

## **State of New Hampshire**

PUBLIC EMPLOYEE LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

UNITED AUTO WORKERS, : INTERNATIONAL UNION for CONCORD: CLERICAL & TECHNICAL EMPLOYEES :

v.

CASE NO. M-0675

DECISION NO. 93-32

CITY OF CONCORD

## RULING ON CHALLENGED BALLOT, CERTIFICATION OF ELECTION RESULTS

The Board, meeting at its offices in Concord, New Hampshire, on March 11, 1993, took the following actions:

- 1. It examined the Order of Election issued January 7, 1993, the Notice of Pre-Election Conference dated January 19, 1993, the memorandum of the Pre-Election Conference initialed by the parties on January 29, 1993, and the agreed upon list of eligible voters, also initialed by the parties on January 29, 1993.
- 2. It examined the Board agent's Report of Election prepared pursuant to Rule 303.10 along with the Board agent's Tally of Ballots and the check off list used at the election, duly signed by the observers designated by the parties.
- 3. It confirmed the tally of ninety-seven (97) ballots cast plus one (1) challenged ballot, noting that forty-nine (49) ballots were cast for the United Auto Workers, International Union, forty-eight (48) ballots were cast for No Representation, and that one challenged ballot would be determinative of the outcome of the election under Rule 303.08(a).
- 4. It examined the letter requesting the absentee ballot dated February 9, 1993 and filed with the Board on February 10, 1993, noting the reason set forth therein why the voter was requesting the absentee ballot.

- 5. It validated the request for the absentee ballot and overruled the objection thereto.
- 6. It directed that the election results be certified as 49 votes for the United Auto Workers and 49 votes for No Representative.
- 7. It directed that a run-off election be held on Monday, March 22, 1993, at the same times and places as the original election held on March 9, 1993. The list of eligible voters will remain unchanged. Requests for absentee ballots must be received and voted at the PELRB before the close of business on Friday, March 19, 1993.

So ordered.

Signed this 11th day of March, 1993.

By unanimous vote. Chairman Jack Buckley presiding. Members Seymour Osman and E. Vincent Hall present and voting.