



THE STATE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT / THE UNIVERSITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK / ALBANY, NY 12234

TO: The Honorable Members of the Board of Regents

FROM: Sarah S. Benson *Sarah S. Benson*

SUBJECT: (Re)Appointments of Members to the State Boards for the Professions and (Re)Appointments of Extended Members to the State Boards for the Professions for Service on Licensure Disciplinary and/or Licensure Restoration and Moral Character Panels

DATE: May 4, 2023

AUTHORIZATION(S):

SUMMARY

Issue for Decision (Consent)

Should the Board of Regents approve the proposed (Re)Appointments of Members to the State Boards for the Professions and (Re)Appointments of Extended Members to the State Boards for the Professions for Service on Licensure Disciplinary and/or Licensure Restoration and Moral Character Panels?

Reason(s) for Consideration

Required by State Statute.

Proposed Handling

This issue will come before the Full Board at its May 2023 meeting where it will be voted on and action taken.

Procedural History

Approval of board members by the Board of Regents is required by Section 6508(4) of the Education Law.

Background Information

Information on the proposed (re)appointees is noted on the attachment.

Related Regents Items

Not applicable.

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Board of Regents take the following action:

VOTED: That the Board of Regents approve the proposed (Re)Appointments of Members to the State Boards for the Professions and (Re)Appointments of Extended Members to the State Boards for the Professions.

Timetable for Implementation

If the Regents approve these (re)appointments, members' terms will go into effect as noted on the attachment.

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Proposed (Re)Appointments of Members to the State Boards for the Professions			
Board Name, Proposed Action, Candidate's Name, Residential Address, and Judicial District	Candidate's Current Employer, Address and Judicial District	Proposed Term	Highest and/or Professional Degree(s) Earned, and Licensure Specifics
State Board for Certified Public Accountancy (Re-Appointment) Ann Burstein Cohen East Amherst, NY 14051	(Retired)	May 1, 2023 to April 30, 2028	Degree: MBA (Professional Accounting Option), State University of New York at Buffalo; BA (Psychology), State University of New York at Binghamton Profession: Certified Public Accountancy Licensed in 1983 License # 048476
Judicial District V			
State Board for Dentistry (Re-Appointment) Paul Chu, DDS New York, NY 10015	Rye Pediatric Dentistry 130 Theodore Fremd Avenue Suite M2 Rye, NY 10580	June 1, 2023 to May 31, 2028	Degree: D.D.S (Dentistry), University of the Pacific Dugoni School of Dentistry; B.S. (Environmental Toxicology), University of California, Davis Profession: Dentistry Licensed In 2005 License #051556
Judicial District I	Judicial District IX		

State Board for Engineering, Land Surveying, and Geology (Appointment)			
Rosaleen Nogle Buffalo, NY 14213	Buffalo Sewer Authority 65 Niagara Sq. Room 1038 City Hall Buffalo, NY 14202	May 16, 2023 to May 15, 2028	Degree: MPA (Public Administration), Indiana University; MS (Civil Engineering), University at Buffalo; BS (Civil Engineering), University at Buffalo; Profession: Professional Engineering Licensed in 2011 License # 089551
Judicial District VIII	Judicial District VIII		
(Appointment)			
Patrick Vanhaverbeke Pattersonville, NY 12137	Colliers Engineering & Design 18 Computer Dr. Albany, NY 12205	May 16, 2023 to May 15, 2028	Degree: MS (Survey Engineering), University of Maine; BS (Surveying Engineering Technology), Alfred State College; Profession: Land Surveying Licensed in 2014 License # 050931
Judicial District IV	Judicial District III		
State Board for Interior Design (Appointment)			
Robert Alweis Brookhaven, NY 11719	Pilot Drafting & Consulting, Inc. Robert Alweis Pe, P.C. 1 Catherine Place Bellmore, NY 11710	May 16, 2023 to May 15, 2028	Degree: BS (Engineering and Applied Mathematics), Dowling College; Profession: Professional Engineering Licensed in 2007 License # 085075
Judicial District X	Judicial District X		

