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MEMORANDUM

TO: Commissioners

FROM: Robert E. Anderson
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SUBJECT: Supplemental Report on Developments in the Counsel's Office Since February 27, 2002

Commission Cases

At its January 30, 2003 meeting, the Commission adopted regulations for implementing the 2002 law permitting deduction of representation fees even absent a negotiated agreement. N.J.S.A. 34:13A-5.5. Those regulations became effective upon publication in the New Jersey Register on March 3, 2003. 35 N.J.R. 1270(a).

Other Cases

The Port Authority of New York and New Jersey and The Port Authority Police Benevolent Ass'n, Inc., have agreed that an action seeking review of a final improper practice decision of the Port Authority Employment Relations Panel is moot. IP-93-9. The decision had ordered the employer to negotiate over the transfer of unit work at the World Trade Center, but the order was subsequently mooted by the events of September 11, 2001.

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