

STATE OF WISCONSIN

BEFORE THE WISCONSIN EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

**WISCONSIN ASSOCIATION OF PROFESSIONAL CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS,
MARY BOBIAK, NEIL KNAPTON and ROGER LUDER, Complainants,**

vs.

**DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS (DEPARTMENT OF
CORRECTIONS – COLUMBIA CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION),
WISCONSIN STATE EMPLOYEES UNION AFSCME COUNCIL 24,
AFL-CIO and its affiliate LOCAL 3394, Respondents.**

Case 511
No. 59813
PP(S)-318

Decision No. 30167-C

Appearances:

Attorney Sally A. Stix, 1800 Parmenter Street, Suite 204, Middleton, Wisconsin 53562, appearing on behalf of the Wisconsin Association of Professional Correctional Officers, Mary Bobiak, Neil Knapton and Roger Luder.

Attorney David J. Vergeront, Chief Legal Counsel, Department of Employment Relations, 345 West Washington Avenue, P.O. Box 7855, Madison, Wisconsin 53707-7855, appearing on behalf of the Department of Employment Relations (Department of Corrections – Columbia Correctional Institution).

Lawton & Cates, S.C., by **Attorney P. Scott Hassett**, Ten East Doty Street, Suite 400, P.O. Box 2965, Madison, Wisconsin 53701-2965, appearing on behalf of the Wisconsin State Employees Union, AFSCME Council 24, AFL-CIO and its affiliate Local 3394.

**NOTICE OF COMMISSION'S FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW
AND ORDER PURSUANT TO SECTION 111.07(5), STATS.**

On April 8, 2002, Examiner David E. Shaw issued Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order, with Accompanying Memorandum, in the above-entitled matter determining that the above-named Respondents had not committed unfair labor practices within the meaning of the State Employment Labor Relations Act. He therefore dismissed the complaint.

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To maximize the ability of the parties we serve to utilize the Internet and computer software to research decisions and arbitration awards issued by the Commission and its staff, footnote text is found in the body of this decision.

Within the 20 day statutory period set forth in Sec. 111.07(5), Stats., no petition for review of said Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order was filed and no intervening order by the Examiner or the Commission was issued.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Commission issues the following

NOTICE

By operation of Sec. 111.07(5), Stats., Examiner Shaw's Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order in the above-entitled matter became the Commission's Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order on April 30, 2002. 1/

1/ Pursuant to Sec. 990.001(4)(b), Stats., the 20 day period was extended through April 29, 2002.

Given under our hands and seal at the City of Madison, Wisconsin, this 9th day of May, 2002.

WISCONSIN EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

Steven R. Sorenson /s/

Steven R. Sorenson, Chairperson

A. Henry Hempe /s/

A. Henry Hempe, Commissioner

Paul A. Hahn /s/

Paul A. Hahn, Commissioner