

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
BEFORE STATE LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

In the MATTER of	*	
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CENTRAL COVENTRY FIRE DISTRICT/	*	
COVENTRY FIRE DISTRICT/	*	
HOPKINS HILL FIRE DISTRICT	*	
Employer	*	
- and -	*	Case No. EE-3448B
	*	(Corrected)
COVENTRY PROFESSIONAL FIREFIGHTERS	*	
LOCAL 3372, IAFF	*	
Petitioner	*	
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AMENDED CERTIFICATION OF REPRESENTATIVES

Pursuant to a Consent Election by and between the Coventry Fire District and the International Association of Fire Fighters (IAFF), AFL-CIO, the Rhode Island State Labor Relations Board held an election on May 31, 1989, by secret ballot of: all fire fighters, including the Chief, Secretary to the Chief, and the Tax Collector, employed by the Coventry Fire District.

On the basis of the election of said employees as aforesaid, the International Association of Fire Fighters (IAFF) has been designated by a majority of said employees of the Coventry Fire District, as their bargaining representative.

On June 7, 2010, the parties acknowledged that the District and its Board of Directors made and approved a resolution, allowing the Union to merge Coventry Fire Fighters, Local 3240, International Association of Fire Fighters (IAFF), with Central Coventry Fire Fighters Local 3372, International Association of Fire Fighters (IAFF).

The parties' representatives executed on August 12, 2010, a Memorandum of Agreement, for the merger of the two (2) Locals 3240 and 3372, into the Local of Central Coventry Fire Fighters, Local 3372, International Association of Fire Fighters (IAFF).

That on October 12, 2010, after review and discussion, the RI State Labor Relations Board accepted the request for amendment to the original Certification of Representatives, for which the Central Coventry Fire Fighters, Local 3372, International Association of Fire Fighters (IAFF) shall become the exclusive bargaining representative of those employees contained in the bargaining unit certified in Case No. EE- 3448A.

Pursuant to an Agreement for Consent Election by Comparison of Signatures by and between the Hopkins Hill Fire District and International Association of Fire Fighters (IAFF) Hopkins Hill Fire Fighters, Local 4824, the Rhode Island State Labor Relations Board held an Election by Comparison of Signatures on August 17, 2010.

The parties have stipulated and agreed that the following positions share a Community of Interest and fall within the Fire Fighters' Arbitration Act; and therefore, shall be included in the bargaining unit defined as: All full time fire fighters up to the rank of Captain and Fire Alarm Supervisor; excluding the position(s) of Chief of the Department, Assistant Deputy Chief, and Fire Marshall.

On the basis of the Comparison of Signatures of said employees as aforesaid, the International Association of Fire Fighters (IAFF) Hopkins Hill Fire Fighters, Local 4824 has been designated by a majority of said employees of the Hopkins Hill Fire District as their collective bargaining representative.

That on February 9, 2012, a request was received from the International Association of Fire Fighters (IAFF) that the above-entitled Certification be amended to reflect the identity change of the Bargaining Unit Representative.

That on February 28, 2012, after review and discussion, the RI State Labor Relations Board accepted the request for amendment to the Certification of Representatives, reflecting the change in the Bargaining Unit Representative, to read: Hopkins Hill Fire District and International Association of Fire Fighters (IAFF) Hopkins Hill Fire Fighters, Local 4824.

TO: Coventry Professional Firefighters, Local 3372, IAFF
Central Coventry Fire District