

P.E.R.C. NO. 2011-50

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

In the Matter of

TOWN OF HAMMONTON,

Petitioner,

-and-

Docket No. SN-2010-076

MAINLAND PBA LOCAL 77,

Respondent.

SYNOPSIS

The Public Employment Relations Commission grants the request of the Town of Hammonton for a restraint of binding arbitration of a grievance filed by Mainland PBA Local 77. The grievance challenges a directive of the Chief of Police that an officer may no longer be assigned to work special detail assignments at the Town's schools based upon an incident that attracted media attention. The Commission holds that the grievance is contesting the Chief's assessment of the officer's qualifications for the school assignments and is therefore not legally arbitrable.

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P.E.R.C. NO. 2011-51

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

In the Matter of

BRIDGEWATER-RARITAN REGIONAL
BOARD OF EDUCATION,

Respondent,

-and-

Docket No. CI-2009-045

STAN J. SERAFIN,

Charging Party.

BRIDGEWATER-RARITAN TRANSPORTATION
ASSOCIATION,

Respondent,

-and-

Docket No. CI-2009-046

STAN J. SERAFIN,

Charging Party.

SYNOPSIS

The Public Employment Relations Commission denies Charging Party Stan J. Serafin's requests for special permission to appeal a Hearing Examiner's denial of his "motion for a more definite statement" in a matter involving the answers filed by the Bridgewater-Raritan Regional Board of Education.

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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

In the Matter of

COUNTY OF BURLINGTON,

Petitioner,

-and-

Docket No. SN-2010-066

PBA LOCAL #249,

Respondent.

SYNOPSIS

The Public Employment Relations Commission denies the request of the County of Burlington for a restraint of binding arbitration of a grievance filed by PBA Local #249. The grievance challenges minor discipline issued to employees for violation of the County's lateness policy. The Commission holds that the grievance challenges minor discipline for which N.J.S.A. 34:13A-5.3 specifically authorizes binding arbitration.

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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

In the Matter of

CITY OF NEWARK,

Petitioner,

-and-

Docket No. SN-2010-086

FOP LODGE 12,

Respondent.

SYNOPSIS

The Public Employment Relations Commission denies a request for a restraint of binding arbitration of a grievance filed by FOP Lodge 12. The grievance asserts that the City violated the parties' collective negotiations agreement when it eliminated the detective stipend for officers reassigned from detective to patrol. The Commission holds that whether the stipend is linked to the detective assignment or the particular duties is a question of contract interpretation reserved to an arbitrator.

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