

CONNECTICUT STATE BOARD
OF LABOR RELATIONS

BOARD MEETING

MINUTES

January 26, 2016
10:30 a.m.

Present: Chairman Patricia V. Low, Board Members Wendella A. Battey & Barbara Collins, Katherine C. Foley, Agent, Harry B. Elliott, Jr., General Counsel & Judy Englehart

The meeting was called to order by Patricia Low at 10:35 a.m.

I. ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES

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

VOTED to accept the Minutes of the December 30, 2015 Board Meeting as presented.

II. GENERAL COUNSEL'S REPORT

- a) **Decisions** – Attorney Elliott reported that since the last Board meeting (12/30/15) one (1) decision has been issued: Windham Dec. No. 4859.
- b) **Records Pending:** Attorney Elliott reported that there are two (2) records pending for the month of January: New London & Council 4 (MPP-31,314) & New Haven Board of Education and Council 4 (MPP-31,202). There are four (4) records pending for the month of February: Hartford Board of Education & Piteau (MPP-29,195), New Haven & Council 4 (MPP-31,241), CACP & New Britain (MPP-31,652), North Haven & UPSEU (MPP-31,661). There are two (2) cases pending for March: Bridgeport & IAFF (MPP-30,177) & New Haven & Council 4 (MPP-31,506).
- c) **Litigation Update** – Attorney Elliott reported on the following cases on appeal: **Bristol Board of Education** – Appellate Court - oral arguments scheduled for 2/16/16. **Stamford Career Firefighters (Berg)** – Appellate **Court's** brief is due 3/17/16. SBLR's brief is due 4/18/16. **Bridgeport (Vivo)** - Pretrial Conference scheduled for 4/11/16. **New Haven (Briscoe)** – Settled, to be closed 2/18/16. **Oxford Board of Education** - Appellate Court – awaiting pre-argument conference.

III. AGENT'S REPORT

32 petitions have been filed thus far.

We are up 20 cases from this time last year. 381 have been filed since July 1, 2015.

Elections are usually held around two weeks from the time the petition is filed. Many employers are now emailing us a list of names and w2's.

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.