STATE OF WASHINGTON

BEFORE THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

In the matter of the petition of:

EASTERN WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY POLICE GUILD

Involving certain employees of:

EASTERN WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

CASE 143094-E-25

DECISION 14115 - PSRA

CERTIFICATION by Card Check

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FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. The Eastern Washington University Police Guild filed a representation petition concerning employees of the Eastern Washington University. The Public Employment Relations Commission (PERC) determined the petition was timely filed and accompanied by a sufficient showing of interest. No other organization claimed to represent the employees involved.
- 2. The bargaining unit is described as follows:

All supervisory uniformed personnel employed by Eastern Washington University, excluding confidential employees, internal auditors, nonsupervisory employees, and employees included in any other bargaining unit.

3. Because the more than 50 percent showing of interest threshold was met, PERC conducted card check proceedings. The employees were given a free choice in the proceedings. The tally of results was provided to the parties. No meritorious election objections were filed.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. The unit described in finding of fact 2 is an appropriate unit within the meaning of RCW 41.80.070.
- 2. Representation proceedings were conducted in accordance with RCW 41.80.135 and chapter 391-25 WAC.

CERTIFICATION

Eastern Washington University employees in the bargaining unit described in finding of fact 2 have chosen

EASTERN WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY POLICE GUILD

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

ISSUED at Olympia, Washington, this 21st day of May, 2025.

PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

MICHAEL F. SELLARS, Executive Director



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