

**STATE PERSONNEL BOARD, STATE OF COLORADO**  
Case No. 2024S008

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**ORDER OF THE STATE PERSONNEL BOARD GRANTING THE PETITION FOR HEARING**

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**MERCEDES MAYES,**  
Complainant,

v.

**DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES,**  
Respondent.

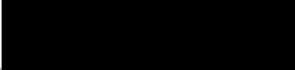
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This matter came before the Colorado State Personnel Board ("Board") at its public meeting on December 12, 2023. During the meeting, the Board considered the Preliminary Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge.

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

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Preliminary Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge is adopted and that the petition for hearing is **GRANTED**.

Dated this 12th day  
of **December 2023**.

  
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Sarah Wager, Board Chair  
State Personnel Board  
1525 Sherman Street, 4th Floor  
Denver, CO 80203

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

This is to certify that on the **13th** day of **December 2023**, I electronically served a true copy of the foregoing **ORDER OF THE STATE PERSONNEL BOARD GRANTING THE PETITION FOR HEARING** as follows:

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