

**MINUTES
OF
DISABILITY APPEALS COMMITTEE
May 23, 2016 at 9:00 A.M. E.T.
Board Room
Perimeter Park West, 1270 Louisville Road
Frankfort, Kentucky 40601**

At the meeting of the Disability Appeals Committee, held on May 23, 2016, the following members were present: Vince Lang, Chair, William Summers, Donna Shelton and Chris Lewis, Dual Proxy on behalf of Thomas Stephens.

In addition, those present were Becky Stephens, KRS, Joseph Bowman, KRS, Alan Hurst, KRS, Faith Sebastian, KRS and Tracy Chambers, Recording Secretary.

It was moved by Ms. Shelton, seconded by Mr. Summers, and carried to approve the Minutes of the March 28, 2016 Disability Appeals Committee Meeting.

Mr. Lang noted the necessity of closed session for the purpose of reviewing the disability applications of Administrative Action Numbers: 14-D-78, 14-D-58, 15-D-42, 15-D-51, 14-D-90, 15-D-49, 14-D-01, 15-D-48, 15-D-07, 15-D-53, 15-D-94, 15-D-66 and 15-D-85.

Following discussion in closed session, the Committee returned to open session, whereafter the following transpired.

It was moved by Mr. Summers, seconded by Ms. Shelton, and carried unanimously, that the Committee members having considered the record, including the recommended order and any exceptions duly filed, in the case of Administrative Action Number: 14-D-78, to accept the Hearing Officer's Report, Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and to deny claimant's application for disability retirement benefits.

It was moved by Ms. Shelton, seconded by Mr. Summers, and carried unanimously, that the Committee members having considered the record, including the recommended order and any exceptions duly filed, in the case of Administrative Action Number: 14-D-58, to accept the Hearing Officer's Report, Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and to deny claimant's application for disability retirement benefits.

It was moved by Mr. Summers, seconded by Ms. Shelton, and carried unanimously, that the Committee members having considered the record, including the recommended order and any exceptions duly filed, in the case of Administrative Action Number: 15-D-42, to accept the Hearing Officer's Report, as modified in the Board of Trustees Final Order, and to approve claimant's application for disability retirement benefits, with review in three years.

It was moved by Ms. Shelton, seconded by Mr. Summers, and carried unanimously, that the Committee members having considered the record, including the recommended order and any exceptions duly filed, in the case of Administrative Action Number: 15-D-51, to accept the Hearing Officer's Report, Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and to deny claimant's application for disability retirement benefits.

It was moved by Mr. Summers, seconded by Ms. Shelton, and carried unanimously, that the Committee members having considered the record, including the recommended order and any exceptions duly filed, in the case of Administrative Action Number: 14-D-90, to accept the Hearing Officer's Report, as modified in the Board of Trustees Final Order, and to approve claimant's application for disability retirement benefits, with review in three years.

It was moved by Ms. Shelton, seconded by Mr. Summers, and carried unanimously, that the Committee members having considered the record, including the recommended order and any exceptions duly filed, in the case of Administrative Action Number: 15-D-49, to accept the Hearing Officer's Report, Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and to deny claimant's application for disability retirement benefits.

It was moved by Mr. Summers, seconded by Ms. Shelton, and carried unanimously, that the Committee members having considered the record, including the recommended order and any exceptions duly filed, in the case of Administrative Action Number: 14-D-01, to accept the Hearing Officer's Report on Remand, Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and to deny claimant's application for disability retirement benefits.

It was moved by Ms. Shelton, seconded by Mr. Summers, and carried unanimously, that the Committee members having considered the record, including the recommended order and any exceptions duly filed, in the case of Administrative Action Number: 15-D-48, to accept the Hearing Officer's Report, as modified in the Board of Trustees Final Order, and to deny claimant's application for disability retirement benefits and duty-related disability retirement benefits.

It was moved by Mr. Summers, seconded by Ms. Shelton, and carried unanimously, that the Committee members having considered the record, including the recommended order and any exceptions duly filed, in the case of Administrative Action Number: 15-D-07, to accept the Hearing Officer's Report, as modified in the Board of Trustees Final Order, and to deny claimant's application for disability retirement benefits.

It was moved by Ms. Shelton, seconded by Mr. Summers, and carried unanimously, that the Committee members having considered the record, including the recommended order and any exceptions duly filed, in the case of Administrative Action Number: 15-D-53, to accept the Hearing Officer's Report, as modified in the Board of Trustees Final Order, and to deny claimant's application for disability retirement benefits.

It was moved by Mr. Summers, seconded by Ms. Shelton, and carried unanimously, that the Committee members having considered the record, including the Motion and Agreed Order to Dismiss and any exceptions duly filed, in the case of Administrative Action Number: 15-D-94, to accept the Motion and Agreed Order to Dismiss and to dismiss this administrative appeal with prejudice.
