STATE OF WASHINGTON

BEFORE THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Petition of

TEAMSTERS, LOCAL 524

Involving certain employees of

YAKIMA COUNTY

CASE NO. 5535-E-84-997

DECISION NO. 2142 - PECB

CERTIFICATION

Cross Check Pursuant to Agreement of Parties

Appearances:

For Petitioner: Mel Tanassee, Secretary-Treasurer For Employer: Anthony Menke, Chief Labor Negotiator

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 regular full-time and regular part-time employees of the Yakima County Sheriff's Department, excluding the sheriff, the sheriff's confidential secretary, unclassified civil service appointees; all fully commissioned uniformed deputy sheriff's; sergeants and lieutenants as defined in RCW 41.26.030; all security officers, security supervisors, sergeants and lieutenants.
- 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 49.08; 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:

TEAMSTERS, LOCAL 524

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

Issued at Olympia, Washington, this 17th day of January, 1985.

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MARVIN L. SCHURKE, Executive Director





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NAME OF COUNTY OF YAKIMA EMPLOYER SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT NUMBER STORY NUMBER NUMBER
PART 1 - CROSS-CHECK OF RECORDS
The undersigned agent of the Public Employment Relations Commission certifies that he/she has conducted a cross-check of records in the above case, and that the results were as follows:
Number of Employees in Bargaining Unit
Number of Employee Records Examined
Number of Employee Records Counted as Valid Evidence of Representation 25
PART 2 - SECRET BALLOT ELECTION
The undersigned agent of the Public Employment Relations Commission certifies that the results of the tabulation of ballots cast in the election held in the above case, and concluded on the date indicated below, were as follows:
1. Approximate number of eligible voters
2. Void Ballots
3. Votes Cast For:
4. Votes Cast For:
5. Votes Cast For:
6. Votes Cast For: NO REPRESENTATION
7. Valid Ballots Counted.(total of 3, 4, 5, and 6)
8. Challenged Ballots
9. Valid Ballots Counted plus Challenged Ballots (total of 7 and 8)
10. Number of Valid Ballots Needed to Determine Election
Challenges are are not sufficient in number to affect the results of the election.
The results of the election appear to be conclusive favoring choice on line
DATE ISSUED JAN. 9, 1985 PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION By Martin Mith
The undersigned acted as authorized observers in the counting and tabulating of ballots indicated above. We hereby certify that the counting and tabulating were fairly and accurately done, that the secrecy of the ballots was maintained, and that the results were as indicated above. We also acknowledge service of this tally
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