

**MINUTES OF MEETING**  
**PUBLIC DEFENDER SERVICES COMMISSION**  
**JULY 6, 2010**

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The meeting of the Public Defender Services Commission was convened at 4:32 p.m., at the Legal Services Unit, Office of Chief Public Defender, Hamden, Connecticut.

**Members Present**

Carl Eisenmann, Esq., **Chair**  
Honorable Julia DiCocco Dewey  
Monsignor William A. Genuario  
Aimee Golbert, LCSW  
Attorney Ramona Mercado-Espinoza  
Honorable John W. Pickard  
Thomas J. Rechen, Esq.

**Others Present**

Susan O. Storey, Chief Public Defender  
Brian S. Carlow, Deputy Chief Public Defender  
Nancy M. Roberts, Director of Human Resources  
Miles Gerety, Public Defender  
Danbury Judicial District/Geographical Area 3

Upon motion duly made and seconded, it was VOTED unanimously to approve the minutes of the June 8, 2010 meeting.

Upon motion duly made and seconded, it was VOTED unanimously to approve the Special Public Defender Contract Extension as submitted to the Commission.

Upon motion duly made and seconded, it was VOTED unanimously to go into Executive Session at 4:35 p.m. The reason for convening in Executive Session was in accordance with Section 1-200(6)(A) of the Connecticut General Statutes.

Upon motion duly made and seconded, it was VOTED unanimously to come out of Executive Session at 4:44 p.m.

Upon motion duly made and seconded, it was VOTED unanimously to appoint Attorney Mark T. Johnson to the position of Assistant Public Defender, Danbury Judicial District/Geographical Area 3. The effective date of the appointment is at the discretion of the Chief Public Defender.

Upon motion duly made and seconded, it was VOTED unanimously to ratify the appointment of Brian H. Habib to the position of Social Worker II, Geographical Area 14 (Hartford).

Upon motion duly made and seconded, it was VOTED unanimously to go back into Executive Session at 4:48 p.m. The reason for convening in Executive Session was in accordance with Section 1-200(6)(A) and Section 1-210(b)(10) of the Connecticut General Statutes.

Upon motion duly made and seconded, it was VOTED unanimously to come out of Executive Session at 5:15 p.m.

Upon motion duly made and seconded, it was VOTED unanimously to approve the Authorizations to Incur Expenses as submitted to the Commission.

There were no attorney reappointments to discuss at this meeting.

Upon motion duly made and seconded, it was VOTED unanimously to grant permanent status to Director of Human Resources, Nancy M. Roberts, Office of Chief Public Defender, Hartford, upon the successful completion of her probationary period.

Upon motion duly made and seconded, it was VOTED to reclassify the Director of Human Resources, Nancy M. Roberts, Office of Chief Public Defender, Hartford.

Upon motion duly made and seconded, it was VOTED unanimously to grant permanent status to Public Defender, R. Bruce Lorenzen, Hartford Judicial District, upon the successful completion of his promotional probationary period.

Upon motion duly made and seconded, it was VOTED unanimously to grant permanent status to Director of Training, Susan Brown, Office of Chief Public Defender, Hartford, upon the successful completion of her promotional probationary period.

Upon motion duly made and seconded, it was VOTED unanimously to grant permanent status to Supervisory Assistant Public Defender, Bevin Salmon, Geographical Area 23 (New Haven), upon the successful completion of his promotional probationary period.

The Chief Public Defender discussed a ***Proposed Change to SPD Billing Policy in the Public Defender Administrative Manual.***

Upon motion duly made and seconded, it was VOTED unanimously to amend the SPD Billing Policy as submitted to the Commission.

There being no further business to come before the Commission, the meeting was adjourned at 5:21 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Brian S. Carlow  
Deputy Chief Public Defender