



STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

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**AGENDA OF REGULAR MEETING OF  
THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION**

**FEBRUARY 16, 2022**

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

Submitted for adoption are the Civil Service Commission minutes of its meeting of February 2, 2022.

**ACTION:**

**WITHDRAWAL OF APPEALS**

**The following appeals were withdrawn and removed from the hearing calendar:**

Antonio Bellavista, Maintenance Repairer, Hudson County, Department of Parks and Engineering, suspension.

Fernando Castillo, Investigator, Police Department, Vineland, Department of Public Safety, layoff.

Adam Johnson, Sheriff's Officer Lieutenant, Camden County, Sheriff's Department, suspension.

Matthew Liloia, Police Officer, Clifton, Department of Public Safety, removal.

Sheryl Neely, Public Safety Telecommunicator, Gloucester County, Department of Emergency Response, fine.

**ACTION:**

**SECTION A – HEARING MATTERS**

**A-1 SETTLEMENTS**

Wilnor Jean  
Essex County  
Department of Corrections  
Removal

Nino Lampago  
Ancora Psychiatric Hospital  
Department of Health  
Removal

Stephen Palacio  
Department of Children and Families  
Release at the end of the working test period

**ACTION:**

**A-2 JARE BROOKS – CSC DOCKET NO. 2019-1830**

Jare Brooks, County Correctional Police Officer, Cumberland County, Department of Corrections, removal, effective December 10, 2018, on charges of incompetency, inefficiency or failure to perform duties, inability to perform duties, conduct unbecoming a public employee and other sufficient cause.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Uphold the removal.

**ACTION:****A-3 COLLIN CAESAR – CSC DOCKET NO. 2020-1768**

Collin Caesar, Fire Fighter, Jersey City, Department of Public Safety, fine equal to a nine working day suspension, on charges of conduct unbecoming a public employee, neglect of duty and other sufficient cause.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Modify the fine equal to a nine working day suspension to a fine equal to a three working day suspension.

**ACTION:****A-4 CATHERINE ZUIDEMA – CSC DOCKET NO. 2020-2552**

Catherine Zuidema, Human Services Specialist 1, Monmouth County, Department of Human Resources, release at the end of the working test period, effective April 20, 2020.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Dismiss the appeal for failure to appear.

**ACTION:****SECTION B – MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS****B-1 C.J.C. – CSC DOCKET NO. 2021-1837**

C.J.C., represented by Kenneth Ralph, Esq., appeals his rejection as a Fire Fighter candidate by North Hudson Regional Fire and Rescue and its request to remove his name from the eligible list for Fire Fighter (M1557X) on the basis of psychological unfitness to perform effectively the duties of the position.

**ACTION**

**B-2 A.M. – CSC DOCKET NO. 2021-163**

A.M, represented by Donald Barbati, Esq., appeals her rejection as a Police Officer candidate by the Township of Belleville and its request to remove her name from the eligible list for Police Officer (S9999A) on the basis of psychological unfitness to perform effectively the duties of the position.

**ACTION****B-3 R.O.T. – CSC DOCKET NO. 2022-141**

R.O.T. appeals his rejection as a Police Officer candidate by the City of East Orange and its request to remove his name from the eligible list for Police Officer (S9999A) on the basis of psychological unfitness to perform effectively the duties of the position.

**ACTION:****B-4 DARREL DOCKERY – CSC DOCKET NO. 2022-932**

Darrel Dockery appeals the decision to remove his name from the Correctional Police Officer (S9988A), Department of Corrections eligible list on the basis of falsification of the employment application.

**ACTION:****B-5 GLENN ABRAMS – CSC DOCKET NO. 2022-984**

Glenn Abrams requests permission to file a late application for the promotional examination for Police Sergeant (PM4505C), Atlantic City.

**ACTION:****B-6 GEORGE HAWKINS – CSC DOCKET NO. 2022-1037**

George Hawkins requests to file a late application for the open competitive examination for Principal Legal Stenographer (M0475C), Newark.

**ACTION:****B-7 GEORGE HESSE – CSC DOCKET NO. 2022-1732**

George Hesse appeals the denial of his request to file a late application for the Deputy Fire Chief (PM5172C) West Orange promotional examination.

**ACTION:**

**B-8 THOMAS MCCABE – CSC DOCKET NO. 2022-1040**

Thomas McCabe requests permission to file a late application for the promotional examination for Police Sergeant (PM4505C), Atlantic City.

**ACTION:**

**B-9 MICHAEL NEWELL – CSC DOCKET NO. 2022-1123**

Michael Newell requests permission to file a late application for the promotional examination for Police Sergeant (PM4662C), Ventnor.

**ACTION:**

**B-10 URSULA ASCENCIO AND DANIEL GAROFALO – CSC DOCKET NOS. 2022-1172 AND 2022-1033**

Ursula Ascencio and Daniel Garofalo appeal the determinations of the Division of Agency Services that they did not meet the experience requirements for the promotional examination for Assistant Chief of Administrative Services (PC4205C), Somerset County Board of Social Services.

