

1 STATE OF NEVADA  
2 LOCAL GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE-MANAGEMENT  
3 RELATIONS BOARD  
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5 RANDY REDINGER,

6 Complainant,

7 vs.

8 RENO-SPARKS CONVENTION AND  
9 VISITORS AUTHORITY,

10 Respondent.  
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) ITEM NO. 665B

) CASE NO. A1-045916

) ORDER

12 For Complainant: Jessica C. Prunty, Esq.  
13 Dyer, Lawrence, Penrose, Flaherty & Donaldson

14 For Respondent: Charles P. Cockerill, Esq.

15 This matter came before the Local Government Employee-Management Relations Board  
16 ("Board") for deliberations and decision on April 02, 2008; and such was noticed pursuant to  
17 NRS and NAC chapters 288, NRS chapter 233B, and Nevada's open meeting laws.

18 On October 18, 2007, Randy Redinger ("Redinger") filed a complaint with the Board  
19 alleging prohibited labor practices in violation of NRS chapter 288 by the Reno-Sparks  
20 Convention Center ("Center") and the Reno-Sparks Convention & Visitors Authority ("Visitors  
21 Authority"). The Authority filed an Answer on November 5, 2007. Thereafter, the complaint  
22 was amended, deleting the Center as a Respondent. On February 22, 2008, the Visitors  
23 Authority filed a "Motion to Strike or for a More Definite Statement & Motion to Dismiss or for  
24 a More Definite Statement; Request for Attorneys' Fees & Costs." Redinger opposed the motion  
25 on March 14, 2008, and on March 21, 2008 the Visitors Authority filed their reply. Good cause  
26 appearing therefore,

27 Sufficient information pertaining to dates and individuals involved have been identified  
in the Amended Complaint warranting the denial of the motion to strike paragraph 26.

1 The allegations made in the Amended Complaint are that the Respondent interfered  
2 and/or restrained Redinger in the exercise of his "associational rights" and that Redinger was, at  
3 all times relevant to this matter, either the President or Vice President of the recognized  
4 employee organization. See Amended Complaint. The Second Cause of Action of the Amended  
5 Complaint, however, pertains to the "Domination and Interference in Administration of  
6 Employee Organization." Respondent argues that this is an inappropriate cause of action as the  
7 employee organization is not a party to this matter.

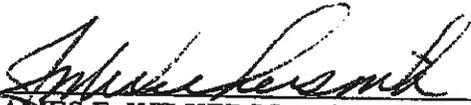
8 Based upon such an argument, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Respondents' "Motion to  
9 Strike or for a More Definite Statement and Motion to Dismiss or for a More Definite Statement  
10 and Request for Attorney's Fees and Costs" is denied in all respects.

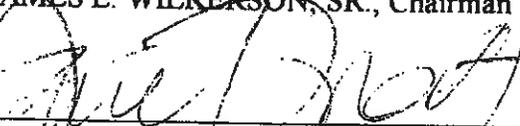
11 If Respondent desires to answer the Amended Complaint, such an answer must be served  
12 and filed within ten (10) days of the service of this order.

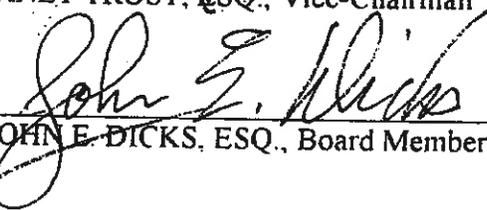
13 Respondent has already filed a pre-hearing statement in this action. Complainant is  
14 hereby ORDERED to file his pre-hearing statement within twenty (20) days from the date of  
15 service of this order.

16 DATED this 3rd day of April, 2008.

17 LOCAL GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE-  
18 MANAGEMENT RELATIONS BOARD

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20 BY:   
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JANET TROST, ESQ., Vice-Chairman

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24 BY:   
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