

NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD

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In the Matter of the

REPRESENTATION OF EMPLOYEES

of

ATLANTIC SOUTHEAST AIRLINES

Mechanics and Related

38 NMB No. 2 CASE NO. R-7248

CERTIFICATION

October 14, 2010

The services of the National Mediation Board (Board) were invoked by the International Brotherhood of Teamsters (IBT) on July 1, 2010, 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 and Related," employees of Atlantic Southeast Airlines (Carrier).

At the time this application was received, these employees were unrepresented.

The Board assigned Investigator Susanna F. Parker to investigate. On October 4, 2010 the Board reassigned this case to Investigator Angela I. Heverling.

FINDINGS

The investigation disclosed that a dispute existed among the craft or class of Mechanics and Related, 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 Heverling.

Election Results for Mechanics and <u>Related</u>	
Eligible Employees	535
Total Valid Votes	452
IBT	305
A Group of Senior ASA Mechanics	1
AMFA	1
"No" Votes	145

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 International Brotherhood of Teamsters (IBT) has been duly designated and authorized to represent for the purposes of the RLA, as amended, the craft or class of Mechanics and Related, employees of Atlantic Southeast Airlines, its successors and assigns.

By direction of the NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD.

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