STATE OF WASHINGTON

BEFORE THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

In the matter of the petition of:)
WASHINGTON FEDERATION OF STATE EMPLOYEES)) CASE 17319-E-03-2818
Involving certain employees of:) DECISION 9060 - PSRA
COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT 13 - LOWER COLUMBIA	CERTIFICATION Representation Election by Agreement of Parties

Gladys Burbank, Director of Activities, for the petitioner.

Nolan Wheeler, Manager of Human Resources, for the employer.

Herb Harris, Organizer, for the intervenor, Washington Public Employees Association.

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. The above-named petitioner filed with the Public Employment Relations Commission a petition for investigation of a question concerning representation of employees of the above-named employer. The petition was timely filed and was accompanied by a showing of interest which was administratively determined by the Commission to be sufficient.
- 2. The organization(s) listed above as intervenors (if applicable) timely moved for intervention in the proceedings, and each motion for intervention was supported by a showing of interest which was administratively determined by the Commission to be sufficient.
- 3. These representation proceedings were conducted by the Commission in the bargaining unit described as:

ALL NON-SUPERVISORY CIVIL SERVICE EMPLOYEES OF COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT 13 (LOWER COLUMBIA) EXCLUDING CONFIDENTIAL EMPLOYEES, INTERNAL AUDITORS AND SUPERVISORY EMPLOYEES.

4. 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 previously furnished to the parties is attached hereto; and no meritorious objections have been filed with respect to these proceedings.

CONCLUSION OF LAW

- 1. The unit described in paragraph 3 of the foregoing Findings of Fact is an appropriate unit for the purposes of collective bargaining within the meaning of RCW 41.80.
- 2. All conditions precedent to a certification have been met.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is

CERTIFIED

The employees of the above-named employer in the appropriate bargaining unit described in paragraph 3 of the foregoing Findings of Fact have chosen:

WASHINGTON FEDERATION OF STATE EMPLOYEES

as their representative for the purpose of collective bargaining with their employer.

Issued at Olympia, Washington, this 19th day of August, 2005.

PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

MARVÍN L. SCHURKE, Executive Director



For decertification petitioner

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TALLY OF ELECTION BALLOTS

Instructions: See other side of this form. Applicable Rule: WAC 391-25-550 CASE NUMBER 17319E - 03- 2818 The Public Employment Relations Commission has tabulated the ballots cast in the election conducted in this case, and certifies that the results of the election are as follows: APPROXIMATE NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE VOTERS 1 2 **VOID BALLOTS** 3. **VOTES CAST FOR** VOTES CAST FOR NO REPRESENTATION VALID BALLOTS COUNTED (Total of lines 3 through 6) CHALLENGED BALLOTS CAST 8. 9 VALID BALLOTS COUNTED PLUS CHALLENGED BALLOTS (Total of lines 7 and 8) NUMBER OF VALID BALLOTS NEEDED TO DETERMINE ELECTION 10. CHALLENGED BALLOTS (check one): 11. - ARE SUFFICIENT IN NUMBER TO AFFECT THE RESULTS OF THE ELECTION. DO NOT AFFECT THE OUTCOME OF THE ELECTION. THE RESULTS OF THE ELECTION APPEAR TO BE (check one): 12. [] - INCONCLUSIVE, SO THAT A RUNOFF ELECTION WILL BE NECESSARY. CONCLUSIVE, FAVORING THE CHOICE LISTED ON LINE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION August 11,2005 BY ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF OBSERVERS The undersigned acted as authorized observers for the parties, and acknowledge service of a copy of this tally of ballots. For the Employer For organization listed on Lir For organization listed on Line 4 Date For organization listed on Line 5 Title Date