COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA Pennsylvania Labor Relations Board

IN THE MATTER OF THE EMPLOYES OF

:

: Case No. PERA-U-09-244-W

(PERA-R-705-W)

BENTWORTH SCHOOL DISTRICT

PROPOSED ORDER OF UNIT CLARIFICATION

On June 29, 2009, the Bentworth Education Association, PSEA/NEA (Association) filed a Petition for Unit Clarification with the Pennsylvania Labor Relations Board (Board), seeking clarification of a unit of professional employes of the Bentworth School District (District) previously certified by the Board at PERA-R-705-W, to include the position of registered nurse.

On July 10, 2009, the Secretary of the Board issued an Order and Notice of Hearing in which October 15, 2009, in Pittsburgh was assigned as the time and place of hearing.

On the day of the hearing, the parties agreed that the position of registered nurse is a professional position within the meaning of Section 301(7) of the Public Employe Relations Act and that the Board should clarify the unit to include the position of registered nurse, contingent on the District's Board of Directors approving the agreement. On December 18, 2009, the District notified the Board that the board of directors approved the tentative agreement reached at the October 15 hearing.

The examiner, on the basis of the stipulation of facts and from all other matters and documents of record makes the following:

ORDER

In view of the foregoing and in order to effectuate the policies of the Public Employe Relations Act, the hearing examiner

HEREBY ORDERS AND DIRECTS

that the unit previously certified by the Board at Case No. PERA-R-705-W is amended to include the position of registered nurse.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED AND DIRECTED

that in the absence of any exceptions filed with the Board pursuant to 34 Pa. Code § 95.98(a) within twenty days of the date hereof, this order shall be final.

SIGNED, DATED and MAILED at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, this thirteenth day of January, 2010.

PENNSYLVANIA LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

Thomas P. Leonard, Hearing Examiner