



State of New Hampshire
Public Employee Labor Relations Board

New England Police Benevolent Association

and

Town of Weare

and

AFSCME Local 3657, Weare Police Employees

Case No. G-0225-1

Decision No. 2015-179

Order

On July 10, 2015 the New England Police Benevolent Association (NEPBA) filed a challenge petition requesting an election to determine an exclusive representative of the existing bargaining unit currently represented by the AFSCME Local 3657, Weare Police Employees. See PELRB Decision No. 2005-103 (August 5, 2005). The subject bargaining unit contains the following Town of Weare Police Department positions:

Unit: All full time and part time positions of Lieutenant, Clerk, Sergeant, Patrol Officer, and Detective of the Town of Weare Police Department.

Id. The petition is supported by the requisite number of authorization cards. See PELRB Report re Confidential Inspection of Authorization Cards (July 28, 2015).

Pursuant to the Notice of Filing, issued on July 10, 2015 and duly posted by the employer, exceptions, objections, and petitions to intervene were due no later than April 27, 2015. No exceptions, objections, or petitions to intervene have been filed. Accordingly, the NEPBA's request for a secret ballot election to resolve the question of representation is granted.

An Order for Election shall issue forthwith and a pre-election conference shall be scheduled in accordance with Pub 303.02.

So ordered.

July 29, 2015



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