

CONNECTICUT STATE BOARD  
OF LABOR RELATIONS

BOARD MEETING

**MINUTES**

August 30, 2016  
10:30 a.m.

**Present:** Chairman Patricia V. Low (via phone), Board Members Wendella A. Battey & Barbara Collins, Agent Katherine C. Foley, General Counsel Harry Elliott & Judy Englehart

The meeting was called to order by Wendella Battey at 10:35 a.m.

**I. ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES**

Upon a motion duly made by Barbara Collins and seconded by Wendella Battey, the Board unanimously

**VOTED** to accept the Minutes of the July 26, 2016 Board Meeting as presented.

**II. GENERAL COUNSEL'S REPORT**

- a) **Decisions** – Attorney Elliott reported that since the last Board meeting (7/26/16) two (2) decisions have been issued.
- b) **Records Pending** – There are three (3) records pending in September and one (1) record pending in October.
- c) **Litigation Update – Bridgeport (Vivo)** - City/Union's briefs filed in July. Labor Board's brief due 9/19/16; **Mosby** – Attended court conference on 8/25/16. Mosby still seeking new counsel but Motion to Dismiss is scheduled for 1/14/16 in Stamford; **Hartford (Nolan)** – New appeal filed 8/11/16. – we filed Motion to Transfer to New Britain. Case transferred 8/25/16. We filed Answer and Certification of Record 8/26/16; **East Hartford (Juma Jones)** – deadline for filing appeal expired yesterday (8/29/16) – we received letter on 8/17/16 from Attorney Janus that City had not yet decided to appeal.
- d) **Conferences** – N.E.C.L.R.A. – Meeting in Boston on October 21, 2016 - Attorney Elliott plans to attend. Training session will be in spring at UMASS Amherst.

**III. AGENT'S REPORT**

Two State Petitions were filed yesterday – Attorney General's – about 200 employees (filed by AFT) and Public Defenders – also about 200 (filed by Council 4).

Agent Foley stated that August was a slow month but we are 12-15 cases up from last year.

Agent Foley shared Ann Bird's news that the surgery went well and both Helen and her daughter are doing well. Ann is back home in Connecticut.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, a motion was duly made by Barbara Collins and seconded by Wendella Battey and it was unanimously

**VOTED** to adjourn the meeting.