



State of New Hampshire  
PUBLIC EMPLOYEE LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

National Correctional Employees Union  
and  
Hillsborough County  
and  
AFSCME Local 3657, Hillsborough County  
Department of Corrections Employees

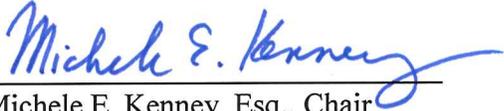
Case No. G-0018-5  
Decision No. 2015-011

Order

A representation election is scheduled in the above matter for January 22, 2015. During the January 8, 2015 pre-election conference the AFSCME questioned the validity of the PELRB's December 15, 2014 Report Re: Confidential Inspection of Authorization Cards issued by a PELRB attorney on the grounds that cards signed by probationary employees may have been counted. On January 12, 2015 the AFSCME filed a motion asking the Board to review the sufficiency of the authorization cards. The Executive Director has reported to us that the sufficiency of confidential authorization cards is determined by a PELRB attorney pursuant to the applicable law and rules and that any cards signed by probationary employees are disregarded, and that this was done in conjunction with the December 15, 2014 Report. We are satisfied that applicable law and rules were followed and that there are sufficient authorization cards for this matter to proceed to election. The motion is otherwise denied.

So Ordered.

Date: January 14, 2015

  
Michele E. Kenney, Esq., Chair

By vote of Chair Michele E. Kenney, Esq., Board Member James M. O'Mara, Jr., and Board Member Richard J. Laughton, Jr.

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