

1 STATE OF CONNECTICUT
2 STATE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT COMMISSION
3 REGULATIONS & OVERPAYMENTS SUBCOMMITTEE
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5 DATE: August 28, 2025

6 TIME: 1:00 p.m.

7 LOCATION: VIA Zoom
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10 **Present:**

11 Peter Adomeit, Chairman

12 Michael Carey, Trustee

13 Brian Hill, Trustee

14 Robert Helfand, Retirement Services Division

15 Benjamin Sedrowski, Retirement Services Division

16 John Herrington, Retirement Services Division

17 Cindy Cieslak, Rose Kallor, LLP
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2 (Proceedings began at 1:03 p.m.)
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4 CHAIRMAN ADOMEIT: This is the State Employees
5 Retirement Commission Regulations and Overpayment
6 Subcommittee being held remotely using Zoom
7 technology. Do you have the attendance, please,
8 Cindy?

9 ATTORNEY CIESLAK: Yes, this is Cindy Cieslak.
10 Present today, we have Chairman Peter Adomeit,
11 Trustee Michael Carey, and Trustee Brian Hill.

12 From the Retirement Services Division, we have
13 Benjamin Sedrowski and Robert Helfand. And I'm
14 Cindy Cieslak from Rose Kallor.

15 CHAIRMAN ADOMEIT: Okay, we need approval of
16 the agenda, please.

17 MR. CAREY: Mr. Chairman, this is Mike Carey.
18 I move that we approve the agenda.

19 MR. HILL: Second.

20 CHAIRMAN ADOMEIT: Okay. Any discussion?
21 Hearing none, all in favor say aye or raise your
22 hand. It's unanimous. The ayes have it.

23 New Business. We need to move, please, into
24 executive session.

25 MR. CAREY: Mr. Chairman, this is Mike Carey.

1 I move that we go into executive session for the
2 purpose of taking up Items A through D on the agenda
3 and that we invite in Cindy Cieslak, Ben Sedrowski,
4 and Bert Helfand, as they may have information
5 that's critical and informative to the discussion.

6 MR. HILL: Second.

7 CHAIRMAN ADOMEIT: Any discussion? Hearing
8 none, all in favor say aye or raise your hand. It's
9 unanimous. The ayes have it.

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11 (Executive Session from 1:04 p.m. to 1:21 p.m.)
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13 CHAIRMAN ADOMEIT: Okay. Sandra Boyle, we need
14 a motion, please.

15 MR. CAREY: Mr. Chairman, this is Mike Carey.
16 In the Boyle matter, I move that the subcommittee
17 recommend to the full Commission that they deny the
18 request for waiver, but instruct the Division to
19 take the current pending balance and spread that out
20 in an updated repayment plan over the next five
21 years.

22 MR. HILL: Second, Hill.

23 CHAIRMAN ADOMEIT: Any discussion? Hearing
24 none, all in favor say aye or raise your hand.
25 Opposed nay or raise your hand. It's unanimous.

1 The ayes have it. Callahan.

2 MR. CAREY: Mr. Chairman, this is Michael
3 Carey. Regarding the Callahan matter, I move that
4 the Subcommittee recommend to the Full Commission
5 that they deny the request for waiver of repayment,
6 but that they instruct the Division to implement a
7 revised repayment schedule, taking the current
8 balance and distributing that over the next eight
9 years.

10 MR. HILL: Second.

11 CHAIRMAN ADOMEIT: Any discussion? Hearing
12 none, all in favor say aye or raise your hand.
13 Opposed nay or raise your hand. It's unanimous.
14 The ayes have it. Okay.

15 MR. CAREY: Mr. Chairman, this is Mike Carey.
16 For the Graf matter, I move that the Subcommittee
17 recommend to the Full Commission that they deny the
18 request for waiver of overpayment, however, that
19 they also instruct the Division to take the current
20 pending balance and restructure the payment plan to
21 distribute the remaining balance over the next 20
22 years.

23 MR. HILL: Second, Hill.

24 CHAIRMAN ADOMEIT: Any discussion? Hearing
25 none, all in favor say aye or raise your hand.

1 Opposed nay or raise your hand. It's unanimous.
2 The ayes have it.

3 MR. CAREY: Mr. Chairman, this is Mike Carey.
4 I move that the Subcommittee recommend that the Full
5 Commission deny the request for waiver of
6 overpayment, but also instruct the Division to take
7 the current pending balance and implement a
8 restructured repayment plan to be spread out over
9 the next 38 months.

10 MR. HILL: Second, Hill.

11 CHAIRMAN ADOMEIT: Any discussion? Hearing
12 none, all in favor say aye or raise your hand.
13 Opposed nay or raise your hand. It's unanimous.
14 The ayes have it. Adjournment.

15 MR. CAREY: Mr. Chairman, Mike Carey. I move
16 that we adjourn.

17 MR. HILL: Second, Hill.

18 CHAIRMAN ADOMEIT: All in favor, say aye. It's
19 always unanimous. Thank you all very much.

20 (Meeting adjourned at 1:24 p.m.)
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REPORTER'S CERTIFICATE

I, Wendy Malitsky, do hereby certify that the foregoing is, to the best of my skill and ability, a true and accurate transcript of the State Employees' Retirement Commission, Regulations and Overpayment Subcommittee meeting held on August 28, 2025.

Wendy Malitsky

Wendy Malitsky, Notary Public

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