

**Enfield Board of Selectmen
Enfield, New Hampshire**

NON-PUBLIC SESSION MINUTES of December 16, 2002; 6:37 PM

Board of Selectmen: Donald J. Crate, Sr., Chairman; Ilene P. Reed; Keith Oppenneer

Administrative Staff: April Whittaker, Town Manager; Alisa D. Bonnette, Secretary

Others: Fire Wards Tim Taylor and David Crate

Fire Wards Tim Taylor and David Crate requested a non-public session to discuss a personnel issue.

Mr. Oppenneer moved to enter non-public session at 6:37 PM to discuss a personnel issue under RSA 91-A:3 II (c); Mrs. Reed seconded. Roll call vote: Mrs. Reed-aye, Mr. Oppenneer-aye, Mr. Crate-aye, motion carried.

David Crate and Tim Taylor expressed concern over the town's liability regarding a pregnant firefighter. They are concerned about her health, particularly around scenes that involve toxic fumes, but also do not want to discriminate against her. They requested guidance from the Board of Selectmen. Mrs. Whittaker will check into the legalities of the situation and report back to the Board of Selectmen and Fire Wards.

David Crate received a phone call from an irate citizen asking why one of the Enfield fire trucks was in Lebanon. Mr. Crate explained that one of the firefighters was testing for a CDL license, which the Fire Department would like him to obtain. Mrs. Whittaker stated that if it was on official duty then there is nothing to worry about. The Board of Selectmen voiced no concerns.

David Crate expressed some concerns regarding comments made by Holly Sander, Budget Committee Chair about the Fire Department not having a need for a pickup and not wanting the firefighters to do the work on the fire station addition. Mrs. Whittaker believes there have been some misunderstandings. The Budget Committee suggested a professional for the installation of the chimney.

Mrs. Reed moved to come out of non-public session at 6:43 pm.; Mr. Oppenneer seconded, vote unanimous.

Mr. Oppenneer moved to seal the minutes for a period of three months; Mr. Crate seconded, vote unanimous.