

NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD

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In the Matter of the

REPRESENTATION OF EMPLOYEES

of

UNITED AIRLINES, INC.

Mechanics & Related Employees

35 NMB No. 33

CASE NO. R-7141

CERTIFICATION

April 1, 2008

The services of the National Mediation Board (Board) were invoked by the International Brotherhood of Teamsters (IBT) on December 4, 2007, 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 "Mechanics & Related Employees," employees of United Airlines, Inc. (Carrier).

At the time this application was received, these employees were represented by the Aircraft Mechanics Fraternal Association (AMFA).

The Board assigned Investigator Susanna Parker to investigate.

FINDINGS

The investigation disclosed that a dispute existed among the craft or class of Mechanics & Related Employees, and by direction of the Board, the Investigator was instructed to conduct an election to determine the employees' representation choice.

The following is the result of the election as reported by Investigator Parker.

Election Results for Mechanics & Related Employees	
Eligible Employees	8,631
IBT	4,113
AMFA	2,631
Void Votes	11
Write-in Votes	45

The Board further finds that: the Carrier and employees in this case are, respectively, a Carrier and employees within the meaning of the RLA, as amended; this Board has jurisdiction over the dispute involved herein; and the interested parties, as well as the Carrier, were given due notice of the Board's investigation.

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NOW, THEREFORE, in accordance with Section 2, Ninth, of the RLA, as amended, and based upon its investigation pursuant thereto, the Board certifies that the IBT has been duly designated and authorized to represent for the purposes of the RLA, as amended, the craft or class of Mechanics & Related Employees, employees of United Airlines, Inc., its successors and assigns.

By direction of the NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD.

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