

STATE OF WISCONSIN

STATE PERSONNEL BOARD

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DIVISION OF CORRECTIONS INVESTIGATION,*
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Case No. 76-126-I *
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DECISION AND ORDER

Before: James R. Morgan, Calvin Hessert and Dana Warren, Board Members.

This investigation was initiated on the Board's own motion pursuant to s. 16.05(4), Wis. Stats. The Board's focus was on the Division's affirmative action policy particularly in relation to the hiring of women at correctional institutions. The Board has collected some data, reports, and other material, but it is not in a position to make any findings or recommendations.

Chapter 196, Laws of 1977, created an affirmative action council and a restructured Personnel Board. This Board will retain the investigatory power but will not be handling the time consuming function of employe appeals. In consideration of these factors, in the absence of a specific complainant, and because of the generalized nature of the inquiry in this investigation, in the Board's opinion it would be most appropriate to terminate this investigation and permit those newly created bodies determine in what direction to proceed in the general area of agency affirmative action performance.

ORDER

This investigation is terminated.

Dated: June 16, 1978

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James R. Morgan, Chairperson