

**Minutes of the New York State Board of Elections
August 22, 2018**

A Special meeting of the Commissioners of the New York State Board of Elections held at the offices of the New York State Board of Elections, 40 North Pearl Street, Albany, New York in the 5th Floor Board Room and was called to order at 2:05 p.m. The meeting was chaired by Commissioner Peter Kosinski (via webcast). Commissioners present were Douglas Kellner (via webcast), Andrew Spano (via phone) and Gregory Peterson (via webcast). Staff members present were: Robert Brehm, Todd Valentine, Brian Quail, Nick Cartegena, Tom Connolly, Brendan Lovullo, John Conklin, Cheryl Couser and Risa Sugarman.

New Business:

- VOTE on the staff determinations of a Federal ballot access ruling. **The motion was approved. (Commissioners Kellner, Kosinski and Peterson voting in the affirmative; 3 Yes and 0 No. Commissioner Spano on audio only so could not vote).**
- VOTE to adjourn the meeting. **The motion was approved unanimously (Commissioners Kellner, Kosinski, Spano and Peterson voting in the affirmative; 4 Yes and 0 No).**

The meeting was adjourned at 2:15 p.m.

Staff Report on Prima Facie Review as of August 21, 2018

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Type of Document	Candidate	Office	District	Party	Description of issue	SBOE staff recommendation	Decision On/Off
↓ PRIMA FACIE REVIEW ↓							
Petition	E. Rabin	Congress	12	RTH	Petition not timely. Filed at incorrect board.	Invalid Petition	
↓ HEARINGS CONDUCTED: SUMMARY OF FINDINGS ↓							
Specifications <i>(Liscum)</i>	Neal	Congress	19	FDN	Hearing held – Hearing Officer recommendation: 3500 sigs required, 4181 filed. After research, 2329 remain valid	Petition Invalid	
Specifications <i>(Liscum)</i>	LaMagna	Congress	19	HVH	Hearing held – Hearing Officer recommendation: 3500 sigs required, 4235 filed. After research, 2643 remain valid.	Petition Invalid	
Specifications <i>(Sweet, Ramant)</i>	Cobb	Congress	21	UP	Hearing held – Hearing Officer recommendation: 3500 sigs required, 3729 filed. After research, 3157 remain valid.	Petition Invalid	