



**State of New Hampshire**  
Public Employee Labor Relations Board

**Dover Police Association**

**and**

**City of Dover**

**Case No. G-0316-1**  
**Decision No. 2023-054**

Order

On March 6, 2023, the Dover Police Association filed an agreed upon modification petition to update the bargaining unit description contained in PELRB Decision No. 2004-013 (March 9, 2004). The petition lists the positions the parties agree should now be included in the bargaining unit. It also states that "any other non-supervisory department employee" should be included as well. No exceptions, objections, or petitions to intervene have been filed.

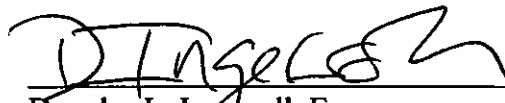
The request to update the bargaining unit description to include the positions listed in the petition is approved. However, while the parties' intent to have a unit comprised of non-supervisory police department employees in the bargaining unit is recognized, "non-supervisory police department employees" language will not be used in the updated bargaining unit description because this language is insufficient to specifically identify the additional current positions, if any, that fall under this heading. To the extent the parties subsequently identify any additional positions they would like included in the unit they should file another modification petition, following which further modification orders will issue as appropriate and necessary.

Pursuant to N.H. Admin. R. Pub 302.05, the Dover Police Association's petition is granted on this basis. The PELRB will issue a unit modification order accordingly.

So ordered.

Date:

3/28/2023

  
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