

DC 37, 7 OCB2d 15 (BOC 2014)

(Rep) (Docket Nos. RE-178-07, RU-1249-05, RU-1250-05, RU-1255-08, and AC-36-07).

Summary of Decision: In response to a stipulation between DC 37, CWA, and Local 237, the Board certified the three unions as the joint bargaining representatives of the traffic enforcement unit created in *DC 37, 7 OCB2d 1 (BOC 2014)*. (*Official decision follows.*)

**OFFICE OF COLLECTIVE BARGAINING
BOARD OF CERTIFICATION**

In the Matter of the Certification Proceeding

-between-

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,

Petitioner,

-and-

**DISTRICT COUNCIL 37;
CIVIL SERVICE TECHNICAL GUILD, LOCAL 375, DISTRICT COUNCIL 37;
ORGANIZATION OF STAFF ANALYSTS;
UNITED FEDERATION OF TEACHERS;
COMMUNICATIONS WORKERS OF AMERICA;
INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF TEAMSTERS, LOCAL 237;
NEW YORK CITY DEPUTY SHERIFFS' ASSOCIATION;**

Respondents,

-and-

LAW ENFORCEMENT EMPLOYEES BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION,

Intervenor.

DECISION AND CERTIFICATION

On January 10, 2014, the Board of Certification found that a traffic enforcement bargaining unit consisting of Traffic Enforcement Agent Levels I, II, III, and IV (Title Code Nos. 71651, 7165A, and 7165B), Associate Traffic Enforcement Agent (Title Code

No. 71652), Parking Control Specialist (Title Code No. 41120), and Associate Parking Control Specialist (Title Code No. 41122) was appropriate and directed that an election be conducted to determine whether employees in those titles wish to be represented by District Council 37, AFSCME (“DC 37”), the Communications Workers of America (“CWA”), or the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Local 237 (“Local 237”) for the purposes of collective bargaining.¹ *See DC 37, 7 OCB2d 1, at 85-86 (BOC 2014).*

On April 8, 2014, DC 37, CWA, and Local 237 submitted an agreement to be jointly certified as the bargaining representatives of the traffic enforcement unit. They stipulated, among other things, that bargaining for the unit will be negotiated by a twelve member negotiating committee consisting of representatives from each union and that any bargaining agreement reached would be ratified by all members of the unit. The City of New York did not oppose the unions’ request for joint certification.

Pursuant to the powers vested in the Board of Certification by the New York City Collective Bargaining Law (New York City Administrative Code, Title 12, Chapter 3), it is hereby

CERTIFIED, that the Communications Workers of America, District Council 37, AFSCME, and the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Local 237 are the joint representatives for purposes of collective bargaining for the unit consisting of Traffic Enforcement Agent Levels I, II, III, and IV, Associate Traffic Enforcement Agent, Parking Control Specialist, and Associate Parking Control Specialist. This unit will be referred to as Cert. No. 15-14.

¹ Although the caption identifies all the parties to the consolidated Local Law 56 cases at issue in *DC 37, 7 OCB2d 1*, this decision addresses only the direction of an election between DC 37, CWA, and Local 237 concerning the traffic enforcement unit.

Dated: June 6, 2014

GEORGE NICOLAU
MEMBER

CAROL A. WITTENBERG
MEMBER

NOTICE OF CERTIFICATION

This notice acknowledges that the Board of Certification has issued a Decision and Certification as follows:

DATE: June 6, 2014 **DOCKET #:** RE-178-07, RU-1249-05,
RU-1250-05, RU-1255-08 & AC-36-07

DECISION: 7 OCB2d 15 (BOC 2014)

EMPLOYER: City of New York, represented by the Office of Labor Relations
40 Rector Street, 4th Floor
New York, NY 10006

CERTIFICATION 15-14:

Unit Titles: Traffic Enforcement Agent Levels I, II, III, and IV
(Title Code Nos. 71651, 7165A, and 7165B)
Associate Traffic Enforcement Agent (Title Code No. 71652)
Parking Control Specialist (Title Code No. 41120)
Associate Parking Control Specialist (Title Code No. 41122)

Joint Bargaining Representatives:

Communications Workers of America
80 Pine Street, 37th Floor
New York, NY 10005

District Council 37, AFSCME, AFL-CIO
125 Barclay Street
New York, NY 10007

International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Local 237
216 West 14th Street
New York, NY 10011