The proposed final decision is now submitted for the Commission's review.

**ACTION:** The Civil Service Commission adopted the final decision.

<b>VOTE:</b>	Robert M. Czech	(Yes)
	Robert E. Brenner	(No)
	Thomas J. Perna	(Yes)

## **B-36 SHARON HACKWORTH**

Sharon Hackworth, represented by Robert O. Yaeger, Principal Staff Representative, CWA Local 1040, petitions the Civil Service Commission for reconsideration of the final decision, rendered on December 21, 2011, which found that her position with the Department of Human Services position was properly classified as an Audit Account Clerk (Typing).

**ACTION:** The Civil Service Commission directed that the request for reconsideration be denied.

## **B-37 NICHOLAS MANLA**

The Department of Human Services, represented by Brandon Hawkins, Deputy Attorney General, petitions the Civil Service Commission for reconsideration of the final decision, rendered on January 11, 2012, which modified the removal of Nicholas Manla, a Cottage Training Technician, to a 20 working day suspension.

**ACTION:** The Civil Service Commission directed that the request for reconsideration be denied.

## **B-38 LYNN BRZOZOWSKI**

Lynn Brzozowski appeals the determination of the Division of Selection Services that she did not meet the experience requirements for the promotional examination for Management Assistant (PM0252N), Jersey City School District.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that this appeal be granted.

## **B-39 KYLE DODIG**

Kyle Dodig appeals the determination of the Division of Selection Services that he did not meet the experience requirements for the promotional examination for Management Assistant (PC0776N), Monmouth County.

<b>VOTE:</b>	Robert M. Czech	(Abstained)
	Robert E. Brenner	(Yes)
	Thomas J. Perna	(Yes)

#### **B-40 RACHELLE FARESE**

Rachelle Farese appeals the determination of the Division of Selection Services that she did not meet the experience requirements for the promotional examination for Senior Program Development Specialist, Community Service (PC1077N), Morris County.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that this appeal be granted.

#### **B-41 FRANK HOFFMAN**

Frank Hoffman appeals the determination of the Division of Selection Services which found that he was below the minimum requirements in experience for the promotional examination for General Supervisor, Public Works (PM0717N), Perth Amboy.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that this appeal be granted.

#### **B-42 CARLOS ORTIZ, ET AL.**

Carlos Ortiz, Lee Castro and Randal Padula appeal the scope of eligibility for the promotional examination for Lieutenant Campus Police (PS9978J), Montclair State University.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that these appeals be denied.

#### **B-43 ASA PARIS**

As a Paris appeals the determination of the Division of Selection Services which found that he was ineligible for the promotional examination for County Correction Lieutenant (PC2655K), Mercer County.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that this appeal be denied.

#### **B-44 WILLIAM PIEDRA**

William Piedra appeals the determination of the Division of Selection Services that he did not meet the experience requirements for the promotional examination for Project Manager Transportation (PS5800T), Department of Transportation.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that this appeal be granted.

#### **B-45 ANTHONY PRAGLIOLA**

Anthony Pragliola appeals the determination of the Division of Selection Services that he did not meet the experience requirements for the promotional examination for Heating System Specialist (PC0726N), Mercer County.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that this appeal be granted.

#### **B-46 RAFIK TAWFIK**

Rafik Tawfik appeals the determination of the Division of Selection Services which found that he was below the minimum requirements in experience for the promotional examination for Administrative Analyst (PM0303N), Jersey City School District.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that this appeal be granted.

#### **B-47 RENEE WALKER**

Renee Walker appeals the determination of the Division of Selection Services which found that, per the substitution clause for education, she was below the minimum requirements in experience for the promotional examination for Administrative Analyst (PM0303N), Jersey City School District.

#### **B-48 DAVID JOBES**

David Jobes appeals the administration of the written and oral portions of the promotional examination for Fire Captain (PM5243N), Trenton.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that these appeals be denied.

#### **B-49 MICHAEL ROSS**

Michael Ross appeals the test administration of the examination for Fire Lieutenant (PM5189N), New Brunswick.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that this appeal be denied.

## **B-50 CARLA OSORIO**

Carla Osorio requests that she be provided with a retest of the Entry Level Law Enforcement Examination (S9999M).

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that this request be denied.

#### **B-51 SALARY REGULATIONS: FY 2012, SUPPLEMENT 3**

Submitted for the Civil Service Commission's review are the Salary Regulations for Fiscal Year 2012, Supplement 3. The Salary Regulations pertain to rates of pay and minimum requirements for seasonal lifeguards. The Salary Regulations have been approved by Robert M. Czech, Chair/CEO, Civil Service Commission, and Charlene M. Holzbaur, Director, Office of Management and Budget. It is recommended that the Commission record these Salary Regulations.

**ACTION:** The Civil Service Commission recorded these salary regulations.

#### **B-52 CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION MINUTES**

Submitted for adoption are the Civil Service Commission minutes of its meeting of May 16, 2012.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission adopted the minutes of its meeting of May 16, 2012.

#### **B-53 EARLY SETTLEMENTS**

In the Matter of Joseph Doolin Department of Transportation Suspension

In the Matter of Tonia Johnson Woodbridge Developmental Center Department of Human Services Suspension

**ACTION:** The Civil Service Commission acknowledged the settlements.

## **B-54 LAWRENCE REYNOLDS**

Lawrence Reynolds, a Police Officer with the Township of Irvington Police Department, represented by Anthony J. Pope, Esq., petitions the Civil Service Commission for a stay and interim relief of his removal, effective May 8, 2012, pending the outcome of his hearing at the Office of Administrative Law.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that this request be denied.

## **B-55 JOSEPH COLETTA**

Joseph Coletta appeals the decision of the Division of Selection Services which found that he lacked the required amount of permanent status in a title to which the examination was open for Deputy Fire Chief (PM1252N), Bloomfield.

ACTION: The Civil Service Commission directed that this appeal be granted.

There being no further business before the Civil Service Commission, the meeting was adjourned to convene on Wednesday, June 20, 2012, at 10:00 a.m., at 3 Station Plaza, Trenton, New Jersey.

> Robert M. Czech Chairperson Civil Service Commission