STATE OF HAWAII

HAWAII LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

In the Matter of

HAWAII GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION, AFSCME, LOCAL 152, AFL-CIO,

Exclusive Representative,

and

NEIL ABERCROMBIE, Governor, State of Hawaii; BOARD OF EDUCATION, Department of Education, State of Hawaii; and KATHRYN MATAYOSHI, Superintendent, Department of Education, State of Hawaii,

Employers.

CASE NO. I-06-146

ORDER NO. 2928

ORDER APPOINTING ARBITRATION PANEL AND NEUTRAL ARBITARTOR AND CHAIRPERSON

ORDER APPOINTING NEUTRAL ARBITARTOR AND CHAIRPERSON

On July 5, 2013, the Chairperson of the Hawaii Labor Relations Board (Board) received an email from the Executive Director and primary representative of the Hawaii Government Employees Association, AFSCME, Local 152, AFL-CIO (HGEA), notifying the Board that the parties in this matter selected MARVIN J. FELDMAN as the neutral arbitrator in the bargaining unit (BU) 06 interest arbitration by utilizing the strike method.

Hawaii Revised Statutes (HRS) § 89-11(e)(2)(A) provides in relevant part, "the parties shall alternately strike names from the list until a single name is left, who shall be immediately appointed by the board as the neutral arbitrator and chairperson of the arbitration panel" (emphasis added). Accordingly, pursuant to HRS § 89-11(e)(2)(A), the Board hereby appoints MARVIN J. FELDMAN as the neutral arbitrator and chairperson of the BU 06 interest arbitration panel. Additionally, based upon correspondence from the parties indicating their selections of party representatives to the panel, the remaining panel members are LEIOMALAMA DESHA, selected by HGEA, and ANNETTE ANDERSON, selected by the Employer. The panel shall have the powers conferred by law and shall follow the arbitration procedures provided for in HRS § 89-11 or an alternate impasse procedure as provided by HRS § 89-11(a).

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DATED: Honolulu, Hawaii, _____ July 9, 2013

HAWAII LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

SESNITA A.D. MOEPONO, Member

ROCK B. LEY, Member

Copies sent to:

Randy Perreira, HGEA Neil Dietz, Employer's Primary Representative Hon. Neil Abercrombie Board of Education Kathryn Matayoshi, Superintendent of Education

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