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MINUTES OF THE PUBLIC MEETING OF THE
COMMONWEALTH EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS BOARD

Meeting Date: May 8, 2025 at 1:30 pm

Meeting Location: Held remotely pursuant to Massachusetts Open Meeting Law, G.L. c. 30A, §§ 18-25 and Chapter 2 of the Acts of 2025, An Act Extending Certain COVID-19 Measures Adopted During the State of Emergency

Chair Lan Kantany called the duly posted public meeting to order at 1:35 pm. Original posting and agenda can be found at <http://www.mass.gov/dlr>.

Roll call of attendance. Chair Lan Kantany and Members Kelly Strong and Victoria Caldwell were present.

No members of the public were in attendance.

Agenda items:

1. Public comment on agenda items. Three minutes per person.
 - No members of the public were present.
2. Approval of minutes of January 27, 2025 meeting.
 - Motion made by Member Strong to accept the draft minutes. Seconded by Member Caldwell. Vote of 3-0 (Kantany, Strong, Caldwell) to approve the motion.
3. Discussion of draft regulations for the implementation of the new Chapter 150F. Special Counsel to the DLR, Marjorie Wittner, was present to explain the draft regulations.
 - Board members discussed the draft of the regulations. Board members took notice of the comments made during the Labor Relations Advisory Council's recent meeting where Council members reviewed the draft

and provided feedback. Board members discussed the concerns around data security and reviewed the showing of interest percentages required under Section 24.09 "Certification As the Exclusive Bargaining Representative." The CERB had no additional feedback for the DLR on the draft regulations.

4. Adjournment.

- Motion to adjourn made by Member Strong, seconded by Member Caldwell. All members (Kantany, Strong, Caldwell) voted to adjourn at approximately 2:00 pm.