



## NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD

1301 K St NW, Suite 250E  
Washington, DC, 20005

In the Matter of the  
REPRESENTATION OF EMPLOYEES  
of  
BRIGHTLINE TRAINS FLORIDA, LLC.  
On Board Service Employees

52 NMB No. 21

CASE NO. R-7643  
(NMB File No. CR-7254)

CERTIFICATION

January 15, 2025

The services of the National Mediation Board (Board) were invoked by the Transport Workers Union of America (TWU) on August 9, 2024, 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 “On Board Service Employees”, employees of Brightline Trains Florida, LLC (Carrier).

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

The Board assigned Investigator Angela I. Heverling to investigate.

### FINDINGS

The investigation disclosed that a dispute existed among the craft or class of On Board Service 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 Angela I. Heverling.

Election Results for On Board Service Employees

Eligible Employees	83
Valid Votes	47
TWU	30
“No” Votes	17
Write-in Votes	0
Void Votes	0

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 Transport Workers Union of America (TWU) has been duly designated and authorized to represent for the purposes of the RLA, as amended, the craft or class of On Board Service Employees, employees of Brightline Trains Florida, LLC, its successors and assigns.

By direction of the NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD.



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