

# POLICE AND FIREMEN'S RETIREMENT SYSTEM

June 9, 2025

## ORDER OF BUSINESS

Notice of this meeting has been provided through the annual notice of the schedule of regular meetings of the Board filed with and prominently posted in the offices of the Secretary of State. The 2025 annual meeting schedule was mailed to the Secretary of State, Star Ledger and the Trenton Times on December 5, 2024.

### **DISCLOSURE OF THE OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS ACT**

(A) When necessary, the Board shall adopt Resolution A to go into closed session to consider individuals' disability applications, which states:

In accordance with the provisions of the Open Public Meetings Act, N.J.S.A. 10:4-13, be it resolved that the Board of Trustees go into closed session for purposes of discussing matters pertaining to disability retirement which involves material involving personal medical and health records, data, reports and recommendations relating to specific individuals, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 10:4-12(3). Those matters are confidential unless expressly waived by the individual involved.

The actions taken during closed session relating to a disability retirement are anticipated to become available to the public immediately at the conclusion of the meeting and will be posted on the Division of Pensions and Benefits' website within a reasonable time; however, personal information pertaining to an individual shall be redacted from the minutes of such meeting and shall remain confidential until after such time as the Board determines that the need of confidentiality no longer exists under state and federal law, including the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA), and the matters discussed can be disclosed.

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(B) When necessary, the Board shall adopt Resolution B to go into executive session to request/receive attorney-client advice from legal counsel, which states:

In accordance with the provisions of the Open Public Meetings Act, N.J.S.A. 10:4-13, be it resolved that the Board of Trustees go into closed session to discuss matters falling within the attorney client privilege, and/or matters in which litigation is pending or anticipated, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 10:4-12(7).

The minutes of such meeting shall remain confidential until after such time as the Board determines that the need of confidentiality no longer exists and the matters discussed can be disclosed and the Board waives the attorney-client privilege.

(C) When necessary to go into executive session for another reason under the Open Public Meetings Act, such as discussion of investments of public funds, personnel matters, or contract negotiations, the Board shall adopt Resolution C, which states:

In accordance with the provisions of the Open Public Meetings Act, N.J.S.A. 10:4-13, be it resolved that the Board of Trustees go into closed session to discuss such matters pursuant to N.J.S.A. 10:4-12. The minutes of such meeting shall remain confidential until such time as the Board determines that the need for confidentiality no longer exists.

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<b>OPEN SESSION</b>
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Called to Order: --	Adjourned: --
Roll Call:	
Absent:	
Also Present:	

OPEN SESSION	
<b>Minutes</b>	
Minutes from the meeting of May 12, 2025	
Executive Session Minutes from the meeting of May 12, 2025	

OPEN SESSION	
<b>Miscellaneous Issues</b>	
B-1	Executive Director's Report
B-2	CIO/CFO Report a.) PFRSNJ Bills for June 9, 2025
B-3	Legal Director's Report

OPEN SESSION	
<b>Retirement and Death Lists</b>	
C-1	Active and Retired Death List
C-2	Retirement List

CLOSED SESSION					
<u>Ordinary Disability</u>					
	Member's Name & No.:	Employer:	Effective Date:	Option:	Decision:
D-1	Monthly OD Grid				Monthly OD Grid Golas, Krzysztof; Essex County; effective 09/2024; Griesi, Michael J., Belleville Township; effective 09/2024; Randall, Jamie L.; Department of Correction; effective 04/2025
D-2	Veliz, Justin	Department of Correction			Request to Re-Open the Ordinary Disability Application

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**CLOSED SESSION**


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**Accidental Disability**

	<b>Member's Name &amp; No.:</b>	<b>Employer:</b>	<b>Effective Date:</b>	<b>Option:</b>	<b>Accident Date:</b>	<b>Decision:</b>
E-1	Adams, Rayvon	Newark City	01/01/2025		9/12/2001	Chapter 157, World Trade Center
E-2	Hernandez, Ricardo	Edgewater Borough	07/01/2024		7/1/2020	Involuntary
E-3	Doremus, Thomas	Red Bank Borough				Request to File for Accidental Disability retirement benefits
E-4	Filippelli, Ernest	Paterson City				WTC - Did Not Receive Eligibility Registration Form
E-5	Piserchio, Mark	Newark City	01/01/2025		9/12/2001	Chapter 157, World Trade Center
E-6	Ballance, Jeffrey Patrick	Bayonne City	02/01/2025		9/12/2001	Chapter 157, World Trade Center
E-7	Perotti, James	New Brunswick City	03/01/2025		5/5/2022	
E-8+	Constantino, Anthony	Garden State Recp. & Youth Correctional Center	08/01/2024		4/12/2023	
E-9	Stetz, Valerie	Jersey City	02/01/2023		9/11/2001	Chapter 157, World Trade Center
E-10	Gamber, Ryan	Southern State Correctional Facility	10/01/2024		12/21/2021	
E-11	Traynor, Jonathan	Paterson City	06/01/2025		12/29/2021	
E-12	Gaetani, Salvatore	Bayonne City	04/01/2025		9/13/2001	Chapter 157, World Trade Center
E-13	Capparelli, Guiseppe	Guttenberg Town	05/01/2024		4/3/2019 9/6/2023	
E-14	Chippendale, Ryan	Neptune Township	01/01/2024		5/30/2022	1.) Honorable Service 2.) Accidental Disability
E-15	Elkins, George	Garden State Recp. & Youth Correctional Center	01/01/2024		2/22/2020 9/15/2022	
E-16	Ward, John	Newark City	06/01/2025		9/13/2001	Chapter 157, World Trade Center
E-17	Cawley, Martin	Newark City	06/01/2025		9/11/2001	Chapter 157, World Trade Center
E-18+	Nguyen, Dalina	Camden County	05/01/2025		9/9/2021 10/30/2022	
E-19	O'Brien, Jesse	Jersey City				Request to File for Accidental Disability retirement benefits

