

NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD

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In the Matter of the

REPRESENTATION OF EMPLOYEES

of

PINNACLE AIRLINES, INC. / THE FORMER MESABA AVIATION, INC. / COLGAN AIR

Flight Dispatchers

39 NMB No. 37

CASE NO. R-7325 (File No. CR-7011)

DISMISSAL-WITHDRAWN DURING INVESTIGATION

April 19, 2012

The services of the National Mediation Board (Board) were invoked by the Transport Workers Union of America (TWU) on April 5, 2011, 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 "Flight Dispatchers," employees of Pinnacle Airlines, Inc., Mesaba Aviation. Inc. and Colgan Air, Inc. (the "Carriers" collectively).

At the time this application was received, the Flight Dispatchers were represented by the TWU at Pinnacle (R-7048) and Mesaba (R-6678). The Flight Dispatchers at Colgan were unrepresented.

The Board assigned Investigator Eileen M. Hennessey to investigate.

Subsequently, the TWU filed a letter with the NMB withdrawing "its request that the Board investigate whether Pinnacle Airlines, Inc., Colgan Air Inc. and Mesaba Aviation Inc. are now a single transportation system."

On the basis of the letter of withdrawal referred to above, the Board hereby converts this matter to NMB Case No. R-7325 and dismisses the application.

By direction of the NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD.

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