

STATE OF WASHINGTON

BEFORE THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

In the matter of the Petition of:	)	
	)	CASE NO. 6916-E-87-1194
INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF	)	
ELECTRICAL WORKERS, LOCAL 77	)	CERTIFICATION
	)	
	)	DECISION 2894-A - PECB
Involving certain employees of:	)	
	)	
GRAND COULEE PROJECT HYDROELECTRIC	)	Representation Election Pursuant
AUTHORITY	)	to Direction of Election
	)	

Appearances:

For Petitioner: Ray D. Warren, Representative
For Employer: Daniel S. Smolen, Representative
For Intervenor: Wesley H. LeMay, Representative

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. The organization(s) listed above as intervenors timely moved for intervention in the captioned proceedings; and said motion for intervention was in each case 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 FULL-TIME, REGULAR PART-TIME AND TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
OF THE GRAND COULEE PROJECT HYDROELECTRIC AUTHORITY;
EXCLUDING SUPERVISORS, CONFIDENTIAL EMPLOYEES AND STAFF
ENGINEERS.

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 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 3 is an appropriate unit for the purposes of collective bargaining within the meaning of RCW 41.56.060; 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:

INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF ELECTRICAL WORKERS, LOCAL 77

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 31st day of May, 1988.

PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Marvin L. Schurke", is written over the printed name.

MARVIN L. SCHURKE, Executive Director

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| 1. Approximate number of eligible voters..... | <u>14</u> |
| 2. Void Ballots..... | <u>0</u> |
| 3. Votes Cast For: <u>IBEW, LOCAL 77</u> ... | <u>11</u> |
| 4. Votes Cast For: _____ ... | <u>0</u> |
| 5. Votes Cast For: _____ ... | <u>0</u> |
| 6. Votes Cast For: _____ ... | <u>0</u> |
| 7. Votes Cast For: NO REPRESENTATION..... | <u>2</u> |