**ACTION:**

**B-11 RONALD DEPASQUALE – CSC DOCKET NO. 2022-907**

Ronald DePasquale appeals the determination of the Division of Agency Services that he did not meet the experience requirements for the promotional examination for Management Information Systems Coordinator (PC3328C), Morris County.

**ACTION:**

**B-12 MICHAEL DUNLOP – CSC DOCKET NO. 2022-1109**

Michael Dunlop appeals the determination of the Division of Agency Services that he did not meet the experience requirements for the open competitive examination for Counselor, Penal Institution (C0434C), Morris County.

**ACTION:**

**B-13 MONICA KONBOZ – CSC DOCKET NO. 2022-616**

Monica Konboz appeals the determination of the Division of Agency Services, which found that she was below the minimum requirements in experience for the promotional examination for Clerk 2 (PM3179C), Vernon.

**ACTION:**

**B-14 STEPHEN PATEN – CSC DOCKET NO. 2022-947**

Stephen Paten appeals the determination of the Division of Agency Services that he did not meet the experience requirement for the open competitive examination for Mechanical Equipment Specialist (S0393C), South Woods State Prison.

**ACTION:**

**B-15 SAMANTHA SANBORN – CSC DOCKET NO. 2022-987**

Samantha Sanborn appeals the determination of the Division of Agency Services that she did not meet the experience requirements for the promotional examination for Human Services Specialist 1 (PC4466C), Camden County Board of Social Services.

**ACTION:**

**B-16 CHRISTINA SECCONDRO – CSC DOCKET NO. 2022-1026**

Christina Secondro appeals the determination of the Division of Agency Services that she did not meet the experience requirements for the promotional examination for Quality Assurance Officer, Animal Health Diagnostic Laboratory (PS5038A), Department of Agriculture.

**ACTION:**

**B-17 BRIAN WELLS – CSC DOCKET NO. 2022-1009**

Brian Wells appeals the determination of the Division of Agency Services that he did not meet the experience requirements for the promotional examination for Tree Maintenance Worker 3 (PC4463C), Atlantic County.

**ACTION:**

**B-18 DANIEL WORTS – CSC DOCKET NO. 2022-1096**

Daniel Worts appeals the determination of the Division of Agency Services (Agency Services) that he did not meet the experience requirements for the promotional examination for Assistant Chief of Administrative Services (PC4205C), Somerset County Board of Social Services.

**ACTION:**

**B-19 PERRY GIANATIEMPO – CSC DOCKET NO. 2022-934**

Perry Gianatiempo appeals his rank and score for the promotional examination for Master Mechanic, Marine (PS6114P) Department of Law and Public Safety.

**ACTION:**

**B-20 S.J. – CSC DOCKET NO. 2022-1527**

S.J. requests to re-take the Chief, Contract Administration Section (PS3351N), Department of Labor and Workforce Development promotional examination.

**ACTION:**

**B-21 VICKI CHIRCO – CSC DOCKET NO. 2022-1007**

Vicki Chirco appeals the decision of the Division of Agency Services which found that her position with the Department of Environmental Protection is properly classified as Resource Interpretive Specialist 2, Historic Resources. She seeks an Resource Interpretive Specialist 3 job classification in this proceeding.

**ACTION:**

**B-22 SHERITA WHETSTONE – CSC DOCKET NO. 2022-985**

Sherita Whetstone appeals the decision of the Division of Agency Services which found that her position with the Department of Community Affairs is correctly classified as Program Specialist 3, Regulatory Programs. She seeks a Program Specialist 4, Regulatory Programs classification in this proceeding.

**ACTION:**

**B-23 WAYNE COLLINS – CSC DOCKET NO. 2022-1260**

Wayne Collins, represented by Dudley Burdge, CWA Local 1032, requests reconsideration of the decision rendered on October 27, 2021, which upheld the determination of the Division of Agency Services that his position with the Office of Information Technology is Technician, Management Information Systems.

**ACTION:**

**B-24 SHANTEEYAH HALL AND AL-KEDAR JENKINS – CSC DOCKET NOS. 2022-965 AND 2022-966**

Shanteeyah Hall and Al-Kedar Jenkins request reconsideration of *In the Matter of Rochelle Petty* (CSC, decided October 6, 2021) where the Civil Service Commission granted Petty's requests to file a late application for the promotional examination for Senior Juvenile Detention Officer (PC2176B), Essex County.

**ACTION:**

**B-25 FOOD SERVICE MANAGER (C0539W), BERGEN COUNTY – CSC DOCKET NO. 2022-1024**

The matter of Bergen County's failure to make an appointment from the OL181204 certification of the Food Service Manager (C0539W), Bergen County list, has been referred to the Civil Service Commission for review.

**ACTION:**

**B-26 RACHEL COLLINS – CSC DOCKET NO. 2022-1726**

Rachel Collins, a former Technical Assistant, Department of Human Services, appeals her removal, effective December 23, 2021.

**ACTION:**