

State Officers Compensation Commission Meeting

December 15th, 2022, 1:00 p.m.

550 W. 7th Ave., Suite 1970

Meeting Minutes

Members:

Kurt Olson (telephonic)

Aryne Randall (telephonic)

Carrigan Grigsby (telephonic)

Lee Cruise

Larry Persily (telephonic)

Others present:

Kate Sheehan, Department of Administration, Secretary

Brook Riley, Department of Administration (telephonic)

I.

CALL TO ORDER

Kate Sheehan called the meeting to order at 1:00 p.m.

II. Overview of Final Recommendations

DISCUSSION:

Mr. Olson addressed the fact the House of Representatives is not yet organized and there are many new members so they should focus on submitting their recommendations, he asked Director Sheehan to confirm that the Commission needed to approve her draft of the final recommendations to the legislature and she confirmed that. Mr. Cruise suggested that they adjust/correct some figures and wording on their final recommendations and the Commission agreed in unison to do away with the cent portions of their figures. Mr. Persily made a wording suggestion as well that was enacted. Director Sheehan confirmed the changes that will occur to the final recommendations are; 'CPI increase for each year since the last salary increase, because it had not kept up with the average CPI of 2010-2021 for Department heads, Governor, and Lieutenant Governor.' The salary increases that were agreed upon were; Governor to \$176,016, Lieutenant Governor to \$139,602 and Commissioners to \$168,833. Mr. Cruise then moved for the Commission to submit their final recommendations to the legislature once the aforementioned changes (wording and removal of the cents portions of the amounts) have been made, and all Commission members voted yes. She reminded the Commission that the Legislature would have to draft a bill to cancel their final recommendations, or they will become law.

III. SCHEDULE NEXT MEETING

Another Commission meeting was tentatively scheduled for mid-February 2023.

V. OTHER BUSINESS

The meeting adjourned at 1:13 p.m.