August 15, 2024 PSERB Benefits and Appeals Committee Meeting



PSBA 400 Bent Creek Blvd., Mechanicsburg, PA 17050 and via MS Teams [Sunshine]

Chair Ms. Ann Monaghan Vice Chair Mr. Brian Reiser Cmt. Member Dr. Pamela Brown Cmt. Member Rep. Torren Ecker Cmt. Member Sen. Katie Muth Committee Liaison Jennifer Mills Board Secretary Terrill J. Sanchez

1. Call to Order

The Committee met on August 15, 2024 virtually and in-person at PSBA located at 400 Bent Creek Blvd. in Mechanicsburg, PA. Chair Ann Monaghan called the meeting to order at 11:00 A.M. Jennifer Mills took roll call and confirmed Committee quorum.

Committee Member Attendance:

Chair Ann Monaghan, In Person Vice Chair Brian Reiser, In Person Dr. Pamela Brown, In Person Rep. Torren Ecker, Virtual Sen. Katie Muth, Virtual (in at 11:15)

Additional Board and Designee Attendance:

Jeffrey Cavanaugh, Virtual Jason Davis, In Person Eric DiTullio, In Person Susan Lemmo, In Person Sen. Greg Rothman, Virtual Richard Vague, In Person Kevin Busher, In Person Christopher Craig, Virtual Lloyd Ebright, In Person Veronica Hoof, In Person Jordan Laslett, In Person Patrick Lord, In Person Matt McCarry, In Person Eric Pistilli, In Person Morgan Wagner, In Person

2. Approval of Published Agenda or Requested Amendments

Brian Reiser moved to approve the published agenda with Dr. Pamela Brown seconding. The motion passed unanimously.

3. Approval of May 30, 2024 Minutes

Dr. Pamela Brown moved to approve the minutes with Brian Reiser seconding. The motion passed unanimously.

4. Public Comment

Jennifer Mills confirmed there was no request for public comment.

5. **New Business**

5.1 Vital Signs Discussion

Jennifer Mills, Deputy Executive Director and Director of Defined Contribution Investments, led a discussion with the Committee on the Vital Signs.

5.2 **CEM Benchmarking Survey Results**

Christopher Doll, CEM Benchmarking, Inc., presented the CEM Benchmarking Survey Results.

5.3 Executive Staff Review Committee (ESRC) Minutes

The Committee reviewed the minutes of the ESRC reports for May 15, 2024, and July 1, 2024.

5.4 Account of J.W. [Docket No. 2021-02]

At 11:52 A.M., The Committee entered **Executive Session**, to discuss an Adjudication.

The Committee resumed public session at 12:12 P.M.

Ann Monaghan moved the following:

MOTION: In the matter of J.W., Docket No. 2021-02, the Benefits and Appeals Committee of the Public School Employees' Retirement Board (the "Board") moves to recommend that the Board adopt the proposed Opinion and Order of the Board and dismiss Claimant's appeal with prejudice.

Dr. Pamela Brown seconded.

The motion passed with one (1) opposed being Sen. Katie Muth.

6. Next Meeting Agenda Items

The Committee had no recommendations for agenda items to add to the next Committee meeting.

7. Motion to Adjourn

At 12:14 P.M., Dr. Pamela Brown moved to adjourn with Brian Reiser seconding. The motion passed unanimously.

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