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The Honorable Guy Guzzone
Senate Chair, Joint Committee on Pensions
121 James Senate Office Building
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The Honorable Ben Barnes
House Chair, Joint Committee on Pensions
151 House Office Building
Annapolis, Maryland 21401-1911

RE: Report on Reemployment of Retirees as Parole and Probation Agents
(MSAR #9865)

Dear Chair Guzzone, Chair Barnes and Committee Members:

Pursuant to State Personnel and Pensions Article, § 22-406(o), the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services (DPSCS) is required to submit a report to the Joint Committee on Pensions on the number and salary of rehired retirees and non-retirees hired as Parole and Probation Agents. The statute specially states:

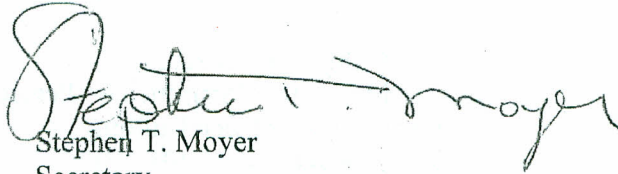
(o) On or before September 1 of each year, the Secretary of Public Safety and Correctional Services shall submit a report in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article to the Joint Committee on Pensions that provides:

- (1) the number of rehired retirees under subsection (c)(4)(x) of this section;*
- (2) the annual salary of each rehired retiree at the time of retirement at the current annual salary of each rehired retiree;*
- (3) the number of parole and probation employees hired who are not retirees; and*
- (4) the annual salary of each Parole and Probation employee who is hired.*

Attached is the Department's submission in satisfaction of the reporting requirements.

I hope this letter and the attachment meet with your approval. If the Department or I can be of further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me or the Director of Legislative Affairs, Rachel Sessa at 410-339-5022.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Stephen T. Moyer". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Stephen T. Moyer
Secretary

Attachment: Report Reemployment of Retirees as Parole and Probation Agents

cc: Members of the Joint Committee on Pensions
Ms. Sarah Albert, Department of Legislative Services (MSAR #9865)
Mr. Matthew Clark, Chief of Staff, Governor's Office
Mr. Christopher Shank, Governor's Chief Legislative Officer
Ms. Cara Sullivan, Governor's Deputy Legislative Officer



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY
AND CORRECTIONAL SERVICES

Report for Joint Committee on Pensions

Employees' and Teachers' Retirement Systems
Reemployment of Retirees

September 2018

Larry Hogan, Governor
Boyd K. Rutherford, Lt. Governor
Stephen T. Moyer, Secretary

Introduction

Pursuant to the State Personnel and Pensions Article § 22-406(o) the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services is required to submit a report to the Joint Committee on Pensions on the number and salary of retirees rehired and non-retirees hired as Parole and Probation Agents.

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 - (2) the annual salary of each rehired retiree at the time of retirement and the current annual salary of each rehired retiree;*
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 - (4) the annual salary of each Parole and Probation employee who is hired.*

Status of Rehired, Retired Parole & Probation Agents

Fiscal year 2017:

- 1) The Department did not rehire any retirees.
- 2) There is no annual salary to report for any retiree.
- 3) The Department hired 36 parole and probation agents who were not retirees.
- 4) The average annual salary of the parole and probation agents hired was \$40,698.

Fiscal year 2018:

- 1) The Department did not rehire any retirees.
- 2) There is no annual salary to report for any retiree.
- 3) The Department did not hire any parole and probation agents that were not retirees.
- 4) There is no annual salary to report for any parole and probation agents hired.

Note #1: The fiscal year (FY) 2017 report submitted by the Department in October, 2017, stated 38 parole and probation agents were hired. The actual number hired was 36 agents and is shown above as a revision.

Note #2: As of August 31, 2018, 24 parole and probation agents hired in FY 2019 with an average salary of \$40,698.