# STATE OF NEW MEXICO PUBLIC EMPLOYEE LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

In re:

10-PELRB-2012

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Petitioner,

and

INTERNATIONAL UNION of OPERATING ENGINEERS, Local 953,

Intervenor,

v.

PELRB No. 303-11

CENTRAL CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO.22,

Respondent

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Date: 1-22-12

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### **CERTIFICATION OF REPRESENTATIVE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that the National Education Association-NM (Union) after a secret ballot election has demonstrated sufficient support among the Central Consolidated School District No.22 (Employer) employees in the unit described as follows:

Aide, Educational; Aide, Educational - Special Ed; Aide, Health; Aide, PE; Aide, Personal Care Assistant; Clerical Cook; Cook Manager; Cook Manager; Assistant Custodian; Daycare Provider; Daycare Supervisor; Interpreter - Non-Exempt; Liaison; Library Clerk; Maintenance Area Foreman; Maintenance Employee; Office Ass't/Receptionist; PAC Technician; PC Tech Supervisor; PC Technician; Print Shop Technician; Secretary, Clerk, Bookkeeper; Teacher, PAT - Non-Certified; Warehouse Foreman; Warehouse Person.

The unit specifically excludes all probationary, managerial, confidential, or supervisory employees, specifically the following positions:

Accounts Payable Staff; AS400 Programmer; Human Resources Staff; Payroll Staff; Secretary to the Superintendent; Secretary to the Assistant Superintendent; Secretary to the Executive Director of Finance and Business Operations.

The undersigned makes this certification based on the following:

- 1. On May 10, 2011 the Union filed a Petition for Initial Certification of a New Bargaining Unit supported by the sufficient submission of signed membership/authorization cards from employees in the unit.
- 2. On May 20, 2011, the Employer provided to the undersigned and to the Union a copy of proposed unit employee list. That list showed that there were 510 employees in the unit. By subsequent agreement of the parties the number of eligible voters was reduced to 344.
- 3. On September 7, 2011 the undersigned determined that the Union provided sufficient signed membership/authorization cards to proceed to an election. On October 14, 2011 the undersigned found that the International Union of Operating Engineers Local #953 to be an incumbent labor organization with respect to the bargaining unit at issue

and that as such it was entitled to automatic intervenor status and would appear on the ballot.

- 4. On November 8, 2011 the parties entered into a Consent Election Agreement approved by the Executive Director and calling for an election November 17, 2011. The election was subsequently postponed to December 13, 2011.
- 5. Following a secret ballot election as scheduled a card count was held at the IOUE Local 953 union hall on December 15, 2011 at 5:45 p.m. The total number of eligible voters was 344 after mutual agreement and 210 voters cast ballots; thus, more than 40% of the eligible voters cast ballots. Of the 210 ballots cast the results of the count were 144 ballots in favor of NEA-NM, 34 ballots in favor of IOUE Local 953 and 32 ballots cast against representation by either union. There was one invalid vote. Accordingly, the undersigned hereby certifies that the National Education Association-NM has demonstrated that it has sufficient support in the Unit to be recognized as the exclusive collective bargaining representative pursuant to NMAC 11.21.2.33.

ISSUED in Albuquerque, New Mexico on this 23rd day of December, 2011 by:

Thomas J. Griego, Executive Director New Mexico Public Employee Labor

Relations Board