MINUTES STATE BOARD OF CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION

333 Market Street | 1st Floor Harrisburg, PA 17126

May 2, 2024

The meeting of the State Board of Career and Technical Education (Board) was convened on Thursday, May 2, 2024. Public notice of the meeting was made in accordance with the Sunshine Meeting Act of 1986. The meeting was called to order at 2:56 p.m. by Chair Karen Farmer White.

Attending:

Hon. Carol Aichele	Sandra Dungee Glenn	Monica Taylor
Sen. Dave Argall	Ernest Hadrick	Karen Farmer White
Nathan Barrett	Amanda Hetrick	Lee Williams
Claire Chi	Natalie Imhoof	Sen. Lindsey Williams
Katherine Christiano	Robert Mitchell	Benjamin Wilson

Aarushi Dedhiya Hon. Pedro Rivera

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes of the March 14, 2024, meeting of the Board were approved on an **Aichele/Dungee Glenn** motion.

REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR BUREAU OF CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION

Mr. Judd Pittman, Director of the Bureau of Career and Technical Education (BCTE), provided a written report on activity related to career and technical education. Among other items, Mr. Pittman discussed the Department of Education's priorities for building equity across Department-approved CTE programs and expanding Career Pathways that support multiple exit and re-entry opportunities. Mr. Pittman also highlighted an upcoming webinar focused on the need to increase FAFSA completion rates.

PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no public comment.

ACTION ITEMS

There were no action items.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Ernest Hadrick highlighted Mayfair Elementary School for offering the first of its kind trades skill classes to students in Philadelphia.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further items of business, the meeting was adjourned at 3:05 p.m. on a **Lee Williams/Taylor** motion.

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