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RESPONDENT'S PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION

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June 23, 2026

Petition for Reconsideration

Subject: In the Matter of the Appeal to Purchase Community Property Redeposit of Service Credit of NANCY R. PRADO, Respondent. OAH No. 2025110334

To: Board Services Unit Coordinator
California Public Employees' Retirement System (CalPERS)

I respectfully request that the Board reconsider its decision based on the highly unusual and unique facts of my case.

This matter does not present the typical circumstances addressed by the statutes governing nonmember accounts or by prior decisions relied upon by CalPERS. The alternate payee in this case passed away on the same day the community property interest was awarded, making it impossible for him to request a refund or otherwise exercise the rights normally available to a nonmember.

Following his death, CalPERS paid the applicable death benefit, closed the nonmember account, and confirmed in writing that no further benefits were payable. As a result, the nonmember's interest was fully extinguished, and no continuing liability remains.

I am not requesting that the Board create a broad exception or establish a new rule applicable to future cases. Rather, I ask the Board to consider the extraordinary facts of this individual case, which are unlikely to recur with any frequency. The combination of a same-day award and death, the inability to make a refund election, the payment of death benefits, and the closure of the account creates a factual circumstance not specifically addressed by the governing statutes or prior decisions.

Granting relief in this matter would not undermine the statutory framework or create a precedent requiring similar treatment in materially different cases. Instead, it would recognize the unique circumstances presented here and permit the repurchase of service credit that I originally earned, upon payment of the full actuarial cost.

For these reasons, I respectfully request that the Board reconsider its decision and allow the requested repurchase.

Sincerely,



Nancy Prado