State Board for Mental Health Practitioners (Appointment) Jasmin Thomas Brooklyn, NY 11209 Judicial District II	450 Clarkson Avenue, Box 81 Brooklyn, NY 11203 Judicial District II	June 1, 2023 to May 31, 2028	Degree: Doctorate (Occupational Therapy), University of South Dakota; Public Member
State Board for Optometry (Re-Appointment) Dana S. Salgado, O.D. Glenmont, NY 12077 Judicial District III	Dana Salgado ODPC 1692 Central Avenue Albany, NY 12205 Judicial District III	May 1, 2023 to April 30, 2028	Degree: OD (Doctor of Optometry), New England College of Optometry; BA (Hispanic Studies), Connecticut College Profession: Optometry Licensed in 2006 License # 007008
State Board for Social Work (Re-Appointment) Liz Espinosa Albany, NY 12209 Judicial District III	Rutgers University BHC 151 Centennial Avenue Piscataway, NJ 08854	May 1, 2023 to April 30, 2028	Degree: MSW (Clinical), State University of New York; BA (Latin Studies & Minor in Spanish), State University of New York Profession: Social Work Licensed in 2013 License #080888
(Re-Appointment) Tracyavon Ford Ridgewood, NY 11385 Judicial District XI	244 5 th Avenue Suite T215 New York, NY 10001 Judicial District I	May 1, 2023 to April 30, 2028	Degree: MSW (Social Work), Adelphi University; BA (Psychology), Adelphi University Profession: Social Work Licensed in 2005 License # 071782

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Proposed (Re)Appointments of Extended Members to the State Boards for the Professions for Service on Licensure Disciplinary and/or Licensure Restoration and Moral Character Panels			
Board Name, Proposed Action, Candidate's Name, Residential Address, and Judicial District	Candidate's Current Employer, Address and Judicial District	Proposed Term	Highest and/or Professional Degree(s) Earned, and Licensure Specifics
Board for Professional Medical Conduct (Re-Appointment) JoAnn Marino Seaford, NY 11783	(Retired)	June 13, 2023 to June 12, 2026	Degree: AS. (Nursing), Farmingdale University; MPH. (Health Administration), Long Island University; BS. (Health Information Management), Stephens College; AS. (Health Information), Empire State College. Profession: Nursing Licensed in 2007 License # 595888
Judicial District X			
State Board for Mental Health Practitioners (Appointment) Jill R. Weldon Syracuse, NY 13214	Alkira Marriage and Family Therapy, PC 6700 Kirkville Road Building B, Suite 104 East Syracuse, NY 13057	May 17, 2023 to May 16, 2028	Degree: MA (Marriage and Family Therapy), Syracuse University Profession: Marriage and Family Therapy Licensed in 2006 License #000070
Judicial District V	Judicial District V		

State Board for Nursing (Appointment) Kenya Beard Dix Hills, NY 11746	Chamberlain University 500 West Monroe Street Suite 28 Chicago, IL 60661	June 1, 2023 to May 31, 2028	Degree: EdD (Educational Administration), Dowling College; MSN (Adult Health), Stony Brook University; BS (Nursing), Excelsior College; AAS (Nursing), Phillips Beth Israel School of Nursing Profession: Registered Nurse Licensed in 1986 License # 304135(NP); # 340135 (NP); # 388380 (RN); #184253 (LPN)
Judicial District X			
State Board for Social Work (Appointment) Carmen M. Collado, LCSW-R Bayside, NY 11362	114 West 17 th Street New York, NY 10011	January 1, 2023 to December 31, 2027	Degree: MSW (Social Work), Ehrenkranz School of Social Work, NYU; BA (Sociology), Queens College; Certificate (Jewish Communal Service), Columbia University Graduate School of Business Profession: Social Work Licensed in 1992 License #046101
Judicial District XI	Judicial District I		

(Re-Appointment)			
Mary Pender Greene Brooklyn, NY 11210	311A West 50 th St. New York, NY 10019	June 1, 2023 to May 31, 2028	Degree: MSW (Social Work), N.Y. University School of Social Work Profession: Social Work Licensed in 2004 License #015335
Judicial District II	Judicial District I		