

NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD

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In the Matter of the

REPRESENTATION OF EMPLOYEES

of

ALLEGIANT AIRLINES

Flight Dispatchers

40 NMB No. 23

CASE NO. R-7342

CERTIFICATION

December 19, 2012

The services of the National Mediation Board (Board) were invoked by the International Brotherhood of Teamsters on October 18, 2012, 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 Allegiant Airlines (Carrier).

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

The Board assigned Investigator Susanna F. Parker to investigate.

FINDINGS

The investigation disclosed that a dispute existed among the craft or class of Flight Dispatchers, 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 Flight Dispatchers	
Eligible Employees	21
Total Valid Votes	20
IBT	15
Void Votes	0
"No" Votes	5

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 Flight Dispatchers, employees of Allegiant Airlines, its successors and assigns.

By direction of the NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD.

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