

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
PUBLIC EMPLOYEE LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

EXETER EDUCATION ASSOCIATION,
Affiliated with NHEA/NEA

and

EXETER SCHOOL BOARD

CASE NO. T-0226:3

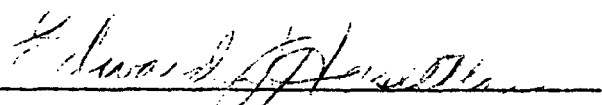
DECISION NO. 80010

DECLARATORY RULING

On January 9, 1980 a petition for a declaratory ruling relative to RSA 273-A:11, II was jointly submitted by the Exeter School Board and the Exeter Education Association.

RSA 273-A:11, II "A reasonable number of employees who act as representatives of the bargaining unit," (teachers) "shall be given a reasonable opportunity to meet" (mediation and/or fact-finding).

The Board unanimously reached the decision that the parties to the petition must follow their agreed ground rules and that "Four (4) members plus one (1) empty chair," or total number of five (5) is a reasonable number.


EDWARD J. HASELTINE, CHAIRMAN
PUBLIC EMPLOYEE LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

Signed this 13th day of February, 1980

Unanimous vote. Chairman Edward J. Haseltine presiding, members Robert D. Steele and Joseph B. Moriarty present and voting. Also present Executive Director, Evelyn C. LeBrun.