P.E.R.C. NO. 2014-69

STATE OF NEW JERSEY BEFORE THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

In the Matter of

COUNTY OF MORRIS, MORRIS COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE,

Appellant,

-and-

Docket No. IA-2012-035

PBA LOCAL NO. 298,

Respondent.

PBA LOCAL NO. 298,

Appellant,

-and-

COUNTY OF MORRIS, MORRIS COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE,

Respondent.

SYNOPSIS

The Public Employment Relations Commission affirms an interest arbitration award establishing the terms of a successor agreement between the County of Morris and the Morris County Sheriff's Office (County) and the PBA Local 298. The County appealed an interest arbitration award that had been previously remanded to the Commission by the Appellate Division and assigned to a new arbitrator. The Commission rejects the County's arguments on appeal finding that the arbitrator complied with our directive on remand and was correct in considering the entire award and all aspects of the interest arbitration statute when formulating her award. The Commission found that the arbitrator issued a well reasoned opinion and award that complied with the relevant statutes and is supported by substantial credible evidence in the record as a whole.

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STATE OF NEW JERSEY BEFORE THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

In the Matter of

NEWARK HOUSING AUTHORITY,

Respondent,

-and-

OAL DKT. NO. PRC 02872-11 P.E.R.C. DKT. NO. CO-2010-487

SKILLED TRADES ASSOCIATION, INC.,

Charging Party.

NEWARK HOUSING AUTHORITY LAYOFF - 2010. OAL DKT. NO. CSV 09080-10 AGENCY DKT. NO. 2010-4005

SYNOPSIS

The Public Employment Relations Commission remands an unfair practice case to the Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) in a consolidated matter with the Civil Service Commission. PERC instructs the ALJ to analyze the facts using the burden shifting analysis set forth in <u>In re Bridgewater Tp.</u>, 95 <u>N.J.</u> 235 (1984).

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