

State of New Hampshire

PUBLIC EMPLOYEE LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

American Association of University Professors UNH Chapter

Petitioner

Case No. U-0613-15

V

University of New Hampshire

Decision No. 2006-203

Respondent

PRE-HEARING ORDER AND MEMORANDUM

BACKGROUND

On August 31, 2006 the American Association of University Professors, UNH Chapter (Petitioner) filed a modification petition seeking to modify an existing bargaining unit described in the August 8, 1991 amended certification in Case No. U-613 by adding certain clinical faculty. The University of New Hampshire objects for reasons outlined in its September 15, 2006 filing with the PELRB.

This matter was originally set for hearing on November 6, 2006 but the parties' joint request to proceed with a pre-hearing conference instead was granted. The undersigned hearing officer conducted a pre-hearing conference at the offices of the PELRB in Concord, New Hampshire on November 6, 2006.

PARTICIPATING REPRESENTATIVES AT PRE-HEARING CONFERENCE

For the Petitioners:

John S. Krupski, Esq.

For the University of New Hampshire:

Kathleen C. Peahl, Esq.

ISSUE PRESENTED

Whether the underlying bargaining unit should be modified to include the clinical faculty described in the modification petition.

DECISION

- 1) The parties shall submit and exchange a list of all witnesses and the purpose of their testimony and a list of exhibits per Pub 203.
- 2) To the extent they have not already done so, the parties' representatives shall meet, or otherwise confer, on or before December 17, 2006 in order to compose a mutual statement of agreed facts and stipulate to joint exhibits. The parties' representatives shall memorialize those facts and exhibits upon which they can so stipulate and file that document with the PELRB on or before December 18, 2006.
- 3) Unless otherwise ordered as a result of the filing of any subsequent motion or for other good cause shown, an evidentiary hearing between the parties will be held on:

December 19, 2006 @ 9:00 AM

at the offices of the Public Employee Labor Relations Board, Concord, New Hampshire.

So Ordered.

Douglas L. Ingersoll, Es Hearing Officer

Date Issued: November 6, 2006

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