

MINUTES TO MEETING  
STATE OF CONNECTICUT  
MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD  
FRIDAY, AUGUST 27, 2021

A Meeting to the Medical Examining Board was held on Friday, August 27, 2021, at the Office of the State Comptroller, 165 Capitol Ave., Hartford, Connecticut, 06106. Circumstances created by the COVID-19 virus have resulted in all Medical Examining Board meetings are being conducted electronically.

PRESENT:

Lynn Rudich, M.D., CHAIRPERSON  
Ralph Rosenberg, M.D.  
Sheldon Nova, M.D.

ABSENT:

Eric T. Shore, M.D.	J. Robert Galvin, M.D.
Vasanth Kainkaryam, M.D.	Sachin Parekh, M.D.
Nicolai Lieders, M.D.	Fielding Johnson, M.D.
Poleak So, M.D.	Richard Blum, M.D.
Rita Ohene-Adjei, M.D.	Michael Gerstenfeld, M.D.
Manny Katsetos, M.D.	Frank Gerratana, M.D.
Amarjeet Dargan, M.D.	

OTHERS PRESENT:

Colin Newman, Assistant Director Retirement Division  
Annette Sadlowski, Disability Retirement Unit, Retirement Services Division  
Robert Helfand, Investigation & Recovery Unit, Retirement Division  
William Cassada, Investigation & Recovery Unit, Retirement Division  
Cindy Cieslak, General Counsel to the Commission Rose Kallor, LLP.

Please note that a portion of the meeting was conducted in executive session as the focus of the meeting was the medical condition(s) of each Disability Retirement applicant.

CALL TO ORDER

The Chairperson called meeting to order at 9:07 am.

Dr. Rudich motioned to go into the Executive Session to discuss medical condition(s) related to the applications for Disability Retirement, seconded by Dr. Nova at 9:08 am. Members of the Retirement Services Division and the General Counsel to the Commission were invited to stay during Executive Session.



RUDY RECINOS D- 13232 SERVICE-CONNECTED  
Dr. Rudich moved, seconded by Dr. Nova, to deny Rudy Recinos' entitlement to Service-Connected Retirement. Motion approved unanimously.

JORGE RIVERA MD- 1644 SERVICE-CONNECTED  
Dr. Rudich moved, seconded by Dr. Nova, to approve Jorge Rivera's entitlement to Service-Connected Retirement. Motion approved unanimously.

ARCENA ROGET-PRIVOTT D- 12678 CHANGE TO NON-SERVICE CONNECTED  
Dr. Rudich moved, seconded by Dr. Nova, to approve Arcena Roget-Privott's entitlement to Non-Service Connected Retirement. Motion approved unanimously.

KEVIN TROSKY D- 13228 SERVICE-CONNECTED  
Dr. Rudich moved, seconded by Dr. Rosenberg, to approve Kevin Trosky's entitlement to Service-Connected Retirement. Motion approved by majority. Roll Call: Question: the motion is to approve Kevin Trosky's entitlement to Service-Connected Retirement Dr. Rosenberg agrees, Dr. Nova agrees and Dr. Rudich dissents.

KEITH WHITE D- 13145 CHANGE TO NON-SERVICE CONNECTED  
Dr. Rudich moved, seconded by Dr. Nova, to approve Keith White's entitlement to Non-Service Connected Retirement. Motion approved unanimously.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

Dr. Rudich moved, seconded by Dr. Nova to adjourn the meeting at 10:46 am. Motion approved unanimously.