

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND  
BEFORE STATE LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

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In the MATTER of	*	
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STATE OF RI – RI JUDICIARY	*	
(FACILITIES AND MAINTENANCE)	*	
	*	PETITIONER
- and -	*	Case No. EE-3726
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RI COUNCIL 94, AFSCME, AFL-CIO	*	
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	*	RESPONDENT

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**CERTIFICATION OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
(Transfer from Executive Branch to Judiciary Branch)

In November 2004, an amendment to the Rhode Island Constitution was approved and thus, as a result, created three (3) separate and distinct branches of government; Executive, Judiciary and Legislative Bodies. Upon passage, the Legislature correspondingly amended R.I.G.L. 36-4-2.1 and other statutes to allow the separation of Branches of Government.

That on June 4, 2012, a Consent Agreement & Affidavit was submitted by the parties, requesting the transfer of said positions from the Executive Branch to the Judiciary Branch, to wit: All Assistant Building & Grounds Officers, Building Maintenance Supervisors, Senior Janitors, and Janitors, within Facilities and Maintenance, excluding all other positions previously listed within Certification of Representatives, Case No. EE-1714.

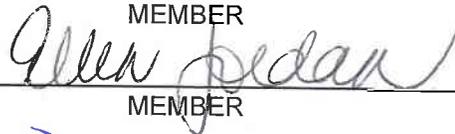
That on June 12, 2012, after submission and review of all appropriate documentation, the RI State Labor Relations Board accepted the Consent Agreement & Affidavit between the State of RI – RI Judiciary (Facilities and Maintenance) and the RI Council 94, AFSCME, AFL-CIO; and therefore, the positions of Assistant Building & Grounds Officers, Building Maintenance Supervisors, Senior Janitors, and Janitors, within Facilities and Maintenance, excluding all other positions previously listed within Certification of Representatives, Case No. EE-1714, shall be transferred into the bargaining unit defined in Case No. EE-3726.

That the Certification of Representatives, Case Nos. EE-1714, as a result of the aforementioned amendment, shall be amended to read as follows: All Assistant Building & Grounds Officers, Building Maintenance Supervisors, Senior Janitors, and Janitors, within Facilities and Maintenance, excluding all other positions previously listed within Certification of Representatives, Case No. EE-1714, shall be transferred to Certification of Representatives, Case No. EE-3726.

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

**CERTIFIED**, that the State of RI – RI Judiciary (Facilities and Maintenance) shall be the governing Body for the aforementioned stated positions; that the RI Council 94, AFSCME, AFL-CIO shall remain the designated sole representative for the purpose of collective bargaining as defined by the Act; and that pursuant to the provisions of 28-7-16 of the Act, the RI Council 94, AFSCME, AFL-CIO shall remain 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

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DATED: June 12, 2012  
Cranston, RI  
TO: State of RI – RI Judiciary  
RI Council 94, AFSCME, AFL-CIO