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NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD

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In the Matter of the

REPRESENTATION OF EMPLOYEES

of

ATLANTIC COAST AIRLINES

Fleet and Passenger Service Employees 30 NMB No. 33

CASE NO. R-6923

DISMISSAL-INSUFFICIENT SHOWING OF INTEREST

March 6, 2003

The services of the National Mediation Board (Board) were invoked by the International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers, AFL-CIO (IAM) on December 3, 2002, to investigate and determine who may represent for the purposes of the Railway Labor Act (RLA), as provided by Section 2, Ninth, thereof, personnel described as "Fleet and Passenger Service Employees," employees of Atlantic Coast Airlines.

At the time this application was received, these employees were not represented by any organization or individual.

The Board assigned Eileen M. Hennessey to investigate.

FINDINGS

The Investigator's investigation established that the Organization had failed to support its application with the required number of authorizations from the employees in the craft or class as set forth in Part 1206.2(b) of the Board's Rules.

Therefore, the Board finds no basis upon which to proceed in this matter and the IAM's application is dismissed subject to the one-year bar in 29 C.F.R. § 1206.4(b)(2).

By direction of the NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD.

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