



**NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD**  
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In the Matter of the  
REPRESENTATION OF  
EMPLOYEES  
of  
FLIGHT OPTIONS, LLC/FLEXJET,  
LLC  
Pilots

45 NMB No. 24

CASE NO. R-7517

DISMISSAL

May 31, 2018

The services of the National Mediation Board (Board) were invoked by the behalf of Frank Woelke, an Individual on March 27, 2018, 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 "Pilots," employees of Flight Options, LLC/FlexJet, LLC (Carrier).

At the time this application was received, these employees were represented by the International Brotherhood of Teamsters-Airline Division.

The Board assigned Investigator Maria-Kate Dowling to investigate.

FINDINGS

The investigation disclosed that a dispute existed among the craft or class of Pilots, 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 Hennessey.

<u>Election Results for Pilots</u>	
Eligible Employees	551
Total Valid Votes	541
IBT	220
Frank Woelke an Individual	2
Write-in: ALPA	1
"No" Votes	318
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.

On the basis of the investigation and report of election which establishes that a majority of the valid votes cast was for no representation, the Board finds no basis for certification and the application is, therefore, dismissed subject to Part 1206.4(b) of the NMB Rules.

By direction of the NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD.

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