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**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
PUBLIC EMPLOYEES LABOR RELATIONS BOARD**

**STATE PERSONNEL OFFICE
(IN RE: DIVISION OF VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION),**

and **Petitioner,** **PELRB No. 311-23**

**AMERICAN FEDERATION OF STATE COUNTY
AND MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES, COUNCIL 18,**

Joint Petitioner.

ORDER

THIS MATTER comes before the Public Employee Labor Relations Board at its regularly scheduled meeting on September 5, 2023 upon the parties' joint request filed August 8, 2023, to amend the Certification of the bargaining unit to reflect job title and classification changes since the original certification.

The Board finds and concludes that the Petition does not raise a question concerning representation and it presents sufficient facts to show that an amendment should be made. Accordingly, certification of the bargaining unit shall be, and hereby is, amended to reflect the current job classification titles as shown on the Executive Director's Amended Certification of Representation issued August 16, 2023. Upon review of the submissions and no one appearing in opposition to the Amended Certification, the Board by a vote of 3-0 hereby affirms and ratifies the Amended Certification of Representation issued by the Executive Director on August 16, 2023.

PUBLIC EMPLOYEE LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

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PEGGY NELSON, BOARD CHAIR

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Amended Certification of Representation

The undersigned hereby certifies that AFSCME, Council 18 (Union) has demonstrated a sufficient basis pursuant to NMAC 11.21.2.37 to compel amendment of the certification of the bargaining unit issued by this office on August 5, 2022 to reflect changes to job titles and classifications in the bargaining unit comprised of employees of the Division of Vocational Rehabilitation as follows:

Accountants and Auditors, C2011; Administrative Law Judges, Adjudicators, and Hearing Officers, H1021; Business Operations Specialist, All Other, C1199; Community and Social Services Specialists, All Other, G1099; DVR Disability Adjudicator I, G10801; DVR Adjudicator II, G10802; DVR Disability Adjudicator III, G10803; Financial Specialists, All Other, C2099; Purchasing Agents, Except Wholesale, Retail, and Farm Products, C1023; Rehabilitation Counselors, G1015; Secretaries, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive, R6014.

The undersigned makes this certification based on the following:

1. By a Petition filed August 8, 2023, the Union and the State Personnel Office jointly requested amendment of the Certification of the Exclusive Representative of the above-described unit.
2. On August 11, 2023, the Board's Executive Director determined that the Petition was facially valid and requested any information the parties may have to rebut his presumption that there were no questions of representation or other impediments to amendment. As of the date of this amendment no objection to the amendment has been received.
3. The Petition does not raise a question concerning representation and it presents sufficient facts to show that the amendment should be made. Accordingly, certification of the bargaining unit shall be, and hereby is, amended to reflect a change in the bargaining unit job titles and/or classifications

ISSUED in Albuquerque, New Mexico on this 16th day of August, 2023 by:

PUBLIC EMPLOYEE LABOR RELATIONS BOARD


Thomas J. Griego
Executive Director

