



Rhode Island State Labor Relations Board

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

CLOSED MINUTES BOARD MEETING

TIME: 9:30 p.m.
DATE: Wednesday, October 1, 2014
PLACE: 1511 Pontiac Ave., Building #73, 3rd Floor, Cranston, RI 02920

BOARD MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE:

Walter Lanni
Frank Montanaro
Elizabeth S. Dolan
Marcia B. Reback
Bruce A. Wolpert
Peder A. Schaefer

MEMBERS ABSENT:

Scott G. Duhamel

OTHERS PRESENT:

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

Chairman Lanni called the meeting to order in Open Session at 9:35 a.m.

All Board Members reviewed the Closed Minutes of the August 28, 2014 Board Meeting. A Motion was made by Marcia B. Reback and seconded by Bruce A. Wolpert to accept the Closed Minutes as written, and it was

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

UNFAIR LABOR PRACTICES:

1. Case No.ULP-6124
Central Coventry Fire District – Board of Directors & Central Coventry Firefighters, IAFF,
Local 3372

After review of the informal notes in this matter, a Motion was made by Marcia B. Reback and seconded by Bruce A. Wolpert, to uphold the charge in this matter, issue a Complaint, and proceed to formal hearing. After discussion, Walter J. Lanni, Frank J. Montanaro, Marcia B. Reback, Scott G. Duhamel, and Bruce A. Wolpert voted in favor of the Motion. Elizabeth S. Dolan and Peder A. Schaefer voted in opposition to the matter. Motion passed.

Subsequently, the Board Members requested further information regarding the clarification as to the representation for the Employer; thus, requiring the Administrator of the Board to contact the parties as to that subject matter prior to the Formal Hearing process.



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A Motion was then made by Bruce A. Wolpert and seconded by Marcia B. Reback to resume the meeting in open session for the purposes of reading into the minutes the determinations made by the Board in Closed Session, as well as adjournment. After discussion, it was unanimously

VOTED: by the Board Members present to resume the meeting in Open Session at 10:20 a.m.