

April 4, 2007

MINUTES  
ILLINOIS CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION  
April 4, 2007

I. OPENING OF MEETING AT 9:03 A.M. AT 160 NORTH LASALLE STREET, SUITE S-901, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

II. PRESENT

Chris Kolker, Chairman (via telephone); Raymond W. Ewell, Barbara J. Peterson (via telephone), Betty A. Bukraba and Ares G. Dalianis, Commissioners; Daniel Stralka, Executive Director; and Andrew Barris of the Commission staff (via telephone).

III. MOTION TO GO INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION

**IT WAS MOVED BY COMMISSIONER EWELL, SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER PETERSON, AND BY ROLL CALL VOTE THE MOTION ADOPTED 5-0 TO HOLD AN EXECUTIVE SESSION PURSUANT TO SUBSECTIONS 2(c)(1), 2(c)(4) AND 2(c)(11) OF THE OPEN MEETINGS ACT.**

<b>KOLKER</b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>EWELL</b>	<b>YES</b>
<b>PETERSON</b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>DALIANIS</b>	<b>YES</b>
<b>BUKRABA</b>	<b>YES</b>		

IV. RECONVENE MEETING

Upon due and proper notice the regular meeting of the Illinois Civil Service Commission was reconvened at 160 North LaSalle Street, Suite S-901, Chicago, Illinois at 9:10 a.m.

PRESENT

Chris Kolker, Chairman (via telephone); Raymond W. Ewell, Barbara J. Peterson (via telephone), Betty A. Bukraba and Ares G. Dalianis, Commissioners; Daniel Stralka, Executive Director; and Andrew Barris of the Commission staff (via telephone).

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V. PUBLICLY ANNOUNCED DECISIONS RESULTING FROM APPEAL

• DISCHARGE APPEAL

DA-7-07

Employee	Marilyn Summers	Appeal Date	09/29/06
Agency	DHS	Decision Date	03/01/07
Type	Discharge	ALJ	Andrew Barris
Charge(s)	Failure to return from leave of absence	Recommended Decision	Charge is proven but unique factual circumstances do not warrant discharge.

**IT WAS MOVED BY CHAIRMAN KOLKER, SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER PETERSON AND BY ROLL CALL VOTE OF 5-0 THE MOTION ADOPTED TO AFFIRM AND ADOPT THE ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RECOMMENDED DECISION THAT THE WRITTEN CHARGE HAS BEEN PROVEN, BUT THE UNIQUE FACTUAL CIRCUMSTANCES SURROUNDING THE DISCHARGE DO NOT RISE TO THE LEVEL WHICH SOUND PUBLIC OPINION RECOGNIZES AS GOOD CAUSE FOR THE EMPLOYEE TO NO LONGER HOLD THE POSITION. GIVEN THE EMPLOYEE'S SERVICE TO THE STATE AND THE INJURIES INCURRED IN SUCH SERVICE, THE EMPLOYEE SHALL BE GIVEN AN OPPORTUNITY TO SUBMIT THE APPROPRIATE DOCUMENTATION TO OBTAIN AND/OR EXTEND A LEAVE OF ABSENCE.**

<b>KOLKER</b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>EWELL</b>	<b>YES</b>
<b>PETERSON</b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>DALIANIS</b>	<b>YES</b>
<b>BUKRABA</b>	<b>YES</b>		

VI. ANNOUNCEMENT OF NEXT MEETING

Announcement was made of the next regular meeting to be held on April 19, 2007 at 9:00 a.m. in the Commission's Chicago office.

VII. MOTION TO ADJOURN

**IT WAS MOVED BY CHAIRMAN KOLKER, SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER PETERSON AND THE MOTION ADOPTED 5-0 TO ADJOURN THE MEETING AT 9:14 A.M.**