

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
BEFORE STATE LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

In the MATTER of	*	
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CHOPMIST HILL FIRE DEPARTMENT	*	
EMPLOYER	*	
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- and -	*	Case No. EE-3716
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INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF	*	
FIRE FIGHTERS (IAFF)	*	
PETITIONER	*	

CERTIFICATION OF REPRESENTATIVES

Pursuant to an Agreement for Consent Election by Comparison of Signatures by and between the Chopmist Hill Fire Department and International Association of Fire Fighters (IAFF), the Rhode Island State Labor Relations Board held an Election by Comparison of Signatures on September 14, 2009.

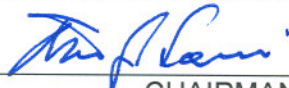
The parties have stipulated and agreed that the following positions share a community of interest and fall within the Fire Fighters' Arbitration Act and, therefore, shall be included in the bargaining unit defined as: All rescue personnel who are employed more than twenty (20) hours per week, excluding the Chief of the Department.

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


The Rhode Island State Labor Relations Board by virtue of and pursuant to the powers vested in said Board by Section 28-7-16, of the General Laws of Rhode Island, 1956, entitled State Labor Relations Act, it is hereby:

CERTIFIED, that the International Association of Fire Fighters (IAFF) has been designated and selected by a majority of: All rescue personnel who are employed more than twenty (20) hours per week, excluding the Chief of the Department as their sole representative for the purposes of collective bargaining; and that pursuant to the provisions of Section 28-7-16 of the Act, the International Association of Fire Fighters (IAFF) is the exclusive bargaining representative of said employees for the purposes of collective bargaining with respect to rates of pay, hours of employment, and other conditions of employment.

RHODE ISLAND STATE LABOR RELATIONS BOARD



CHAIRMAN



MEMBER



MEMBER



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FRANK MONTANARO RECUSED HIMSELF IN THIS MATTER.

DATED: September 21, 2009
Cranston, RI

TO: Chopmist Hill Fire Department
International Association of Fire Fighters (IAFF)