STATE OF WASHINGTON

BEFORE THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

GENE	MINETTI,)
	Complainant,) CASE NO. 6745-U-87-1352
	vs.) DECISION 2661-B - PECB
PORT	OF SEATTLE,	<i>)</i>)
	Respondent.) DECISION OF COMMISSION)
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Gene Minetti, appeared pro se.

Bogle and Gates, by <u>Peter M. Anderson</u>, Attorney at Law, appeared on behalf of the respondent.

On March 1, 1988, Examiner Kenneth J. Latsch issued his findings of fact, conclusions of law and order in the above-entitled matter, dismissing the complaint on the merits. On March 31, 1988, Gene Minetti filed a petition for review under cover of a letter which stated, in part:

I did not recieve (sic) your decision #2661-A until mid-March 1988. This Petition for Review will still reach you within the thirty day period although past the twenty day period.

I hope you will still review it.

The employer responded by letter on April 6, 1988, noting that the petition for review was untimely under WAC 391-45-350 and asking that it be dismissed.

Consistent with longstanding Commission policy and precedent, the petition for review must be dismissed. See: <u>City of Seattle</u>, Decision 2230-A (PECB, 1985); <u>Seattle Public Health Hospital (American Federation of Government Employees)</u>, Decision 1781-B (PECB, 1984); <u>Port of Ilwaco</u>, Decision 970-A (PECB, 1980); <u>Spokane School District</u>, Decision 310-A (EDUC, 1978).

NOW, THEREFORE, it is

<u>ORDERED</u>

The petition for review is dismissed and the matter is closed.

ISSUED at Olympia, Washington, this 11th day of May, 1988.

PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

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MARK C. ENDRESEN, Commissioner

JØSEPH F. QUINN, Commissioner