

STATE OF HAWAII  
HAWAII LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

In the Matter of

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

Exclusive  
Representative,

and

NEIL ABERCROMBIE, Governor, State of  
Hawaii; KIRK CALDWELL, Mayor, City  
and County of Honolulu; WILLIAM KENOI,  
Mayor, County of Hawaii; ALAN M.  
ARAKAWA, Mayor, County of Maui;  
BERNARD P. CARVALHO, JR., Mayor,  
County of Kauai; MARK RECKTENWALD,  
Chief Justice, the Judiciary, State of Hawaii;  
and HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS  
CORPORATION BOARD,

Employers.

CASE NO. I-13-148

ORDER NO. 2929

ORDER APPOINTING NEUTRAL  
ARBITRATOR AND CHAIRPERSON

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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 JOHN B. LAROCCO as the neutral arbitrator in the bargaining unit (BU) 13 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 John B. LaRocco as the neutral arbitrator and chairperson of the BU 13 interest arbitration panel, who 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.

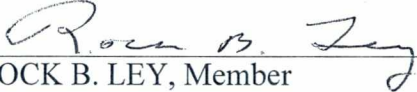
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Hon. Mark Recktenwald  
Hawaii Health Systems Corporation Board