

**STATE PERSONNEL BOARD, STATE OF COLORADO**  
Case No. 2019G075(c)

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**ORDER OF THE STATE PERSONNEL BOARD GRANTING IN PART COMPLAINANT'S  
PETITION FOR HEARING**

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**GARY CHRISTOPHER WARD,**  
Complainant,

v.

**DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS,**  
Respondent.

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This matter is before the Colorado State Personnel Board ("Board") at its regularly scheduled meeting held on February 18, 2020. During this public session, the Board considered the Preliminary Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge.

Based upon its review and consideration of the Preliminary Recommendation, the Board finds there is a sufficient basis to uphold the Preliminary Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge to grant in part the petition for hearing.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Preliminary Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge is adopted, and that Complainant's Petitions 3 through 9 are **DENIED** for hearing, and that Complainant's Petitions 1 and 2 are **GRANTED** for hearing only on the retaliation issues.

Dated this 18th day  
of **February 2020**.

  
Michelle Palmquist, Board Chair  
State Personnel Board  
1525 Sherman Street, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Denver, CO 80203

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

This is to certify that on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of **February 2020**, I electronically served a true copy of the foregoing **ORDER OF THE STATE PERSONNEL BOARD GRANTING IN PART COMPLAINANT'S PETITION FOR HEARING** as follows:

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