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STATE OF NEW MEXICO PUBLIC EMPLOYEE LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

**NEW MEXICO COALITION OF
PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICERS,**

Petitioner,

&

PELRB No. 303-23

SANTA FE COUNTY,

Respondent.

ORDER

THIS MATTER came before the Public Employee Labor Relations Board at its regularly scheduled meeting on June 3, 2025, upon the request of the Parties to correct a scrivener’s error contained in the Amended Certification issued on March 10, 2023. Finding that the Parties demonstrated a sufficient basis pursuant to NMAC 11.21.2.37 to compel amendment of the certification of the bargaining unit, the Executive Director issued a Second Amended Certification on May 19, 2025, correcting the error.

Upon review of the submissions and no one appearing in opposition to the Amended Certification, the Board, by unanimous vote, hereby affirms and ratifies the Second Amended Certification of Representation issued by the Executive Director on May 19, 2025, including the findings therein.

PUBLIC EMPLOYEE LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

Signed by:

Mark Myers

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MARK MYERS, BOARD CHAIR

6/9/2025

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Second Amended Certification of Representation

The undersigned hereby certifies that **New Mexico Coalition of Public Safety Officers** (Union) and Santa Fe County have 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 **November 14, 2008**, and the **Amended Certification of Representation issued on March 10, 2023**, with regard to the following bargaining unit comprised of employees of the **Santa Fe County Regional Dispatch Center**:

All regular non-probationary employees, including Emergency Communications Specialist 1-Basic, Emergency Communication Specialist Advanced, Emergency Communication Specialist II, Emergency Communication Specialist III, Training Coordinator, Quality Assurance Specialist, Communications Team Leader, NCIC Coordinator and CAD/MSAG System Administrator, excluding confidential employees (10-7E-4 (G) NMSA 1978), management employees (10-7E-4 (N) NMSA 1978) and supervisor employees (10-7E-4 (T) NMSA 1978).

The undersigned makes this certification based on the following:

1. By a Petition filed **March 2, 2023** the Union requested amendment of the November 14, 2008 Certification to reflect changed titles and duties as reflected in the above-described unit.
2. On **March 2, 2023** the Board's Executive Director determined that the Petition was facially valid and sent notice to **Santa Fe County** requesting a statement of its position no later than **March 16, 2023**. Santa Fe County filed its "Response to Petition for Clarification" on **March 8, 2023** setting forth its agreement reached through prior bargaining to the amendment of the bargaining unit as set forth herein.
3. The Petition did not raise a question concerning representation and it presented sufficient facts to show that the amendment should be made. Accordingly, certification of the bargaining unit issued by this office on **November 14, 2008** was, amended to reflect reclassification of Communication Specialists I to Emergency Communications Specialist 1-Basic and Emergency Communication Specialist Advanced, as well as re-naming the Data Entry Specialist as CAD/MSAG System Administrator, and renaming the Communications Supervisors as Communications Team Leaders.
4. At that time, however, the positions of Emergency Communication Specialist II and Emergency Communication Specialist III were inadvertently omitted by PELRB Staff; a fact which was not discovered until or about **May 16, 2025**. This Second Amended Certification of Representation is issued upon PELRB Staff confirming that the omission was due to inadvertent error, and was contrary to the Parties' express agreement at the time.

ISSUED in Albuquerque, New Mexico on this 19th day of May, 2025 by:

PUBLIC EMPLOYEE LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

Pilar Vaile
Executive Director

