



STATE OF CALIFORNIA
 DECISION OF THE
 PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS BOARD

STATE OF CALIFORNIA (DEPARTMENT OF)
 PERSONNEL ADMINISTRATION),)
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 Employer,)
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 and)
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 AMERICAN FEDERATION OF STATE,)
 COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES,)
 LOCAL 2620,)
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 Exclusive Representative,)
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 and)
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 GUILD FOR PROFESSIONAL PHARMACISTS,)
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 Petitioner.)

Case No. S-S-129-S
 PERB Decision No. 1025-S
 November 16, 1993

Appearances: Warren C. Stracener, Labor Relations Counsel, for State of California (Department of Personnel Administration); Beeson, Tayer & Bodine by Joseph R. Colton, Attorney, for American Federation of State, County, and Municipal Employees, Local 2620; Posner & Rosen by Michael Posner, Attorney, for Guild for Professional Pharmacists.

Before Blair, Chair; Carlyle and Garcia, Members.

DECISION

CARLYLE, Member: This case is before the Public Employment Relations Board (Board) on appeal by the Guild for Professional Pharmacists (Guild) to the proposed decision (attached hereto) of an administrative law judge's (ALJ) dismissal of the Guild's severance petition. The Guild sought to sever 172 pharmacists from State Bargaining Unit 19 (Professional, Health and Social Services).

The Board has reviewed the entire record, including the proposed decision, transcripts, the Guild's appeal, and responses

of the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, Local 2620 and the State of California (Department of Personnel Administration). The Board finds the ALJ's findings of fact and conclusions of law to be free of prejudicial error and adopts them as the decision of the Board itself.

ORDER

Based upon the entire record in this case, the administrative law judge's proposed decision in Case No. S-S-129-S is affirmed and it is ORDERED that the severance petition filed by the Guild be DISMISSED.

Chair Blair joined in this Decision.

Member Garcia's concurrence begins on page 3.