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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

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

JUNE 11, 2025

Allison Chris Myers, Chairperson
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CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION MINUTES

Submitted for adoption are the Civil Service Commission minutes of its meeting of May 21, 2025.

ACTION:

WITHDRAWAL OF APPEALS

The following appeals were withdrawn and removed from the hearing calendar:

John Kobilarcik, Jr., Boonton, Department of Public Works, suspension.

John Kobilarcik, Jr., Boonton, Department of Public Works, removal.

Robert Merlino, New Jersey State Prison, Department of Corrections, suspension.

ACTION:

SECTION A – HEARING MATTERS

A-1 SETTLEMENTS

Prince Bull
Trenton Psychiatric Hospital
Department of Health

Robyn Chong
Jersey City
Police Department

Ameen Hooper
East Orange
Department of Public Safety

Niegel Lightner
Human Services Police
Department of Human Services

Fernando Ortiz-Torres
Central Office
Department of Human Services

Rohit Shahi
Department of Children and Families

Megan Streaker
Woodbine Developmental Center
Department of Human Services

Walter Wimbush
Roselle
Department of Administrative and Executive

ACTION:

A-2 NICHOLAS COSTIN – CSC DOCKET NO. 2025-385

Nicholas Costin, Human Services Assistant, Vineland Developmental Center, Department of Human Services, removal and resignation not in good standing, effective June 30, 2024, on charges of insubordination and job abandonment.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Dismiss the appeal.

ACTION:

A-3 ROBERT CUEVAS – CSC DOCKET NO. 2023-2164

Robert Cuevas, Emergency Medical Technician, Pennsauken, Department of Public Safety, removal, effective February 10, 2023, on charges of failure to perform duties, conduct unbecoming a public employee and neglect of duty.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Reverse the removal.

ACTION:

A-4 CARLOS PINA – CSC DOCKET NO. 2024-498

Carlos Pina, Police Officer, Union City, Department of Public Safety, 35 working day suspension, on charges of conduct unbecoming a public employee and other sufficient cause.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Uphold the 35 working day suspension.

ACTION:

A-5 JUAN RODRIGUEZ – CSC DOCKET NO. 2015-97

Juan Rodriguez, Maintenance Worker 1, Grounds, Union City, Department of Parks and Public Property, removal, effective November 2, 2023, on charges of incompetency, inefficiency or failure to perform duties, insubordination, inability to perform duties, conduct unbecoming a public employee and other sufficient cause.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Dismiss the appeal.

ACTION:**A-6 ILEANA SCOTT – CSC DOCKET NO. 2023-961**

Ileana Scott, Security Guard, Jersey City School District, release at the end of the working test period, effective October 11, 2022.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Dismiss the appeal.

ACTION:**A-7 DARIUSZ SZCZESNY – CSC DOCKET NO. 2023-1025**

Dariusz Szczesny, Sheriff's Officer Sergeant, Middlesex County, Sheriff's Department, demotion to Sheriff's Officer, effective November 3, 2022, on charges of conduct unbecoming a public employee and other sufficient cause.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Uphold the demotion.

ACTION:**A-8 STACEY WILLIAMS – CSC DOCKET NOS. 2025-91 AND 2025-92 (CONSOLIDATED)**

Stacey Williams, Police Chief, Roselle Police Department, two removals, effective March 14, 2024, on charges of conduct unbecoming a public employee, neglect of duty, discrimination and other sufficient cause.

Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge – Reverse one removal and modify one removal to a 30 working day suspension.

ACTION:

SECTION B – MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS**B-1 ANTHONY GOFFE– CSC DOCKET NO. 2025-1713**

Anthony Goffe appeals the bypass of his name on the Fire Fighter (M2260D), Plainfield, eligible list.

ACTION:

B-2 RAJINI ALLAREDDY– CSC DOCKET NO. 2025-70

Rajini Allareddy appeals the determination of the Division of Agency Services that she was not eligible for the Supervisor Information Technology (PS4798K), Department of Human Services promotional examination.

ACTION:

B-3 GEORGE ATTALAA– CSC DOCKET NO. 2024-2157

George Attalaa appeals the determination of the Division of Agency Services which found that he was not eligible for the promotional examination for Environmental Engineer 3 (PS4114G), Department of Environmental Protection.

ACTION:

B-4 VATSALKUMAR PATEL– CSC DOCKET NO. 2025-1038

Vatsalkumar Patel appeals the determination of the Division of Agency Services that he was not eligible for the Administrative Analyst 3, Information Systems (PS6759T), Department of Transportation promotional examination.

ACTION:

B-5 JOHN PILONE– CSC DOCKET NO. 2025-1561

John Pilone, represented by Dudley Burdge, Senior Staff Representative, CWA Local 1032, appeals the determination of the Division of Agency Services, which found that he was not eligible for the promotional examination for Network Administrator 2 OIT (PS7665U), Office of Information Technology.

ACTION:

B-6 MAGGIE HORN– CSC DOCKET NO. 2025-2292

Maggie Horn requests permission to submit a late application for the open competitive examination for Police Officer (M2655G), Pompton Lakes.

ACTION:

B-7 R.P. – CSC DOCKET NO. 2025-1737

R.P. requests permission to submit a late application for the promotional examination for Fire Captain (PM1933G), Paterson.

ACTION:

B-8 JASON SKILLERN – CSC DOCKET NO. 2025-1678

Jason Skillern, a former Custodian with the Newark School District, represented by Seth B. Kennedy, Esq., appeals his resignation in good standing.

ACTION:

B-9 JUAN MENDOZA – CSC DOCKET NO. 2025-2142

Juan Mendoza appeals the disposition of certification PL241954 regarding the Sheriff's Officer Sergeant (PC4995C), Hudson County Sheriff's Office promotional list.

ACTION:

B-10 LEGAL SPECIALIST TITLE SERIES – CSC DOCKET NO. 2025-1634

The Division of Agency Services requests the establishment of the new unclassified, no-range titles Legal Specialist 1, Legal Specialist 2, Legal Specialist 3, and Legal Specialist 3, Confidential for use in State service. Agency Services also requests that the unclassified title of Legal Specialist be inactivated.

ACTION: