

STATE OF ILLINOIS
ILLINOIS LABOR RELATIONS BOARD
LOCAL PANEL

Minutes of the Local Panel Meeting
Held on August 14, 2007

I. OPENING OF MEETING 10:00 A.M.—160 North LaSalle Street, Suite S-400, Chicago, IL

II. PRESENT

Jackie Gallagher, Chairman; Charles Anderson, Member of the Board; Edward E. Sadlowski, Member of the Board; John F. Brosnan, Executive Director; and staff members.

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING HELD JULY 5, 2007

Chairman Gallagher called for approval of the minutes of the July 5, 2007 meeting. Member Sadlowski made a motion for approval of the minutes. Member Anderson seconded the motion. The Board approved the motion unanimously, by a voice vote.

IV. ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS

Chairman Gallagher asked Executive Director Brosnan to present the Local Panel administrative actions for the period of time from August 1 through August 31, 2007. He distributed the report to the Board for review, and the Board examined and discussed it.

V. BOARD ACTIONS

1. Case No. L-RC-06-008
International Brotherhood of Teamsters/City of Chicago

Chairman Gallagher began by summarizing the case, noting the ALJ recommended that the Board certify the petitioned-for unit and neither party excepted to the ALJ's determination that the petitioned-for employees are not supervisors within the meaning of Section 3(r) of the Act. After a lengthy discussion, Member Henderson moved to accept the supervisory determination of the ALJ. Member Sadlowski seconded the motion and it passed unanimously. In regards to the stand alone unit determination, Member Henderson moved to accept it, Chairman Gallagher seconded, Member Sadlowski dissented and the motion passed with a 2-1 vote.

2. Case No. L-CB-06-022
Barney Lonzo/Teamsters, Local 726

Acting General Counsel Rios summarized the case stating the Union's decision not to file any of the grievances sought by Charging Party does not establish intentional misconduct and recommended that the Board affirm the Executive Director's Dismissal. Member Sadlowski moved to affirm the dismissal, Member Henderson seconded and the motion passed unanimously by a voice vote.

3. Case No. L-CB-07-001
Robert A. Hamilton/Amalgamated Transit Union, Local 241

Acting General Counsel Rios summarized the case stating the Charging Party did not provide any evidence to support any violations or in support of the charge in the body of his appeal. She then recommended that the Board affirm the Executive Director's Dismissal. Member Sadlowski moved to affirm the dismissal, Member Henderson seconded and the motion passed unanimously by a voice vote.

VI. OTHER BOARD MATTERS

Chairman Gallagher updated the Board as to the status of the State's overall budget and other general fiscal issues, and reported on certain personnel matters. The Chairman, Member Sadlowski, and Member Anderson then discussed various aspects of the matters presented. Thereafter, the Board discussed whether there was a need for executive session, concluding it was not necessary at this time.

VII. ADJOURNMENT

Chairman Gallagher called for a motion to adjourn. Member Anderson made a motion to adjourn the meeting, and the Board passed it unanimously, by a voice vote.

Adopted and approved by the Chairman and Members of the Local Panel of the Illinois Labor Relations Board, in Chicago, Illinois, this 11th day of September, 2007.