STATE OF WASHINGTON

BEFORE THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

In the matter of the petition of:

CASE 136123-E-23

TEAMSTERS LOCAL 58

DECISION 13623 - PECB

Involving certain employees of:

ORDER WITHDRAWING CERTIFICATION

COWLITZ COUNTY

Justin Baptista, Business Rep, for Teamsters Local 58.

Jessica Warren, Human Resources Director, for Cowlitz County.

On January 4, 2022, this agency certified Teamsters Local 58 as the exclusive bargaining representative of employees at Cowlitz County. The bargaining unit is described as:

All full-time and regular part-time nonsupervisory Public Defenders employed by Cowlitz County Office of Public Defense, excluding confidential employees, supervisory employees, and all other employees.

Cowlitz County, Decision 13457 (PECB, 2022).

On January 4, 2023, the union filed a written disclaimer of all representation rights concerning the Public Defender bargaining unit, effective immediately.

<u>ORDER</u>

Teamsters Local 58's request is granted. The certification issued in *Cowlitz County*, Decision 13457 (PECB, 2022) is withdrawn, and Teamsters Local 58 no longer represents the bargaining unit.

ISSUED at Olympia, Washington, this 24th day of January, 2023.

PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

MICHAEL P. SELLARS, Executive Director



RECORD OF SERVICE

ISSUED ON 01/24/2023

DECISION 13623 - PECB has been served by mail and electronically by the Public Employment Relations Commission to the parties and their representatives listed below.

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