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To: Certifying Officers of the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS)

From: Jeff S. Ignatowitz, PERS Board Secretary

Subject: State Representative Elected to the PERS Board of Trustees

## POST THIS PERS STATE MEMBER NOTICE IN A PUBLIC AREA AT THE WORKPLACE

- At its meeting on January 15, 2020, the Board of Trustees of the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) deemed William O'Brien elected to a three-year term as State Representative to the PERS Board of Trustees, effective July 1, 2020.
- Mr. O'Brien was the only candidate to obtain 500 or more eligible PERS-State member nominations online or by paper petition. Therefore, in accordance with N.J.A.C. 17:2-1.4, the PERS Board noted that Mr. O'Brien is elected to the State Representative position without balloting.
- Mr. O'Brien is currently employed by William Patterson University. This is his fourth threeyear term as a representative on the PERS Board of Trustees.
- Notices for the next election cycle will be distributed through employers in the fall of 2020, which will provide interested candidates with instructions for obtaining nominating information. You may periodically check the New Jersey Division of Pensions & Benefits website at: <u>www.nj.gov/treasury/pensions</u>