STATE of CONNECTICUT Retirement Services Division



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Meeting of the Subcommittee on Purchase of Service and Related Matters

DATE: September 23, 2020

PRESENT: Chairman Peter Adomeit, Trustee Sandra Fae Brown-Brewton, Trustee Carl Chisem, Trustee Robert Coffey, Commission Counsel Cindy Cieslak (Rose Kallor, LLP), John Herrington Retirement Services Division Director, Colin Newman Retirement Services Assistant Division Director

The Chairman called the meeting to order at 2:09 p.m.

At 2:25 p.m.; Sandra Fae Brown-Brewton moved, seconded by Robert Coffey that regarding Armando Bettini; the Subcommittee recommend to the Retirement Commission that it deny his request to accept his late application to purchase his prior military service for retirement credit purposes. Majority vote in favor 2-1. Carl Chisem dissenting

At 2:35 p.m.; Sandra Fae Brown-Brewton moved, seconded by Robert Coffey that regarding Edward Buchweitz; the Subcommittee recommend to the Retirement Commission that it deny his request to rescind his retirement plan membership in ARP for the purposes of having membership in the SERS Tier IV retirement plan. All voted in favor.

At 2:50 p.m.; Sandra Fae Brown-Brewton moved, seconded by Robert Coffey that regarding Tina Williams-Knight; the Subcommittee recommend to the Retirement Commission that it deny her request that the Commission review and reconsider its July 19, 2018 decision to bring her May 1, 2009 application for non-service connected disability retirement to closure. All voted in favor.

At 2:55 p.m.; Sandra Fae Brown-Brewton moved, seconded by Robert Coffey that regarding Lauren Tucker; the Subcommittee recommend to the Retirement Commission that it deny her request to divest her membership in SERS Tier III for the purposes of enrolling in the Teachers Retirement System (TRS). All voted in favor.

MEETING ADJOURNED: With no further business before the Subcommittee, at 3:01 p.m., Sandra Fae Brown-Brewton moved, seconded by Robert Coffey, to adjourn. All voted in favor. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted, Colin Newman