



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
<p><b>State Board for Certified Public Accountancy</b> (Re-Appointment)</p> <p>Ann Burstein Cohen East Amherst, NY 14051</p> <p>Judicial District V</p>	<p>(Retired)</p>	<p>May 1, 2023 to April 30, 2028</p>	<p>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</p>
<p><b>State Board for Dentistry</b> (Re-Appointment)</p> <p>Paul Chu, DDS New York, NY 10015</p> <p>Judicial District I</p>	<p>Rye Pediatric Dentistry 130 Theodore Fremd Avenue Suite M2 Rye, NY 10580</p> <p>Judicial District IX</p>	<p>June 1, 2023 to May 31, 2028</p>	<p>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</p>

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

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

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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
<p><b>Board for Professional Medical Conduct (Re-Appointment)</b></p> <p>JoAnn Marino Seaford, NY 11783</p> <p>Judicial District X</p>	<p>(Retired)</p>	<p>June 13, 2023 to June 12, 2026</p>	<p>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</p>
<p><b>State Board for Mental Health Practitioners (Appointment)</b></p> <p>Jill R. Weldum Syracuse, NY 13214</p> <p>Judicial District V</p>	<p>Alkira Marriage and Family Therapy, PC 6700 Kirkville Road Building B, Suite 104 East Syracuse, NY 13057</p> <p>Judicial District V</p>	<p>May 17, 2023 to May 16, 2028</p>	<p>Degree: MA (Marriage and Family Therapy), Syracuse University Profession: Marriage and Family Therapy Licensed in 2006 License #000070</p>

<p><b>State Board for Nursing</b> (Appointment)</p> <p>Kenya Beard Dix Hills, NY 11746</p> <p>Judicial District X</p>	<p>Chamberlain University 500 West Monroe Street Suite 28 Chicago, IL 60661</p>	<p>June 1, 2023 to May 31, 2028</p>	<p>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)</p>
<p><b>State Board for Social Work</b> (Appointment)</p> <p>Carmen M. Collado, LCSW-R Bayside, NY 11362</p> <p>Judicial District XI</p>	<p>114 West 17<sup>th</sup> Street New York, NY 10011</p> <p>Judicial District I</p>	<p>January 1, 2023 to December 31, 2027</p>	<p>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</p>

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