



STATE OF NEW JERSEY
CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

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**AGENDA OF MEETING OF
THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
JULY 29, 2020**

**Deirdré L. Webster Cobb, Chairperson
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CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION MINUTES

Submitted for adoption are the Civil Service Commission minutes of its special meeting of July 17, 2020.

ACTION:

WITHDRAWAL OF APPEALS

The following appeals were withdrawn and removed from the hearing calendar:

Heriberto Delgado, County Police Officer, Camden County, Police Department, removal effective February 21, 2018.

ACTION:

SECTION A – HEARING MATTERS

A-1 SETTLEMENTS

Angie Espinal
Hudson County
Department of Roads and Public Property
Removal

RECOMMENDATION OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE IN THE ABOVE CASES – SETTLEMENT

ACTION:

A-2 NADIRA DUVAL

Nadira Duval, County Correctional Police Officer, Hudson County, Department of Corrections, removal effective January 14, 2019, on charges of inability to conduct unbecoming a public employee and other sufficient cause.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Uphold the removal.

ACTION:

A-3 RUTH HENRIQUEZ

Ruth Henriquez, Sheriff's Officer, Middlesex County Sheriff's Office, removal effective October 28, 2016, on charges of incompetency, inefficiency or failure to perform duties and other sufficient cause.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Uphold the removal.

ACTION:

A-4 DAVID PREZIOSI

David Preziosi, Police Officer, Township of West Orange, Police Department, 30 working day suspension on charges of inability to chronic or excessive absenteeism or lateness and other sufficient cause.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Uphold the 30 working day suspension.

ACTION:

A-5 LUIS SUAREZ

Luis Suarez, Sheriff's Officer, Middlesex County Sheriff's Office, 10 working day suspension on charges or conduct unbecoming a public employee, neglect of duty, violation of various departmental policies and other sufficient cause.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Uphold the 10 working day suspension.

ACTION:

SECTION B – MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS

B-1 J.W.R. – CSC DOCKET NO. 2019-1764

J.W.R. represented by Oleg Nekritin, Esq., appeals his rejection as a Police Officer candidate by the Woodbridge Police Department and its request to remove his name from the eligible list for Police Officer (S9999U), Woodbridge on the basis of psychological unfitness to perform effectively the duties of the position.

ACTION:

B-2 JOHN PIENCIAK – CSC DOCKET NO. 2018-1970

John Pienciak, represented by Michael L. Prigoff, Esq., appeals Hillside's decision to bypass his name for appointment from the Deputy Fire Chief (PM3241V), Hillside eligible list.

ACTION:

B-3 ASSISTANT COUNTY TREASURER (C2029W), SUSSEX COUNTY – CSC DOCKET NO. 2020-1432

Sussex County requests permission not to make an appointment from the June 17, 2019 certification for Assistant County Treasurer (C20209W).

ACTION:

B-4 SUPERVISOR, SANITATION (M0429V), NEWARK – CSC DOCKET NO. 2019-1852

The Division of Agency Services requests that Newark be ordered to return the January 10, 2018 certification (OL180037) of the eligible list for Supervisor, Sanitation (M0429V) for proper disposition.

ACTION:

B-5 ALEJANDRO MADERA – CSC DOCKET NO. 2020-2329

Alejandro Madera requests that he be permitted to submit an application for the promotional examination for Sheriff's Officer Sergeant (PC1559A), Essex County, after the application filing deadline.

ACTION:

B-6 RONALD PERSAUD – CSC DOCKET NO. 2020-2137

Ronald Persaud, a Laborer 1 with the Plainfield Housing Authority, represented by Arnold Shep Cohen, Esq., requests relief related to the involuntary reduction in his workweek.

ACTION:

B-7 LISA SCHWEIZER – CSC DOCKET NO. 2020-2383

Lisa Schweizer, represented by Louis P. McFadden, Jr., Esq., requests that the Civil Service Commission determine the amount of back pay and benefits due based on the decision *In the Matter of Lisa Schweizer* (CSC, decided December 18, 2019). She also requests interest and counsel fees.

ACTION:

B-8 CITY OF HOBOKEN LAYOFF – CSC DOCKET NO. 2020-2660

The Hoboken Municipal Employees Association, represented by Marcia J. Mitolo, Esq., petitions for a stay of the May 7, 2020 layoff.

ACTION:

B-9 D.S. – CSC DOCKET NO. 2020-2288

D.S. appeals the removal of her name from the Correctional Police Officer (S9988A), Department of Corrections eligible list on the basis of an unsatisfactory background report.

ACTION:

B-10 JAISON ALEX – CSC DOCKET NO. 2020-6

Jaison Alex appeals the determination of the Division of Agency Services that the proper classification of his position with Bergen County is Senior Engineer, Traffic. The appellant seeks a Principal Engineer, Traffic job classification.

ACTION:

B-11 FISCAL ANALYST (C0920U), BERGEN COUNTY – CSC DOCKET NO. 2020-2514

The matter of Bergen County's failure to make an appointment from the OL170498 certification for Fiscal Analyst (C0920U), Bergen County has been referred to the Civil Service Commission for review.

ACTION:

B-12 JONATHAN TORRES – CSC DOCKET NO. 2020-2324

Jonathan Torres appeals the removal of his name from the Fire Fighter (M1844W), Jersey City eligible list due to his failure to appear for the Physical Performance Test.

ACTION:

B-13 VICENTE PEREZ – CSC DOCKET NO. 2020-2727

Vicente Perez appeals his rank and score for the promotional examination for Senior Employment Specialist (PC1452A), Essex County.

ACTION:

B-14 MARY BETH PECENAK – CSC DOCKET NO. 2020-1619

Mary Beth Pecenak appeals the decision of the Division of Agency Services which found that her position with the Department of Law and Public Safety is properly classified as Senior Clerk Typist. The appellant seeks a Technical Assistant job classification.

ACTION: