# BOARD OF EDUCATION LEVITTOWN UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT LEVITTOWN, NY

DATE: April 3, 2013 SPECIAL MEETING

#### **MINUTES**

**THE EXECUTIVE SESSION MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,** was duly called and held on Wednesday, April 3, 2013 in the Small Board Meeting Room of the Levittown Memorial Education Center.

## **CERTIFICATION:**

The District Clerk certified that pursuant to Section 104, Open Meetings Law, notice of meeting was sent to the local newspapers, the Public Library and posted on the district's website. Further, all members of the Board of Education had due notice of said meeting.

#### PRESENT:

### **BOARD MEMBERS**

Ms. Peggy Marenghi

Mr. James Moran – excused absence

Mr. Michael Pappas – President

Mr. Peter Porrazzo - Vice President

Mr. Kevin Regan - Secretary

Mr. Edward Powers

Mr. Frank Ward

#### **ADMINISTRATION**

Dr. James Grossane – Superintendent of Schools

Ms. Darlene Rhatigan – Assistant Superintendent

Ms. Debbie Rifkin – Assistant Superintendent

Mr. Mark Flower – Assistant Superintendent

#### **OTHERS**

Mr. Robert Cohen – School Attorney

Ms. Elizabeth Appelbaum – District Clerk

### I. CALL TO ORDER

- **A.** Pledge of Allegiance
- **B.** Mr. Pappas, President, called the Special Meeting to order at 6:35 PM. On a motion by Mr. Regan, seconded by Mr. Porrazzo and approved (6-0) that the Board adjourn to Executive Session to discuss disciplinary proceeding against a tenured teacher.
- C. The Board reconvened to Public Session at 7:30 PM at which time Mr. Pappas asked everyone to stand for the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silence for our troops around the globe.

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# II. PUBLIC BE HEARD

(None)

# III. ACTION ITEMS: NEW BUSINESS

1. MOTION: Mr. Ward moved, "RESOLVED, that the Levittown Board of Education does, hereby, appoint Elise Kestenbaum as Impartial Hearing Officer in a matter regarding student I.D. #1323004."

RESOLUTION #12-13-175

<u>Appointment of Impartial</u>
<u>Hearing Officer</u>

Seconded: Ms. Marenghi

MOTION CARRIED. Six members present voting yes.

**APPROVED 6-0** 

## IV. ADJOURN

**MOTION:** Mr. Powers moved, seconded by Mr. Regan to adjourn the public meeting 7:45 PM.

**ADJOURNMENT** 

Respectfully submitted

Elizabeth Appelbaum District Clerk

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