

New England Police Benevolent Association & Town of Bow, Decision No. 2018-046 (Case No. G-0204-3).

Background: The NEPBA filed a petition for certification seeking to represent certain employees of the Town Police Department. The town objected to the petition on the grounds that the proposed unit inappropriately included supervisors along with persons they supervise in violation of RSA 273-A:8, II and that without them the proposed unit did not contain a minimum of ten employees as required under RSA 273-A:8.

Decision: The hearing officer found that the sergeants were supervisory employees within the meaning of RSA 273-A:8, II and excluded them from the proposed bargaining unit. The NEPBA's petition for certification was dismissed because without sergeants the proposed bargaining unit did not contain a minimum of ten employees as required under RSA 273-A:8.

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