In the Matter of

STATE OF NEW JERSEY BEFORE THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

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SYNOPSIS

The Chair of the Public Employment Relations Commission, acting pursuant to authority delegated to her by the full Commission, and the Merit System Board, jointly deny a motion for consolidation. The Township of Teaneck sought consolidation of appeals before the Merit System Board and an unfair practice charge before the Commission filed by Michael A. DePompeo. An Administrative Law Judge had denied the motion to consolidate finding that although the parties are identical, the issues are not and that consolidation would not improve the efficiency of justice. The Commission and the Board agree that consolidation is not warranted.

This synopsis is not part of the joint decision. It has been prepared for the convenience of the reader. It has been neither reviewed nor approved by the Commission or the Board.