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#### STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

# PUBLIC EMPLOYEE LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

POLICE COMMISSION,
CITY OF ROCHESTER, NEW HAMPSHIRE

and

STATE EMPLOYEES' ASSOCIATION
OF NEW HAMPSHIRE, INC.,
CONCORD, NEW HAMPSHIRE

CASE NO. P-0712

# **APPEARANCES**

# Representing the State Employees' Association of New Hampshire, Inc.:

Thomas F. Manning, Field Representative

Witnesses: Sergeant Bradley B. Loomis, Rochester Police Department
Sergeant David E. Winship, " " "
Patrolman Henry W. Crawford, " " "
Patrolman Eddie T. Welsh, " "

Representing the Police Commission, City of Rochester, New Hampshire:

No one appeared for the Police Commission, City of Rochester

# FINDINGS

Petition for certification election filed by the State Employees' Association of New Hampshire, Inc. on January 11, 1977 supported by sufficient petition intent cards from employees of the Police Department, City of Rochester, New Hampshire, wishing to be represented by the SEA.

Objection to the petition for certification filed by Charles George, Chairman of the Police Commission of the City of Rochester, New Hampshire and dated January 17, 1977.

Only case before the Public Employee Labor Relations Board was that Sergeants be included or excluded from the proposed bargaining unit for the Police Department, City of Rochester.

Evidence presented by the witnesses for inclusion of the Sergeants in the bargaining unit. Presentee of objection to inclusion of Sergeants did not appear; only evidence was in objection filed with PELRB on January 17, 1977.

After hearing the oral evidence, the Public Employee Labor Relations Board rules that Server with the Patrolmen and, PELRB orders, as follows:

The bargaining unit for the Police Department, City of Rochester, New Hampshire shall consist of all Sergeants, Patrolmen and Policewomen and shall exclude Chief, Deputy Chief, Captain and Lieutenant Inspectors.

RICHARD H. CUMMINGS, ACTING CHAIRMAN

PUBLIC EMPLOYEE LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

Signed this \_\_\_\_ day of March, 1977.

Hearing Date: February 18, 1977

Vote taken by PELRB at Public Hearing, February 18, 1977.

Decision written & dated: March 7 1977.