

MINUTES TO MEETING  
STATE OF CONNECTICUT  
MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD  
FRIDAY, MARCH 4, 2022

A Meeting to the Medical Examining Board was held on March 4, 2022, 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:

Ralph Rosenberg, M.D., CHAIRPERSON  
Michael Gerstenfeld, M.D.  
Lynn Rudich, M.D.

ABSENT:

Eric T. Shore, M.D.	J. Robert Galvin, M.D.
Vasantha Kainkaryam, M.D.	Richard Blum, M.D.
Manny Katsetos, M.D.	Frank Gerratana, M.D.
Poleak So, M.D.	Fielding Johnson, M.D.
Rita Ohene-Adjei, M.D.	Sachin Parekh, M.D.
Nicolai Lieders, M.D.	Sheldon Nova, M.D.
Amarjeet Dargan, M.D.	Sohrab Zahedi, M.D.

OTHERS PRESENT:

Robert Helfand, Assistant Director Retirement Division  
Colin Newman, Assistant Director Retirement Division  
Annette Sadlowski, Disability Retirement Unit, Retirement Services Division  
William Cassada, Investigation & Recovery Unit, Retirement Division  
Robin Kallor, 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 9:13 am.  
Dr. Rosenberg motioned, and Dr. Rudich seconded to amend the agenda to:  
Add Sandra Lucier at 9:15 am.

Dr. Rosenberg motioned to go into the Executive Session to discuss medical condition(s) related to the applications for Disability Retirement, seconded by Dr. Gerstenfeld at 9:16 am. Members of the Retirement Services Division and the General Counsel to the Commission were invited to stay during Executive Session. There was a brief break at 10:41 am until 10:48 am.



SANDRA LUCIER D- 13148 CHANGE TO NON-SERVICE-CONNECTED  
Dr. Rosenberg moved, seconded by Dr. Rudich, to approve Sandra Lucier's entitlement to Non-Service Connected Retirement. Motion approved unanimously.

GREGORY MORGAN D- 13307 NON-SERVICE-CONNECTED  
Dr. Rosenberg moved, seconded by Dr. Rudich, to deny Gregory Morgan's entitlement to Non-Service Connected Retirement. Motion approved unanimously.

SHERRY POWELL D- 13308 NON-SERVICE-CONNECTED  
Dr. Rosenberg moved, seconded by Dr. Rudich, to deny Sherry Powell's entitlement to Non-Service Connected Retirement. Motion approved unanimously.

CARMEN PROPIESCUS D- 13303 NON-SERVICE-CONNECTED  
Dr. Rosenberg moved, seconded by Dr. Rudich, to approve Carmen Propiescus' entitlement to Non-Service Connected Retirement. Motion approved unanimously.

FRED STEPHENSON D- 13081 NON-SERVICE-CONNECTED (CONT'D)  
Dr. Rosenberg moved, seconded by Dr. Rudich, to approve Fred Stephenson's entitlement to Non-Service Connected Retirement. Motion approved unanimously.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

Dr. Rosenberg moved, seconded by Dr. Rudich to adjourn the meeting at 11:59 am. Motion approved unanimously.