

**Social Security Advisory Board**  
**Minutes**  
**Board Meeting**  
**October 23, 2013**

**Location:** 400 Virginia Avenue, S.W., Suite 625  
Washington, D.C. 20024

**Time:** 8:45 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

**SSAB Members:** Barbara Kennelly, Acting Chair  
Bernadette Franks-Ongoy  
Jagadeesh Gokhale  
Dorcas Hardy

**Presenters:** **Bill Zielinski**, Deputy Commissioner, Office of Systems, and Chief Information Officer (CIO), Social Security Administration

**SSAB Staff:** Claire Green, Staff Director  
Jackie Chapin  
Jeremy Elder  
Joel Feinleib  
Alec Moore  
Sarah Weaver  
Lynn Fisher, Detailee  
David Gamble, Detailee  
Randy Yiadom, Staff Intern  
Mohammad Humza, Staff Intern

During its October meeting, the Board convened one fact-finding session in the morning. In this session the Board met with Bill Zielinski, Deputy Commissioner of Systems and Chief Information Officer (CIO) at the Social Security Administration (SSA). Mr. Zielinski described what his role and responsibilities included as the newly re-established CIO at the agency, and how they interacted with his other role as Deputy Commissioner of Systems. Mr. Zielinski also provided the Board with an update on the current status of the agency's information technology (IT) infrastructure. He discussed the current IT strategic planning underway at SSA as well as initiatives such as the Disability Claims Processing System (DCPS), for example.

The remainder of the October meeting was reserved for an executive planning session where the Board reviewed current projects, planned for future projects, and considered the agenda for 2014.

I certify that the minutes written for the October 23, 2013 meeting of the Social Security Advisory Board are correct.



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Barbara B. Kennelly

Acting Chair  
Social Security Advisory Board