

STATE EMPLOYEES
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MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD
for DISABILITY RETIREMENT



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9:00 A.M.
TELECONFERENCE

Please be advised that this meeting will be held electronically via Zoom.

Cindy Cieslak is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: State Employees' Retirement Commission Meeting

Date: December 19, 2024

Time: 9:00 AM

Join Zoom Meeting:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88042862652?pwd=lzrqnP5Xo7AgqouX0FL6WPpjuLMKxV.1>

Meeting ID: 880 4286 2652

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MEETING AGENDA

Call to Order

Chairman's Report

Division Director's Administrative and Subcommittee Reports

New Matters

1. Request Commission Approval of SERC Minutes with Directors Report from the November 2024 meeting. (Attached)
2. Request Commission Approval of the Connecticut SERS Expenses for November 2024. (Attached)
3. Request Commission Approval of the State Employees Retirement Commission Chairman's Per Diem Expenses for November 2024. (Attached)
4. Request Commission Approval of the State Employees Retirement Commission Union Trustee Claude Poulin's Per Diem and Travel Expenses Reimbursement for November 2024. (Attached)
5. Request Commission Approval of the State Employees Retirement Commission Management Trustee Timothy A. Ryor's Per Diem Expenses for September 2024. (Attached)
6. Request Commission Acceptance of Invoices from Rose Kallor Executive Session for November 2024. (Attached)
7. Request Commission Acceptance of Invoices from Robinson and Cole for Federal Tax Matters Services. Executive Session for November 2024. (Attached)
8. Request Commission Approval of the Connecticut State Employees Retirement System Service Retirements November 2024. (Attached)
9. Request Commission Approval of the Connecticut State Employees Retirement System Voluntary Pending Retirements November 2024. (Attached)
10. Request Commission Approval of the Connecticut State Employees Retirement System Disability Retirements for November 2024. (Attached)
11. Request Commission Approval of the Connecticut State Employees Retirement System Retroactive Retirements November 2024. (Attached)
12. Request Commission Approval of the Connecticut State Employees Retirement System Pre-Retirement Death Benefits for November 2024. (Attached)
13. Request Commission Approval of the Connecticut State Employees Retirement System Municipal Employees Retirements November 2024. (Attached)
14. Request Commission Approval of Municipal Employees Retirement System Approved Disability Retirement from the Medical Examining Board November 2024. (Attached)

15. Request Commission Approval of the Probate Judges and Employees' Retirement Fund Personnel Expenses for November 2024. (Attached)
16. Request received from Kimberly Newman that the Commission review and reconsider its June 20, 2024, denial of her request to retroactively modify her type of retirement to an application for Disability retirement benefits in the State Employees Retirement System (SERS). (Appearance via Zoom).
17. Request received from Michael Driscoll that the Commission review and reconsider its October 17, 2024, denial of his request for retroactive Municipal Employees Retirement System benefits to his normal retirement age of March 8, 2023. (Appearance via Zoom).

Executive Session – discussion and possible action

1. Refunded Contributions Following Reemployment by the State – written legal opinion.
2. Roderick Porter petition for declaratory ruling – written legal opinion.
3. Michael Driscoll request for reconsideration – written legal opinion.
4. Kevin Ahlquist request for reconsideration – written legal opinion.
5. Kwaku Antwi request for reconsideration – written legal opinion.
6. Patrick Butler v. SERC – pending litigation.
7. SERC v. Town of Ellington – pending litigation.
8. Town of Redding CMERS participation – written legal opinion.

Adjournment

John Herrington, Director
Retirement Services Division

Peter Adomeit, Chairman