

EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS BOARD

OF THE

STATE OF OREGON

Case No. UC-013-11

(AMENDMENT OF CERTIFICATION)

PORTLAND FEDERATION OF)	
TEACHERS AND CLASSIFIED)	
EMPLOYEES,)	
)	
Petitioner,)	ORDER AMENDING
)	CERTIFICATION OF
v.)	EXCLUSIVE BARGAINING
)	REPRESENTATIVE
PORTLAND PUBLIC SCHOOLS)	
DISTRICT #1,)	
)	
Respondent.)	
_____)	

On April 21, 2011, the Portland Federation of Teachers and Classified Employees (Federation) filed a petition under OAR 115-025-0008 seeking to amend its certification to reflect a change of name to Portland Federation of School Professionals. The Federation is currently the certified exclusive bargaining representative of a bargaining unit of personnel employed by Portland Public Schools District #1 (District). The recognition clause in the parties' collective bargaining agreement defines the bargaining unit to include all employees of the District specified in Appendix A of the agreement, but excluding confidential or supervisory employees, short-term temporary employees, substitute employees, and student workers.

The petition was accompanied by the Federation's Executive Board Minutes from March 16, 2011. At that meeting, the Executive Board discussed the potential name change because the existing name caused "too many questions." The Executive Board then moved to change the name to Portland Federation of School Professionals.

The elections coordinator served the petition on the District on April 22. No timely objections to the name change were filed.

The petition presents no question of representation.

Based on the foregoing, the Board issues the following order:

ORDER

The Portland Federation of Teachers and Classified Employees certification is amended to reflect the change of name to Portland Federation of School Professionals.

DATED this 12 day of May, 2011.



Paul B. Gamson, Chair



Vickie Cowan, Board Member



Susan Rossiter, Board Member

This Order may be appealed pursuant to ORS 183.482.