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E-20	O'Neill, Michael	Jersey City	12/01/2024	9/12/2001	Chapter 157, World Trade Center
E-21+	Valeri, Ryan	Brick Township	01/01/2025	8/14/2023	
E-22	Stazak, Vincent	Bayonne City	04/01/2025	9/12/2001	Chapter 157, World Trade Center

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#### Retirement Issues

F-1+	Reck, Frederick - Marlboro Township - Honorable Service (Currently Collecting Special)
F-2	Cruz, Luis - Middlesex County - Request for Deferred Retirement (Removed for Cause)
F-3+	Hayes, David - Gloucester County - Honorable Service (Previously Approved, Not Collecting)
F-4	Newsom, Kevin - New Jersey State Prison - 1.) Honorable Service 2.) Service Retirement
F-5	Guiamano, Joseph - South River Borough - 1.) Honorable Service 2.) Special Retirement
F-6	O'Neill, Derek - Point Pleasant Beach Borough - Reduction in Service Credit

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#### Hearing Decision

G-1	Tilghman, Nathaniel - Willingboro Township - Initial Decision The ALJ affirmed the denial of Accidental Disability retirement benefits
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#### Hearing Request

H-1	Ferrer Jr., Derrick - South Woods Prison-Dept. of Corr. - Appeals the denial of Accidental Disability retirement benefits
H-2	Dhanoolal-Long, Milinda - Essex County - Appeals the denial of the request to apply for Accidental Disability retirement benefits 1.) Reconsideration 2.) Hearing Request

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#### Active Membership Issues

J-1	- - Purchase Grid - Murugesan, Paul; Benifield, Brandon; Carty, Gary; Jurczenko, Chris
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- J-2 - - Chapter 54 Academy Purchase Spreadsheet - Gorman, Thomas; Gemma, Anthony; Hansson, Daniel; Bittmann, Eric; Fullman, Vincent; Hochhauser, Peter; Ancona, Robert; Steier, Ryan; Demetro, Zachary; Zuccherro, Joseph; Mahmoud, Mohamed; Nigro, Mark; Carpenter, Robert; D'Elia, Nicholas; Deluca, James; Patalita, Sean; Iossa, Lauren; Madan, Dale; Berger, Justin; Crowell, Justin; Gutierrez, Eduardo; Papanastasiou, Andrew; Mazzeo, Elena; Clune, Chris; Henry, Michael; Shutz, Keri
- J-3 Wagner, Christopher - Livingston Township - Request to Purchase Service Credit - SLEO
- J-4 Dunsmuir, Cory - Mount Laurel Township - Request to Purchase Service Credit - SLEO
- J-5 Spencer, Ryan - Mullica Township - Request to Purchase Service Credit - SLEO
- J-6 Mazzeo, Mark - Neptune City Borough - Request to Purchase Service Credit - SLEO
- J-7 Donohoe, Kevin - Ocean Township (Monmouth) - Request to Purchase Service Credit (SLEO)
- J-8 Murphy, Derrik - Cape May City - Request to Purchase Service Credit - SLEO
- J-9 John, Hunter - Wildwood City - Request to Purchase Service Credit
- J-10 Timmons, Gary - NJ Transit Corporation - Request to Purchase Service Credit - SLEO

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**Informational Issues**

- L-1 Appellate Division Decision Robert Grone vs. PERS
- L-2 Wire Transfers Non-Contributory Group Insurance Policy #14800 Benefit Claims for the month of March, 2025
- L-3 Appellate Division Decision Paul Suozzo vs. TPAF
- L-4 Trial Balance as of December 31, 2024
- L-5 Trial Balance as of November 30, 2024

**"+" Indicates personal appearance**

**"=" Indicates items not mailed**

**The next meeting of the Board will be held on July 14, 2025**