STATE OF WASHINGTON

BEFORE THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

In the matter of the Petition of:) CASE NO. 6885-E-87-1185
KALAMA POLICE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION) CERTIFICATION
) DECISION 2721 - PECB
Involving certain employees of:))
CITY OF KALAMA) Cross-Check Pursuant to) Agreement of Parties)
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Appearances:

For Petitioner: James L. Pine, Shop Steward

For Employer: Faye Mahoney, Mayor

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. The above-named petitioner timely filed with the Public Employment Relations Commission a petition for investigation of a question concerning representation of employees of the above-named employer; said petition was accompanied by a showing of interest which was administratively determined by the Commission to be sufficient; and the employer declined voluntarily to extend recognition to the petitioner as the exclusive bargaining representative of its employees.
- 2. These representation proceedings were conducted by the Commission in the bargaining unit described as:

ALL POLICE OFFICERS OF THE CITY OF KALAMA; EXCLUDING SUPERVISORS, CONFIDENTIAL EMPLOYEES, ELECTED OFFICIALS, AND ALL OTHER EMPLOYEES OF THE EMPLOYER.

3. All proceedings were conducted under the supervision of the Commission in a manner designed to afford the affected employees a free choice in the selection of their bargaining representative, if any; a tally of the results was previously furnished to the parties and is attached hereto; and no meritorious objections have been filed with respect to these proceedings.

CONCLUSION OF LAW

The unit described in finding of fact number 2 is an appropriate unit for the purposes of collective bargaining within the meaning of RCW 41.56; and all conditions precedent to a certification have been met.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is

CERTIFIED

The employees of the above named employer employed in the appropriate collective bargaining unit described in finding of fact number 3 have chosen:

KALAMA POLICE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION

as their representative for the purpose of collective bargaining with their employer with respect to wages, hours and conditions of employment.

ISSUED at Olympia, Washington, this _7th day of July, 1987.

PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

MARVIN L. SCHURKE, Executive Director

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