

**DISCLOSURE BY SPECIAL STATE EMPLOYEE
OF FINANCIAL INTEREST IN A STATE CONTRACT
AS REQUIRED BY G. L. c. 268A, § 7(d)**

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SPECIAL STATE EMPLOYEE INFORMATION	
Name of special state employee:	Elizabeth Rodriguez-Ross
Put an X beside one statement.	<p>I am a special state employee because:</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> I serve in a state position for which no compensation is provided.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> I am not an elected official, and I earned compensation for fewer than 800 hours in the preceding 365-day period.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> By the classification of my position by my state agency or by the terms of a contract or my conditions of employment, I am permitted to have personal or private employment during normal business hours.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> I work for a company or organization which has a contract with a state agency, and I am a "key employee" because the contract identifies me by name or it is otherwise clear that the state is contracting for my services in particular, and the contract states that I am a special state employee or indicates that I meet one of the three requirements listed above.</p>
Title/ Position	Board member
Fill in this box if it applies to you.	If you are a special state employee because a state agency has contracted with your company or organization, please provide the name and address of the company or organization.
State Agency/ Department:	This is " my State Agency ." <i>Board of Bar Overseers</i>
Agency Address:	<i>99 High St, 2nd floor Boston, MA 02110</i>
Office phone:	<i>617-728-8700</i>
Office e-mail:	
	Check one: <input type="checkbox"/> Elected <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> or <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Non-elected
Starting date as a special state employee.	<i>6/2019</i>
BOX # 1 Select either STATEMENT #1 or STATEMENT #2.	<p>ELECTED SPECIAL STATE EMPLOYEE</p> <p>I am an elected special state employee.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> STATEMENT #1: I had a financial interest in a contract made by a state agency before I was elected to a compensated special state employee position. I will continue to have this financial interest in a state contract.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> STATEMENT #2: I will have a new financial interest in a contract made by a state agency.</p>

<p>Write an X by your financial interest.</p>	<p>My financial interest in a contract made by a state agency is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> A compensated, non-elected position with a state agency. <input type="checkbox"/> A contract between a state agency and myself. <input type="checkbox"/> A financial benefit or obligation because of a contract that a state agency has with another person or with a company or organization. <input type="checkbox"/> Other work because a state agency has a contract with my company or organization and I am a "key employee" because the contract identifies me by name or it is otherwise clear that the state is contracting for my services in particular.
<p>BOX #2</p> <p>Select either STATEMENT #1 or STATEMENT #2.</p> <p>Write an X by your financial interest.</p>	<p>NON-ELECTED SPECIAL STATE EMPLOYEE</p> <p>I am a non-elected special state employee (compensated or uncompensated).</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> STATEMENT #1: I had a financial interest in a contract made by a state agency, other than an employment contract, before I took a non-elected, compensated special state employee position. I will continue to have this financial interest in a state contract.</p> <p>My financial interest in a contract made by a state agency is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> A contract between a state agency and myself, but not an employment contract. <input type="checkbox"/> A financial benefit or obligation because of a contract that a state agency has with another person or with a company or organization. <p>OR</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> STATEMENT #2: I will have a new financial interest in a contract made by a state agency.</p> <p>My financial interest in a contract made by a state agency is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> A compensated, non-elected position with a state agency. <input type="checkbox"/> A contract between a state agency and myself. <input type="checkbox"/> A financial benefit or obligation because of a contract that a state agency has with another person or with a company or organization. <input type="checkbox"/> Other work because a state agency has a contract with my company or organization and I am a "key employee" because the contract identifies me by name or it is otherwise clear that the state is contracting for my services in particular.
<p>Name and address of state agency that made the contract</p>	<p>FINANCIAL INTEREST IN A STATE CONTRACT</p> <p>This is the "contracting agency."</p> <p><i>The Committee for Public Counsel Services</i></p>
<p>Write an X to confirm this statement.</p>	<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> In my work as a special state employee for my State Agency, I do not participate in or have official responsibility for any of the activities of the contracting agency.</p>
<p>FILL IN THIS BOX OR THE NEXT BOX</p>	<p>ANSWER THE QUESTION IN THIS BOX IF THE CONTRACT IS BETWEEN THE STATE AGENCY AND YOU.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Please explain what the contract is for.

ANSWER THE QUESTIONS IN THIS BOX IF THE CONTRACT IS BETWEEN THE STATE AGENCY AND ANOTHER PERSON OR ENTITY <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Please identify the person or entity that has the contract with the state agency. - What is your relationship to the person or entity? - What is the contract for? 	
<p><i>The Committee for Public Counsel Services.</i></p> <p><i>- employee</i></p> <p><i>- Trial Services/public indigent defense</i></p>	
What is your financial interest in the state contract?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Please explain the financial interest and include the dollar amount if you know it. <p><i>I am employed as a trial attorney for the Committee for Public Counsel Services.</i></p> <p><i>I am compensated 79,500.</i></p>
Date when you acquired the financial interest	<i>5/24/2021</i>
What is the financial interest of your immediate family?	<i>\$0</i>
Date when your immediate family acquired the financial interest	<i>\$0</i>
Employee signature:	<i>[Signature]</i>
Date:	<i>5/26/2021</i>

Attach additional pages if necessary.

File your completed, signed Disclosure with:
State Ethics Commission, One Ashburton Place, Room 619, Boston, MA 02108