

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 ORDER  
9 VISITORS AUTHORITY,

10 Respondent.  
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ITEM NO. 665B

CASE NO. A1-045916

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

13 For Respondent: Charles P. Cockerill, Esq.  
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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-Spark  
20 Convention Center ("Center") and the Reno-Sparks Convention & Visitors Authority ("Visitor  
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 Visitor  
23 Authority filed a "Motion to Strike or for a More Definite Statement & Motion to Dismiss or fo  
24 a More Definite Statement; Request for Attorneys' Fees & Costs." Redinger opposed the motio  
25 on March 14, 2008, and on March 21, 2008 the Visitors Authority filed their reply. Good caus  
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 interfer<sup>ed</sup>  
2 and/or restrained Redinger in the exercise of his "associational rights" and that Redinger was, t  
3 all times relevant to this matter, either the President or Vice President of the recognize<sup>d</sup>  
4 employee organization. See Amended Complaint. The Second Cause of Action of the Amende<sup>d</sup>  
5 Complaint, however, pertains to the "Domination and Interference in Administration o  
6 Employee Organization." Respondent argues that this is an inappropriate cause of action as th<sup>e</sup>  
7 employee organization is not a party to this matter.

8 Based upon such an argument, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Respondents' "Motion P  
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.

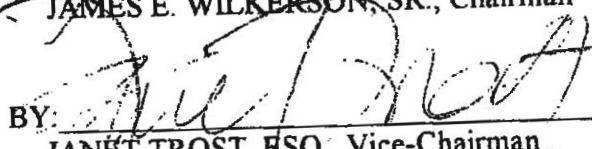
11 If Respondent desires to answer the Amended Complaint, such an answer must be se<sup>rved</sup>  
12 and filed within ten (10) days of the service of this order.

13 Respondent has already filed a pre-hearing statement in this action. Complainant i<sup>s</sup>  
14 hereby ORDERED to file his pre-hearing statement within twenty (20) days from the date o<sup>f</sup>  
15 service of this order.

16 DATED this 3rd day of April, 2008.

17 LOCAL GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE-  
18 MANAGEMENT RELATIONS BOARD

19 BY:   
20 JAMES E. WILKERSON, SR., Chairman

21 BY:   
22 JANET TROST, ESQ., Vice-Chairman

23 BY:   
24 JOHN E. DICKS, ESQ., Board Member  
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