

Minutes of the Government Records Council June 25, 2019 – Closed Session

The Council convened in closed session at 1:45 p.m. in Conference Room 129 of the Department of Community Affairs, Trenton, New Jersey. In attendance were: Robin Berg Tabakin, Esq. (Chairwoman), Christopher Huber, Esq. (designee of Department of Education Commissioner, Dr. Lamont Repollet), Thurman Barnes (designee of Department of Community Affairs Commissioner, Lt. Governor Sheila Y. Oliver).

Absent: Steven Ritardi, Esq. (Public Member).

Also, in attendance were GRC Staff: Frank F. Caruso (Acting Executive Director), Rosemond Bordzoe (Secretary), John Stewart (Mediator) Samuel Rosado (Staff Attorney), and Deputy Attorney General Debra Allen.

Ms. Berg Tabakin called for a motion to go into closed session. Mr. Huber made a motion, which was seconded by Mr. Barnes. The Council adopted the motion by a unanimous vote.

The Council met in closed session pursuant to <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 10:4-12(b)(7) and <u>N.J.A.C.</u> 5:105-2.8(g) to review records *in camera* and receive legal advice in the following matters:

• Lewis J. DeEugenio v. Borough of Glassboro (Gloucester) (2016-254) – In Camera Review (N.J.A.C. 5:105-2.8(g)).

Mr. Rosado introduced GRC Complaint No. 2016-254. The Council reviewed the records at *in camera*. The Council discussed the proposed conclusions and received legal advice from DAG Allen. Mr. Huber asked whether the proposed ordinances were publicly discussed. Chairwoman Berg Tabakin and Mr. Caruso both noted that draft documents remain exempt even if publicly discussed or disseminated by other means. The Council agreed to the conclusions as written.

Ms. Berg Tabakin called for a motion to end the closed session. Mr. Barnes made a motion, which was seconded by Mr. Huber. The Council adopted the motion by a unanimous vote. The closed session meeting concluded at 1:52 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted:
Robin Berg Tabakin, Esq., Chair

Date Approved: July 30, 2019