



Rhode Island State Labor Relations Board

1511 Pontiac Avenue
Building 73, 2nd floor
Cranston, Rhode Island 02920-4407
Website: www.dlt.ri.gov/lrb

OPEN MINUTES BOARD MEETING

TIME: 9:00 a.m.
DATE: Tuesday, June 8, 2010
PLACE: 1511 Pontiac Ave., Building #73, 2nd Floor, Cranston, RI 02920

BOARD MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE: Walter Lanni
Frank Montanaro
Ellen Jordan
John R. Capobianco
Gerald Goldstein
Elizabeth Dolan

OTHERS PRESENT: Robyn H. Golden, Administrator
Lisa L. Ribezzo, Labor Board Case Agent
Margaret L. Hogan, Esq.

Chairman Lanni called the meeting to order in Open Session at 9:20 a.m.

All Board Members present reviewed the Open Minutes of the May 11, 2010 Board Meeting. A Motion was made by Frank Montanaro and seconded by Elizabeth Dolan to accept the Open Minutes as written, and it was unanimously

VOTED: by all Board Members to accept the minutes as written.

The meeting continued in open session:

CONCLUDED CASES:

1. Case No. ULP- 5955
Board of Governors for Higher Education - URI & URI/AAUP Part-Time Faculty United (PTFU)
&URI/AAUP Full Time Faculty

Ellen Jordan, Elizabeth Dolan, John Capobianco, and Gerald Goldstein heard this matter formally. Walter Lanni and Frank Montanaro reviewed the transcript and briefs, as well as the evidence submitted therein.



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After review of the above-entitled matter, a preliminary Motion was made by Ellen Jordan and seconded by Elizabeth Dolan to uphold the Motion to Dismiss the Complaint; and that this matter be referred to the Board's Legal Counsel for drafting of the Decision and Order to that effect. After discussion, all Board Members voted in favor of the Motion. Motion passed.

DRAFTED DECISION AND ORDERS:

1. Case No. ULP- 5901
Newport School Department & RI Council 94, AFSCME, AFL-CIO

A Motion was made Frank Montanaro and seconded by John Capobianco to table this matter until the next monthly Board Meeting. After discussion, all Board Members voted in favor of the Motion. Motion passed.

2. Case No. ULP- 5941
Warwick School Committee & Warwick Teachers' Union, AFT, Local 915

After review of the drafted Decision, a Motion was made by Ellen Jordan and seconded by Elizabeth Dolan to sign the Decision and Order, as written. After discussion, all Board Members voted in favor of the Motion and did sign the Decision and Order, as written.

3. Case No. ULP- 5964
Town of Warren & United Steelworkers, Local 14845

After review of the drafted Decision, a Motion was made by Frank Montanaro and seconded by John Capobianco to sign the Decision and Order, as written. After discussion, all Board Members voted in favor of the Motion and did sign the Decision and Order, as written.

4. Case No. EE- 3690
Town of West Greenwich & RI Laborers District Council, Local 1322

A Motion was made Ellen Jordan and seconded by Frank Montanaro to table this matter until the next monthly Board Meeting. After discussion, all Board Members voted in favor of the Motion. Motion passed.



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Ellen Jordan made a Motion for the Board to go into Closed Session for the purpose of reviewing the Unfair Labor Practice Charges and the Minutes to be closed, pursuant to 42-46-5(a)(2)(4) of the Open Meetings Law. Frank Montanaro seconded the Motion and it was unanimously

VOTED: for the meeting to go into closed session and to close the minutes.

The meeting and minutes were closed at 9:50 a.m.

The meeting resumed in open session at 9:55 a.m. for the purposes of reading, into the minutes, the determinations made by the Board in Closed Session.

UNFAIR LABOR PRACTICE CASES:

1. Case No. ULP- 5977
Town of Scituate/Scituate Fire & Rescue Engineering Board & International Association of Fire Fighters (IAFF)

DETERMINATION: matter tabled.

2. Case No. ULP- 6000
Central Falls School District & Central Falls Teachers' Union, Local 1567, RIFT, AFT, AFL-CIO

DETERMINATION: matter tabled.

3. Case No. ULP- 6001
Central Falls School District & RI Council 94, AFSCME, AFL-CIO

DETERMINATION: matter tabled.

4. Case No. ULP- 6003
Town of Warren & United Steelworkers, Local 14845

DETERMINATION: motion to dismiss



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5. Case No. ULP- 6005
Manville Fire District & International Association of Fire Fighters (IAFF)

DETERMINATION: uphold the charge, issue a Complaint, and proceed to formal hearing.

A Motion to adjourn was made by Elizabeth Dolan and seconded by Frank Montanaro and it was unanimously,

VOTED: to adjourn the meeting at 10:00 a.m.