STATE OF NEW JERSEY BEFORE THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

In the Matter of

TOWNSHIP OF BLOOMFIELD,

Respondent,

-and-

Docket No. IA-2008-002

FMBA LOCAL 19,

Appellant.

SYNOPSIS

The Public Employment Relations Commission dismisses an interest arbitration appeal filed by FMBA Local 19 from a oneissue clarification of an interest arbitration award that determined acting pay for captains employed by the Township of Bloomfield. The Commission determines that the appeal is untimely.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY BEFORE THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

In the Matter of

TOWNSHIP OF TEANECK,

Petitioner,

-and-

Docket No. SN-2011-060

PBA LOCAL 215,

Respondent.

SYNOPSIS

The Public Employment Relations Commission grants the request of the Township of Teaneck for a restraint of binding arbitration of a grievance filed by PBA Local 215. The grievance challenges the application of <u>P.L</u>. 2010, <u>c</u>. 2 and the Township's commencing effective May 22, 2010, payroll deductions of an amount equal to 1.5% of base salary towards the cost of health insurance benefits. The Commission holds that by operation of law, there was no collective agreement in force on the effective date of <u>P.L</u>. 2010, <u>c</u>. 2.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY BEFORE THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

In the Matter of

COUNTY OF HUDSON,

Petitioner,

-and-

Docket No. SN-2011-071

DISTRICT 1199J, NUHHCE, AFSCME, AFL-CIO,

Respondent.

SYNOPSIS

The Public Employment Relations Commission grants, in part, the request of the County of Hudson for a restraint of binding arbitration of a grievance filed by District 1199J, NUHHCE, AFSCME, AFL-CIO. The grievance asserts that the County failed to properly evaluate an employee during his 90-day probationary period in the promotional title of tree trimmer and violated the contract by returning him to his former position as park attendant on the 124th day of his work in the tree trimmer position. The holds that except to the extent the grievance may assert that the employee has performed satisfactorily during his working test period and thereby achieved permanent status as a tree trimmer, the request of the County is denied.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

In the Matter of

COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND,

Petitioner,

-and-

Docket No. SN-2011-082

UAW, LOCAL 2327,

Respondent.

SYNOPSIS

The Public Employment Relations grants, in part, the request of the County of Cumberland for a restraint of binding arbitration of a grievance filed by UAW, Local 2327. The grievance asserts that the County violated the parties' agreement when it did not select a unit member to fill a vacancy as a Licensed Practical Nurse. The Commission restrains arbitration except to the extent the grievance asserts the County should have interviewed the unsuccessful candidate and given an explanation as to why she was deemed unqualified.