



STATE OF CONNECTICUT
STATE ELECTIONS ENFORCEMENT COMMISSION

AGENDA
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REGULAR TELEPHONIC MEETING

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January 21 2026

9:30 A.M.

I. Call to Order

II. Approval of the Minutes

1. *Approval of the Minutes of the Meeting of January 7, 2026*
2. *Approval of the Minutes of the Meeting of January 14, 2026*

III. Administrative Reports

1. *Report of Executive Director and General Counsel Ryan Burns*

IV. Pending Complaints, Investigations and Audits

A. Public Session

1. In the Matter of a Referral by the Campaign Disclosure and Audit Unit of the State Elections Enforcement Commission
File Nos. 2023-041; 2023-111; 2024-143; 2024-152; 2024-159; 2025-018 & 2025-040
Proposed Hearing Officer Notice
Hearing Officer: Stephen T. Penny
Respondent: Hannah J. Lemek
Prosecutor: Johnny Ross, III
2. In the Matter of a Complaint by Alberta Vitale, East Haven
File No. 2024-133
Proposed Consent Order & Agreement
Respondent: Richard DePalma
Attorney: Mario Borelli
Legal Investigator: Scott Branfuhr

3. In the Matter of a Self-Initiated Investigation by SEEC “2022 DAC House 114”
Proposed Consent Order & Agreement
File No. 2024-036A
Respondent: Linda McDonough
Attorney: Mario Borelli
Legal Investigator: Sheri-Lyn Lagueux

4. In the Matter of a Complaint by Anthony Guerrero, Waterbury
File No. 2025-104
Proposed Consent Order & Agreement
Respondent: John Drewry
Attorney: Mario Borelli
Legal Investigator: Sheri-Lyn Lagueux

5. In the Matter of a Self-Initiated Investigation by SEEC: “Martinez for the 124th”
File No. 2025-120
Notice of Case Closure
Attorney: Mario Borelli
Legal Investigator: Sheri-Lyn Lagueux

6. In the Matter of a Self-Initiated Investigation by SEEC: “Felipe 2024”
File No. 2025-121
Notice of Case Closure
Attorney: Mario Borelli
Legal Investigator: Sheri-Lyn Lagueux

7. In the Matter of a Complaint by Susan Wright, Chester
In the Matter of a Referral by the Town Clerk, Chester
File Nos. 2025-075 & 2025-084
Proposed Consent Order & Agreement
Respondent: Joseph Cohen
Attorneys: Johnny Ross, III and
Zak Jazloweicki
Legal Investigator: Stephanie Fish

8. Audit Reports

2022

1. “Jennings for CT 2022,” Cynthia R. Jennings
Accounts Examiner: Rhonda Salvatore

2. “Chaffee 2022,” Brandon Chaffee
Accounts Examiner: Krysta Palozie

V. *Executive Session per General Statutes §§ 1-200(6)(B),(E), and 1-210(b)(1), (3),(4),(10) and General Statutes §9-7a, as amended by Public Act 11-48 §300 (Preliminary draft and agency consideration of enforcement action and exempt records relative thereto)*

1. Recommendation of Counsel: Necessary to Investigate Determination pursuant to General Statutes §9-7a, as amended by Public Act 11-48 §300
2. In Re: Commission Initiated Investigation into “Tim For Connecticut 2018”
File No. 2023-009A
Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney: William B. Smith
Legal Investigator: Sheri-Lyn Lagueux
3. In Re: Commission Initiated Investigation into “Tim For Connecticut 2018”
File No. 2023-009B
Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney: William B. Smith
Legal Investigator: Sheri-Lyn Lagueux
4. In Re: Commission Initiated Investigation into “Goff 2022”
File No. 2025-059
Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney: William B. Smith
Legal Investigator: Sheri-Lyn Lagueux
5. In the Matter of a Referral of the Campaign Disclosure and Audit Unit of the SEEC
File No. 2021-137NF
Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney: Johnny Ross, III
6. In the Matter of a Referral of the Campaign Disclosure and Audit Unit of the SEEC
File Nos. 2023-012 & 2023-025
Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney: Johnny Ross, III
7. In the Matter of a Referral of the Campaign Disclosure and Audit Unit of the SEEC
File No. 2023-042
Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney: Johnny Ross, III
Legal Investigator:

8. In the Matter of a Referral of the Campaign Disclosure and Audit Unit of the SEEC
File No. 2024-144
Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney: Johnny Ross, III

9. In the Matter of a Complaint by Stephanie E. Donadio, Middletown
File No. 2025-109
Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney: Johnny Ross, III
Legal Investigator: Stephanie Fish

VI. Consideration of Matters Discussed in the above Executive Session

VII. Adjournment

The next regular scheduled meeting is February 4, 2026 at 9:30 A.M.